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COUNTESS IS SENT TO PRISON

WAS IMPLICATED IN MURDER CONSPIRACY

Doctor and Lawyer Also Sentenced in Connection With Startling Tragedy

(Times Leased Wire.)
Venice, May 21.—Convicted of murder conspiracy that started Europe, Countess Maria Tarnowska, Dr. Naumoff and Lawyer Nicholas Prilukoff today began serving prison terms for killing Count Kamarowsky. The countess and physician were sentenced to three and eight years respectively while Prilukoff received 10 years.
The jury found that Countess Tarnowska and Dr. Naumoff were not full responsible for their actions. Elide Ferrer, the maid, was acquitted.
The case excited the interest of all Europe. Not alone were its criminal features striking but the political question involved furnished food for gossip in court circles. Had the murder and trial occurred in Russia little of the details probably would have become known. Occurring in Italy, the Russian social and political system was laid bare in spite of every effort of the Czar's agents to hush up the case.
Of the four prisoners Countess Maria Tarnowska, though only charged with instigating and not with actually committing the murder of Count Kamarowsky two and a half years ago, was the central figure in the case. The next conspicuous figure was Dr. Naumoff, 21, who admitted firing the fatal shot. Nicholas Prilukoff, a lawyer, and Elide Ferrer, the countess' maid, were accused as accessories.
The story of the events leading up to Count Kamarowsky's murder begins with Maria, Nicolai's clandestine marriage at the age of 19, to Count Yassiel Tarnowski. The Tarnowskis were most unhappy together. The countess says her husband ill-treated her grossly. On her part, she deliberately tried to excite his jealousy, hoping to rid herself of him. She succeeded so well that the count finally shot and killed one of her admirers named Borsavski. He then began divorce proceedings against her.
The countess placed her case in Prilukoff's hands. Prilukoff was a man of ability, education and standing, had a wife and children and earned a large income from his profession. He abandoned everything to follow La Tarnowska, as she was generally called. Neglect of his business caused him heavy losses and, to satisfy the financial

CORROBORATES SENATOR RILEY

MR. KINGHAM RECALLS INTERVIEWS AT OTTAWA

Question of Settlement of Songhees Reserve Dispute is Still Absorbing Topic

Joshua Kingham, who, in company with Simon Leiser, visited Ottawa a short time ago on behalf of the Victoria Board of Trade, corroborates in every particular the statement made by Senator Riley as to the attitude of Hon. Frank Oliver, minister of the interior, towards the proposed settlement of the Songhees Reserve question.
Mr. Kingham recalls that at several interviews with Mr. Oliver the question was gone into fully, on one occasion the minister remarking that he had heard that negotiations were in progress between representatives of the Indians and the provincial government, but the federal government had not been officially informed as to the status of those negotiations nor as to the prospects for an early settlement.
The minister took the position that the Dominion government would wait a reasonable time to see what was the outcome of the four-party then in progress between the McIvor government and the Indians, and would then be prepared to adopt another line of action. Mr. Oliver said he would have another conference with Senator Riley, and Mr. Kingham assumes that the latter's instructions, which he carried out on coming to Victoria, were the outcome of this further conference between the minister and the senator.
It is quite apparent from the discussion on the streets that the people of Victoria are in no mood to stand further trifling with this important question. On all sides the opinion prevails that the offer to the Indians contained in the proposition submitted to their representatives by Senator Riley is an eminently fair one. To mention this proposal again; it is, in brief, that the land should be subdivided and sold, fifty per cent of the purchase money to be paid over to the Indians forthwith and fifty per cent held in trust for the Indians and their heirs and successors, a portion of the interest accruing from the trust fund to be paid to the Indians annually. It is believed that the land comprised in the reserve, if sold by public auction, would realize in the neighborhood of \$500,000.
It is contended by those in a position to speak with full knowledge of the present situation that in the event of the Indians, or, rather, the white advisers, refusing this very generous



VICTORIA'S TRIBUTE TO KING EDWARD'S MEMORY.
1—A corner of the lawn. 2—The outskirts of the crowd snapped from dome of the Parliament Buildings.

SEALING FLEET IS IN DANGER

TROUBLE BREWING WITH AMERICAN CUTTERS

Captain in Charge of Patrol Service Says Other Schooners are Liable to Seizure

There is every probability that the coming summer may see international complications in connection with the sealing and otter hunting industry with which this port is so intimately connected. Four American cutters have gone north and they are looking for some means of justifying their presence in northern waters. The probability seems to be that those sealers which have gone to hunt otter, and that includes the whole fleet, will be arrested by the cutters, and if so there will certainly be trouble.
Last evening the American revenue cutter Manning arrived in port on her way north, in command of Capt. Godfrey Lynet Garden, and carrying Capt. Daniel P. Foley, who has charge of the whole revenue cutter service on this coast. When seen last night Capt. Foley said that he was here to see the customs department in regard to the sealers which had gone north, and which were out at the present time.
When asked what steps he would take in regard to the schooner if he found them hunting otter, Capt. Foley said he had not yet decided. He had no instructions from headquarters, but it was his opinion that any vessel found with sealing equipment north of the 35th parallel was contrary to the provisions of the Behring Sea award and was liable to seizure. The same equipment was used for hunting otter as for seal, and there was no way of telling whether a schooner was seal-hunting or not. The schooner had no business north of the 35th parallel after the close season commenced on May 1st.
When reminded that rifles were used for otter, whereas shotguns were the weapons used for seals, the captain said this was a mere technicality. It was easy to shoot seals with rifles if the hunter was a good shot.
When reminded that last year a complaint was made that the cutter Bear had allowed an American vessel to continue otter hunting while the guns of the Victoria schooner were seized, Capt. Foley said he had heard of no such distinction being made. So far as he knew everyone was prohibited, but he had not yet decided what action would be taken this year. The American government was anxious to prevent poaching, had always lived strictly up to the Behring Sea award,

GREATEST PAGEANT EVER WITNESSED

SIR A. CONAN DOYLE ON FUNERAL OF THE KING

Novelist Gives His Impressions of Spectacle in the Streets of the Metropolis

(Special to the Times.)
London, May 21.—"Who shall hope to describe the cortege," writes Sir Arthur Conan Doyle in his impression of yesterday's events contributed in the Daily Mail. "What mere rattle of regiments of monarchs or of nations can compare it with? The scenes were attended by its majesty, its color, its variety and still details linger in the mind. One carries away a memory of three veterans riding abreast—Earl Roberts like a white falcon, giant Kitchener and rugged Sir Evelyn Wood.
"Alas that Wolsey could not have been the fourth to render the group complete. The dog, too, a little white dog, who could forget him as he trots beside his master's coffin and the troop of kings who escorted their dead peer, with the noble Kaiser riding at their head. England has lost something of her old kindness if she does not take him back into her heart to-day.
"There is Spain, ardent and eager; Portugal, sunburned by affection; Belgium, kindly faced man. There is hope for Congo at last, if that man has his way. Then, too, one remembers the strong profile of the great American, set like granite as he leans back in his carriage.
"To me the strongest impression of all was that of the exquisite queen mother, sweet womanliness, gentle grace, a picture framed for an instant in a carriage window and never to be forgotten.
"There are high lights which stand clear in my mind after a broad river of scarlet and gold has flowed full tide between its banks of pale faces, and the King has passed to his peace.
"Now it is over. Statesmen and warriors, leaders and princes, with blint of gold and flash of steel, the greatest muster upon earth, all are gone and remain but in the memory. The people surge forth from their close ranks and the hushed hum of London rises once more. For a few hours the great complex machine has stood at rest. For an hour it has been running heavily and slowly in all its countless ways; each turns again to his own proper business. The great dead has been honored and the world is now for the living. All its manifold activities will roar into action, and strife or parties will break forth. It is good and should be so, for only through battle can life's high issues be attained."

"FLY HIGH" IS AVIATOR'S MOTTO

MORTALITY TOO GREAT AMONG THE BIRD MEN

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, Who Passed Through City Yesterday, Tells of His Work

(Special to the Times.)
Petersburg, May 21.—Last evening, about 8.30, James Gorham, of Maria street, Ashburnham, shot his mother, a widow, and her death resulted at 1 a.m. in St. Joseph's hospital.
The young man, who is about 19 or 20 years of age, came home under the influence of liquor and began a violent disturbance, which frightened his mother so much that she telephoned for the police. Police Constable McHarry responded, and when he arrived the young man challenged the constable to come half way. The latter advanced and young Gorham fired, and missing the constable hit his mother. The constable being unarmed returned to the police station for help. When young Gorham saw the squad advancing up the railway track from the west he fled east, the police following. They found him taking refuge on the top of a railway bridge that crosses Trent canal. He refused to come down, being armed with a rifle and revolver. About 1.30 this morning Gorham surrendered and is now in the cells.
(Special to the Times.)
Johannesburg, May 21.—It is practically certain that Botha's cabinet for United South Africa will be: Merriman, treasurer; Fischer, education; Smuts, colonial secretary; Herfords, attorney general; H. E. Hull, minister of railways; Sauer, natives. The administration probably will be enlarged when Natal is included.
Destructive Fire.
Ottawa, May 21.—A fire which broke out on the premises of Joseph Bernier, cab driver, Duke street, Hull, yesterday, destroyed ten buildings, entailing a loss of \$10,000, and for a while threatened a repetition of the great fire of 1900. The buildings were of a flimsy construction, and the flames made great headway, before the fire brigade was able to check them. A distressing feature in connection with the fire is the fact that the buildings destroyed for the most part belong to the poorer class of the people of the city, and in many cases not a cent of insurance was carried. Several persons were arrested during the fire for thefts of some of the salvaged property, which was piled up in the streets.

WOMAN SLAIN BY HER SON

FIRES AT CONSTABLE BUT HITS MOTHER

Young Man Defies Police, But Later Surrenders and is Now in Jail

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The Kilts leading the Sons of Scotland.

FOUR MEN ARE INSTANTLY KILLED

Car Runs Away on Steep Incline and Crashes Into Freight Car

Tacoma, Wash., May 21.—Coroner Shaver will hold an inquest on Monday morning to fix the responsibility for the accident which caused the instant death of four men killed at the Pacific Coast Power Company's plant near Summer last night, when a small push car in which they were riding, broke away, dashed down a steep incline and crashed into a freight car at the bottom.
So terrific was the impact that the small car was shattered and the four men were hurled into the wreckage with such force that their bodies were frightfully mutilated. The cable that held the car in check in some manner became unhooked near the top of the hill. This was instantly discovered by other workmen and a signal was given, but all were helpless to prevent the impending tragedy.
The dead are: James Law, Seattle; Frank Billson, Seattle; Willie Harville, Summer, Ray Sisk, Kent.
The remains of three of the men were brought here early to-day.
SENT ACROSS BORDER.

BOY ACCIDENTALLY SHOOT'S HIMSELF

Charles Fort, Injured While Hunting, Dies in Hospital at Nanaimo

Nanaimo, May 21.—Charles Fort accidentally shot himself yesterday while hunting wild pigeons near the city, and died in a local hospital early to-day. Fort was 18 years old.
He was hunting with a boy named Holland. Holland wounded a pigeon and laid down his gun to pick the bird up. Fort took hold of Holland's gun by his muzzle and in drawing the weapon toward him the trigger was snapped by a twig, the charge of shot entering his body on the left side below the heart.
SPANISH QUEEN ILL.
Madrid, May 21.—Queen Victoria of Spain to-day underwent anouchment and a son was born dead. Court surgeons hold the fear that the queen may not live. The birth of the child was not expected until the end of this month.
King Alfonso is hurrying home from England, where he attended the funeral obsequies of the late King Edward.

SCHOONER DRIVEN ASHORE BY GALE

Goes on Rocks After Losing Rudder—Captain and Crew Rescued by Steamer

San Francisco, Cal., May 21.—The schooner Charles R. Wilson, which lost its rudder and went on the rocks off Point Reyes last night, was towed to San Francisco to-day. Capt. Nelson and the members of the crew were landed safely by the steamer Despatch, which was first to discover the plight of the little schooner.
A southwest gale was blowing at the time the Wilson lost its rudder, and although both anchors were dropped, this did not prevent the schooner from drifting on to the rock-bound shore.
The Golden Gate life-saving crew arrived soon after the Despatch and aided the crew in boarding the steamer.

NEWFOUNDLAND FISHERY CASES

U. S. Representatives to The Hague Conference Sail From New York

(Times Leased Wire.)
New York, May 21.—The American delegation to The Hague conference, to be held in Holland between the representatives of Great Britain and the United States over the settlement of the Newfoundland fisheries cases, sailed from here to-day for The Hague.
The delegation that will present the claims of the United States is one of the most important disputes in which the country ever was involved, is headed by Senator Elihu Root, of New York, formerly secretary of state. In the party is I. Turner, of Spokane, Wash.
The fisheries cases involve the question of right of Americans to fish along the Newfoundland and North Atlantic coasts on equal footing with citizens of Newfoundland and Canada. These rights were affirmed to the American fishermen by the treaty of 1818, but recently the Newfoundland fishers restricted the consent of the United States.
The cases involve the adjudication of millions of dollars' worth of fishing rights.
WILL BE EXECUTED.
Seoul, Korea, May 21.—Yie Cha Yong, the Korean who stabbed Premier Yi in an attempt at assassination on December 23rd last, has been sentenced to death.

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SEVERAL LOSE LIVES IN STORM

NUMBER OF HOUSES ARE DESTROYED

Snow Follows Wind in Colorado—Floods in Southern Texas Damage Crops

(Times Leased Wire.)
Denver, Col., May 21.—Heavy snow is following a severe wind storm that has swept southern Colorado, killing two persons, injuring several others and doing heavy damage to property and crops.

At Ramah a flying beam struck and killed the five months' old baby of Mrs. Edward Miller, who held the child in her arms. Mrs. Miller was uninjured. John Ferguson, 46, was killed while crawling through a barbed wire fence which was struck by lightning. Several houses were completely destroyed and others were damaged by the terrific wind and lightning. People were terror stricken and many took refuge in storm cellars. To-day the wind partially subsided, the thermometer dropped several degrees and a heavy snow storm set in. Village Destroyed.

Shawnee, Okla., May 21.—Relief parties left here to-day for Paul's Valley, which was swept by a cyclone yesterday.

The 15-year-old daughter of Robert Clark, of Paul's valley, sought refuge in a cave and was injured by a timber which was blown through the roof of the cave.

The tornado originated, three miles east of McAarty and spent its force in Paul's Valley. Buildings, fences and poles in its path were blown away and crops were beaten into the earth by hail and wind. Horses and cattle were killed by rain.

Latest reports from the vicinity of McAarty indicates that the village numbering 100 inhabitants was the only town to be completely destroyed.

Agnes Deisher, aged 24, is the only person reported dead.

Floods in Texas.

Dallas, Tex., May 21.—Every stream in southern Texas is swollen to the overflowing point to-day as a result of 48 hours of heavy rain. The damage to crops is estimated at half a million dollars.

At Middleton the 11-year-old son of J. L. Mouse was killed by lightning, and three persons were injured. Fifteen dwellings were destroyed at Soper, many were damaged, and 25 oil derricks were blown down by a wind that accompanied the rain.

San Antonio suffered from the storm and crops in that portion of the state were damaged.

Killed by Cyclone.

Kansas City, May 21.—The town of Wakefield, Kas., near Junction City, was struck by a cyclone at 2:30 this afternoon. One person was killed. Other details are lacking as all wires in the vicinity are down.

DAY OF MOURNING THROUGHOUT EMPIRE

Hundreds of Wreaths Placed on Statue of King Edward at Cape Town

(Special to the Times.)

London, May 21.—Messages from all parts of the Empire showed yesterday universal mourning for King Edward. Throughout South Africa most solemn memorial services were held, attended by vast congregations. There were scenes of heartfelt sorrow. Hundreds of magnificent wreaths were deposited on the statue of the dead King in Capetown.

Federal services were held throughout India. Hindus joining in services in remarkable number. All military trains were halted 15 minutes. The governor-general and officials of the federal states assembled on the great tier of steps at parliament buildings in Melbourne. The most solemn assembly ever gathered in Australia marked with solemnity the final passing of King Edward. There was a long space of reverent silence when the gathering sang the National Anthem. The day was observed as a day of mourning in Sydney. Bells were tolled from noon to sunset and salutes of sixty-eight minute guns were fired in the afternoon. One hundred thousand people attended the memorial services in Centennial park, Wellington, New Zealand, which was draped in purple. Services were general throughout the Dominion.

ACCESSION OF KING GEORGE.

Melbourne, May 21.—The Age says the question has been raised whether the Imperial act dealing with the accession of the sovereign is applicable to Australia, and whether the necessity may arise, inasmuch as the federal parliament has neither met nor been constituted, of reconvening the last parliament or holding of fresh elections. The Governor-General, the Age says, has referred the question to the attorney-general.

BRAKEMAN KILLED.

Tacoma, Wash., May 21.—The body of George P. Edfast, a Northern Pacific brakeman, killed at Auburn last night, arrived here this morning for burial. Shipping from the spot on which he was riding, Edfast was killed beneath the wheels of engine No. 788 about 9 o'clock. He was not missed for some time. When his body was found on the tracks, Edfast was 23 years old.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

London, May 21.—Lord Mount Stephen attended the memorial service at Westminster Abbey yesterday. There were many other Canadians present. Tickets having been distributed by the agents-general of the different provinces.

INDIANS HOLD LAST POTLACH

WILLIE JACK HONORS MEMORY OF OLD CHIEF

Red Ensign Presented to Tribe by Sir James Douglas is Flying

What will probably be the last grand potlach to be held on the Songhees reserve commenced this morning, when Willie Jack, grandson of the first chief who held sway across the harbor, gave away about five hundred dollars' worth of canoes, blankets, money and other gifts to the three hundred Indians present.

Preparations for the event were made yesterday, when a fine new flag pole, on the making of which many Indians had labored for several days, was reared at the corner of the first big potlach house near the bridge. At least two hundred representatives of Cowichan, Yaldes Island, Quamichan, Kuper Island, Duncan and West Coast tribes gathered about the flag pole which, resplendent in its white paint and brightly gilded carvings, was reared with impressive ceremony.

Willie Jack, the only direct descendant of the original chief, announced, through his spokesman, David Lutes, that he would to-day produce his long-treasured photographs of his grandfather and another Indian relative who had passed into the happy hunting grounds; that the flag given by former Governor Sir James Douglas to the tribe would fly on a new flag pole, and that a grand potlach in memory of his dead relatives would be commenced this morning.

This morning, between 9 and 10 o'clock, a motley throng of braves and their squaws assembled near the potlach house, lining the roadway on either side. The fact that the event was likely to be the last on the reserve had been conveyed to the visitors by the local Indians, who have decided to discontinue the practice of this old custom. Under the circumstances the affair held much of pathos to the few white men who watched it and understood its significance. The grizzled faces of old Indians within whose memory the days of the red man's untrammeled possession were still bright, contrasted in their rugged pride with the plump features of the later generations on which the white man's customs have placed their stamp.

For the greater part the Indians wore modern clothes without native dress of any kind, but here and there a flaming blanket of red marked the presence of an old-timer. To the latter the potlach especially appealed as a relic of halcyon days. The younger Indians are yearly taking less interest in the preservation of such ceremonies.

David Lutes, he of the dramatic gesture and the sonorous voice, made the preliminary announcement concerning the reason of the potlach, his words evoking an occasional grunt of approval from the squatting Indians along the roadside. In front of the flag pole, from which the carefully preserved red ensign flew in the breeze, lay three canoes and a small boat which are now in the possession of Willie Jack's chosen friends. In them was piled a great variety of new blankets and other gifts, and the photographs of Willie's last ones.

After David had addressed the Indians and pointed to the pictures, the flag pole and the flag which it fluted a wave of his arm brought the attendant throng to its feet. Two braves lifted the old chief's photograph and carried it slowly along the lines, displaying it to those present. Following them came Willie Jack bearing a hat filled with half-dollar pieces, one of which he gave to everyone present. As soon as the rounds had been completed the other picture was carried around and a further presentation of half-a-dollar was made to each Indian.

David then commenced the distribution of blankets and other gifts, which occupied a couple of hours, after which a meal was eaten. The Indians this afternoon are continuing the potlach, which will probably not end until Monday, when the visitors will leave the reserve for their homes. During the past few days several small potlaches have been held, one being confined to the women of the reserve and their guests. Altogether there are over three hundred Indians now quartered in four of the big potlach houses, and in tents about them. Four hundred loaves of bread have been supplied to them every day, and the cost of the entertainment, which will fall on Willie Jack and the other local Songhees, will be heavy.

The potlach is now being carried on, along the lines of its predecessors on the reserve, which were more or less noisy and were marked by many dances and other amusements. With the settlement of the reserve question now appearing more and more likely to hold no more potlaches after this one, it is only natural that considerable repression of enthusiasm is noticeable among the guests.

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Plans Under Way for Fleet to Work in Conjunction With Army and Navy

(By William Phillip Simms, Paris Correspondent of the United Press.) Paris, May 21.—Plans are under way for a fleet of aeroplanes to work in conjunction with the French army and navy, which will surpass any aggregation of sky-sailing craft possessed by any nation on the globe, according to the French viewpoint.

And mighty few dirigibles, either of the rigid or non-rigid types, will be numbered in the air forces of France. Let Germany spend its money building Zeppelin I, Zeppelin II, Zeppelin III, and so on, ad infinitum, according to report, French war office officials are laughing up their sleeves and winking at each other. They cite aerohistory and avow that Germany is pouring money into a rat hole.

Dirigibles offer entirely too much space for the wind. It takes too big a gas bag to lift engines powerful enough to make any speed, and even a sailor's capful of wind is quite a dangerous enemy to this style of craft. France's Patrie slipped her moorings during a wind and was blown to nobody knows where. The Zeppelin I was destroyed in a storm. The Zeppelin II, was puffed away like the Patrie, only they did succeed in finding the pieces. The République, belonging to France, exploded when a propeller blade snapped off and hurtled through the gas-bag. But the list of such things is too long. The lesson, according to French army men, is that it is the aeroplanes which is to scatter death among the enemy's columns, not to mention its adaptability for scout work.

Beriot's crossing of the English channel, from Calais to Dover, was the first straw in the wind showing which way the trend was. Flight after flight over the sea indicated that the aeroplane would in the future stand a fine chance of putting an entire batch of dreadnoughts out of business. Country flights, where aviators chose at random their places for alighting, was another link. Then Louis Paulhan won the London-to-Manchester prize of \$50,000, making only one stop in the 186 miles. He could have done it without a stop only it was night and he had plenty of time. He didn't have to take the risk.

"Suppose," said a French army officer, "an invading army wished to get into a city. What would hinder 1,000 men, in aeroplanes, flying with the speed of express trains, sailing high overhead, in the night, and dropping explosives to blow up half the country? Nothing. Night flying is not indulged in, generally speaking, for one reason. It is useless and at the same time more dangerous than day flights. But one always risks things in war."

According to one course, the outcry over France's lack of dirigibles is largely good stage work, a blind. France thinks the dirigible has its sphere of usefulness, but it is comparatively limited in scope. Hubert Latham has flown high in the air in his Antoinette monoplane with the wind blowing almost a cyclone. No dirigible in the world can buck more than half that wind velocity, and even then would be practically worthless, as against the wind she could do little better than stand still and be shot at. For dirigibles don't move faster than 30 to 35 miles an hour at most.

Aeroplane stations are to be planted at vantage points all along the coast as well as on the frontiers. An aeroplane at \$2,000 might easily prove the little David which slew the \$5,000,000 dreadnought of a Goliath. A hundred pounds of gun cotton dropped on the right spot can do a lot of damage.

FLANNERY ACQUITTED.

San Rafael, Cal., May 21.—The jury in the trial of Harry P. Flannery, former president of the San Francisco police commission, who was charged with grand larceny in connection with the Sausalito fake pool room disclosure, returned a verdict of not guilty in Judge Lennon's court. The verdict was reached within 20 minutes after the case had been given to the jury, and after only two ballots had been taken.

Several of the jurors stated that the verdict had been reached because the members of the jury failed to find a clear, definite connection between what occurred between Flannery and Abbott in San Francisco and the operations of the gang of which Abbott was a member in Sausalito.

When the jury was dismissed, three or four of its members were summoned into Judge Lennon's chambers and remained in conference with the judge and District Attorney Boyd for 15 or 20 minutes. It was reported they were questioned regarding rumors of alleged jury tampering which have been in circulation for several days.

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Upturned Canoe Found by Indian on Lake Nepigon—Search Parties at Work

Port Arthur, May 21.—The finding of an upturned canoe with a small amount of personal effects, indicates the drowning of six men on Lake Nepigon, though the facts cannot be clearly established until the conclusion of an investigation which is at present being made by a search party which left Nepigon on receipt of the news brought in by the Indian who found the canoe. Those believed to have been drowned are Roy McGillivray and Geo. Grant, rangers in the employ of the Ontario government, and four woodmen, of whom the only name so far obtainable is that of Johnson. The two fire rangers, who were working on the shores of Nepigon lake, are said to have consented to use their canoe to transport the four woodmen across the lake from Point Alexander, a distance of twelve miles. The finding of the canoe is the only evidence of what may have happened on the trip. McGillivray is said to have been subject to epileptic fits and he may have been overcome, thus causing the canoe to capsize. He was 19 years of age, and his home is in Port Arthur, where he has two married sisters. George Grant lived for two years in Port Arthur, coming here from Sault Ste. Marie, where his family lives. He was 21 years of age and for two years was a member of the Port Arthur hockey team.

EVIDENCE COMPLETED BEFORE COMMITTEE

Counsel Will Make Argument in Ballinger Investigation Next Week

Washington, D. C., May 21.—The introduction of testimony in the Ballinger investigation was ended yesterday, and arguments were called for by the congressional investigation committee. It was predicted here that the vote of the committee will be seven to five for "acquittal" of Secretary Ballinger. Senator Root will cast his vote in spite of the protest of the minority of the committee, although he left Washington.

Representative Madison of Kansas, is expected to write the minority, but it is probable that Fletcher, Purcell, James and Graham, Democrats, will submit a drastic opinion against Ballinger.

At the opening of the session Attorney Vertrees added to the record papers, including an agreement between Field Agent Louis R. Glavis, and a Seattle land speculator. Vertrees argued that these showed that Glavis had a pecuniary interest in securing lands from the government through knowledge obtained while he was in the government's employ.

He also introduced the testimony in the Cunningham cases and contended that it showed that Glavis and Special Agent Jones deceived the Cunningham claimants in securing affidavits from them.

Chairman Nelson, of the committee, then read a letter from Secretary Ballinger, saying that he had been unable to find two letters which Attorney Brandeis said he believed had passed between Ballinger and George W. Perkins, of Morgan & Co.

Brandeis then called Frank Spaulding, formerly a stenographer under Glavis in the field service at Seattle. Spaulding testified that at one time he took some papers into the storeroom of the Seattle Federal building, where Glavis' effects had been stored. He said that "missing papers" which the defence alleged Glavis had secreted, might have been among them.

Attorney Vertrees said that he would be willing to forego argument and submit briefs. Attorneys Brandeis asked that oral arguments and briefs be required.

A motion by Senator Sutherland was adopted allowing each side five hours in which to sum up on Friday and Saturday nights, next week.

LITTLE BOY DROWNED.

Cranbrook, May 20.—Hugh John, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. McKinstry, lost his life by drowning here.

The little boy went out in the back yard while his parents were at supper, which was about 6:30 p. m. Hardly five minutes had elapsed before the child was missed, and his father commenced to search for him. First he went to the creek which flows back of his residence, looking carefully for the boy on the land in the vicinity of the creek and in the water. Not seeing any indication of the little lad, he started back towards the residence of a neighbor, where the boy was in the habit of going. Not finding him, a number of neighbors joined in the search, but found no clue to the missing child. At 11 p. m. a general alarm was rung in from the fire hall, and scores hastened to the scene. Hardware stores were called upon for lanterns, and in less than half an hour at least 500 men were engaged in the search. About 1 o'clock the search was suspended awaiting daylight, though a number continued in the work during

the entire night. Just a few minutes before the sounding of the alarm for renewing the search, Mr. Brown noticed something under a heap of wood in the creek what he thought was the foot of a child. An effectual attempt to dislodge the body by means of poles was made; then Mr. Hoskins jumped into the creek, followed by Mr. Elwell, but the deepness and swiftness of the water was such as to carry Mr. Hoskins off his feet. Mr. Elwell, however, succeeded in reaching the body.

OFFICER TO BE TRIED BY COURT MARTIAL

Outcome of Accident to Steamer During Target Practice at Port Townsend

Port Townsend, Wash., May 21.—First Lieut. R. F. Anderson, of the 14th coast artillery, will be tried before a board of court-martial within a few days. Anderson was in charge of the mortar battery which fired a 18-pound subcaliber shell, which struck the quartermaster's steamer Major Evan Thomas, May 10th, while towing a target. Officers at Fort Worden and Fort Casey say the shot was inexcusable.

Lieut. Anderson has been under arrest since that time. As soon as it was known that the Thomas had been hit, the commanding officer at Fort Worden ordered the range finding instrument clamped so that a record could be made of the reading, which should have indicated the position of the target several hundred yards to the rear of the Thomas.

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ARROGANT CLAIMS.

According to the decision of the design of Captain Foley, of the United States revenue cutter service, Victoria sealers will be arrested and their vessels confiscated if attempts be made to hunt sea otter north of the thirty-fifth parallel. This judgment delivered in advance is not in accordance with the decree of the Paris tribunal of arbitration, but we suppose in the case of a powerful nation if a law does not suit a specific purpose, "it kin be altered" or stretched. In the first instance a universally acknowledged international law has been set aside in order, ostensibly, to prevent seal life from extermination, but actually to give one nation a desired monopoly in the sealing business. In the second regulations arbitrarily and unjustly applied are to be interpreted by an authority who may be either responsible or irresponsible to kill another and perfectly legitimate business. Events have proved in logical sequence that it was not the taking of seals upon the high seas that was most destructive to these valuable amphibious animals, but the methods of the American lessees of the islands to which the seals resort during the breeding season. It is quite apparent now that if seal life is to be permanently preserved, the annual slaughter upon the islands must cease. It is to be stopped. And now a claim for a monopoly in the taking of sea otter is to be set up, and practical action with that object in view is to be taken. The transparent design is to bring about in an indirect way something which could not be accomplished in a direct manner: a revision of international law to suit the purposes of the United States and force the closing of Behring Sea to vessels of all foreign nations. The original procedure cost the United States a considerable sum of money, but the nation is rich and will not stop to count the cost provided there is a chance of end desired being achieved.

COMETIC MYSTERY.

We do not like to hear of even a comet being treated with contumely, even if it has lost its tail, and therefore the greater part of its importance and dignity. The loss of a tail, as a study of natural history proves, means that the processes of evolution are doing their work; that the loss is not really a loss, but a gain; that the object under consideration is following the usual course of nature and is rising higher in the scale of created things. The polygod becomes a frog after it has got rid of its posterior appendage. Biologists tell us that man, proud man, once sported a tail—and probably was inclined to put on airs about it. It is not clear why our progenitors lost this rather ornament, unless the deprivation was due to the fact that in process of time the tail became purely ornamental, and every schoolboy or schoolgirl knows nowadays that when an individual of the animal creation neglects to put any part of its equipment to practical use nature cuts it off—not as a surgeon cuts out, say, an appendix with his knife, but gradually and none the less surely. Our forefathers and foremothers, when they ceased to live in flocks gave up exercising their tails, and in process of time the said tails were numbered with the things that have been. Taking account of these things, speculators are wondering how long it will be before we shall lose our legs also. They say motor cars and kindred institutions are preparing the way for the inevitable.

Astronomers and students of physics tell us that there is very little to a comet—that it is not a world in the making, but a nebulous composition that gradually dissipates itself in space. On the other hand there is a dogma opposed to this theory which upholds the doctrine that in nature there is no waste; that every created thing is created with a purpose and develops into something having a definite design, although the design may be hidden from mortal eyes. So it may be that natural law is working its will in the case of Halley's Comet, although it has lost its tail. All we know about it is that as a spectacle the comet is not all that it was expected to be. The present generation is not in a po-

sition to say definitely whether it is disintegrating or developing. Perhaps when it has run to the end of its tether and come back again in seventy-five or eighty years the people then living will be better able to fathom the mystery which envelops it.

WROUGHT THE NATIONS LASTING GOOD.

There is nothing in heaven or on earth that can eclipse the splendor of one great luminary. The people of the United States have been kept well informed by cable of the movements of one Theodore Roosevelt. They have been told that he wore evening dress at the funeral of King Edward, that black studs adorned his shirt front, that he rode in a carriage which had a prominent place in the procession, and many other details of surpassing interest. But it was at the luncheon given by King George following the solemn event of the day that the Colonel shone forth resplendent in the sheer force of his majestic mentality. The guests of His Majesty were so interested in Roosevelt that for the first time the note of sorrow over the passing of Edward "was lost to sight." Roosevelt's personality swept aside all other thoughts.

Well, after all, our neighbors have reason to be proud of their representative. There is no question that in any company the Colonel would be a prominent, perhaps a dominant, figure. It was a graceful, a tactful and a kindly act on the part of the president of the United States to ask Roosevelt to represent the republic in that grand pageant of sorrow. It will have a profound effect upon the future relations of the greatest of nations.

There was another figure there, however, which was possibly just as conspicuous in the public eye as that of Roosevelt. The Kaiser of Germany was one of the chief mourners. The people of Great Britain are not likely to forget that fact nor the tender solicitude with which he assisted the Queen through the ordeal. As in his life Edward was known as the Peacemaker, so his death the nations were drawn more closely together.

The dead is buried; let the business of the world go on. That is the way of mankind. Thus it has been from the beginning, and so it will continue to the end.

The first De Lesseps of renown was a digger of canals. The second is an aviator. Time alone can tell whether the particular genius of the first or of the second will prove of greater service to the world. Speaking for ourselves, in the present comparative development of the two sciences, we prefer to consign ourselves in vessels which sail through the water.

Taken in the aggregate journalists are probably the meekest and mildest and most inoffensive of humanity, but some of them are very lions in courage and ferocity when thoroughly aroused. As all the world knows, most of the duels which take place in Paris are merely formal exchanges of courtesy between parties who think they have been given causes of offence against each other. But that condition only applies when mere statesmen and other ordinary individuals demand satisfaction "on the field of honor." When a journalist's reputation is undeservedly besmirched, blood must flow. Nothing less can wipe out the stain. The opponent of the newspaper man may be a trained bravo, but his veins must be opened just the same. A Paris dispatch says an exciting duel took place before a large number of spectators in the St. Paul riding school. The combatants were Jean Gungl, a journalist, and Joachim Carrett, a professional swordsman. The conditions of the duel, which was the result of a quarrel in a restaurant, were particularly severe. In the first bout the newspaper man ran the Italian through the forearm, and blood flowed rapidly. Despite the protests of the wounded man, the seconds would not allow the fight to continue. The adversaries were reconciled, declaring themselves delighted with each other's courage.

It was during his "interview" with the Prince in Canada, says the writer in the Toronto Star, that Artemus Ward, the original American humorist, originated the phrase "as good a man as your mother." "You're a good feller, Albert Edgard," he said. "I'm agin Princes as a general thing. I must say I like the cut of your Gh. When you get to be King, try and be as good a man as your mother has bin." And it is on record that Edward did. Artemus apparently thought that it must be somewhat of a bore to be in the line of succession, for he represented the Prince as contributing the following remarks to the conversation:

"To speak plain, Mister Ward," he said, "I don't much like it. I'm sick of all this bowin' & scrapin' & crawlin' & hurrain' over a boy like me. I would rather go through the country quietly & enjoy myself in my own way, with the other boys, and not be made a show of, to be garped at by everybody. When the people cheer me I feel pleased, for I know they mean it, but if these one-horse offshuls, cood know how I see what they air after, & know how I lart at 'em in private, they'd stop kissin' my hands & Pawning' over me as they do now. But you know, Mr. Ward, I can't help bein' a

Prince, & I must do all I kin to fit myself for the perashun I must sum-tine ockey."

BISHOP CRIDGE'S TRIBUTE.

To the Editor:—I read with much interest and pleasure in your issue last evening, Bishop Macdonald's sermon at the memorial service held in his church yesterday, couched in language appropriate to the occasion concerning the duty of obedience to the civil authorities.

In his exposition of this duty there was no uncertain sound, referring as he did to the authority of the Holy Scriptures, as declaring that the powers that be are ordained of God and that he who resisted the power resisted the ordinance of God. Still further was I pleased with his earnest and touching appeal to pray for the King so suddenly called to the throne also grounded on the authority of the Scriptures. I would most earnestly second this appeal, deprecating all doubt of the acceptance and validity of the prayers of the humblest individual who prays with sincerity and truth.

In conclusion I would express the pleasure with which I read this testimony to the supreme authority of the Holy Scriptures in matters of faith and practice and my humble prayer that all Christians may confess the same.

God bless King George V. and strengthen him to bear the mighty burden which is laid upon him.

Yours obediently,
EDWARD CRIDGE,
Marfield, May 21st, 1910.

BOOMING OF CANNON ENDS CITY'S MOURNING

Ceremony at Work Point Last Evening Closed With Royal Salute and Cheers

Sixty-eight minute guns, booming solemnly as the sun was setting, whistled the Work Point permanent forces, the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A., and the Cadets of the High School paraded with arms reversed on the barrack square, ended yesterday's mourning for the late King. Immediately after the last gun had sounded the half-mast flag was lowered and then hoisted to mast head, and a royal salute of twenty-one guns roared out recognition of King George the Fifth. The solemn strains of the dead march from "Saul" gave place to the National Anthem and the troops, with arms returned, saluted.

Following the general salute the proclamation of King George was read and, at its conclusion, helmets were raised on the muzzles of twenty-one guns, roared out recognition of King George the Fifth. The solemn strains of the dead march from "Saul" gave place to the National Anthem and the troops, with arms returned, saluted.

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Mrs. Buckman and Chinaman Hurt by Machine, Which Ran Over Sidewalk on Causeway

Four people were struck by a taxicab belonging to Wood Brothers on the James Bay causeway yesterday afternoon. In an attempt to dodge a Chinaman who strayed in front of the machine the driver evidently lost control of the car, which swerved across the sidewalk and struck Mrs. (Capt.) Buckman and the pair of a Chinaman, and two Chinese children. The latter were not hurt beyond slight injuries, but Chee sustained a fractured ankle bone, which later necessitated treatment at St. Joseph's hospital. Mrs. Buckman was also slightly injured. The patrol wagon was summoned from the police station and conveyed Su Chee to his home, from which he was later taken to the hospital. Mrs. Buckman fainted from the shock and the pair of a twisted ankle, but was able to proceed home later. The police, after investigating the accident, which is the second to occur since the introduction of the taxicab into Victoria, decided that they had no case against the driver.

PERSONAL.

Thomas O'Connell, of Nanaimo, arrived in this city yesterday.

Mrs. Jeffrey and daughter, from Crofton, are guests at the King Edward hotel.

Mrs. Charles Watson, of Vancouver, is visiting her son, H. R. Watson, of Colborne avenue.

E. P. Colley and party left last night for Ootsa and Francis Lake, on a surveying trip.

Mrs. Woodrow and Miss Lillian Woodrow, of Vancouver, are spending a fortnight's holiday at the Oak Bay hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ward and Miss Ward, of Ganges, are spending a few days in this city, and are stopping at the Balmoral hotel.

Dr. M. Raynor and family, of Clayoquot, have returned from a visit to California. They are enjoying a few days in this city before leaving for their home at the West Coast town.

William Lindley, manager of the B. C. Fur Manufacturing Co., Government street, has returned from Ottawa, where he was in consultation with the department of marine and fisheries in regard to the mounting of specimens of the fish of the British Columbia for the collection to be placed in the new museum in the capital, which is nearing completion, and is to be known as Victoria Memorial museum. An officer of the department is coming out shortly in connection with the matter, and Mr. Lindley's firm will mount the specimens. Mr. Lindley says he received much courtesy and consideration from Hon. William Templeman in connection with the object of his visit.

In many instances the emblems of mourning for the death of King Edward are being removed from buildings throughout the city to-day, and flags are being flown from the top of the staffs, instead of half-mast.

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Tomorrow night's service in First Presbyterian church will be a service of praise. Four splendid anthems will be rendered by the choir. "Seek Ye the Lord," with soprano solo by Miss Saxon-Smith; "Thus Speaketh the Lord of Hosts"; "Hearken Unto Us," and "Great is the Lord," with baritone solo by R. Morrison. In addition Mr. Morrison will render that fine descriptive solo, "The Tollers," by Piccolomini, and J. G. Brown, chair master, will sing the recitation and aria, "I Feel the Duty Within," and "Arm, Arm Ye Have," from Handel's "Judas Maccabaeus."

The convener of the decoration committee for the first provincial convention of the Ladies of the Maccabees held in this city during the week, wishes to thank all those who assisted on her committee and also the ladies who kindly donated flowers for the decorating of the various places where sessions of the conference were held. The two rooms at the Empress hotel which the local society had for their guest, Miss West, were tastefully decorated, as was also the Alexandra club-rooms and the rooms of the society. The opera house, in which the closing meeting was held, was also decorated by the ladies.

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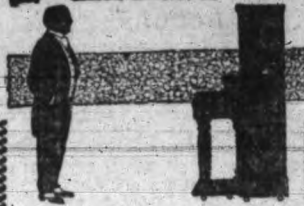
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Victoria's sudden immersion in almost darkness on Wednesday night, which was referred to in the Times on Thursday and for which the B. C. Electric officials could not then give the exact cause, is now explained by the presence of an eight-foot panther in the company's warehouse. The big cat, in crawling about the steep cliff by the Goldstream power station, missed its footing and fell upon the high potentiality wire, bringing it to the ground and effectually electrocuting itself.

The remains of the late Mrs. Harriett Charlton were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place from the Hanna chapel, Yates street, at 2.30 o'clock. Services of an appropriate nature were conducted by Rev. A. N. Miller both at the parlors and graveside. The attendance of sympathizing friends was very large and many beautiful floral offerings were presented. The following acted as pallbearers: A. Wilson, W. Ralph, T. H. Matthews and J. McKenzle.



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The speaker closed with a strong appeal to women to stand by an order which has for its first and most important purpose the protection of women and children. "This is a woman's age," she said with a smile which included sympathetically the many men in the audience, "and it is but fitting that women should stand by one another for the furtherance of their own highest and best interests and the protection of their children."

A standing vote of thanks was tendered Miss West, and the singing of the Doxology brought a most delightful evening to a close.

—Watch for the Bubbler. It's free.

—The ladies of First Presbyterian church are making all arrangements for the tea and entertainment to be given by them at the Aged Woman's Home on the afternoon of Tuesday, 21st inst. A good programme is promised all who attend.

A meeting of representatives from the various fraternal societies which participated in yesterday's parade will be held at the Briard hotel on Monday evening, at which a report of expenditures will be turned in and the amounts to be paid by each organization will be set.

"Do you think they approved of my sermon?" asked the newly-appointed rector, hopeful that he had made a good impression. "Yes; I think so," replied his wife. "They are all nodding."—T.H. Hitt.

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LACK OF INTEREST IN ROWING EVENTS

Only Nine Senior Men Hand in Names for J. B. A. A. Boats and One in Junior Class

What is the matter with winning the four, pairs and singles at the N. P. A. A. O. regatta this year? The trouble is that Victoria has not got the men. The response made by the members of the only rowing organization of the city to the call for rowing men to train for this summer's events is not promising.

Out of a membership generally supposed to be three hundred, nine names have been handed in for the proposed regatta to be held on June 4th, while for the junior events there was only one entry.

Ten men are not sufficient to form a regatta the matter had to be abandoned, but steps may be taken to revive it later, if there are others coming forward and expressing a desire to enter for summer boat races.

The prospect of Victoria being represented in the N. P. A. A. O. events, from the lack of interest shown by the rowing club in its home regatta, does not look bright, and the prospects of the capital city winning any of the events, except perhaps the singles, is neither bright nor hopeful, for the Mainland men and the Washington state men have been in training several weeks, recognizing the necessity of perfect preparation for the big events of July.

That only nine names should be handed in from a club membership of three hundred caused surprise among the members themselves, for it was generally understood that the Boys would be very strong in the boats this year. It is, however, not too late, but if Victoria is to be represented in the N. P. A. A. O. this summer with winning crews, James Bay club members will have to get ready pretty quickly.

The cricket tournament of the Pacific Northwest is to be held this year at Victoria. The date selected for the event is August 22nd to 27th. The championship is held at present by Vancouver, having been won with ease from Victoria last year.

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FIRST KILMARNOCK CUP MATCH TUESDAY

Teams That Will Meet in Opening Intercity Lacrosse Game at Royal Park

Victoria lacrosse players are out to win the provincial lacrosse championship in the amateur series this year, and if good hard practice and training counts for anything in lacrosse then Victoria should be in much better shape to annex the Kilmarnock cup this season than they ever were before.

The first gun in the championship campaign will be fired on Tuesday morning next at the Royal Athletic park, when Victoria's well selected twelve will cross sticks with the fast lacrosse players of Vancouver, and the local boys are determined to cop the first game of the league.

A glance at the players given below, who will represent the Capital City in the opening game on the 24th, is enough to convince followers of lacrosse in Victoria that it is the strongest twelve to don the royal blue in many years, and with such capable and ever-working players on the line-up there is every reason to believe that this year delivers the goods, and what is more delivers them right from the first game of the season. Even some of the local lacrosse fans who last year were convinced that Victoria was down and out as far as lacrosse was concerned are this year sitting up and taking much notice.

From the Cloverdale, North Ward and Victoria West clubs the selection committee of the Victoria Lacrosse Club is able to pick a strong and capable twelve, and in this year's Victoria twelve doesn't do the required



FOR MARKSMANSHIP.

The Royal Military College Challenge Shield, for which the High School Cadets will shoot on June 4th.

dope—but what's the use of talking. Victoria wants to win this year, Victoria is going to try hard to do the trick, and what's more, many dopers will miss their guess by a large margin if the Victoria huskies fail to down the Vancouver Athletic Club twelve on Tuesday morning.

Many of the well-known stick-handlers are on deck again this year, while there are several new positions that are to be filled by young, energetic, and well-trained players who, from their present form, are bound to make good.

Although Sam Lorimer, George Okell and Jimmy Dakers, who compose the selection committee for the opening game, have not been able to make the final selection of the team that will play Tuesday, yet they have simmered down the many names of those trying out down to about sixteen. The definite selection will be made on to-morrow morning, after a practice game between "A" and "B" teams, and when the twelve is selected it is safe to say that it will be a lacrosse team of energetic players, trained to the minute for a hard battle.

Here is the bunch of webbed-stick-handlers from whom the team will be selected: Byron, Johnson, Kroeger, Pettrew, McDougall, McDonald, Clegg, Stiles, Okell, Joe Dakers, Brynjolfson, Leo Sweeney, Redgrave, Brooks, D. Campbell, L. Noel, F. Sweeney, Cars, T. Sargison and F. Young.

A Vancouver dispatch this morning gives the following as the team selected to play Victoria: Goal, McDonald; point, F. Burns; cover point, F. Matheson; defence field, Donohoe, C. E. Matheson, Calder; centre, Geo. Murray; home field, S. Gunn, Peacock, Wright; outside home, G. Gunn; inside home, Fraser, Spares, Fierhiller, Gibbons and Murphy.

THE RING.

GETS DECISION.

San Francisco, Cal., May 21.—The fighting stock of "One-round Hogan" is several points higher today as a result of his victory over Charley Reilly last night. He had Reilly at his mercy from start to finish, and in the fourth-round Referee Eddie Hanlon declared the fight ended in Hogan's favor.

KETCHEL AND SULLIVAN.

Boston, May 21.—Stanley Ketchel and his new manager, Wilson Mizner, have wagered \$8,000 against \$10,000 that Ketchel will knock out Jack "Twin" Sullivan in 12 rounds, and arrangements for the match are being made to-day. It is believed the fight will take place in Boston early in June. Charley White, of New York, will referee. A Boston banker is said to be backing Sullivan.

DRISCOLL'S CHALLENGE.

New York, May 21.—Jem Driscoll, featherweight champion of England, is ready to post a \$5,000 forfeit for a match with Ad Wolgast, lightweight champion of the world. He is willing to fight anywhere from 10 to 45 rounds, make 133 pounds ringside and let the forfeit money go as a side bet.

The decrease in the world's shipping by week and breaking up averages 724,000 tons yearly.

OLD RATING FOR SUMMER REGATTA

New Regulations Will Be Set Aside for Yacht Club's July Events

The summer regatta to be held under the auspices of the Victoria Yacht Club will be carried out under the rules prevailing during past years, as the new rating and regulations passed by the International Association last year will not be put into force for this year. In fact, at the general vote of the membership clubs the decision has been arrived at that the new rating and regulations be suspended.

The Victoria events will take place July 4th to 5th, Monday to Wednesday. The motor boat race will be started from Tacoma July 3rd, and will proceed to English bay, there rounding a buoy before coming to Victoria, where the race will finish July 4th.

WINNIPEG CRICKETERS WON'T HEED RULING

C. A. A. U. Ruling Regarding Amateurs and Professionals to Be Ignored

Winnipeg, May 20.—"That the Canadian Amateur Athletic Association is not sufficiently conversant with cricket affairs to be able to control the game, and cricketers only owe allegiance to the Marylebone Cricket Club."

This was the declaration which members of Winnipeg Cricket Association heard at their special meeting. The meeting was called to consider the ruling of President Merrick of the C. A. A. U. who had taken the stand that referees controlling football, baseball and other sports could not take part in cricket games without endangering the standing of those who played with or against them.

Mr. Hooper pointed out that wherever the game was played, and it was under every climate, the controlling body was the Marylebone Cricket Club of England. He said it would be altogether out of the question to conform to the constitutions of the M. C. C. and the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada. Cricketers could not work under both.

Sergeant Scarfe, of Strathcona's Horse, who is one of those affected by the ruling of the amateur association, claimed that cricketers had only to observe the rules of the M. C. C. and that they could afford to ignore the regulations of all other bodies. In pointing out the absurdity of the C. A. A. U.'s decree, he stated that half Strathcona's Horse would be excluded from amateur cricket, as many of the men receive remuneration for drilling boys and acting as instructors.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN.

New York, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

Cleveland	R. H. E.	2 4 0
New York	R. H. E.	3 10 1
Batteries—Falkenburg and Clarke; Manning and Kleinow.		
Boston, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:		
Chicago	R. H. E.	2 9 1
Boston	R. H. E.	4 6 2
Batteries—Young, Scott and Block; Smith and Carrigan.		

Philadelphia, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

Detroit	R. H. E.	2 10 2
Philadelphia	R. H. E.	5 8 2
Batteries—Summers and Sanga; Plank and Lapp.		

Washington, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

St. Louis	R. H. E.	1 5 2
Washington	R. H. E.	1 8 1
Batteries—Lake and Stephens; Walker and Street.		

Called at the end of the sixth inning; rain.

NATIONAL.

Chicago, May 21.—Brooklyn-Chicago game was postponed yesterday; rain.

Pittsburg, May 21.—Boston-Pittsburg game was postponed yesterday; rain.

Cincinnati, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

New York	R. H. E.	7 10 1
Cincinnati	R. H. E.	3 13 2
Batteries—Drucke, Meyers and Schlei; Gaspar, Beebe and McLean.		

St. Louis, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

St. Louis	R. H. E.	5 12 2
Philadelphia	R. H. E.	8 13 2
Batteries—Willis, Sallee and Phelps; Sparks, Moren and Doolin.		

PACIFIC COAST.

San Francisco, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game, 12 innings, follow:

Portland	R. H. E.	6 6 4
Oakland	R. H. E.	7 11 5
Batteries—Seaton, Krapp and Fisher; Dank, Nelson and Mitze.		

Sacramento, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

San Francisco	R. H. E.	4 4 3
Sacramento	R. H. E.	1 9 5
Batteries—Miller and Berry; Brown and Sjogman.		

Los Angeles, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

Los Angeles	R. H. E.	3 3 1
Vernon	R. H. E.	5 10 4
Batteries—Hosp and Smith; Willetts and Brown.		

NORTHWESTERN.

Tacoma, May 21.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:

Tacoma	R. H. E.	3 7 1
Seattle	R. H. E.	2 5 5
Batteries—Hall and Blankenship; Thompson, Seaton		

SPORT NOTES

Despite what has been said about all those big prizes at Nanaimo for Tuesday, the Scotch sports are getting the local runners. The entry list contains the names of the best of the local sprinters.

Hoot Mon, you bet your sweet life we'll be there, all right, all right, on Tuesday, which, being Scotch, means that the St. Andrew's Society sports will be held at Oak Bay park Tuesday, May 24th, and that Irishmen will be allowed on the ground.

The Vancouver Y. M. C. A. athletic team to go to Nanaimo on Tuesday is composed of Hillier, Field, Foster, Raine, Parker, Evans, Fleming, Durand, Geofray, and three others to be selected this afternoon.

Tuesday morning and afternoon there will be an all-day cricket match at Beacon Hill park, between the Nanaimo and Afton cricket clubs. Nanaimo has got together a strong team, according to report.

What is a crease? The crease is a line drawn four and a half feet from the stumps across the pitch, between wickets. A crease is not that upon which the game is played. The space between wickets is called the pitch. There are other cricket terms that the uninitiated might study.

Kel D'Or, R. M. Dale's two-year-old colt which is entered in the Derby for 1911 as the first Canadian horse in this class, was shipped to England last night on the S. S. Montalm. The colt will go to Sam Darling at Beckhampton, for a year's preparation.

Joe Gans made his last public appearance at Baltimore this week. He has gone south for a finish fight with tuberculosis. Poor old Joe!

Ben Lomond, Cal., May 20.—Admirer of J. J. Jeffries spent a busy day to-day at the training camp watching a marathon between lizards down the road and throwing stones at frogs in a pond.

After reviewing the history of ring battles from the time of Jim Mace to the Papke-Thomas fight, they returned home at night all pronouncing their day's work one of the best since the present training season commenced.

Bill Papke is still the Illinois thunderbolt, but it took sixteen rounds to put Thomas out of business. Papke's next fight will be with Ketchell, and the entertainment is promised for next month.

A petition for a writ of mandamus to compel Mayor Buse of Chicago to issue a permit for the holding of the Gotch-Zbyszko wrestling match on Memorial day was filed in the Illinois superior court yesterday.

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BADLY TREATED AT THIS PORT

BLUE FUNNEL OFFICERS LODGE COMPLAINT

Over-Zealous Customs Officer Said to Be Responsible for Trouble on Waterfront

"We were never treated like Chinamen before in any part of the world. If this is Canada and Canadian liberty, I want none of it. Never in all our voyages to China, Japan or any other country were we held up like this."

In this way Captain Conradi, of the good steamer Keemun, commenced a complaint to a Times reporter this morning. The difficulty was that Fred W. Davey, surveyor of customs for the port of Victoria, had recently issued an order to his staff that they were not to allow anyone aboard the steamers lying in port with the exception of agents and those having business with the ship.

Captain Conradi and the other officers of the Keemun were naturally very much incensed when some of their friends came down to the dock to visit them, as they usually do when they are in port, and were turned back by the customs officers on duty. The language some of them used in speaking of the port and the port officials can better be imagined than described.

"An Englishman has a right to invite anyone he likes to his home," said the captain. "This is my home, and no one in this country, not even the governor, has the right to say that my friends cannot come to see me here. They did not stop anyone when I was by, or I would have seen who was master of this ship. That man Davey dare not come on this steamer after this without his uniform. If he does I shall order him off. The customs officials have a perfect right to come on this or any steamer and search every nook and corner, as long as they leave things as they found them. They have a right to search people as they leave the steamer, but they cannot step onto anyone coming aboard. I dare them to do it."

There was fire in the captain's eye, and he certainly made the point. He inquired this morning of the fact that the order was purely a local one, and is not enforced in any other port in Canada. Probably when the officials responsible for it find that they have exceeded their powers they will withdraw the order, which was in understood, simply tentative from the first. The first steamer to come under its operation was the Kamos liner Sain. On her arrival Robert Porter, the local butcher, was prevented from going on board to take orders for meat, and was told by the customs officials that he would have to get his order through the mails.

SEALING FLEET IS IN DANGER

ing of seals, Capt. Foley said that he expected a limited number of seals would be taken, but the lease of the islands had been allowed to drop and would not be renewed.

Dismissing the general question of sealing, Capt. Foley said that pelagic sealing, he considered, would be self-sufficiently clean out the whole herd if allowed to continue. In hunting in this way the females were killed and it was only a matter of time before all would be gone. The industry was just as important to England as it was to the United States, for it was in that country that the skins were cured. The English people had the secret of curing and drying the skins, and the result was that all the skins were marketed in England. For that reason he thought the British people should be interested in the protection of the herds.

Capt. Foley showed great interest in the Japanese sealers, and in the report that motor boats were likely to be used this season. He said they were sending four cutters to sea this year, and a thorough patrol would be maintained. These cutters were the Manning, the Tahoma, Perry and Bear.

J. C. Newbury, customs collector at this port, when interviewed in regard to the Canadian interpretation of the Behring Sea award, said he considered it was very clear that the schooners had a right to be in the sea if they were other hunting and not sealing. They cleared from this port to hunt or to seal, and he saw no reason, as he read the terms of the award, why the vessels should not hunt or seal as much as they liked and whenever they liked.

The schooners which are out at present are the Thomas F. Bayard, Capt. Blackladt; Pescawa, Capt. Bert Balcom; Umbria, Capt. Delochrey, and Eva Marie, Capt. Jacobsen. The Jessie is at present in port, but will go north before the opening of the season in Behring Sea.

SALMON TRAP NET LICENSE. (Special to the Times.) Ottawa, May 21.—The fisheries regulations have been amended by an order-in-council making the fee for salmon trap net license in British Columbia \$15 instead of \$50.

The finest silver fox skins come from Labrador, and are worth as much as \$200 apiece.

MAKURA LEAVES FOR SOUTHERN POINTS

Big Liner Has Scarcely Sixty Passengers, the Smallest List for Many Months

Canadian-Australian steamer Makura, Captain Gibb, left last night for the south with a small list of passengers, travel in that direction at this time of year being usually small. The Makura, however, is a good cargo of general merchandise in her hold and a large amount of mail from Canadian, American and Old Country points. The following were the passengers: C. Allen, H. Ashley, P. W. and Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. and Mrs. Grahame Bell, F. Bennett, Rev. W. H. Bliss, F. C. Brown, D. W. Burbank, T. A. Carney, G. E. Cheda, Major and Mrs. DeBury, K. Dole, J. Dwiggins, A. Elliott, B. Erb, H. Pittus, L. D. and Mrs. Ford, J. S. Frothingham, Mrs. Gough, D. Hardy, Dr. P. Harper, M. Harris, Mrs. J. Hart, H. L. Horton, A. N. Kannaday, J. F. and Mrs. Keirna, E. Kern, L. Leitch, Mrs. C. S. McCalla and children, T. Marony, L. R. Minturn, M. Morris, J. Northcroft, R. Pauley, Chaplain H. M. T. Pearce, C. Phlegier, J. E. and Mrs. Powis, A. R. Roth, T. Sanburn, J. S. Schaeffer, R. Scheidt, Miss B. Shepherd, W. Sherer, Mr. Smith, F. Speight, W. J. Thomson, S. Thornton, L. Watta.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.) Point Grey, May 21, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind northwest; bar., 30.1; temp., 58; passed in, Rupert City, 8:10 a. m.; Cape Lazo, May 21, 8 a. m.—Clear, wind northwest; bar., 30.30; temp., 54; sea smooth. Tatosho, May 21, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind northeast 17 miles; bar., 30.07; sea moderate; passed out, schr. Providence, 6:30 p. m.; out, str. Drake, 6:40 p. m.; out, Makura, 2:30 a. m.; out, str. schr. Hornet, 5:30 a. m. Pacheva, May 21, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; bar., 30.2; temp., 52; light swell. Estevan, May 21, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; temp., 50; light swell. Triangle, May 21, 8 a. m.—Clear; fresh; wind west; bar., 30.47; temp., 52; light swell. Point Grey, May 21, noon—Clear; wind N. W.; bar., 30.10; temp., 56; passed in, Cowichan at 8:30 a. m. Cape Lazo, May 21, noon—Clear; calm; bar., 30.25; temp., 50; sea smooth. Tatosho, May 21, noon—Clear; wind east 10 miles; bar., 30.06; temp., 57; sea moderate; in, barque Washington, towing, at 2:30 a. m.; in, str. Mexia, towing, at 2 a. m.; out, schr. Robla, towing, at noon. Pacheva, May 21, noon—Clear; wind west; bar., 30.2; temp., 50; light swell. Estevan, May 21, noon—Clear; wind west; temp., 56; light swell. Triangle, May 21, noon—Dense fog; wind S. W.; moderate; bar., 30.46; temp., 47; sea moderate. Ikeda, May 21, noon—Cloudy; wind N. W.; light; sea smooth.

MR. HERMAN DYING OF STONE IN THE BLADDER

Gin Pills Passed the Stone.

Four years ago I was taken down with what the doctors called inflammation of the bladder—intense pains in the back and groin, great pain and difficulty in urinating. The pain was greatest in the region of the bladder, and the attacks, which became more frequent, amounted to unbearable agony, and I became so weak that I could not walk across the floor. My wife read in the paper about Gin Pills and sent for a box. "From the very first I felt that Gin Pills were doing me good. The pain was relieved at once, and the attacks were less frequent. In six weeks the Stone in the Bladder came away and the pain stopped entirely. I have had no return of the trouble and have not lost a day's work on account of it. I cannot express myself strong enough when I speak of what Gin Pills have done for me. When I remember how I suffered, and how now I am healthy and well and strong and able to do a full day's work, I feel I should speak and tell other sufferers of my experience and of the wonderful merits of Gin Pills."

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MATE LEAVES.

The sea has no more charms for J. D. Milliken, mate of the steamer Tees, after he has left the life of the sea to go into the realty business at Alberni. This was the decision he came to this morning, and he notified Captain Troup that he wished to leave at once. He has already severed his connection with the steamer and early next week will be on the ground doing business. He is taking up the work in conjunction with Mr. McComb, who has for a short time been interested in Alberni realty. Mr. Milliken only a short time ago returned from a trip to the Old Country, and immediately on his arrival reentered the C. P. R. service. He is a valued employee of that company and will be missed.

In addition to the usual consignments of fruits, both fresh and dried, from California by the steamer Queen, there were also quantities of new potatoes, as well as iron, steel, and electric goods. There were besides a number of passengers for this port.

MORE PUMPS FOR STEAMER YUCATAN

Difficulties Met With in Trying to Raise the Stranded Vessel

Reports from the wrecked steamship Yucatan indicate that the salvors have encountered greater difficulty than was apprehended at the earlier surveys of the half submerged craft and it may be necessary to secure additional pumps before the leaks in the hull can be overcome. In beaching the Yucatan the vessel struck on a reef, resting on the rock ledge about 12 feet aft of No. 28 hatch. The sharp rocks penetrated through the bottom and preparatory to floating the Yucatan this rock was blasted out, nearly a case of dynamite being used in the operation.

Subsequent to the blasting a pad was placed over the hole in the vessel's bottom, but with four pumps working the salvors only succeeded in getting 1 foot 7 inches of a head, the engineers estimating that the leak amounts to over 1,000 tons an hour while the capacity of the pumps amounts to little more than 3,000 tons an hour.

Capt. Logan, Lloyd's wrecking, does not believe that the dynamite used, injured the hull and another survey is being made. If the pumps can keep the vessel clear enough to float her she will be taken to Gull Bay a couple of miles from the place where she now is, run on the beach and complete temporary repairs made.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

Seattle—Arrived: British steamer Jabeta, from San Francisco; steamer Queen, from San Francisco. Sailed: Steamer Drake, for San Francisco; steamer Keemun, for Victoria; steamer President, for San Francisco; steamer Hertha, for Skagway; steamer Humboldt, for Skagway; steamer Northland, for Sitka. San Francisco—Arrived: Steamer Rosokoe, from Astoria; Japanese steamer Tensyo Maru, from Honolulu; schooner Mary Winkelman, from Everett; schooner Fred E. Sander, from Ludlow; barque Andrew Welsh, from Honolulu. Sailed: Barquentine Coronado, for Honolulu; steamer Asuncion, for Portland. Liverpool—Sailed: Steamer Empress of Britain, for Quebec. Plymouth—Arrived: Steamer Bremen, from New York. Los Angeles—Arrived: Steamer Santa Barbara, from Gray's Harbor. Sailed: Steamer Norwood, for Aberdeen; schooner William Bowden, for Everett. Portland—Sailed: Steamer Johan Poulsen, for San Francisco. New York—Arrived: Steamer Campana, from Liverpool. Tacoma—Sailed: British steamer Chatham, for Dupont.

WEST COAST INDIANS

GATHERING RICHES

Over Two Hundred Seals, Valued at Over \$20 Each, Taken at Clayoquot

The Indians of Clayoquot have earned over four thousand dollars already this season from sealing off the coast of Vancouver Island. The Ahouset Indians are also busy and will soon be rich if the present prosperity continues. At Clayoquot the Indians have already taken over 200 skins, worth more than \$20 each, and they are still hunting.

The Tees, which has just returned from the west coast, took Mr. McTavish, of the Rivers Inlet cannery, to Ahouset, for the purpose of securing a band of the Indians to work at the cannery. Just now, however, they are not in the humor to listen to proposals for such work. If the sealing continues they will not go, but it is expected that the seals will be going north soon. Even now it is late for them to be on the coast.

JESSIE MACLACHLAN.

Talented Scottish Singer Comes Here With Her Concert Company on Monday.

The Jessie MacLachlan concert party, who will appear at the Victoria theatre on Monday evening, is undoubtedly the greatest Scottish concert company which has ever toured the West. Miss MacLachlan is acknowledged to be the greatest living exponent of Scottish and Gaelic song. She may not be endowed with so remarkable a voice as that of Melba, but what impresses one is the delicious refinement and emotion which she knows how to infuse into her phrasing and expression, and to rouse her audience to the heights of enthusiasm. By a personal touch of magnetism, she transforms completely everything she sings, however slight it may be as a musical composition. It is this aspect of her work, her high degree of interpretative talent, that constitutes the secret of the excellence of Miss MacLachlan as an artist. Barnaby Nelson, who sings with Miss MacLachlan, has a strong, vibrant tenor voice of beautiful quality, which he uses with ease and skill throughout his complete repertoire. Everywhere he appears he creates a profound impression, both in his selections from the classics as well as the popular ballads and Scottish folk songs.

Hah (with irritation)—Why is it that you women insist upon having the last word? Wifey (calmly)—We don't. The only reason we get it is because we always have a dozen arguments left when you stupid men are all run out.—Boston Transcript.

MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER IS BUSY

WILL INSTITUTE REFORMS AT ISOLATION HOSPITAL

Sanitary Regulations of City Are to Be Enforced More Strictly Hereafter

Since assuming the position of medical health officer for the city, Dr. G. E. Hall has devoted much time to the study of the tasks with which he will be confronted in the performance of his duties, and it is understood that as the result of such investigation on his part he will be prepared to make certain important recommendations to the next meeting of the board of health.

One matter which in particular calls for immediate attention on the part of the medical health officer is the condition of the isolation hospital and the instituting of reforms there. It will be recalled that at a recent conference between the city council and the medical council of Victoria members of the latter body were outspoken in denunciation of conditions which then existed at the hospital. The buildings they pronounced quite unsuitable, and it was declared that the sanitary arrangements were very faulty. It is believed that Dr. Hall's report will contain recommendations to meet these criticisms and effect the necessary improvements.

There is also the matter of the selection of a new matron for the isolation hospital to succeed Mrs. King, who is retiring at the end of the present month. The board of health has received a large number of applications for the position, but at the last meeting of that body it was considered desirable to await a report from the new medical officer as to the fitness for the position of the various applicants. It is likely, therefore, that a selection will be made at a very early date on the recommendation of Dr. Hall.

Dr. Hall is also supervising very closely the work of the sanitary officer. It is understood that he has recently issued instructions to that officer to submit a report at the earliest date as to the manner in which the various hotels and saloons of the city are observing the regulations made and provided in respect to sanitary conveniences. This report will no doubt be ready for consideration at the next meeting of the board of health.

It is the intention of the board to arrange, if possible, to secure the whole of the time of the medical officer in the services of the city, and this matter will no doubt receive consideration at an early date. The delay in reaching a decision is mainly owing to the difficulty of providing office accommodation at the city hall, where it is proposed that the medical officer shall have quarters, so as to be accessible to the public at stated hours of the day.

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FIFTEEN THOUSAND PRESENT YESTERDAY

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There are numerous estimates being made of the number of people who turned out yesterday afternoon to take part in or watch the memorial service which was held in front of the Parliament buildings. Guesses vary all the way from five thousand to twenty thousand, but most of even conservative estimates give it as not less than ten thousand.

Capt. Clive Phillips Wolley, who occupied a point of vantage, and who took occasion to count blocks of the spectators covering a given number of square feet, says there were 15,000 present.

W. H. Price called at the office this morning to say that there were 2,000 members of various friendly societies marching in the procession, and that his estimate of the whole was 15,000. The people not only covered the ground in front of the buildings, but the roads and sidewalks for a long distance away were filled, and the sidewalks along the causeway and even on the other side of the harbor were thronged with eager spectators.

RESULT OF ABSENCE OF LANES IN CITY

Wood Merchant Fined Because Load of Fuel Lay Outside Purchaser's Premises

The practice of dumping fire-wood on the roadside instead of delivering it inside the premises of the purchaser, resulted in the appearance of Richard Daverne, wood merchant, in the police court this morning when he was fined \$5. Mr. Daverne said that, as the wood only covered a portion of the street, he did not consider the thoroughfare was obstructed. He also pointed out that there was no other way to deliver wood to residences in the city, than to dump it on the public sidewalk or street.

Constable Hattie, who laid the charge, said the wood had been dumped opposite 214 Government street and had been allowed to stay there some hours, so that he had to put a light on it at night.

A charge under the same by-law against Andrew Sherrett, Fort street, was withdrawn. The charge was laid by Constable F. H. Smith, and when Mr. Sherrett appeared in court the chief of police told the magistrate he had given defendant permission to leave the obstruction on the sidewalk owing to the blockade near the premises.

Defendant, addressing the magistrate, said: "Constable Smith told me to move the piece of wood. You will find rods of lead in front of most of the houses in our business in Victoria. Why should I be dragged away from my business by a guy like this. I cannot afford to waste my time, and any way there are no street lines on Fort street."

The Magistrate—if your time is so valuable don't waste any more of it here.

F. Maynard, charged with speeding an automobile on Cook street, was fined \$10.

J. Stanford pleaded not guilty to depositing glass on Menzies street, opposite the residence of John Goodfellow. The evidence of the police constable having been taken, the case was adjourned until Monday.

D. W. Douglas was defended by C. Kemp on a charge of indecency, the fine for which under the code is \$50, no more and no less. Police Constable Webb laid the information on an act by defendant which occurred opposite the constable's house on Fort street while several ladies were in the vicinity.

The defence was that there was no wilful exposure. The accused was drunk. The charge was dismissed.

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO And Southern California Leave Victoria, 3 a. m. May 25, June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, June 5, 12, 19, 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, August 7, 14, 21, 28, September 4, 11, 18, 25, October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, November 6, 13, 20, 27, December 4, 11, 18, 25, 31.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Co. CLEARED LANDS The cleared lots at Qualicum Beach, Newcastle District are now on the market in tracts of from thirty to forty acres.

Northern Steamship Co. of B. C. New Steamer "PATRIANA" Sails WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 9 P.M. Hardy Bay, Bella Bella, Swanson Bay, Esquimalt, Skeena, Nanaimo, Prince Rupert, Stewart and Portland Canal.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DUNCAN NICOL, FINLAYSON, DECEASED, AND IN THE MATTER OF THE TRUSTS AND EXECUTORSHIP ACT.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Duncan Nicol Finlayson, who died on the 11th April, 1910, in Victoria, B. C., are required to send by registered post, prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned, solicitor for the executor of the above estate, full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts, and the nature thereof, and the securities (if any) held by them, duly verified by statutory declaration.
AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 12th day of June, 1910, the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which valid executrix shall then have had notice.
Dated this 12th day of May, 1910.
MORESBY & O'REILLY,
Of Imperial Bank Chambers, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for the said Executrix.

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"FLY HIGH" IS AVIATOR'S MOTTO

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"When the matter of safety has been overcome, and it is safe to fly long distances at high altitudes, the matter of air currents will not bother aviators any more, for in the higher altitudes there is very little atmospheric disturbance. "Fly high," will be the motto of safety. Most of the freak currents are developed near the earth, and affect only the air in that neighborhood. Above that is a more placid region where there is little movement of the air. Going up is something like going below the surface of the water. The currents are most on the surface. "We have been looking forward for years to making this trip around the world," continued the eminent scientist. "When our family was growing up it was impossible to get away. Then there were the old folks to be thought of. Now the young people are married and the old people are dead, and yet there were difficulties. I did not like to leave my work in connection with aviation. I do not fly for I am too old for that, but I do a great deal of laboratory work, and Mr. Baldwin and Mr. McCurdy attend to the more practical part of the experiments. These and other interests tied me at home, but this time I determined to break away and just let everything go. Mrs. Bell and I have no family ties to hold us, and we are not too old to enjoy a holiday, so we are taking it before it is too late. We hardly know where we shall go. Probably we shall get to India about next winter, and may be a year or more away. This is the first holiday of this kind we have been able to take, and it may be the last, so we shall do it well."
While in the city Dr. and Mrs. Bell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McCurdy, of Esquimalt road, with them are travelling Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, who has been associated with McCurdy in the aviation experiments. The party was seen off by Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy on the steamer Makura last night, and W. J. Sutton, unofficially representing the Natural History Society, was also down to pay his respects and bid the great man God speed.

LOCAL NEWS

The services to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Pemberton chapel will be conducted by the Rev. W. Barton, M. A.

Although the tourist season can hardly be said to have opened as yet, there are large numbers of visitors in the city. All the hotels are doing a good business and the steamers are bringing big crowds every day.

City Electrician Hutchison hopes to complete the work of installing the pillars and lamps for the new lighting system on the causeway and Belleville street by the end of the coming week. All the material to complete the job is on hand.

Large numbers of holiday-seekers left by the outgoing E. & N. trains today for points up the line. Many of them, owing to the fact that Tuesday is a public holiday, will take three full days away from the cares of life in the city.

The B. C. Electric Railway Company is treating a large quantity of ties with creosote on the vacant lots on Douglas street, between Chatham and Discovery, which recently passed into the hands of the company. The ties are to be used in track improvements to be undertaken immediately.

J. M. McCloskey, of Phoenix, B. C., is in the city distributing for sale a little booklet "The New Genesis." Mr. McCloskey, who was a miner by occupation, was so unfortunate as to lose the sight of both eyes in an accident at Phoenix in 1902, and is now compelled to seek a livelihood by the sale of the booklet mentioned.

For some weeks past, a force of gardeners has been engaged in putting the B. C. Electric Railway Coppin's park at the Gorge in shape for the season, and it now presents a very attractive appearance with its clean, shady walks, pretty grass plots and flower beds. The beautiful weather now prevailing should induce immense crowds to visit the Gorge to-morrow.

The service in the cathedral to-morrow morning will be marked by the ordination of Rev. George Stewart, a priest, followed by the holy communion. The services will be preached by the Venerable Archdeacon Scriven. The bishop has undertaken this ordination for the diocese of Kootenay, owing to the death of Bishop Dart, who was bishop of Kootenay and New Westminster.

In view of the match between the Beacon Hill and Cloon-teams of Vancouver on Tuesday, the Beacon Hill team will play a game to-morrow morning at Beacon Hill against the "Fridge" team. The "Fridge" line-up will be: Duncan, lb.; Stoddard, 2b.; Phillips, 3b.; McDonald, ss.; Sinclair, r. f.; Locke, c. f.; Spover, l. f.; Snider, p.; Medina, c. Spareman, Cullen.

The quarterly rally of the Christian Endeavor societies of the city was held in the Centennial Methodist church on Wednesday. A very fair audience was present, with the president of the union, Dr. Wm. Russell, in the chair. After the business of the rally had been disposed of, and Rev. H. A. Carson and R. W. Coleman had given short addresses, C. C. Michener was called upon to address the rally. He dealt with the question of "Christian's Responsibility" and urged upon all young people to strive by the force of good example to deepen the spiritual life of the community. Mention was made of the provincial E. convention which is to be held in Victoria next August and all the societies were urged to work hard, that the convention might be a success.

VICTORIA STOCK BROKERS' ASSOCIATION

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Table with columns: Bid, Asked, and various stock prices including Alberta Canadian Oil, American Canadian Oil, Canadian Northwest Oil, etc.

Grain Market

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, May 21. Open High Low Close

Table with columns: Wheat, Corn, and various grain prices.

San Francisco Markets

(Times Leased Wire.)

Table with columns: San Francisco, Cal., May 21, and various market prices.

New York Stocks

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Table with columns: Bid, Asked, and various stock prices including Amal. Copper, Amer. Car. & Foundry, Amer. Loco, etc.

PACIFIC COAST STOCK EXCHANGE

(By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.)

Table with columns: Bid, Asked, and various stock prices including Bear River Canyon, Bitter Creek, Glacier Creek, etc.

CORROBORATES SENATOR RILEY

(Continued from page 1.)

It is well known that the company has full authority under the Railway Act to expropriate the land in question. It is known further that the C. P. R. is chafing under the long delays that have occurred and that its patience is well-nigh exhausted. That the city's interests are being injured by the inability of the railway company to provide the necessary facilities to cope with the growing needs of the city is admitted on all sides. It is not outside the range of probabilities that in the event of the present negotiations with the Indians falling the city council will be found co-operating with the C. P. R. in an effort to end the intolerable impasse.
Another factor in the situation which is regarded by many leading citizens as extremely important is the undoubted right of the medical health officer of the city to advise the city council to enter upon the reserve and institute such sanitary measures as might be found necessary, so as to better safeguard the health of the community. In the event of this latter course being found necessary, it is assumed that the whole question of the opening of the reserve and the jurisdiction of the civic authorities would be threshed out in the courts—a contingency which the people of Victoria could await with the greatest equanimity.

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It is shown by Mackenzie & Mann's recent purchase of the Dunsmuir coal interests at a price of ELEVEN MILLIONS. It is shown by the rapidly mounting profits of John Arbutnot's Pacific Coast Coal Co.'s operations.

It is shown by the prosperity of the Middleboro mines of the Nicola, whose only difficulty is that of a sufficiency of cars to handle the daily output is not available.

It is shown by the keen desire of the C. P. R. to acquire the properties of the Western Fuel Co. at Nanaimo.

It is shown by the high valuation placed by the G. T. P. on its Telkwa holdings.

It is shown by the \$10,000,000 investment made by the Mackenzie & Mann company in the UNDEVELOPED coal measures of the Brazeau river valley in Saskatchewan—properties not a whit more promising than are the holdings of the Canadian Northern Coal and Coke Co., Ltd., on the projected main line of the Canadian Northern on the North Thompson river in this province.

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to share in the magnificent profits which may conservatively be looked for from such development, or from any possible sale upon further development of the properties, which would necessarily mean a multiplication of values for the far-sighted stockholders.

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PASSED PHARMACY EXAMINATIONS. Two Victorians Successful at Recent Examinations Held at Ontario College.

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NEW WIRELESS STATIONS. Melbourne, Australia, May 21.—Hon. Egerton Lee Batchelor, minister of external affairs, is calling for tenders for the erection of medium power wireless telegraph stations at Port Moresby.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE. Took Off Bog Spavin. "I have been using Kendall's Spavin Cure on a hog that had a bad Bog Spavin and it took it clean off."



YESTERDAY'S MEMORIAL SERVICE. The societies in line.

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Dr. Graham Bell Tells of Scientific Methods Being Adopted to Increase Flocks

If the man who makes two blades of grass grow where formerly there was only one is a benefactor to the human race, surely the man who can bring about the production of two sheep where formerly there was only one, would have done an equal service, if not a greater.

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ter, the King very graciously accepted the title of Honorary Past Grand Master of Canada, and the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, whose jurisdiction covers the whole Dominion, has ever been very proud of his distinguished favor.

COUNTRESS IS SENT TO PRISON

For some time the countess divided her time between Karamowsky and Naumoff. The latter was almost insane over her. He even submitted to physical torture at her hands, allowing her to thrust her nails into his flesh and to extinguish her cigarettes by pressing the burning ends against his hands.

But a short time before Karamowsky was killed, the countess made a fresh bid for Prikoff's affections. She summoned him to her in Berlin and he came. Soon he was again completely under her influence.

The evidence at the trial indicated that it was Prikoff who originally suggested the desirability of Prikoff as the assassin. Naumoff was mentioned as a suitable substitute.

Naumoff called at Karamowsky's apartments in Venice, was admitted and shot the countess dead. He was arrested and Prikoff returned to Vienna. A confession by Naumoff revealed the countess.

The condition of the countess is serious to-day and physicians are in attendance. As Dr. Naumoff passed the cell of the countess, she cried to Naumoff: "Nikolas, will you shake hands?"

For 25 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and warmer.

Victoria, May 21.—5 a. m.—The barometer remains above thirty inches along the coast, and fine, warmer weather is general this side of the Rockies, while in Alberta showers have occurred, these may extend to Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

New Fire Limits. Persons contemplating erecting new buildings, or repairing old ones, in the central section of the city, are hereby notified that the Fire Limits have recently been extended, and that a copy of the by-law, extending same, may be obtained at this office.

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CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works authorized by By-Law from time to time will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the Main Entrance to the City Hall.

COURT OF REVISION. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Victoria, will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., on Tuesday, the 23rd day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment as made by the Assessor, and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

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WI L CONSIDER REPORT ON ROADS

IMPORTANT BUSINESS FOR THE CITY COUNCIL

City Engineer's Recommendations to Be Given Consideration on Monday

At Monday evening's meeting of the city council consideration will be given to the very important report on the proposed improvements to the trunk roads of the city just presented by Angus Smith, city engineer. This official has outlined a policy which, if adopted, will occupy several years' time in its execution and involve an expenditure of close on \$200,000, but should his recommendations be adopted permanent pavements of bituminous macadam will be laid on the following streets during the present season: Government street, from Discovery to Market; Douglas street, from Fisguard to Queen's; Fort street, from Douglas to Linden avenue. The cost of this proposed improvement is estimated at \$114,000.

On Monday Mr. Smith will proceed to Seattle to consult with J. Thompson,

engineer of that city, on the subject of the merits of tar macadam pavements. There are a dozen or more processes in which tar is a constituent being employed for pavements, and the city engineer is desirous of getting the best for Victoria. Replying to a question of Ald. Sargison, when the report was discussed informally at Thursday evening's meeting of the streets committee, Mr. Smith said that bituminous macadam costs 50 per cent. less than asphalt and 15 cents less per square yard than ordinary macadam.

Final action is expected to be taken at Monday evening's meeting of the council respecting the proposition which the city is prepared to make the board of trustees in connection with the plan for the utilization of the gravel pits area at Spring Ridge as a site for the new high school. It is believed that the recommendation of the streets committee—that the city, besides giving its property there, consisting of some 3½ acres, shall also spend \$12,000 dollars in the work of regrading—will be adopted unanimously, and the hope is entertained by the friends of the Spring Ridge site that this proposition will be acceptable to the board of trustees, who will hold a special meeting at an early date to consider the matter.

Possibly the by-law providing for the execution of the big scheme of improvement on Dallas road will be introduced and read a first time. Ald. Langley, the father of the project, is pressing for prompt action in the matter, and at his suggestion authority was given at the last meeting of the council for the city engineer to proceed

at once with the preparation of the by-law.

Should this measure be submitted to the ratepayers at an early date it will be the first money by-law to be laid before the property owners since Mayor Morley assumed the reins of office for his present term, and its fate will therefore be a criterion of what awaits other important money by-laws to be submitted this year. In this connection it may be mentioned that his worship is desirous that all the measures asking for loans should be grouped together and placed before the people simultaneously, but Ald. Langley will hardly be disposed to wait, with his Dallas road scheme until other by-laws may be ready. For instance, no decision has yet been reached in regard to the project for bringing water from Sooke lake, and as the water committee is moving slowly in the matter, it may be asked to vote on this important question. Then there is the need of a new sewerage loan to be considered. Everyone is agreed that the question of the extension of the sewerage system is probably the most important before the people of Victoria to-day. The city has quite outgrown its present facilities, and the need of prompt action is imperative. In the preparation and consideration of the scheme to be followed in making extensions will occupy a long time, and this being the case it is likely that Ald. Langley's by-law for the improvement of Dallas road will be submitted to the ratepayers without waiting for other measures.

than an hour and was passed unanimously. Instead, therefore, of no one knowing anything about the amendment, the very opposite is the case. There was no "secret appealing to the Liberal government," as the Colonist states. Everything was done openly and with the fullest publicity possible. Again, we are told by the Colonist reporter that the local option people "are thoroughly satisfied with the new license law" of last session. This is another piece of fiction. It will be remembered that the local option committee of this city served a notice on Hon. Mr. Bowser, when his bill was first introduced into the legislature, stated by W. A. Gleason, president, and Rev. Wm. Stevenson, secretary, stating that the local option people had not asked for that bill, that they did not want it passed, and that they refused to accept it as in any way an answer to their request for a local option law. That notice was published in full in both daily papers, so any charge of "breach of faith" such as the Colonist reporter makes is wholly unfounded and misleading.

We are further told that "the conditions as to the plebiscite were thoroughly understood." This is another creation of the fertile imagination of the Colonist reporter. The first anyone heard of the conditions was from a report of a speech delivered at Kamloops by Mr. Bowser, a short time before the election. The conditions as reported were so unexpected and so unfair that a prominent Conservative of this city at once telegraphed to the Premier, who was in the upper country, for a contradiction or confirmation of the report, but he was unable to secure either.

The statement that the Local Option people "agreed with the provincial government as to a plebiscite to test the temperance sentiment" of the province is another piece of imaginative writing on the part of the Colonist reporter. The Local Option people did not ask for the plebiscite, they did not want it and were at first strongly inclined to ignore it, as they had little hope of getting any practical result from such a vote, even should a majority vote in favor of a local option law. They had had experience with plebiscites before.

To assume that the plebiscite was defeated when there was a popular majority of nearly 4,000 votes in its favor throughout the province will deceive no one. However, the Local Option people have no reason now for complaining that the plebiscite was taken, as that vote will now show them just where the Canada Temperance Act can be carried, so in one way the men who persuaded the government to take this vote were helping the temperance cause more than they realized. As the Canada Temperance Act can be carried by a bare majority vote, and as this city gave a majority of over 600 in favor of local option in November last, it does not need a prophet to read the handwriting on the wall regarding this matter. It would seem very much as if those in the trade are now on their good behavior. If they unite into a solid phalanx to fight every by-law, to defeat every candidate for mayor or alderman who may not be in full sympathy with them, and to send to the legislature only men of their own way of thinking then the end may come to them much sooner than would be the case if a moderate and more reasonable course be followed. Their best friends are those who advise them to keep out of the courts, to obey the law to the letter, and to conduct their places of business quietly and in compliance with public sentiment.

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To the Editor:—While going home last evening I met several people who were gazing at the sun. This is a dangerous practice, and has caused permanent injury to many eyes. On reaching home I saw a letter in the Times, which was, no doubt, the cause of the interest taken in Old Sol. The apparent phenomenon seen by fixing the unprotected eyes on the sun is purely subjective, and has no connection with Halley's comet, and the latter's appearance can be seen most any time the sun is gazed at as he sinks towards the horizon. To try the experiment with the noon-day sun is to risk blindness or permanent impairment of vision. To try it at all is foolhardy.

If we but glance at the sun, then direct the eyes to another object there will be seen "a circular, greyish, semi-transparent plate" eclipsing the bright looked at, like a dark sun, and if interposed itself wherever we look, in the direct line of sight. After a time the appearance fades away. If we look long enough at the sun that dark disc appears in density and occupy the centre, almost entirely eclipsing the luminous orb of the sun itself, leaving but a quivering corona. The longer you gaze the increasing darkness of the disc causes less "inconspicuousness." If the truth is, the powerful solar rays are paralyzing the delicate structure of the retina, and the sense of sight is being suspended, more particularly at the spot where the refracted image of the sun strikes, the lens system of the eye acting like a "burning glass," with the condensed solar rays focused in the very centre of the most delicate and sensitive part of the nerve of sight.

The revolting, quivering appearance is caused by the nervous, involuntary movement of the eye.

If you wish to view a total eclipse of the sun, wait till noon, bring it about. To create the illusion is like giving yourself a blow in the eye in order to see a shower of meteors. Never look at the sun unless through a very dark glass, sufficient to reduce his brilliancy to something like moonlight.

A. P. BLYTH.
 Fort St., May 20th, 1910.

MISLEADING STATEMENTS CORRECTED.

To the Editor:—The editorial management of the Colonist should exercise a little more careful supervision over its news columns than it has been doing of late, as the paper seems to have some one on its staff who is wholly unable to discriminate between a concept of the memory and one of the imagination. On two occasions recently—April 15 and May 18—the news columns of the Colonist have contained articles referring to the amendment made to the Canada Temperance Act at the late session of the Canadian Parliament, both of which show at a glance that they are the production of the brilliant imagination of some one who has no knowledge whatever of the subject of which he writes. In the article of April 15, the assertion was made that no one in this city knew anything about this amendment then before Parliament, that the members of the Local Option League "are quite as much in the dark as anyone else can be" about it, and that they "are thoroughly satisfied with the new law." In the article of May 18, a statement of fact, the amendment was prepared in this city, in compliance with a resolution unanimously passed at the late provincial local option convention. That resolution was brought into the convention by a committee, was discussed fully in open meeting for more

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ANGLICAN.

St. John's, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Preachers: Morning, Rev. P. Jones; evening, Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard. The music follows:
Mornng.
Organ Prelude—Andante Gullman
Psalm for 22nd Morning Dyce
Te Deum Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus Langdon
Anthem Barnby
Hymn 162
Litaney Barnby
Kyrie Barnby
Gloria Barnby
Credo Barnby
Offertory Sentences Barnby
Hymns 160 and 161
Organ Postlude—War March of the Priests, from Athaliae Barnby
Evening.
Organ Prelude—Allegretto Mendelssohn
Professional Hymn 160
Psalm for 22nd Evening Dyce
Te Deum Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Woodward
Cantate Woodward
Nunc Dimittis Woodward
Doxology Hopkins
Anthem—O, Gladsome Light Sullivan
Hymns 161 and 27
Amen Woodward
Vesper Woodward
Organ—Postlude Barnby

St. James', corner of Quebec and St. John streets. Rector, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Sunday being the Festival of the Holy Trinity, there will be a celebration of the holy communion at 8 a. m. and 10 a. m., and a second celebration of the holy communion at 12. Sunday school at 2.30. and evensong and sermon at 7. The music will be as follows:
Mornng.
Organ Voluntary 160
Opening Hymn 160
Venite and Psalms Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Macfarren
Benedictus Troubeck
Hymns 163 and 162
Kyries and Sanctus Bridgewater
Communion Hymn 162
Nunc Dimittis Felton
Organ Voluntary 160
Evening.
Organ Voluntary 160
Opening Hymn 160
Psalm Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Barnby
Nunc Dimittis St. John
Hymns 161, 164 and 27
Vesper Anthem Caffre
National Anthem Caffre
Organ Voluntary 160
St. Barnabas', corner of Cook street and California avenue. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 8 a. m., choral matins and litany at 11 a. m., and choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. All seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows:
Mornng.
Organ—Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty Handel
Venite and Psalms Cathedral Psalter
Te Deum Lawes
Benedictus Rev. J. Troubeck
Hymns 160, 161 and 27
Offertory Anthem Fitzgerald
Organ—Postlude Newell
Evening.
Organ—Pastorale Graham
Psalm Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat Macfarren
Nunc Dimittis Felton
Hymns 163, 160 and 164
Procession 291
Vesper—Lord, Keep Us Safe This Night.
Organ—Chorus in B Flat Carnali

REFORMED EPISCOPAL
Church of Our Lord, corner of Humboldt and Blanehard streets. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Trinity Sunday. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at evening service. Subject of sermons by Rev. Thos. W. Gladstone. Morning, "The True God in Man's Salvation"; evening, "The Eternal Christ, Sent by the Father and the Spirit." The music follows:
Mornng.
Organ—Andante Thos. Hanard
Hymn 1
Venite and Psalms—As set 2
Te Deum Cathedral Psalter
Benedictus No. 2
Hymn 264
Kyrie—V Mercer
Hymns 263 and 277
Organ—March Handel
Evening.
Organ—Largo Handel
Hymn 266
Psalm—As set Cathedral Psalter
Magnificat—V Mercer
Nunc Dimittis—V Mercer
Hymns 15, 263 and 29

CONGREGATIONAL
First, corner of Pandora avenue and Blanehard street. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Rev. Hermon A. Carson, B. A., pastor, will preach. Morning theme, "The March of Events—The Place of the Sunday School in the Progress of the Kingdom of God"; evening subject, "Ourselves and the Universe—What of It?" Bible school, men's own Bible class and adult Bible class for women at 2.30 p. m. Y. P. S. of W. W.'s will give a social concert Monday at 8 p. m. at the Home for Aged Women. Thursday at 8 p. m., prayer meeting. Friday at 4 p. m., Junior C. E.; 7.30 p. m., Boy Scouts; 8 p. m., choir practice. Strangers, visitors and friends cordially welcomed.

BAPTIST.
First, Blanehard street, near Pandora. Preaching services to-morrow at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pulpit will be occupied by Rev. P. Clifton Parker, of Central church, Vancouver. Sunday schools: First, Burnside and Victoria West, at 2.30 p. m.; Ladies' Philathea and men's Baraca classes at same hour. B. Y. P. U., Monday, 8 p. m., and mid-week service for prayer and praise on Thursday at 8 p. m.
Emmanuel, corner of Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. William Stevenson. Morning at 11. Saved as by Fire" evening, 7.30. "Men Young Women Should Avoid." Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. Berean class, 2.30 p. m. B. Y. P. U., Monday, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Choir practice, Friday, 8 p. m.

Strangers welcome at all services. The Sunday music follows:
Mornng.
Organ—Andante Selby
Holy, Holy, Holy Stainer
Hymn 41—O, Day of Rest and Gladness.
Anthem—What Are These Simper
Organ—Pastorale Simper
Hymn 41—Am I a Soldier of the Cross.
Hymn 266—Love Divine, All Hearts En-
gelling Simper
Organ—Postlude Simper
Evening.
Organ—Vesper Hymn Beethoven
Hymn 16—Praise My Soul, the King of Heaven Woodward
Anthem—The Radiant Morn Woodward
Organ—Andante Farmer
Hymn 46—I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say Simper
Hymn 26—Sun of My Soul Haydn
Organ—Benedictus Haydn
Tabernacle, corner of Fairford road and Chester avenue. Rev. F. T. Tapscott, M. A., pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 a. m. Sunday school, 2.30 p. m. B. Y. P. U., Monday evening. Men's club, Wednesday evening. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening. Strangers cordially welcomed.

METHODIST.

Metropolitan, corner of Pandora avenue and Quadra street. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Pastor, Rev. T. E. Holling. B. A. Preacher for the day, Rev. W. J. Sippell, D. D., principal of Columbian College. Sunday school at 2.30, and at Spring Ridge school at 2.45. Strangers heartily welcomed at all the services.
James Bay, corner of Michigan and Menzies streets. A. N. Miller, pastor. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Subjects: Morning, "The Duties and Privileges of Church Membership"; evening, "Temptation." A reception service and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be held in connection with the morning service. Sunday school and adult Bible classes at 2.30 p. m. Epworth League on Monday evening at 8. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Men's class meeting on Sunday morning at 10.15.

PRESBYTERIAN.

St. Andrew's, corner of Douglas and Broughton streets. Pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Chay, B. A. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sabbath school, 2.30. The pastor will occupy the pulpit at both services. Strangers heartily welcome. The musical selections are as follows:
Mornng.
Voluntary—Pastorale Offertoire, Manfredi
Psalm 114
Anthem—Praise the Lord, O Jerusalem 114
Hymns 1, 387 and 251
Solo—The Plains, Mrs. Barnard
Voluntary—Fantasia in C Minor, Teichner
Evening.
Voluntary—Intermezzo in D Flat, Hollins
Psalm 16
Anthem—Hark, Hark, My Soul, Shelley
Soprano solo, Mrs. Green. Contralto solo, Mrs. J. Longfield.
Hymns 18 and 268
Solo—God Shall Wipe Away All Tears.
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Miss Dorothy Bueary.
Voluntary—Lohengrin March Wagner
First, corner of Blanehard and Pandora streets. Rev. Dr. Campbell, minister. Services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 2.30. Adult Bible class immediately after the forenoon service. In the forenoon Dr. Campbell will give an address on Sunday school work, as requested by the Sunday School Association. In the evening a song service of hymns, solo and anthems, with a short address by the pastor on hymns and hymn writers. Strangers in the city cordially welcome to all the services.

LUTHERAN.
Grace, English, K. of P. hall, corner of Pandora avenue and Douglas street. Morning service at 11 o'clock; subject of sermon, "Christian Liberty." Evening service at 7.30; subject, "God's Revelations in Nature." The Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock in the morning; children may enrol at any time. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Rev. William C. Drahn, western field secretary, pastor.

UNITARIAN.
First, Eagles' hall, Government street (entrance next door to Dixi Ross & Co.'s store). Rev. H. E. Kellington, M. A., minister. Preaching service every Sunday evening at 7.30. All interested in the new theology or in sympathy with any liberal Christian faith will find here congenial associations. A cordial invitation extended to all. The subject of to-morrow evening's discourse will be "The Divinity of Man." The speaker, A. J. Pines. Preceding the sermon Christian Sivertz will give an address on "Socialism and the Christian Church."

OTHER DENOMINATIONS.
Christian Science church, 205 Pandora avenue. Regular services are held Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock, and testimony meetings Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock. Subject for May 22nd, "Soul and Body." All are welcome.
Theosophy. Lecture on Sunday at 8 p. m. at room 5, Balmar Annex, by T. A. Barnes, of Seattle. Subject, "Life After Death." All are cordially invited to attend.

Salvation Army, Citadel, Broad street. Services: 7 a. m., knee drill; 11 a. m., holiness meeting; 2 p. m., praise meeting; 7.30 p. m., salvation meeting. The week-end meetings will be conducted by the officers in charge, Staff Capt. Hayes and Capt. Knudson. All are invited.
Society of Friends, Broad street hall, 106 Broad street. Meeting for worship, 11 a. m. H. Parry, a minister of Vancouver, is expected to be present. All are welcome.
Apostolic Faith Mission, 582 Johnson street. Services: Lord's day, 10.30 a. m., 3 and 7.30 p. m.; Bible school, 2 p. m. Week nights, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, at 8 o'clock. C. W. Doney, pastor.

Spiritualism, 734 Caledonia avenue. R. E. Kneeshaw lectures at 8 p. m. Subject, "Godliness and Ungodliness." All are welcome to these meetings.
HAMPTON'S FOR JUNE.
Hampton's Magazine for June is a tremendously interesting bundle of big things. The first installment of Edmond Rostand's great drama "Chanteclair" is the opening feature, and a few pages removed from it is the continuation of Commander Peary's own story of "The Discovery of the North Pole."
For seven years Rostand's every step in connection with his daring barnyard drama, "Chanteclair," has been widely chronicled. The first act appears in full in the June Hampton's,

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and the remaining three will appear in succeeding issues.
At last, and at the proper point in his recent, Commander Peary has begun to introduce the proofs of his Polar discovery. Peary tells for the first time the detailed story of the final dash. He shows readers the daily and hourly uses made of his wonderful organization; shows how impossible the achievement would have been without these.
There is a stirring article by Dr. Thos. E. Green, the noted missionary, on "Revivals and Revivalists," in which he describes such men as Billy Sunday and "Gypsy" Smith "in action." Rheta Childs Dorr begins the first of a series of articles on "Making Over the Backward Child." Within the limits of the first article are presented all of the successful methods employed in the public schools of New York, Philadelphia, Cincinnati and elsewhere for bringing the defective child up to the standard of its more fortunate companions.
Charles Edward Russell continues his articles on the Southern Pacific railroad. Hampton's also contains a capital aviation story by Frederick Palmer with Danbury Rodd as the central figure, a humorous story on the "Gogglescope Hats" by Ellis Parker Butler, and a racetrack story, "Once to Every Man," by Charles Belmont Davis. There are vigorous personality sketches of a half-dozen men and women in the public eye, several good stories in the "Half Lengths" department.

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Empire Day in Canada

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THE MEANING AND ORIGIN OF EMPIRE DAY.

What Empire Day Is.
"Empire Day is an effort throughout the King-Emperor's Dominions to remind all British subjects of the virtues which make a good citizen, such as loyalty, patriotism, courage, endurance, respect for, and obedience to, lawful authority, and to encourage self-sacrifice for the public good; to teach all, and especially the young, the sacredness of the trust committed to them; and to inspire them with determination to do their duty."

When Celebrated.
In Canada, on May 23rd, or in schools on last Friday school day before May 24th. In the other Dominions, of the Empire, and in Great Britain, on May 24th.

The difference in dates as between Canada and the rest of the Empire is because May 24th, the birthday of the late Queen Victoria, is already observed as Victoria Day in Canada.

The Origin of the Empire Day Idea.
The first resolution for an Empire Day observance in Canada was passed by a committee of the Hamilton School Board, on December 2, 1897, on the suggestion of Mrs. Clementina Fessenden, of that city.

The First Empire Day in Canada was observed on May 22nd, 1899, in Montreal, when a choir of a thousand children sang patriotic selections, Queen Victoria replying to a loyal message.

The Empire Day Idea in England.
The Empire Day idea was adopted in England on April 25, 1899, when Lord Meath wrote to the London Times suggesting the adoption of the Canadian idea, resulting in the 24th of May being set apart in the British Isles as Empire Day.

Empire Day in the Empire.
Empire Day is now celebrated in every part of the King's domain. It has been observed since 1904 in the British Isles, and in the other Dominions and Colonies with 60 days' chain of celebration is complete so far as the self-governing and crown colonies and the motherland are concerned. Even in India individual celebrations are held.

The Object of its Observance.
That it shall be the outward sign of an inner awakening of the peoples who constitute the British Empire to the serious duties and responsibilities which lie at their door.—The Earl of Meath.

THE BRITISH NAVY—ITS COST AND SIZE.
The naval expenditure of the British Empire is 175 million dollars; United States, 135 millions; Germany, 100 millions; and France, 65 million dollars.

Great Britain pays 98 per cent. of its navy cost, and its Dominions, two per cent.
The strength of the British navy is 445 vessels, including 37 battleships, 83 cruisers, 126 destroyers, 83 torpedo boats, and 52 submarines.
The Empire's naval force comprises officers and men, 188,000 (including reserves); Germany, 117,000; France, 118,000; United States, 46,000; Japan, 125,000; British seamen in mercantile marine, 176,975.

Cost of a battleship, \$7,500,000; of an armored cruiser, \$6,000,000; of a torpedo-boat destroyer, \$2,000,000; of a submarine, \$250,000; of a 28-ton gun, \$50,000; cost of armor-piercing shot for 35-ton (12-inch) gun, \$50; cost of the annual upkeep of a 16,000-ton battleship, \$750,000.—Daily News Year Book.



KING GEORGE



QUEEN MARY

House of Commons, March 14, 1910. "Counting the Australian and New Zealand ships, Great Britain will have, in the summer of 1912, 22 Dreadnoughts, with five Dreadnoughts in January of 1913, in addition to the programme of 1914. Thus Great Britain's security through this type of ship will be absolutely certain."
Canada will establish a fleet of eleven war vessels.

THE BRITISH ARMY AND ITS SIZE.
The size of the British army, regular and territorial force, 894,973 establishment; 680,107 actual strength.
Army estimates, 1909-10, \$125,000,000.
Total army and navy estimates, 1909-10, \$300,000,000.
Total army and navy expenditures, 10 years, 1900-1909, nearly four billion dollars.
There are 500,000 Boy Scouts in Great Britain.

CANADA'S RELATION TO THE EMPIRE.
"Daughter-am I—in my mother's house, but mistress in my own."—Kipling.
Canada contains one-third of the area of the British Empire, or 3,744,695 square miles. Canada is as large as thirty British Isles, twice the size of British India, and one-third larger than Australia.

More than one-half of the white population of the Empire's Dominions and colonies is in Canada.
Canada was the first colony to federate its scattered provinces into a Dominion in 1867, an example since followed in part by Australia, and by South Africa.
Canada was the first colony of the Empire to have a penny post.
Canada made possible the all-British Pacific cable by contributing 5-17ths of its cost.
Canada is agitating for the all-Red steamship and railway route around the world via the Empire.
Canada was the first of the colonies to establish Government wireless telegraph stations.
Canada is already helping to feed the Motherland with her surplus products, and is destined to become "the granary of the Empire."
Canada is working out problems in legislation and government, the re-

sults of which will benefit the rest of the Empire, as their experiments will be valuable to Canada.
RELATIVE ORDER OF WARSHIP TONNAGE.
From U. S. Navy Department Report, 1909. Great Britain, at present, tonnage, 1,758,250; with all vessels completed, tonnage, 2,005,873.
United States, at present, tonnage, 821,785; with all vessels completed, tonnage, 755,687.
Germany, at present, tonnage, 669,700; with all vessels completed, tonnage, 820,692.
France, at present, tonnage, 602,920; with all vessels completed, tonnage, 708,909.
Japan, at present, tonnage, 306,348; with all vessels completed, tonnage, 459,704.
Russia, at present, tonnage, 259,283; with all vessels completed, tonnage, 412,250.

TENNYSON'S EMPIRE SONG.
To all the loyal hearts who long
To keep our English Empire whole!
To all our noble sons, the strong
New England of the Southern Pole!
To England under Indian skies,
To those dark millions of her realm!
To Canada whom we love and prize,
Whatever statesman hold the helm,
Hands all round!
God the traitor's hope confound!
To this great name of England drink,
My friends,
And all her glorious Empire round and round.

"MOTHER OF PARLIAMENTS" AND HER CHILDREN.
The British House of Commons is called the Mother of Parliaments, because nearly fifty parliaments and legislatures have been established in the Empire under Britain's plan of giving self-government to her possessions.

The United Kingdom has 1,302 legislators, viz. 532 peers and 670 members of the House of Commons.
Canada has 735 legislators in its federal parliament and nine provincial legislatures and councils.

THE TRADE OF THE EMPIRE.
The value of the Empire's total trade was in 1907 \$1,667,245,000. About 74.2

per cent. was with foreign lands, and 25.8 per cent. between different parts of the Empire.
The colonies sent the United Kingdom in 1907, \$198,666,970 worth of trade, one-third being "food, drink, and tobacco." The United Kingdom sent the colonies in 1907, \$188,000,000 in trade.
The annual revenue of the British Empire was in 1905 nearly a billion and a half dollars.

THE TRADE AND REVENUE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.
Total British exports and imports, 1908, \$1,649,681,008 (exports \$466,727,521; imports, \$682,953,487).
The total annual revenue of the British Isles is 750 million dollars.
The national debt, 1909, \$754,121,209.
Trade of the United Kingdom, 1908, \$44,000,000 (231 exports, 121 imports).
Germany's total trade, \$291,000,000 (213 exports, 78 imports).

THE SHIPPING OF THE EMPIRE.
The Empire owns or controls about one-half the shipping of the world, viz., a mercantile marine tonnage of 13,181,355.
The value of the ships in Britain's mercantile marine is \$99 million dollars.
The coast line of the Empire is 43,000 miles, of which Canada has nearly one-fourth.
The value of the annual sea-borne commerce of the Empire is seven billion dollars. In 1914, 435 million dollars.

PRODUCTION OF THE EMPIRE.
The Empire produced in 1907: Coal, 304,722,000 tons; iron ore, 17,229,000 tons; pig iron, 10,850,000 tons; diamonds \$8,981,000; gold, \$50,500,000; silver, \$2,885,000; copper, \$6,647,000; tin, \$1,500,000; wheat, 412,300,000 bushels; barley, 114,200,000 bushels; oats, 272,500,000 bushels; maize, 23,800,000 bushels; wine, 11,400,000 gallons; tea, 430,913,000 pounds; coffee, \$6,195,000 pounds; sugar, \$5,790,000 cwt.; rubber, 11,940,000 pounds; cotton, 1,235,124,000 pounds.

JOHN BULL, THE EMPIRE MONEY LENDER.
"British capital invested in Canada in 60 years totals \$59,000,000."—Sir Edgar Speyer.
British capital invested outside England in 60 years totals \$2,500,000,000, producing ever more precocious recruits for the country's prisons.
"A systematic arrangement of existing tramway lines could easily be made to open up new suburbs where each family would have the means to breathe and earn its living. Instead of spoiling the Villa Borghese with dens for wild beasts, let us provide wholesome dwellings for these human creatures who, deprived of light, air, water, of everything which they need, grow every day nearer beasts within refuges, which are morally and physically worse than any prison."
What Rome Could Do.
"The zoological gardens in the Villa Borghese—begun less than six months ago—are nearing completion, though no beasts have yet arrived to occupy them," says the London Times.
Signor Boni's dig on the condition of Rome was due to the failure to carry out the original scheme for "The Jona Monumentale," which was "to restore the archaeological interest and guarantee the preservation in perpetuity of the tract of land in Rome which lay between the Porta Capena and the Aurelian Wall." Signor Boni was on the commission for the deal with this scheme, but when he discovered "that the only aim of the commission was to convert a portion of the Via San Sebastiano into a wide boulevard" he resigned.
Roman Deference to the Tourist.
"And so," says the Times Rome correspondent, "another scheme goes wrong; and the archaeologists, the artists, and the Romans who really love their city must stand idly by and view another assault on her beauty and his-

ducing an income of \$150,000,000 per annum.—The Statist.

In a single year Great Britain has provided \$180,000,000 for new enterprises at home and abroad; after meeting all home needs. \$185,700,000.
Great Britain bought nearly \$200,000,000 worth of Canadian bonds in 1909.

THE AREA AND POPULATION OF THE EMPIRE.
The British Empire governs about 12 million square miles, or one-fifth of the earth's surface. It takes thus leads the world in area, Russia coming second with 5 million square miles; United States and Alaska, third, with 3,617,673 square miles.
Nearly 400 million, or one-fifth of the entire human race form the Empire population. China has the same number, Russia 130 millions, United States 90 millions.

Of the 400 million inhabitants of the Empire, 54 millions are white people, 344 millions are colored, viz., copper, yellow and black.
The 400 millions are found on five continents, viz., Asia, 300 millions; Africa and Europe, each, 43 millions; America, 71.2 millions; Australia, 5 millions.

They are sub-divided religiously: Hindus, 208 millions; Mohammedans, 94 millions; Christians, 53 millions; other religions, 25 millions.

THE COMPOSITION OF THE EMPIRE.
72 Dominions, Colonies and Dependencies comprise the British Empire, constituting the mightiest aggregation of countries the world has ever seen.
The official designation of the self-governing nations within the British Empire is the word "Dominions," of which there are seven, viz., Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Cape Colony, Natal, Newfoundland, Transvaal.

The title of "Dominion" was decided upon in 1907, by direction of Lord Elgin, then secretary for the colonies in the British government.

A country is entitled to be termed a Dominion that has a parliamentary government or representative institutions.
British possessions that are not self-governing are termed Colonies, viz., India, the various parts of Africa, the South-West Indies, Guiana, and many minor possessions that have no representative institutions or parliamentary government. Egypt is a protectorate.

CANADA'S EMPIRE TRADE.
The trade between Great Britain and Canada totalled, 1908-9, \$204,302,113 (imports, \$70,556,778; exports, \$133,745,335).

When British preference of 23 1-3 per cent. was given in 1897 imports from Britain were 29 million dollars; 1908-9, 70 millions. Great Britain is now Canada's best customer.
Chief items Canada bought from the United Kingdom, 1908-9: Cotton and manufactures of, \$8,285,702; metals and minerals and manufactures of, \$11,560,259; wool and manufactures of, \$13,877,683; sugar, etc., \$1,185,703; silk and manufactures of, \$1,923,574; spirits and wines, \$1,356,335; settlers' effects, \$1,750,285.

Chief items Canada sold the United Kingdom, 1908-9: Animals, living, \$10,280,449; breadstuffs (chiefly wheat), \$60,946,834; fruits, \$2,959,847; furs and skins, \$1,169,854; leather, etc., \$2,123,772; metals and minerals, \$4,006,703; provisions, \$3,126,527; wood and manufactures of, \$11,505,573.

Canadian grain exports to Great Britain, 1908-9, \$1,646,457 bushels; value, \$48,227,498.
Canada has sold in ten years to Great Britain, \$246,925,429 worth of grain.
Canada's trade within the Empire (both with United Kingdom) 1908-9, \$28,908,238.

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Few questions have more persistently engaged the attention of naturalists than the migrations of birds. And in truth it is an amazing thing, this annual coming and going of such tiny creatures from one continent to another, over immense stretches of land, and often over very considerable areas of sea. The subject has given rise to numerous hypotheses, in which there is some truth, doubtless, although we are at a loss to learn the whole truth and although we are still unable to find a general, satisfactory theory to explain migration in its ensemble.

writes Henri de Varigny, in Le Temps, Paris.

However, the tendency to build up hypotheses is at present less active than it was. Scientists have changed their methods, or rather their point of view, and, instead of trying so hard to explain the facts, are much more concerned about getting the facts straight—which has been a desire little manifested heretofore. They are no longer content to observe; they are undertaking methodical experiments. The example has been set and will be followed. Establishments and organizations for the experimental study of the migration of birds will no doubt multiply.

The most important of these establishments is the one at Rossitten, a little fishing village on the Baltic. Rossitten is situated upon a long tongue of sand called the Kurisches Neches Haff, into which flows the Niemen, or Memel, surrounded by high, rambling dunes, Rossitten is an out-of-the-way place, in a region anything but attractive to tourists. But our winged friends think differently. However diverse their tastes, they find pretty nearly everything to satisfy them—woods, sand, meadows, ponds, marshes, shore and tiled ground—so that the neighborhood constitutes an aggregation of oases for various species, meeting their various needs. Consequently all manner of migrating birds are seen halting there, both when northward and when southward bound, till from the ornithological point of view Rossitten rivals Helligoland.

These are the birds that keep busy the Vogelwarte. Its men capture and mark them and then set them free. All interested in the time and place of their recapture—by you or me, or it matters not whom. The assistance of the public is indispensable. You find a bird bearing the Rossitten mark, you send the tag to Herr Thienemann, indicating the date and place at which the creature was caught or killed. Thienemann knows where and when and to what kind of bird the numbered mark was originally attached. By comparison of the two bits of data, some idea is obtained of the bird's travels; invariably something is learned. There is no other means of learning it.

The birds marked at Rossitten are obtained in two ways. Some are taken in the nest at Rossitten itself or else elsewhere; the rest are migrants that have stopped to rest. In both cases the marked birds are given their freedom—after the necessary notes have been made—and are at liberty to do as they please. The Vogelwarte has done its part; it remains for the public to respond. The public is beginning to do so. Sportsmen and naturalists appreciate the interest of this investigation. But of course we can't expect that any very great proportion of the marked birds will be heard from. We must be content with small favors. In certain cases, the small favors are already numerous.

Enormous flocks of mottled rooks pass over Rossitten every year, and the countrymen trap and kill them for food. Several live rooks were sold to the Vogelwarte, which marked them and bade them be off and beware of traps. Now, eight per cent. of those tagged rooks have been retaken and returned to the station. That is doing very well.

Thus some interesting data have been secured about the species. In the case of one of these birds, four years and one week elapsed between capture and recapture. Capture, October 12th, 1903, at Rossitten; recapture October 20th, 1907, at the mouth of the Vistula. It was already known that many migrants spend the winter in Africa. Such is the way of swallows. Storks do the same. Storks marked at Rossitten have been recaptured on the Black continent. One was taken in the neighborhood of Lake Tchad in October, 1904, by a French officer, Lieut. Lesley, of the Colonial Infantry, another near Ft. Jameson in northeastern Rhodesia.

In the English papers one often reads of interesting recaptures. Thus the Times of April 8th last reported the recapture of a Rossitten stork in the country of the Basutos—a fine run—from the Baltic to South Africa. Another stork was killed still further south in Natal; it had been tagged in Hungary. The stork goes also to Palestine; the Times reports one captured near Jerusalem in April. It also was tagged in Hungary. Was it on its way back from Africa. If so, the route would seem to have been along the coast, instead of taking a short cut across the sea.

Rossitten is no longer the only experimental station for the study of bird migrations. There is one in Hungary, founded by the central bureau of ornithology. It is an establishment of an altogether special type.

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NOTICE is hereby given that warrants, entitling in each case the grantee or his assignee to a free grant, without actual residence or settlement duties, of a quarter section of Dominion lands, containing 160 acres, of the class open to homestead entry in the Province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, which were issued some years ago by the Department of the Interior for services rendered in connection with the Red River Expeditions of 1870, 1871, 1872 and 1873, or for service in the North-West Mounted Police to the persons hereinafter named, have not yet been delivered owing to the fact that they have not been applied for by the grantees and that their addresses are not known to the Department. The warrants in question will be delivered to grantees thereof, or in case of their death, to their personal representatives, upon satisfactory evidence being sent to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, that the applicants are entitled thereto.

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0107	John Brown.....	"	"
0111	John Belair.....	"	"
0116	James Barr.....	"	"
0124	John Butterworth.....	"	"
0142	Philippe Bergeron.....	"	"
0144	Emile Halls.....	"	"
0151	John Walker Babcock.....	"	First or Ontario Battalion of Rifles.
0170	Francis Bonnelle.....	"	"
0182	Charles Brunet.....	"	Second or Quebec Battalion of Rifles.
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0188	Xavier Barril.....	"	"
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0362	T. D. Gilmore.....	"	"
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0497	William H. Lowe.....	"	"
0504	Louis Laporte.....	"	Second or Quebec Battalion of Rifles.
0517	Josiah Lafranchise.....	"	"
0520	Thomas Lee.....	"	"
0521	Thomas Labbe (No. 201).....	"	"
0532	Napoleon Larose.....	"	"
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0587	William Murray.....	"	First or Ontario Battalion of Rifles.
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0597	Napoleon Melancon.....	"	"
0625	Angus McDiarmid.....	"	"
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0766	Louis Ross.....	"	"
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0812	John Seddon.....	"	"
0818	Alfonse St. Onge.....	"	"
0822	Pierre St. Armand.....	Private	"
0823	Wm. Snider.....	"	"
0820	Moise St. Pierre.....	"	"
0829	Smith No. 38.....	Corporal	"
0834	Albert Seveigny.....	"	"
0838	Charles L. Stuart.....	"	"
0846	W. Sinclair.....	Corporal	"
0852	Didier Tremblay.....	Private	"
0853	Baron Taylor.....	"	"
0854	Wm. P. Thom.....	"	"
1366	James Trevor.....	"	"
0870	Geo. Taylor.....	Private	First or Ontario Battalion of Rifles.
0871	J. McFerridge.....	"	Second or Quebec Battalion of Rifles.
0877	Thomas Vanvalder.....	"	"
0886	Francis Vallancourt.....	"	"
0883	Ignace Vallere.....	"	"
0890	George Henry Welland.....	"	"
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0924	John Wyatt.....	"	"
1929	James Ward.....	"	Expedition of 1871.
1933	William Chisholm.....	"	"
1933	Samuel Logan.....	"	"
1934	James Bond.....	"	"
1944	Chas. L. M. G. Chase.....	Private	"
1957	James Dunn.....	"	"
1976	William Kellock.....	Sergeant	"
1977	Robert Wm. Turner.....	"	"
1981	Frederick Vogt.....	Private	"
1982	Paul Adams.....	"	Expedition of 1873.
1983	Geo. Loggie.....	"	"
1997	William Brown.....	"	"
1998	Francis Phair.....	"	"
1998	Richard Bodwick.....	"	"
1999	Jean Boire.....	"	"
1999	John Harrigan.....	"	"
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1999	William Sturley.....	"	"
1999	George Telford.....	"	"
1999	Francis R. Whittaker.....	"	"
1999	Joshua Walker.....	Corporal	"
1999	James Wilson.....	Private	"
1999	William Smith.....	"	"

No. of Warrant.	Name of Warrantee.	Rank.
0027	Simon Taylor.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Toronto, Ont.
0029	Wm. I. Spotten.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Toronto, Ont.
0033	Robert Hayward.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Orillia, Ont.
0037	Ernest Gold.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Quebec.
0037	Ernest Gold.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Halifax, N.S.
0037	Richard Goldswokey.....	and Jefferson City, Montana, U. S.A.
0039	William Barwell.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Danville, P.Q.
0051	William Johnson.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Osgoode, Ont.
0074	Augustus Schroeder.....	Sub-Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Quebec.
0225	James Battersby.....	Constable, North-West Mounted Police, Former address, Macleod, Alberta.

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Populations over any considerable areas exceed 500 to the square mile may be found on the world's map not only in parts of the United Kingdom, in Belgium or in Saxony, but also on the lower Ganges, and on the Chinese coast, and even in parts of the narrow valley of the Nile.

Taking the thirteen states of western and central Europe, there were added in the last seventy years of the nineteenth century on a comparatively limited surface, something like 100,000,000 new consumers to the 167,000,000 persons previously resident on the 1,700,000 square miles of territory occupied by this group of nations.

These numbers take no account of the emigration which has lightened the pressure on the soils of the home land of Europe. The maintenance of nearly seven per cent. more consumers must have meant either a vast development of local agricultural production or a vast demand upon the acreage of the new lands of the west, or both.

No larger food areas but, instead, smaller, are apparent in Great Britain, Scandinavia and northwestern Europe. The German wheat and rye show practically little change. Even in live stock the numbers scarcely keep pace with the population for although the herds and the swine of western and central Europe have risen by nearly a fourth in the one case and three-fourths in the other, the sheep, even in Great Britain, are much fewer now.

Western Europe looks mainly for the growing needs of her consumers to the still existing states of eastern Europe, to the new world regions of North and South America, and in a minor degree to Australia. Western Europe calls to-day for the import of breadstuffs or meat or dairy produce.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

C. J. Whiteside, Nanaimo, is in this city on business.

Mrs. W. A. Sparrow is visiting friends in Vancouver.

Capt. Nicholson arrived in this city yesterday from Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wade, from Seattle, are in this city on a visit.

H. Maynard left for the Terminal city on business yesterday.

E. McClure crossed over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Ald. W. H. Langley has gone over to Vancouver on a business trip.

H. E. Beasley returned yesterday from a business trip to Vancouver.

J. Kingham went over to Vancouver yesterday afternoon on a business trip.

Stuart Henderson sailed for the Terminal city last night on the Charmer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harris of Seattle, are spending a few days here on a visit.

J. Goldbloom of Vancouver, arrived in this city from the Terminal city yesterday.

J. Woods reached this city from Seattle on the Princess Victoria yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gardner have left for Seattle and Tacoma for the holidays.

Miss Gertrude Martin left on the Princess Charlotte yesterday for Seattle.

A. J. Pines was among last night's passengers on the Charmer for Vancouver.

S. Ney is visiting friends in this city. He arrived from Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

Richard Wall was a passenger on the Princess Charlotte yesterday from Vancouver.

F. B. Pemberton has returned from Vancouver, where he spent several days on business.

R. G. Howell was a passenger on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

Alex. Peden was among the passengers from Seattle on the Victoria yesterday afternoon.

C. C. Bethune went over last night to Vancouver to spend several days there on business.

Miss Roberts, after visiting friends in Vancouver, returned to her home in this city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Maysmith, who have been visiting in Vancouver, returned here yesterday.

J. L. Lawson was among the passengers on the Princess Charlotte yesterday from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. David Spencer, sr., returned from a visit to Vancouver yesterday on the Princess Charlotte.

Geo. A. Levell, manager of the Empress theatre, returned from a business trip to Seattle yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Reid of Seattle, were among yesterday's arrivals from the Sound on the Princess Victoria.

T. G. Mitchell, Lloyd's surveyor, was among yesterday's passengers on the Princess Charlotte from Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Turner, who have been visiting friends in Vancouver, returned to this city yesterday.

M. Humble, formerly manager of the Empress hotel, arrived from Vancouver yesterday on the Charlotte.

Miss I. Berryman returned from Vancouver yesterday, where she has been spending several days visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Madigan and Miss Madigan were among yesterday's passengers on the Charlotte from Vancouver yesterday.

Among the passengers from Seattle on the Princess Victoria yesterday were: C. F. Morgan, R. Jansen, G. Mattett and W. Baker.

Miss Eleanor McCandless and Miss Phyllis McCandless, of Vancouver, reached this city yesterday from the Terminal City on a visit to relatives.

A. W. McCurdy arrived from Vancouver yesterday afternoon, accompanied by Dr. Graham Bell and Mrs. Bell, who are on a tour around the world and who left in the evening on the Makura for Australia.

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Cecils.—Take one cup cold boiled ham minced fine. Season with a dash of pepper, onion juice, a teaspoonful of minced parsley, a little Worcestershire or mustard sauce. Add a table-spoonful bread crumbs and the beaten yolks of one or two eggs. Mix well, and shape into small round balls; roll in flour; then in beaten eggs, and cover with bread crumbs. Fry in deep fat and serve with a cream sauce.

Noodle Ham.—To make the noodles beat one egg with a saltspoonful of salt until very light, and add enough flour to make a stiff dough. Roll out very thin and cut in narrow strips and place these between the hands until they resemble shagreen. Then break in pieces about two inches in length. Spread them on a cloth to dry. When well dried, put a pint of the noodles in a saucepan with enough boiling water to just cover. Let them simmer for about fifteen minutes, until tender but not broken. Meanwhile, chop enough cold boiled ham to make a jarring cupful. The crumbs and trimmings from the bone can be used up in this dish. Butter an earthen dish; put in a layer of the drained noodles, then a layer of the ham. Beat two eggs light and add a cup of rich milk. Pour over the top and cover with a thin layer of bread-crumbs moistened with melted butter and little milk.

Here is a spice cake beyond praise: Mix the ingredients in this order: One beaten egg, two-thirds of a cup each of molasses, sugar and melted butter, one cup of milk, two and a half cups of flour, two table-spoonfuls of cold boiled ham to make a jarring cupful of vinegar. Beat this all up till it is foamy and bake in one loaf or in small tins. A cake like that is simple and wholesome; no one will eat too much of it, but when served fresh every one who tries it will like it. It can be varied by putting in raisins, mixing them with part of the flour and instead of the vinegar a little ginger and lemon juice can be put in.

Quick Jam Sponge.—One tea-cupful of flour, half a tea-cupful of castor sugar, two eggs, one tea-spoonful baking powder. Beat the eggs and sugar together with part of the flour and merely beat the vinegar a little ginger and lemon juice can be put in.

Here is a cake capable of much variation: Cream half a cup of butter with one cup of sugar; add the beaten yolks of two eggs and half a cup of water; fold in half the stiff whites of the eggs, and then two and a half cups of flour with two tea-spoonfuls of baking powder sifted in it; then the other half of the eggs; flavor with lemon or vanilla or almond and bake in two large layers, says Caroline Benton in the New York Observer.

With that rule for a basis — and simple and inexpensive as it is, it is good — there can be any number of fillings; or the cake may be baked in two biscuit tins and merelyiced.

Suppose, for one thing, this icing is sprinkled while wet with chopped nuts on one tin and on the other chocolate icing is spread; this gives two kinds of cake, quite different. Or, half the rule may be baked in this sort of a tin and the rest, differently flavored, may be poured in small tins and iced. In this way there will be even greater variety or, chopped raisins can be put in half and this baked in a small loaf, and melted chocolate stirred in the other half before it is put in the small tins.

WOMEN COLONISTS FOR AFRICA.
The Duke of Argyll, presiding at the annual meeting of the South African Colonial Society, London, after referring to the spirit with which the society's emigrants had been received amongst the Dutch in the Transvaal, said it might be a good thing to direct emigration to Natal. The idea was for every Dutchman to have an English wife, but pending the consummation of that complete union of the races which they might look forward to in a future generation, it might be well to send them to Natal, where a great number of Englishmen had already settled. Sir Matthew Nathan said the white woman who went to South Africa did improve the conditions of her life. The standard of life there was higher and life was simple and less strenuous.

The Evening Chit-Chat
BY RUTH CAMERON

In a magazine criticism of the work of Clyde Fitch, the great American dramatist who died recently, there was one simple little sentence that somehow struck me as marvellously pregnant and suggestive.

This was it:
"Clyde Fitch was one of those myriad unhappy men of genius who deserved better of themselves than they got."

Instead of "the myriad unhappy men of genius," I think the critic might have well said, "the myriad unhappy men and women everywhere."

If you were to die to-morrow, would your biographer have the right to say of you "he deserved more of himself than he got?"

Isn't that a rather good question to stop, in the unthinking, get-things-done-at-any-cost, routine rush of your daily life, to put to yourself?

I have a friend who writes Sunday specials for a big sensational newspaper. I met him the other day. He told me that he had just received more money than almost any of the men who graduated in my class," he said proudly.

He is a man of great talent if not genius. His college professor and all who knew his mind prophesied a great literary future for him.

He expected it for himself.

And now he is happy because he is making more money than almost any of the men who graduated in my class.

I wonder if there don't come moments to him when he realizes in a sudden grey flash of truth that he deserves better of himself than he is getting.

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"But, no; everything in the earlier years of our marriage was sacrificed to coining money."

and then when we had succeeded we had commenced to draw apart from each other. O yes, we were happy in those climbing days—greedily, feverishly happy, but we didn't look at the time when we should need another interest to bind us together."

Up on the hill just beyond our house lives a man and a woman of whom Piner might have written those words; they are such a perfect description of them.

I wonder if sometimes when the man and woman see the man across the street reading his three kidnies out for a Sunday morning walk, or the lady across the street cuddling the youngest of the three kiddies, who is a marvellous composite of pinkness and goldness and chubbyness and dimples — I wonder if on some occasions that man and that woman don't realize that they deserve something better of themselves than they have gotten.

The man of brains and energy who mulls along all his life in a position where brains and energy avail nothing, simply because he hasn't the courage and grit to demand better things of life at the pistol point of risk, the girl who marries the man she does not love simply because she is afraid she will be an old maid, the woman of brains and ability who lets her marriage be the absolute end—all of self-culture, of

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HER WONDERFUL VOICE

She was ready and waiting. And she was not a bit nervous. She had too much confidence in herself for that. She smiled serenely as she glanced again at the programme in her hand. How well her name looked printed, "Miss Maude Vance, soprano." Yes, taken all in all, she was quite perfect in training and figure and stage presence. And her dress—why, it was Parisian to the last degree and, therefore, perfect, too. She had chosen it because she had always had a fondness for pink of just that shade and she remembered that he had, too. Certainly she had thought of him. She had meant from the first to show him that she could succeed, that her voice was worth something. She had never quite forgiven him what he had said that night two years ago, when she had told him that she was going abroad to study.

"Don't do it, Maude," he had said. "You haven't voice enough." He had said it just like that. And he was the only one who had ever said it. Everybody else had praised her to the skies—her mother and her dearest friends and her teachers, of course. They must know better than he did. Yet she could never get those words of his out of her mind. And his way of saying them! He was always so deadly in earnest about everything. Especially about that. How angry she had been. "I'll show you!" she had flung back at him and bit her lips cruelly to keep the tears from her eyes. During those two years of study that determination of hers had been ever present. "I'll show him!" It had driven her to do painstakingly all the drudgery demanded of her. It had kept her on her feet under the exacting eyes of the famous maestro, who had been coaxed to accept her as his pupil, when she was ready to fall down with fatigue. And now she had learned all there was to learn apparently and had come back to show him that she had a voice and could sing, after all. She would flaunt her success in his face, and, since he was fair, he would be obliged to admit it. Then she would smile at him and forgive him.

She knew that he was out there, in the audience waiting with the rest—her mother and her cousins and aunts and the old uncle who had advanced the money for the training. They were impatiently listening, she knew, to the performers that preceded her and longing for her to appear. Not one of them of course except her mother, who had been her constant companion, had heard her sing since she returned. She had been very careful that they should not. She wanted to surprise them all—him especially. It was, indeed, curious that she should still care so much for his opinion—that she had always cared, even when she would not own it. What was there, aside from his love for her, that should have any weight with her whatever? He was not rich or handsome or of great influence, as were a half dozen other men she knew almost as well, but somehow it was always his face and not theirs that she saw in her dreams.

"Miss Vance!" said the manager. Her turn had come. From beyond the stage came the diminishing applause of the encore. She thought, "Mr. Herford must have pleased them." Then she rose, arranged her train and followed her accompanist out upon the stage. They were all there, and she faced them calmly, smiling and bowing in acknowledgement of the whirlwind of applause that greeted her. There was her mother, very flushed and conscious in her new lavender satin; there was Aunt Belle her bosom twinkling with jetted lace; there was her cousin Violet Vance, who, too, longed to sing, and there was Uncle James, whose bounty had supplied her with French gowns and Italian coaches. And there was he, with his clear gray eyes fixed upon her! Did he notice that her gown was pink? Or dream of its meaning? She wondered a great many things foolishly as she stood waiting for the applause to end so that she could sing. She felt quite eager to sing. Her voice had never been better and the aria she had chosen was sure to please. Ah, there was the keynote! As she sang she

was still conscious of what was going on before her upon the faces of the audience, which was composed largely of people she had known all her life. The general look of eager expectation, had changed, not to one of gratification, but to one of amazement, of perplexity, almost of pain. Only his face told nothing. He sat very still, with his chin slightly lifted, listening closely. She could not understand what those other faces meant, and she did not care. But his face she could understand. Oh, it only too convincingly some message to her! After all, it was really to him she was singing. It was only his approval that she sought. She had worked hard to show him that she could sing. And now she was showing him.

The applause that followed the stinging of the aria seemed somewhat perfunctory. She felt jarred and puzzled. Yet she came back smiling in response to the encore, though a little subdued, perhaps, a little less radiant. There was surely something a little wrong. She was not making the impression she had planned to make.

It's hard work singing before one's own people," she thought. "Perhaps they didn't like that French aria. There is certainly nothing wrong with my voice or me."

Between that appearance and her next upon the programme she could not sit still, but walked about restlessly. She knew very well what her mother thought—that she had never done so well in her life. And Uncle James—that she had given him good value for his money. "By George, that niece of mine, she's a winner," he would be saying at his club to-morrow. And Violet would go home to dream of French gowns and bunches of orchids as large as her own bushy little blonde head. And Aunt Belle would be planning a dinner to take place before "Maude starts on her tour." But what did he think? His eyes were so unfathomable. That was because they held so much. Had she convinced him that she could sing? Had she?

Ah, there was her second call at last! She went out again upon the stage; she bowed and smiled and sang again her best—to him. And still he sat with his arms folded and his chin lifted, and his inscrutable eyes watching—watching. It was over at last. She was whisked away in Uncle James' big motor to their apartments, where a little supper had been arranged for her. They were all there but him. Would he come? And they were all trying to talk at once about her. They worried and worried her with their praise. Somehow it suddenly sounded meaningless to her. What she wanted was the truth. And she felt deep down in her heart that only he could give it.

The apartments were suffocatingly sweet with flowers—all offerings of her shrines. He had sent his bouquet with the rest. She took it up now and held it close to her face. It was pink—pink roses. And down among them was his name upon a little white card. Why didn't he come? Why didn't he come? Suddenly the door opened and he entered. Her color rushed to meet the roses' color in a warm, sweet flood. He had seen her at once, without seeming to see her, just as she had seen him. And now he was coming toward her. Above his roses their eyes met. She held out her hand.

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Congregational Social. — On Monday evening an old-time "soiree," or social, will be held. Refreshments will be served, short addresses by ministers of the city, songs and choruses by the choir and others, will make up what is expected to prove a very happy evening of the first anniversary of the Knox church as a fully organized and self-sustaining branch of

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Emmanuel.
Sunday Services. — To-morrow the pastor, Rev. W. Stevenson, will preach in the morning on "Saved as by Fire," and in the evening on "Men Young Women Should Avoid."

Choir Leader. — Last Friday evening a welcome meeting was held to welcome Fred and Mrs. Parfitt and the children from England. There was a large attendance and a most happy evening was spent. During the evening the pastor, in the name of the church, presented Mark Parfitt with a Book of Old English Songs, as a token of appreciation for his services as choir leader during the absence of his brother. The pastor also asked Mrs. Percy Marchant's acceptance of a beautiful copy of songs by Schubert as an expression of the church's hearty appreciation of her splendid services as organist. Mrs. Marchant has relinquished the office owing to the call of other duties and has gone on a short visit to her mother and friends at Portland, Ore. Miss Flossie Wood was welcomed as Mrs. Marchant's successor at the organ and took her place in a very acceptable manner last Sunday.

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From May to October almost every residence in Oberammergau will become a pension, and as all the leading performers accommodate guests, there is naturally a scarcity of hotels, says a writer in the Columbian Magazine. The only hotel of importance is the Wirtshaus Hof, with modern conveniences, steam heat, electric lights, long-distance telephone, tourists' office and summer garden. It has the additional convenience for American tourists that English is actually spoken in a comprehensive manner.

Tourists under no circumstances should leave Munich the same day as the Play. They should try and arrive at Oberammergau the day before the Play to see the performers in everyday life, retire early, attend the six o'clock mass in the village church, and then start for the Play at eight o'clock in the morning. If they are pressed for time, they can leave Oberammergau the following day. The lives of the Oberammergauers are as interesting to most Americans as the Play itself. The scenery between Munich and Oberammergau ranks among the most picturesque scenery in all Europe.

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The Play has none of the features of modern advertising connected with it—no press agent, bill poster or printing whatever. The largest remuneration is paid to Anton Lang, whose part is that of Christ. He receives \$5 for each performance. Three hundred persons receive about twenty-four cents for a performance, the last eight hours in all kinds of weather, simply as reimbursement for loss in their vocation, while rehearsing or performing in the play. Every Play day the town feeds and shelters three times its own population, and extortion is wholly unknown.

On account of the immense attendance in 1909 the committee were compelled to give twenty extra performances. This year indications point to the largest attendance in the history of the sacred drama, and although thirty performances are scheduled, it is believed by those competent to judge that double that number of performances will be given. A new theatre was built in 1908, costing \$138,000, and new scenery, costumes and musical instruments cost \$80,000. The gross receipts amounted to \$257,000, with a net profit of \$57,000. The profits are used for the school, road, bridge and river funds.

Oberammergau is situated in the midst of a country of surpassingly beautiful scenery. On one of the most attractive routes to the town is the Bittel monastery, founded in 1339 by the German emperor, Ludwig, "the Bavarian." Its abbots were feudal lords over Ammergau, and the monks exercised a large influence over the villagers. Entering Ammergau from the east, the curious peak of the Kofel, sun-guarded by a large cross, appears to guard the village, and the immense marble crucifix erected by the late King of Bavaria in remembrance of the 1871 play is a prominent object.

The chief occupation of the Oberammergau villagers is wood carving and farming; there being a school of design there. The three men who have represented the Christ since 1850, except Anton Lang, a stove builder, have all been wood carvers, chiefly of crucifixes and similar religious subjects. The village church ceremonial is of an unusually impressive character, and is also an incentive to the actors in their dramatic display on the Passion stage.

The Chief Actors.
One year preceding the Play year the villagers by common vote elect nineteen villagers who, with the village priest and burgomaster, form the Passion Play Committee of Twenty-One, who have full power to select the cast and attend to all the matters of the Play. On Oct. 12, 1909, the committee attended a special service in the village church, when they appointed the cast for this summer, which will be most entirely different from that of 1909. Anton Lang, as before, will be Christ, Johann Zwink will be Judas, and Sebastian Bauer, Pilatus. Anton Lang is a potter and a maker of ovens. His predecessor was the Rev. Joseph Mayer, a wood carver. Ludwig Lang, manager and director of the play, is also director of the school of wood carving.

Andreas Lang, also a wood carver, takes the part of Peter. Zwink's daughter takes the part of Mary for the first time this year. Alfred Bierling, a locksmith, is John; William Rutz, a baker, is a rabbi; Sebastian Bauer, a wood carver, is Pontius Pilatus; Jacob Rutz, a blacksmith, is leader of the chorus. This year each of the performers puts aside his respective trade and endeavors to live up to the role he is to act.

Anton Lang is tall and lithe, and bears an almost perfect resemblance to the likeness of Christ, as represented by the old masters. Sebastian Bauer is the burgomaster of the village. He studied law while working at the bench, and is consequently quite a legal authority in southern Bavaria. He is beloved by all Oberammergauers, and owing to his genial disposition has quite a faculty of making friends among the tourists.

The costumes to be worn in the play, which are exact reproductions from copies made in Palestine, were made by twenty women and girls in Ober-

ammergau. The material used is usually costly.

As to the play and its atmosphere, it has been said that it is an atmosphere that exists nowhere else, and that it is the only sort of atmosphere in which such a theatrical production could be preserved in all the sanctity and purity of motives suggested by its traditions.

On my first visit to Oberammergau I struck up an acquaintance with Guido, who informed me that moving pictures had never been taken of any scene in the Passion Play. This was further confirmed when Sebastian Bauer gave me a written statement for publication claiming that all moving pictures of the Passion Play exhibited in America were counterfeit.

The most amusing incident during my ten annual trips to the village since 1900 was when I was confronted with the Oberammergau bed. The first time I saw it I wondered whether it was a bed or a railroad. The second time I looked around for a step ladder or rope and tackle by which I might draw myself into the bed. As I found none of these useful articles, I started an investigation. After removing quite a van-load of excess pillows and ticks I finally discovered the real bed, and I soon drifted into the arms of Morpheus sleeping as I had never slept before.

The next day I visited the home of Anton Lang. Mr. Lang possesses what is considered the most beautiful home in the village. In his former home lives his father, Rochus, Lang, who formerly played the part of King Herod.

The Oberammergau railway station is the terminus of the Munich, Murnau and Oberammergau Railroad. The first train entered the village on the 28th of March, 1900. Personally, I think it was a mistake to permit a railroad to enter the village. It would have been more appropriate to retain the idea of a pilgrimage to the sacred performance of the Passion Play. On the day preceding a performance of the Passion Play there are from thirty to fifty passenger trains from Munich to Oberammergau carrying tourists from all parts of the world.

That the villager still retains his native simplicity is amply proved from an incident to which I was an eye-witness. This was present one evening when two young men of Oberammergau were engaged in a friendly game of cards. The village bell chimed out the Angelus. The young men immediately put their cards aside, and standing erect, bowed their uncovered heads in silent prayer.

The Theatre.
Previous to 1900 the Passion Play was given in an enclosure similar to an American baseball park. There was a high board fence, with entrances on three sides of the enclosure. The audience sat in the open air, under a small roof in the rear of the auditorium that sheltered a small part of the audience, but most of the auditors were exposed to the elements. It was not till 1899 that they started to erect the present Passion Play theatre in Oberammergau. When it rains it not only rains on the audience, but rains on the performers as well. That is why every performer is provided with several costumes. The performance is never stopped for the rain unless the gutter on the roof is so loud that it drowns the voice. Then the performance is postponed until the first clear day. The immense audience of 120,000 persons seated with less trouble and turmoil than an ordinary matinee audience in America.

The method of selling tickets is rather peculiar. In 1900 if you attempted to purchase a ticket they would ask you to tell them in whose house you had found accommodations, and if you informed them that you had not yet made any arrangements to that effect they would suggest that you do so at once, stating that the villager with whom you stopped would sell you your ticket. This not only prevented ticket speculation, but prevented persons from obtaining a ticket without going to the expense of a lodging, or from merely lodging at Oberammergau without the expense of purchasing a ticket.

The stage of the Passion Play theatre is of wood and is 140 feet long by 110 feet deep, the apron being much larger than that of the ordinary stage. Up centre is the proscenium arch, the opening of which is 62 feet wide by 51 feet deep. On either side of the opening, and separating the proscenium from the arch, while the lower part sinks into the stage, this curtain is used at the beginning and end of the play and between the intermissions.

No Cover to the Stage.
The scenery of the Passion Play is built entirely for daylight effect. Strange to say, there is no fly gallery, the pin rail being for the borders. As a back set there is a panorama roll, 400 feet long, with ten scenes backing, each 40 feet long. This panorama is stretched upon two huge rollers and moves from side to side instead of being lowered from the flies as is usually the case.

The dressing rooms and property rooms are back of the stage and behind the panorama. In these rooms are stored two sets of costumes for each performer—one for dry and the other for wet weather.

The stage itself is without cover, and situated as it is with a background of forest covered hills and the blue sky for a canopy, the effect is such as no enclosed theatre ever could produce. Often during the representation birds will fly across the apron or perch themselves upon the uppermost portions of the stage, and their songs and twitterings add an element of reality which makes the illusion almost perfect. The principals enter through the arches, and most of the action takes place on the apron, the proscenium opening being used exclusively for the tableaux and for the set scenes, such as the "Ascension." The main chorus, which is composed of thirty-four voices, makes its entrance between the scenes from the two palaces on either side, seventeen from each palace. The illusion created both by the scenery and the actors is marvellous,

notwithstanding the fact that no make-up is used.

Not Acting But Living the Parts.
Wonderful, however, as the stage devices are, they would be useless if it were not for the marvellous acting of the performers. It seems almost blasphemous to call it acting, for it is neither theatrical knowledge nor histrionic genius, but simply that the spirit of the Christ descends upon these rustic villagers, and they live the scenes because they cannot help living them. All of them are lowly born, and yet the greatest actors of the world could be no more earnest or effective.

Within recent years the text and the personnel of the Passion Play have become familiarized to the ends of the earth through the medium of the work of writers and translators. The whole dialogue of the play, translated into English, with the choruses and an account of the performance, was printed for the first time in 1890. It was a translation of a German prose version taken down in shorthand in 1880 by W. Wyl, and it was impossible to obtain a libretto of the play previous to that time.

However, you cannot really know the Passion Play unless you live in Oberammergau while it is going on, and you can never understand all of it unless you spend at least one "off year" among these very wonderful peasants. You watch these people go through the intricate, complex parts of their drama, and you wonder what it is that gives them their staccato effect. When comes their case? There are no anachronisms. The mob is a mob, and each performer, down to the smallest, plays his or her part calmly and naturally. How do they do it? It is in the air of Oberammergau. Half the village takes part in every production. The whole village talks and analyzes the play from the moment they begin to speak. It has done so for centuries. It has become bred in their blood and bones.

The Passion Play is a great example of the inherited dramatic sense, fostering by generations of proficiency. During it one and all fall naturally into the roles about which they have been thinking and studying all their lives. Even the babes in Oberammergau can lip lines of the drama.

NEW LIGHT ON THE DOGGER BANK INCIDENT

Vice-Admiral Fournier Tells of How the Kaiser's Diplomacy Was a Factor

Vice-Admiral Fournier, whose claim to discuss the questions will be generally admitted, has written a book which will be published shortly with the intention of pointing the way to the best development of French naval policy, says the London Standard. In this work the vice-admiral who took the chair at the Paris Commission, refers to the Dogger Bank incident and events resulting from it, and expresses the view emphatically that France must build Dreadnoughts, while England's policy is to strengthen and make powerful her army. A preliminary note with extracts signed by the vice-admiral appears in the Matin.

Referring to the Dogger Bank incident, the vice-admiral states that after the agreement to refer the matter to an international commission of inquiry, it came to the knowledge of French diplomacy that the Emperor William was anxious to secure German representation upon that body. The Anglo-Russian agreement provided that the commission should consist of five admirals, four to be appointed by Great Britain, Russia, the United States, and France respectively, and the fifth to be appointed by those four

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J. A. Rennie Appointed by New Westminster Council—Many Changes in Staff. New Westminster, May 20.—At a special meeting of the city council James A. Rennie was appointed city treasurer of New Westminster at an initial salary of \$125 a month.

OPERATOR BURNED AT ELECTRIC SUBSTATION

Watchman Discovers the Building in Flames and Electrician Severely Injured. Vancouver, May 20.—As the result of an accident at the Burnaby sub-station of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Richard Male, chief operator at the point, was severely injured by burns on his face, arms and legs.

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Vancouver Magistrate Upholds City By-law Which Imposes Fee of \$25. Vancouver, May 20.—That the city council has the right to charge a \$25 license for automobiles, as against a \$5 license for cabs, is the opinion of Magistrate Bull, in a judgment handed down by him in the Forshaw case.

USAGES PROVINCIAL JAIL

Ferne, May 20.—The grand jury in reporting the result of its examination of public buildings, made timely suggestions regarding the municipal jail, the provincial lock-up and the government office, and also called attention to the inadequate facilities for holding preliminary hearings and coroner's inquests at the towns of Hosmer and Michel.

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WIN CERTIFICATES

Ferne, May 20.—The examination for certificates of the St. John's Ambulance Association was this afternoon held at Coal Creek, and the examination was most creditable. At the last meeting of the city council, R. B. Hammond was appointed general superintendent of the electric light system.

ADVERTISING CHILLIWACK

Chilliwack, May 20.—The board of trade at a recent meeting agreed to adopt a policy of progression, a principal feature of which was one of the exploitation of the valley and its many resources. As a first step towards this end the secretary of the board, H. T. Goodland, was instructed to prepare material for a descriptive pamphlet or roll which might be used and left for them at the headquarters of the different tourist associations, and publicity agencies through the province.

FORT GEORGE HAS BOARD OF TRADE

A. G. Hamilton is Elected First President—Telegraph and Mail Service Discussed. Fort George, May 20.—Fort George has organized a board of trade at the organization meeting, L. G. MacHaffie, manager B. N. A., was selected chairman, and after having announced the object of the gathering in a short and pointed speech, called for nominations for permanent officers. The election resulted as follows: President, A. G. Hamilton; vice-president, W. D. Kennedy; secretary-treasurer, W. F. Cooke; executive committee, J. Vincent Shaw, W. J. Mackay, W. F. Cooke, W. D. Kennedy and A. G. Hamilton.

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Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher

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BEATEN AND ROBBED.

Cranbrook, May 20.—When Samuel Nelson, teamster for N. Hanson of Wawa, was coming to the city the other day, he met six men who were walking. They asked for a ride and he took them in and proceeded on his way. When within three miles of the city they demanded the reins and upon Nelson refusing, a struggle ensued, and they threw him out of the rig. He still retained the reins and attempted to get back in the wagon, when one of them kicked him on the jaw and into insensibility and then went through his pockets, securing \$12. They then left the unfortunate man and proceeded to the city.

Municipality of Saanich Court of Revision

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Glenford Avenue, Thursday, June 16th, 1910, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the assessor and for revising and correcting the assessment roll. Notice of any complaint, stating the ground of complaint, must be given in writing to the assessor at least ten days before the date of the annual sitting of the court. J. R. CARMICHAEL, C. M. C.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 115 of the Revised Statutes of Canada that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has made application to the Governor in Council for approval of its wharf in James Bay, in the Harbor of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and that plans thereof and a description of the site of the proposed extension have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Victoria, in the said Province. Dated this 15th day of May, 1910. W. R. BAKER, Secretary, Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

INTEREST IN MINING.

Nelson, May 20.—The general and growing interest in the Sheep Creek camp is the noticeable feature of the coast these days, according to George P. Wells, who has just returned from the coast. "It is now a recognized fact at the coast," said Ald. Wells, "that the Sheep Creek camp is one of the best gold camps discovered in many years. Not any one mine is singled out, but the camp as a whole is given a vast amount of attention. Sheep Creek can be said to be coming into its own. Mining in general has engaged public attention, and the interest promises to be maintained. In fact, I think for the next two years the mining industry will be the prominent feature in British Columbia."

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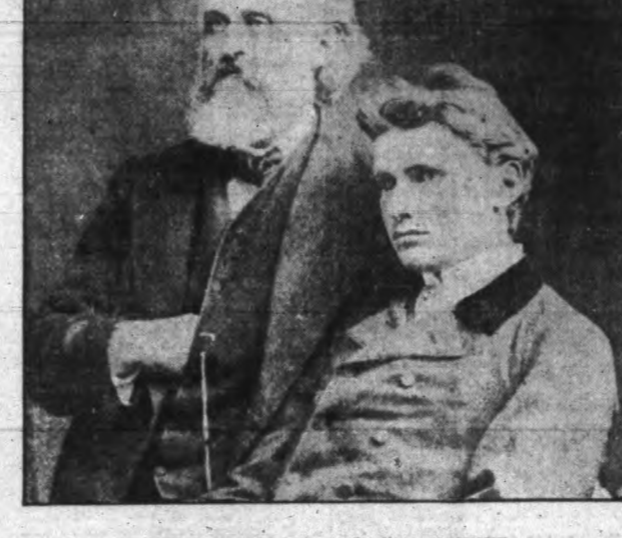
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The theatrical season in Victoria, which is practically closed—except for the appearance of Maude Adams, which theatre-goers look forward to with pleasurable anticipation, a month hence—has been a fairly good one from the managerial point of view. Indeed, the season here and in Vancouver has been more satisfactory than it has been to managers across the line.
 Needless to say, had we a new theatre in Victoria, one which would be in every way in keeping with the dignity of a capital city, the season would have been a better one for the management of the Victoria theatre. The play-loving public, too, whose appreciation of the best in both drama and light and grand opera has been testified by the houses which have greeted all the sterling attractions, would have had the opportunity of seeing many of the shows which have had to pass this city by. The stage of the Victoria has been long outgrown by the advance in theatrical production. It is almost impossible to handle a heavy setting and some of those which have been brought here had to be cramped or curtailed to meet the exigencies of the old-fashioned behind-the-footlights of the View street house. That the lack of a modern play-house may be met before the season of 1911-12, at least, is the fervent wish of every lover of the drama.
 From the point of view of the pa-

rather discouraging for the writer in quest of "good copy." Just as vaudeville imitators are discouraged from imitating him on account of his lack of mannerisms, so the sensational writer must consider "Damrosch the man" as a poor subject for a story.
 He hasn't even any known fads, or rather he has two fads—his family and his advancement of music. Whatever time he doesn't spend with his four children and his wife, the daughter of James G. Blaine, is devoted to music, conducting, rehearsing, reading, making scores or preparing lectures on musical subjects.
 His summers he generally spends in Maine, swimming and playing tennis when he is not thinking out and making up two or three hundred programmes for the next year, directing negotiations for the various tours, engaging new artists and carrying on his voluminous correspondence with prominent men and artists of many countries. All of which is little interesting for those craving sensation, but very illuminating for those who appreciate achievements and positive results.
 New Grand Theatre.

The story of a mix-up between two individuals, a man and a woman, in the apartments of a college graduate, will form the principal act of the big bill to be run at the New Grand theatre next week, with Calvert Dean and Leta Price taking the parts. These are a duo of excellent artists, and their playlet is called "A Pleasant Mistake," brim-full of life and humor. There is action all through and the work of the college pair has won for them many eulogistic notices, for they are said to handle their roles in excellent manner.
 An equilibrist performance by the Strength Brothers, marvels in muscular development, will prove a sensation, as they are billed as an entirely new act with much skill and prowess and considerable new stuff in head and hand balancing, which they execute with such apparent ease as to make the work seem child's play.
 Bands playing for their greatest accomplishment, the Holdsworth duo will nevertheless put on a sterling performance of dancing and singing. This act is billed as clean and clever, while special mention is given their wonderful banjo music. It is a long time since the Grand had a banjo turn, so the Holdsworths will be more than justly welcome.
 The Celtic character comedian and monologist, Smith O'Brien, who has travelled west through a sea of applause, will sing some of the old-time songs and vary his programme with stories and Irishisms. As a diversion from his regular bill his act looks like the popular idea.
 The world-famed entertainer, Hugh J. Emmett, will present his musical and ventriloquist entertainment, assisted by Hildred Emmett. He carries with him three mannikins and the company of five play a little comedy in which the dummies do their share, much to the amusement of the audience. Mr. Emmett is also a violinist and will be heard to advantage on this instrument during his performance.
 Thomas J. Price is billed for a song with the usual illuminations, and the moving pictures and orchestral selections will be given through the week at each performance.
 Pantages Offers Shillings.
 Another real vaudeville show will appear at Pantages next week, the features of which are being sent direct from the greater Pantages circuit, a fact which assures the highest quality in this most popular class of amusement.
 The Shillings, man and woman, without a doubt, America's greatest fancy side and pistol shots, a reputation gained by directly competing with all other aspirants to stellar honors in this expert and dangerous line of work, will be one of the attractive features on the new bill. The famous Carr family, in a singing, dancing and talking entertainment, in which appears the youngest comedienne in the world, Barbara Carr, are capable of giving a whole performance without other assistance, and their arrival in Victoria will be one of the events of local vaudeville. The Hendersons, colored comedians, with their Southern songs and dances, "An Evening in Coast Town"; the Gridleys, musical artists; the illustrated song and moving pictures and the programme is complete.
 Majestic Theatre.
 "Frankenstein," the book which made Mrs. Shelley famous, will be included in the programme of moving pictures, which will be shown at this house of amusement on Monday and Tuesday of next week. Besides this great film several other excellent pictures will be shown.
 The story is considered by most readers of fiction as the most harrowing tale that has ever been placed in the literature of England. Strange to say, this story was created in the spirit of amusement. Lord Byron, Mr. and Mrs. Shelley and another author were stopping at Geneva, and in order to pass away the time each agreed to write a story on a gruesome subject. Of the four written, Mrs. Shelley's alone remains to be handed down as a work of art.
 Mrs. Shelley's story as reproduced by the Edison Moving Picture Company, is said to hold one fascinated in a way that will appeal to those who have never read the book as well as to those who have. All the repulsive and disagreeable situations have been eliminated and only the dramatic portions left. These are vividly and sympathetically portrayed. The story tells of the creation of a monster by one who has discovered the mystery of life, and its persistence until dissolution came about through the force of love.
 Among the other pictures shown are: "The Wife of Marcus," a fine drama of Roman times; "Why They Married," a picture which gives out a warning to the unmarried; "The Smoker," and "His Last Dollar," a fine biograph comedy.
 Miss Irma Todd will sing the illustrated song, "When You Know You Are Just as Welcome as the Violets Are in Spring."
 The motion pictures of the "Fly Pest" shown on Wednesday and Thursday last attracted a great deal of interest and a large number saw the film.
 "Romano Theatre."
 To-night's programme of motion pictures includes "The Doctor's Perfidy," an Imp drama of fine quality. The picture introduces Miss Lawrence, "The Girl With a Thousand," in a love story. The doctor in their courting days showed a liking for the girl, but after the wedding day his love for her grad-



WALTER DAMROSCH AND HIS FATHER.

This picture of Dr. Leopold Damrosch with his son, Walter, has only recently been rediscovered. It was taken when Walter was twenty years of age, when he had already begun to assist his father in his musical work, playing the piano and the organ at the rehearsal and concerts of the oratorio society and often taking his father's

place as conductor at rehearsals. The relations between them were very close and tender, more like brothers than father and son, and it was no surprise to the admirers of Dr. Leopold Damrosch when, at his death, his son Walter was selected by both the metropolitan operas as well as the symphony and oratorio societies to fill his place.

trons of the house the past season has been, perhaps, a little better than any previous one. A number of meritorious productions have been brought here, bringing back old favorites or introducing new to Victoria. To name but the acknowledged leader, the men and women who have made names and places for themselves, there were Olga Netherstole, Blanche Walsh, Blanche Bates, May Robson, Billie Burke, Leslie Carter, on the one side; Louis James' appearance here was one of the very last in a long and honorable career. Had not the winter boat schedule and delayed steamers prevented his coming over, this would have been also the case with the late Ezra Kestell, Robert Mantell, David Warfield, Otis Skinner, Max Fignman, W. H. Crane, Dustin Farnum, Robert Edson, Chauncey Olcott and C. B. Hanford were among the season's visitors.

The productions of the season at the Victoria have been: Polly of the Circus, A Gentleman From Mississippi, A Knight for a Day, The Time, The Place and the Girl, International Grand Opera, Cat and the Fiddle, Dustin Farnum in Cameo Kirby, Three Twins, Chauncey Olcott in The Climax, Blanche Bates in The Fighting Hope, The Shepherd King, Billie Burke in Love Watches, King

It has been computed that Walter Damrosch, in his twenty-five years as conductor, has taken his orchestra a distance equal to six times around the world. As this distance, about 150,000 miles, has been traversed entirely within the borders of Canada and the United States, it will be realized how many times Mr. Damrosch has been over the same ground, and played in the same cities. As a pioneer in the creation of audiences for symphonic music, history will give Mr. Damrosch first place; the place he has long occupied in the affections of all music-lovers, including those of Victoria, who will have an opportunity of hearing the great orchestra in the Victoria theatre on Tuesday next.

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ually turned away. He afterwards leaves his wife to marry another girl. His former wife, with two small children, is left to make a living for herself and they at time are in poor straits.

"Country Servants," another good drama, is to be shown. It shows how the "mentals" who are employed by the "nouveau riche" who reside in the country are treated.
 The other films are: "The Folding Bed-Side Board," a very funny comedy. "The Latest Delicacy," comedy; "Powers of the Press," and "Roommates," a drama.

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- A skew of herons.
- A building of rooks.
- A brood of grouse.
- A plump of wild fowl.
- A stand of plovers.
- A watch of nightingales.
- A clattering of choughs.
- A flock of geese.
- A herd or bunch of cattle.
- A bevy of quails.
- A covey of hawks.
- A trip of dotterel.
- A swarm of bees.
- A school of whales.
- A shoal of herrings.
- A herd of swine.
- A skulk of foxes.
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