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SHORTER LIVED.

Dr. Blaquer Says Americans Are Ex-

(Associated Press.)

Weishaden, Germany, April 19.—Americans are shorter lived than the Germans was the conclusion reached by Dr. Blaquer, in his paper on social hygiene in the United States submitted to-day to the international congress of medicine, now in session here. Although more temperate in the use of alcohol than Germans and working an average of tempercent, shorter hours, the Americans are exhausted earlier in life. The doctor gave these figures for each thousand of Victoria.

MARRIED ATI NANAIMO.

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, April 19.—M. Bevelockway, a well known merchant, and Ethel Simp son Hunter, daughter of H. S. Hunter, church by the Rev. A. Silva White. They left for Vancouver by the Joan for their koneymoon, and will return by way, of Victoria.

the population. The number of persons from 40 to 60 years of age are in Germany, 179; in America, 170; persons over 60 in Germany, 78; in America, 65. Dr. Blaquer did not undertake to explain the facts. He simply gave them as the result of inquiries which he made during a visit to the United States in 1904.

WILL NOT SAIL

RUSSIAN SQUADRON TO STAY IN FRENCH PORT

In Meanwhile Admiral Rojestvensky's Cruisers Will Probably Be Sent to Prey on Merchantmen.

London, April 19.—A dispatch to a news agency from Tokio says:

"Information received here is taken to indicate that the Russian squadron proposes staying at Kamranh bay until May 7th. Admiral Rojestvensky in the meanwhile sending out cruisers to overhaul merchantmen proceeding along the trade route to the Straits of Formosa.

"The transports accommensing the

trade route to the Straits of Formosa.

"The transports accompanying the Russian squadron are reported to be plying between Kamranh bay and Saigon under the merchant flag of Russia."

The correspondent at Jibutil, of the Daily Mail, learns that some ships of the main Russian fleet joined the third Pacific squadron near Sekotra, and thence proceeded for Diego Garcia, where they will await the fourth Pacific squadron.

ANOTHER JAPANESE DESTROYER LAUNCHED.

Tokio, April 19.—The torpedo boat destroyer Kiji was launched at Kure to-day. Her displacement exceeds 200

BELIEVES RUSSIAN ADMIRAL WILL WIN.

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St. Petersburg, April 18.—A high admiral expressed to the Associated Press the firm conviction that Admiral Togo would not give battle near the Pescalore islands, Formosa straits. He said:

"It would be a great tactical error to concentrate his squadron 800 miles from Japan and run the risk of having Rojestvensky slip by when, by remaining in home waters, Rojestvensky must come to him in order to reach his only base, Vladivostock.

"All the Tokio dispatches about the proclamation of martial law in the Fescadore islands and the probable presence of a Japanese squadron in Formosan waters are sent as blinds. We do not know Rojestvensky's plans. He has worked them out himself and, knowing the admiral as I do, his own fing captain was probably in the dark when he entered the China sea. We have complete confidence in Rojestvensky's resourcefulness. He labors under disadvantage so far as the speed of his vessels is concerned, but the reports of the condition of his ships and crew and the latter's skill as gunners, as shown by the target practice, are better than we considered possible, and we firmly believe he has more than a fighting chance of whipping logo in an open fight."

THE RECESS.

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Parliament Will Adjourn Until Tuesday Next-Autonomy Bill Debate.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, April 19.—W. A. Galliher in the House to-day introduced a bill to incorporate the Anthracite Coal & Railway Company. David Henderson resumed the debate on the Autonamy Bill. The House will adjourn at 6 o'clock until Tuesday next for the Easter holidays.

Only One Tender. The British government asked for tenders in Canada for St. George's channel, Bermudz. Only one tender has been received in this country. It is that of George Goodwin, Ottawa. The tender will be forwarded to Bermuda through the colonial authorities.

MARATHON ROAD RACE.

Eighty-Four Runners Enter Contest Under Auspices of Boston Athletic Association.

Boston, Mass., April 19.—Interest in the outdoors Patriots' day events centered very largely to-day in the Marathon road race, held under the auspices of the Boston Athletic Association. The course was 25 miles, and followed the highways from Ashland to the club house in Boston. Eighty-four runners were entered. Among the contestants were John J. Gaffaey, of Hamilton, Ont., the 1901 winner, who holds the course record of hours 29 minutes and 23 3-5 seconds; Michael Spring. Pastime A. C., of New York; Samuel Mellors, Mohawk A. C., New York; winners of the race in recent years, and T. J. Hicks, Cambridge, Mass., Y. M. C. A., winner of the Olympia Marathon at the St. Louis fair in 1904.

ANOTHER ADVANCE.

New York Butchers Increase the Price of Meat.

New York, April 19.—A further advance of one to three cents a pound in meats has been agreed upon by the west side butchers in this city. At a mass meeting of the trade it was stated the packers had added another half cent to their raise of last week, which makes an advance of three cents in three weeks. It was considered useless by those who attended the butchers' meeting to draft resolutions denouncing the western packets, or to frame a schedule of increased prices for Manhattan butchers, but all those present agree that they must raise their prices.

ANOTHER MEETING

Of the General Agents of the Equitab Life Assurance Society.

(Associated Press.)

New York, April 19.—The general agents of the Equitable sife Assurance Society met again to-day to discuss the society affairs and the advisability of forming a permanent association of the general agents for mutual support and protection. Before the meeting began the corridors of the Hotel Savoy were crowded with groups of agents discussing the over-night developments in the controversy, including a statement made by Henry H. Knowles, until a few days ago a superintendent of agencies of the Equitable, to the effect that the society at troubles had been caused by Mr. Alexander and Vice-President Tarbell, in an effort to onet Mr. Hyde from the first vice-presidency and have Mr. Tarbell succeed Mr. Alexander when the latter should retire from the presidency. Mr. Knowles, who was suspended from his position on Monday last on a charge of insubordination after forty years of employment with the society, also declared that the present meeting of general agents was a snap affair arranged in the interests of Messrs. Alexander and Tarbell. Many of the agents to-day denied emphatically that the meeting had blen arranged in anybody's favor, and said the gathering was a representative one, with no object except the welfare of the society and the removal of existing conditions which they said have made the work of soliciting agents exceedingly difficult.

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A friend of President Alexander, of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, made a statement to-day in reply to the charges of H. H. Knowies, of the Equitable supervisors of agencies: "80 far as Mr. Knowies's statement is concerned, it calls for no reply from Mr. Alexander, whose position in the matter is very simple. Mr. Knowies, who is one of the society's many supervisors, disoboved, disobov society's many supervisors, disobeyed the orders of the president that he go south and take charge of an agency made vacant by death. Mr. Knowles was suspended, pending an investigation of his action."

...JW ROOSEVELT SHOT BEAR. Secretary Loeb Has Given Out Officis

(Associated Press.)

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Secretary Loeb has given out the following statement:

Elmer Chapman, a courier frem the President's camp, arrived at the Hotel Colorado, Glenwood Springs, last evening and reported everybody well at camp and having a fine time. Early Monday afternoon the Deans tracked a big black male bear. He was so big that he would not tree but made a walking bay, killing one dog and crippling or wounding half a dozen others. By hard climbing up the mountain side the President got near enough to shoot him.

WILL PROPIBIT FIGHT.

Governor of Michigan Will Not Allow Contests For Large Purses.

(Associated Press.)

Larsing, Mich., April 19.—Governor Warner has declared that he would not permit any puglistic contests, in Michigan for large purses during his term as governor. The statement was inspired by a report which reached the governor to the effect that fight promoters were planning a battle in Kalamazoo, between two puglists of matical results for a wo pugilists of national repute, for a purse of \$10,000.

JUMPED FROM TRAIN.

Twin Brothers Leaped Through Win-dow-One Instantly Killed.

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Seattle, April 18.—Emil and Oscar Trapp, twin brothers, on their way to this city, leaped, from a window of a day coach of the Great Northern overland train last evening when within a few miles of Seattle. Emil's neck was broken and he died instantly. Oscar sustained serious injuries, but will live. The man who is still living stated when he arrived in Seattle that he and his brother had decided to kill themselves and the first method that prevented itself was jumping through the car window.

PRIMROSE DAY.

Statue of Lord Beaco ld Decorated With Statesman's Favorite Flowers.

(Associated Press.)

London, April 19.—Primrose Day was observed to-day with undiminished zesl. Lord Beaconsfield's statue was decorated on a generous scale. An enthusiastic free trader utilized the occasion by placing by the side of the statue a shield of commonses, bearing the well known quotas. primroses bearing the well known quota-tion from remarks of the deceased states-man: "Protection is not only dead but is damned," picked out in forget-me-nots,

RECEIVED BY KING VICTOR.

(Associated Press.)

Rome, April 19.—King Victor Emmanuel to-day received in private audience J. Pierpont Morgan, who thanked His Majesty warmly for the grand cordon of Saints Maurice and Lazarus, which he were. The King was most cordial in his manner, and expressed personal gratification at the generous act of Mr. Morgan in returning to Ascoli the cope stolen from the eathedral there and sold to him by an unknown person. The conversation, which was carried on in English, lasted half an hour.

WELL-KNOWN SHOT DEAD.

(Associated Press)

Alpena, Mich., April 19.—Martin Chase Benjamin, a famous character of the Thunder Bay region, is dead at Hubbard lake, aged 85 years. Benjamin was a wonderful rifle shot.

RUSSIAN POLICE

AND MANY PEOPLE

Revolutionary Literature Has Been Distributed Among the Regiments of the Imperial Guards.

(Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, April 19.-The police are making numerous arrests of work ingmen and intellectuals, and the prison are now full to overflowing. Practically all the delegates to the Schidlevesky ion, which was created in February last to investigate the cause of dis-

Mounted police yesterday attempted to suppress a demonstration of employees of the Putiloff iron works after they had attended the funeral of a victim of a crane accident. A conflict ensued, the workmen firing revolvers and the police using the flat of their swords. Many were injured and arrested.

The circulation of revolutionary literature among the troops throughout Russia has now spread to the regiments of the Imperal guards, and a general order has been issued to the guards forbidding them "to read proclamations thrust into your hands in the streets or your lodging, or to listen to those allies of Japan."

35,000,000 for new railroad construction in 1905.

It is understood that the extension of
the Zemstvo system to Siberia will be
followed up by a similar extension to the
Caucasus and Russion Poland.

The plea at Moscow of Kaleieff, who
was sentenced to death for the assassination of the Grand Duke Sergius, that a
state of civil war exists in Russia, and
that he was a prisoner of war and not an
ordinary prisoner accused of a crime, is
considered here to indicate the position
which the terrorists will assume hereafter. Naturally such a position is not
acknowledged by the government, but
the terrorists will persist in the fiction.
Kaleieff, having ocen tried by a special
commission of the state, against which
there is no appeal, will be hanged probably within a fortnight.

Urge Reforms.

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Viataka, European Russia, April 19. The local Zemstvo has passed a resolu-tion, which will be forwarded to the government, that the only means of quieting the people is to inaugurate immediately the promised reforms, namely, the convocation of a representative **essembly and the granting of liberty of the press and of meetings, etc.

PROFESSOR RESIGNS.

(Associated Press.)

Chicago, April 19.—Professor John F. Jameson, head of the department of history at the University of Chicago, has resigned to accept the post of director of the bureau of historical research in the Carnegie instante at Washington, D. G.

IN ANNUAL SESSION.

(Associated Press.)

San Antonio, Texas, April 19.—The sixty first annual meeting of the American Medico-Phychological Association, is in session here. The meeting will continue three days. It is presided over by President T. W. Burgess of Montreal.

JOSEPH JEFFERSON.

Condition of Aged Actor Reported to Be Better Than Yesterday.

Westpaim Beach, Fla., April 19.—The condition of Joseph Jefferson, the actor, was reported to-day as better than yesterday. The patient improved perceptibly during the night. The doctors are

much eicouraged.

Charles B. Jefferson, son of Joseph Jefferson, is authority for the statement that his father apparently is much better to-day. He is taking and retaining nourishment, and hopes of his recovery are recovery.

MACEDONIAN REFORMS.

Negotiations Regarding Great Britain's Financial Plans Are Nearly Complete.

Vienna, April 19. The Associated Press was informed at the foreign office to-day that the negotiations between the powers regarding Great Britain's plans for the financial reform of Macedonia will probably be terminated at the end of April. Some doubt is entertained here about Germany's attitude on the subject.

JUDGE BARKER HAS COMMENCED HIS LABORS

The Competition Will Be Keen in All Classes-Large Number of Entries.

This morning the fourth annual show. Kennel Club, opened at the Y. M. C. A. streets. The doors were thrown open at Secretary McConnell was kept busy checking off entries as the dogs arrived, and looking after their accommodation. That competition will be keen throughout all classes is generally predicted. When all have been benched, locally bred dogs will be found to predominate in numbers and quality, prize-winners from Seattle and other American cities will take second place, followed by those from Vancouver and Mainland cities. This is the opinion of a number of competent authorities. A string of forty or more dogs came over from the Sound yesterday afternoon to enter the competition, and about a dozen arrived from Vancouver. There are still several record solders to come from Oregon and California.

Some confusion prevails as usual on the opening day, but as soon as all dogs have been benched—a task that must be completed to-day—visitors will be able to inspect the representatives of different breeds and admire and criticise with greater convenience. Secretary McConnell was kept busy

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This morning a Times representative visited the show, but as many of the noted dogs are not yet in their places no satisfactory estimate of the quality of the classes can be formed.

There are a large number of pointers, several of reputation. Mason's King, a prize-winner of international repute, quiety reposed in his kennel. Nearby is Ch. Woolton Bang, another well-known dog owned by a fancier of Oregon. Besides these two there are no competitors having established records in the kennel world.

Gordon setters are found next to the pointers, and down the row are Irish

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REPORTED GRANT

KAREN ISLAND WILL BE SELECTED POINT

Terms Under Which the Land Has Been Acquired by Grand Trunk

On good authority it is reported that the Grand Trunk Pacific will make its Pacific terminus on Kaien Island, a short distance south of Port Simpson. The company, it is said, entered into final arrangements with the provincial government for the taking over of the land some time ago. Accordingly 10,000 acres were acquired at a dollar an acre. Kaien island is reserved land about which there has been considerable trouble with private locators and the government. Several years ago when Port Simpson was looked upon as a probable terminus of a railway a reserve was put upon the Tsimphean peninsula by the government of the day, of waich Forbes Vernon was Chief Commissioner. Mr. Vernon himself says that he put the reserve on them because there were rival applicants attempting to stake off the territory. He considered it was the wisest thing in the interests of the province to clap a reserve, on, and accordingly did so. Mr. Vernon says that Kaien island was then included in that reserve. There was no channel marked, and what is now shown as an Island appeared on the map as part of the peninsula.

For about a year past there has been an impression prevailing that the island wight become the terminus of the transcontinental road and a number of locations were attempted.

The present government in order to avoid any possibility of a mistake placed a reserve upon Kaien island. Litigation followed in some instances, but without it is exercised at the sent as this point, it is exercised at the sent as this point, it is exercised as the sent and a summer of the pains.

it is reported, and as the channel from the mainland to the island is dry at low water there can be no difficulty in crossing.

The terms under which the 10,000 acres have been acquired are said to be that the company forfeits the \$10,000 paid and the land if before the end of last it is not named as the terminus. The province also retains its right under the land act of the present time to claim one fourth of the fownsite which is laid.

one-fourth of the townsite which is laid out.

The Grand Trunk Pacific, it is reported, has now acquired the title to the property, although no public announcement has been made of the transaction. With the terminus thus assured it is believed that work may soon begin on the western end of the road. The terminus is well situated for trans-Pacific trade and as a port of call for coasting vessels running to the north.

Kitimaat, at the head of Douglas Channel, was regarded as too far from the outside coast line to be considered advisable as a permanent terminus. As the starting point of the Pacific Northern & Omineca, the charter of which has been acquired by the Grand Trunk Pacific, Kitimaat will undoubtedly be a very important port, especially during construction days. It is believed that in order to carry out the terms of the act under which the Pacific Northern & Omineca works, construction will have to begin very shortly. The road from Kitimaat to Kitsalas Canyon on the Skeena will be first undertaken. That done the Pacific Northern & Omineca may be continued to near Hazelton, and at the same time the section of the line-from the Canyon to Kaion island will be built with Kitimaat as the port for receiving supplies.



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ONE MAN KILLED AND TWO ARE MISSING

Several Other Members of the Crew Injured-Man Crushed to Death on Farm.

Kingston, Out., April 18.-Shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon a terrific explosion was heard all over the city. The explosion was disastrous to the crew of the government boat Scout, which reached the drydock here at noon. The. acetylene gas generator in the stern of the boat had just been filled as also two huge buoys on deck and the crew was engaged on a third, when the gas exploded, and two of the buoys were hurled-into the air. In an instant the boat was When the air cleared, Fred Mullin, first mate, was found lying 75 feet away, his head blown off and his Munin, first mate, was count your of each and feet away, his head blown of and his body burned almost to a crisp. Capt. Allison, of the Morrisburg, was -beddy burned almost to a crisp. Capt. Allison, of the Morrisburg, was -beddy burned almost to a crisp. Capt. Allison, of the Morrisburg, was -beddy burned almost to a crisp. Capt. Allison, of the Morrisburg, was -beddy burned almost to a crisp. Capt. The fair of two others of the crew, Fred Caurier, of his hospital, and is not expected. The fair of two others of the crew, Fred Caurier, of his hospital, and in dictations one was a likely of the capt. The fair of two others of the crew, Fred Caurier, of his hospital was a solidated to the crew, but from all indications one was a likely of the capt. The capt. The capt. The boat bland of every flower found to a secondary of the part value of story and the capt. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland effected for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland freely for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland freely for ever an horr fair split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland freely for ever and the split of the efforts of the fremen. The boat bland freely for ever and the fair and the effect of the forts of the fremen. The propose of the boat through the fair and the fair a body burned almost to a crisp. Capt. Allison, of the Morrisburg, was badly

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Winnipeg, April 18.—Lieut. Governor Forget of the Northwest Territories is here, attending the funeral of Louis For-get, his brother, who died here yester-day.

Toronto, April 18.—Officials of the Independent Order of Foresters deny the report that they were negotiating for the purchase of Toronto's Saturday Night, and as to Hon. G. E. Foster becomingits editor, that gentleman declares the report is news to him. It appears to be true, however, that the paper is to be taken over by a couple of Toronto gentlemen who are not connected in any way with the I. O. F.

Typhoid.

Toronto, April 18. Typhoid, attributed to a foul log water filter, has broken out at the parliament buildings. One victim, Mr. Hartley, of the Toronto News staff, may not recover. Several others also are affected.

Confirmed in Seat.

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Toronto, April 18.—The divisional court has confirmed W. H., Godwin in his seat as mayor of Steelton, a suburb of Sault Ste. Marie. Mr. Godwin was declared disqualified by a County court judge, having been reported for corrupt, practice in the 'Soo election. Mr. Godwin appealed and wen before Justice MacMahon. The petitioners then appealed and have now lost in the divisional courts. Mayor Godwin claimed that he had not been found guilty of corrupt practice.

FRENCH NEUTRALITY.

Japanese Minister in London Wishe More Information Before Giving Any Opinion.

Any Opinion.

London, April 18.—Japanese newspapers in London regard the breaches of neutrality by France in allowing the Russian second Pacific squadron to remain over time on the Cochin-Chinese coast as one of the most serious developments in the situation. Minister Hayashi and Baron Suyematsu, former Japanese minister of the interior, when seen to-day, were disinclined to give a hasty expression of opinion or to anticipate official advices giving the facts as to the period the Russian ships may stay in French waters. Minister Hagenshi was particularly reticent and said he preferred to await confirmation of the reports which have appeared to indicate a serious breach of neutrality. Haron Suyematsu, who took a view that was far from being alarmist, said that if the reports were true, Japan would have good excuse to complain. Japan, however, had no intention of picking a quarrel with France. He added: "Japan, however, had no intention of picking a quarrel with France. He added: "Japan, however, had no intention of picking a quarrel with France. He added: "Japan, however, had no intention of picking a function of the surface of t not think the French are encouraging the Russian sanadron to misuse French friendship. On the contrary, I believe that France is really anxious to avoid trouble on account of the second Pacific squadron. In fact, I thing responsible Frenchmen regard the squadron as an unwelcome guest, and, therefore, I am fully convinced that France will manage these matters in such a way as to avoid being compromised.

Semi-Official Statement

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Paris, April 18.—The semi-official Temps this evening publishes a statement which bears evidence of authoritative inspiration, saying: "While international practices upon land are well defined, that upon the water is not so exact, differing with different nations. Great Britain and some countries limit the duration of a beligerent's stay in their ports to twenty-four hours, but France has never fixed a limit for the stay of helligerents in French ports and contents herself with interdicting the use of her ports in preparations for acts of war."

The Temps proceeds to show that territorial waters mean, under the French law of March 2nd, 1888, three miles from low water mark.

"It is established," continues the Temps, "that Admiral Rojestvensky did not enter this limit while off Madagascar and nothing yet warrants the assumption that he has been less careful in the waters of Indo-China. Therefore, the Tokiodispatches go too far in declaring that France permits Russia to employ her ports for offensive operations. There is no proof supporting any such assertion of the violation of French neutrality. "The Japanese legation has not yet received instructions relating to French neutrality. Therefore, the question has not yet taken an official form and appears to be confined to the utterances of Japanese newspapers. If an official protest is made, the Temps statement probably indicates the terms of the French resuonse, namely, that the facts do not yet establish that Admiral Rojestvensky has entered within the three-mile limit, and that France is observing all the requirements of neutrality according to her established regulations upon the subject.

Emled His Life With Revolver Bullet

St. Louis, April 18.—As the pastor of St. James's Episcopal church, Rev. R. M. Duckworth, was delivering his Palm Sunday sermon to a large congregation, there was a report of a pistol shot from the tower of the church. The explosion stateled the audience and caused the

the church, Capt, James Rider, had committed suicide in the tower room of the church and that his body was lying overhead. After a prayer for the departed soul the congregation was dismissed. Capt. Rider's death, Dr. Duckworth said, was dee to remorse and shame overhis besetting vice, intemperance, an infirmity that had driven him from a high state of life, that of a wealthy, refused and esteemed British shipowher and public lecturer, to the life of a travelling sector and finally to be a church sexton.

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Cleveland, O., April 18.—At a meeting of local vesselmen yesterday it was decided to send an ice crusher to the hoats which are fast in the ice between Point Iroquois and Whitefish Point. President Coulby, of the Pittsburg Steamship Company, sent a dispatch to Captain Boynton at St. Ignace, instructing him to have the ice crushing steamer Algoma at the Soo to-morrow.

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KNIGHT'S hardy early cabbage plants— Never run to seed, 50c, per 100; 80c, per 200; \$1.00 per 300; delivered in the city. Mount Tolmie Nursery.

WEET PEAS-At Jay & Co. FOR SALE—Banjo, makers, Lyon & Healy, \$12; boy's bike, coaster brake, \$15; 18-inch leather valles, \$2.75; girl's bike, \$20; doctor book, \$6; Smith & Wesson revolver, \$0; cash register, \$15. Jacob Agronson's new and second-hand store, 64 Johnson street, two doors below Government street.

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TO LET-Half store. Apply 25 Governmen TO LET-Furnished cottage, \$7.50 per month. A. Williams, 104 Yates street.

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GO WHERE THE OTHERS GO-To the IX L Second-Hand Store, 8 Store street. Cheapest furniture, etc., in town.

LIVERY AND HACK STABLE—Victoria Transfer Co., 21 Broughton street. Tel. 129. Hacks, baggage wagons, trucks, etc., at any hour.

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Claudio, teacher or violin, guitar. Special attention to beginners, well as advanced players. Conversation in English, French, Italian and model Greek. Apply 117 Cook street.

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Real Estate and Insurance Agents, 9 and 11
Trounce Avenue.

celved by the undersigned up to the 24th day of April, 1905, for the purchase of Lot 8 of the west half of Section Twenty, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, as shown on a map or plan filed in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., and numbered 134. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Lee & Fraser, 11 Trounce Ave., Victoria, B. C., agents for the mortgagee, Dated 11th April, 1905.

MONTREAL STREET-Modern dwelling, yery large lot; cheap and on terms.

275-Lot on Hillside avenu

CARR STREET-2 story 8 roomed house and large lot, sewer connections, etc. price \$1,700. \$1,500—For 5 roomed cottage, James Bay \$850-11/2 story, 5 rooms, First street.

ney to Loan; Fire and Life Insurance also Choice Farm Lands. LEE & FRASER, teal Estate and Insurance Agents, 9 and 11 Trounce Avenue.

HEISTERMAN & CO.,

FOR SALE—Seven-roomed two-story house newly painted, full sized lot, David street \$1,000. FOR SALE-Victoria West, five-cottage, on new car line, \$1.500; cash, balance \$20 a month, without cet.

FOR SALE—Acre lot and cottage, just our side city limits, stable, orchard, etc. \$2,500. FOR SALE-New modern bungalow, on Douglas street; \$2,000,

FOR SALE—\$1,800 will buy a good 7 roomed house, with cellar and attic, of a double corner lot; easily worth \$2,500. FOR SALE—Large modern two-story real dence, with two acres of land, orchard, etc., commanding a magnificent view; easy terms; particulars on application.

WN YOUR OWN HOME—\$10 down and \$5 a month will buy a spiendidly situated lot on the Work Estate; good soil, nice southerly exposure, BELCHER STREET-Only remaining lot for sale at \$850. COOK STREET AND BELLOT-Very choice building sites, only a few left; price \$550 upwards.

MONEY TO LOAN-On improved property, at current rates. HEISTERMAN & CO. PEMBERTON & SON.

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ROOMED HOUSE Bath, and connected with sewer, \$2,100. Might sell on installment plan. Leading street.

street, \$800; easy terms. A GOOD 8-roomed house, nice po \$2,875, HANDSOME two-story house, 8 roc quite central; \$2,800.

ROOMED COTTAGE—Pantry, city water large garden, just outside city limits \$800.

5-ROOMED COTTAGE - Barn, poultry houses and run, two agres cleared and planted, fice position. SWINERTON & ODDY

102 Government Street. 158 ACRES-Goldstream District, 15 miles from Victoria, 3 acres cleared, 14 acres good bottom land; easy terms; only \$600 41 ACRES—Lake District, 3 or 4 cleared 20 acres good land, drained, 7½ miles from city; \$1,200.

10 ACRES—Lake District, 4 acres cleare good well, 14 fruit trees, 500 strawber, plants, 2 roomed log house, land sultah for fruit; \$900. 6-ROOMED HOUSE—Near Central schoolelectric light, sewer connection; \$2,100. 2 COTTAGES—James Bay, on co connection; a bargain at \$900.

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Money to Loan on Mortgage.

Fire Insurance.

BUILDER & WENNERAL CONTRACTOR THOMAS CATTERALL-16 Broad street Building in all its branches; wharf work and general jobbing. Tel. 820

JOHN HAGGARTY-Contractor, 47 Dis-covery street. All kinds of teaming don-and estimates given. When you want the scavenger to call phone us, 184. CHAS. A. M'GREGOR, 95 Yates atr. Jobbing trade a specialty. Twenty ye experience. Orders promptly filled, STIMATES GIVEN on moving building work carefully done at reasonable pric Johnson & Co., 111 North Pembroke St. CARBUTHERS, DICKSON & HOWES
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Block, Victoria, and 1088 Richard street
Vancouver, manufacturers of allow cases
and store fixtures in hard and acft wood
designs and estimates, furnished.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING, DON'T RE HUMBUGGED by timers fakirs if you want your chinneys clea ed! Go to the only capable and reliab chinney cleaner in Wictoria. Wm. Net 82 Quadra street, Phone A381.

SOWER PIPE, FIRED THE GROUND FIRE CLAY, FLOWER POTS, ETC. A C. POTTERY CO., LIMITED, CORNER BROAD AND PANDORA STREETS, VICTORIA

BEAUMONT BOGGS Beal Estate and Insurance

WANTED-2 furnished cottages for good TO LET-8-roomed house, 43 North Chat-ham street; rent only \$10.

FOR SALE-Lot on Clarence street, James Bay, 60 ft. by 135 ft.; price \$550, on terms

FIRE INSURANCE—On buildings or con-tents, written in the "Guardian" (British), Write for rates.

HOUSES OR COTTAGES BUILT on monthly payment plan, under best archi-tects and by competent builders.

CALL FOR A LIST OF OUR ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY

WANTED-Shares in War Eagle and Cen-tre Star. P. R. Brown, Ltd., 30 Broad street.

FOR SALE-Shoal Bay, two acres hear sait water; only \$500.

POR SALE—One acre and five roomed dwelling, five minutes' walk from Doug las street car line; \$1,200. (410A.) FOR SALE—Oak Bay, cottage of five rooms with two lots, including corner. (410W.

FOR SALE Samich District, 20 acres, all cleared and under cultivation, 3 roomed house, barn, stable, chicken house, good water, no rock or stumps; \$2,700, and easy terms. (3000L)

FOR SALE-5 acres, fenced and under hay 8 miles from city; only \$1,000. (3030M.)

FOR SALE—New 5 roomed cottage, as modern conveniences, only two minutes walk from car line; \$1,680; terms to sult

FOR SALE—Burns avenue, corner, roomed dwelling, with cellar and atti-nice garden with 16 fruit trees in bearing only \$1,800.

OR SALE Oak Bay, 3 lots and 8 roo cottage, nice house, \$2,800.

roomed cottage, brick dairy, large barn, three wells of excellent water, good roads; price and terms on application.

FOR SALE-James Bay, corner lot, with five roomed dwelling, only \$1,800. POR SALE-Pandora street, 10 roomed dwelling, all modern conveniences; \$2,500. FOR SALE-Oak Bay, 2% acres, 4 roomed house, good soil, city water iaid on,

FOR SALE-Lot, 80x120, and 7 roomes house, McClure street; \$1,600.

FOR SALE-Fort street, near Linden avenue, 10 roomed dwelling, double front lot: well situated for private boarding house.

FOR SALE-Cowlehan District, 138 acres, iarge dwelling, barns, etc., well adapted for a dairy farm, only \$6,000; easy terms.

MONET TO LOAN, Fire Insurance Writ-ten, Butates Managed, P. B. Brown, Ltd., 30 Broad street,

FOR SALE-13 acres, near Cordova Bay, house, barn, orchard, small fruit; price \$1,000.

FOR SALE—10 acres good land, on Victoria Arm; price \$1,500. FOR SALE Dairy farm at Somenos, fully stocked, buildings, etc.; price \$4,500.

POR SALE—Waterfront lots in Esquimait; price \$200, on terms of \$10 per month.

FARMS AND HOMES—New monthly list is now out, only the best properties listed; sent free on application.

P. R. BROWN CO., Ld.

DWELLINGS FOR SALE

FOR SALE-10 acres on the Saanich road, 4 acres cultivated, 80 fruit trees, 1,600 strawberry plants, cottage, stable, etc.; only \$1,000.

FOR SALE—8 roomed cottage, in first-class order, lot 20x105, close to tram line and centre of city; only \$1,500, and easy terms, (M.)

FOR SALE Oak Bay, Terrace avenue, i roomed dwelling, stable and outhouses 2½ lots, finest view in the city. (410C.)

FOR SALE—Douglas Gardens; the choice lots on the market. Price terms on application.

FOR SALE-Fort street, near Cook double front lot, 60x120 feet, fin dential site; price and terms on a tion.

OR SALE—Four miles from town, 20 acres, of which 12 acres are cultivated, balance light timber, principally oak, orchard of 140 fruit trees in bearing, five

FOR SALE-Water lot and dwelling, near the new C. P. B. wharf, James Bay; price a terms on application.

FOR SALE 8% acres, four miles from city: \$350.

JUST 188UED—Revised list of farms for sale in all parts of the province; call or write for one, P. R. BROWN CO., LTD., B. Broad St., Vicheria.

R. P. RITHET & CO., LTD.

TEA IMPORTERS

VICTORIA, B. C.

TENTS TENTS

SAIL LOFT AND TENT FACTORY, 125 GOVERNMENT STREET, UP-STAIRS. With our new and up-to-date electric machines we can manufacture Salls, Tents, Sags, Covers, etc., CHEAPER THAN THE CHEAPEST. We have a very large assertment of Drill and Duck Tents to choose from. See our Waterproof Tents. The argest and best equipped Sail Loft and Tent Factory in the city. We rent Tents

F. JEUNE & BRO., Practical Sail and Tent Makers

HALL'S -

VICTORIA DAY.

Executive Meeting Held Last

nreworks at Deacon concert.
Friday, May 26th—Firemen's races on Yates street at 1.30.
May 27th—Baseball at Oak Bay at 3 o'clock.
Before adjourning it was agreed to re-quest the Mayor to declare a half-holiday on the 25th of May.

HOSPITAL BOARD. Sketch Plan For Children's Ward Ac

cepted By Directorate.

The movement for an organic union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational denominations of Canada is making steady headway.

COMPOUND SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES

THE BEST ood and nerve builder. Drives away that

\$1.00 A BOTTLE HALL & CO.,

DISPENSING CHEMISTS, Block, Cor. Douglas and Yates St

WEATHER REPORT. Dally Report Furnished by the Victoria

Lower Mainland and generally throughout the North Pacific states, and a thunder-storm occurred at Portland, Oregon. In the Northwest a high area is developing in Saskatchewan, and fair and moderately cold weather prevails in all sections. Forecasts.
or 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Thursday.
toria and vicinity—Light to moderat

southerly winds, mostly cloudy and threat ening, with occasional showers.

Lower Mainland—Light winds, cloudy and unsettled, with occasional rain.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.83; temperature, 51; minimum, 51; wind, calm; rain, trace; weather, cloudy. New Westminster—Barometer, 29.80; tem-perature, 48; munmum, 48; wind, calm;

rain, JoS; weather, cloudy.

Nunalmo-Wlud, caim; weather, showery.

Kamloope-Barometer, 25, 70; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, caim; weather cloudy.

er, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 20.04; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles

S. E.; rain, 1.8; weather, fair.

Port Simpaoin—Barometer, 20.70; temperature, 38; minimum, 38; wind, calm; weath-

er, clear.
Edmonton-Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 30; minimum, 30; wind, calm; weath-

Per steamer R. M. S. Empress of China from China and Japan-F E Ashworth, D H Bentley, Mrs D H Bentley, M C Bonsor, Viscourt Castlereagh and valet, Viscounteas Castlereagh and walet, Viscounteas Castlereagh and maid, C E Cunningham, Rev Mr Curnow, Mrs Curnow, Master Curnow, Miss Curnow, O Daniels, G B Dodwell, Miss W E Dodwell, J P Dowling, Capt C J Eyres, R N, J F Featherstone, W F Fox, G R Frampton, W D Graham, Mrs W D Graham, S Hancock, R Hancock, Fleet Surgeon P B Handyside, R N, C H P Hay, Lord Hawke, Lieut O Y Hibbert, R H Hodgkinson, Miss E Hydegger, A Johnston, T Kato, Y Kinoshita, Miss Le Fevre, Mr Ee Fevre, O M Lewis, Mrs C M Lewis and child, C McT Messer, T Mimoto, D Nishl, J Plummer, R W Prittie, N W Quin, D H W Ritchie, B J Rucker, Mrs B J Rucker, J Sakabe, E J F Scott, N Shillite, J C Stafford, Mrs D Sutherland, J C Thomson, Geo H Topham, Alex on Geo H Tophum Alex

has decided to ralify the absolute prohibi-tion of buil fights on Sunday throughout Spain. This resolution is considered as the coup de grace to buil fighting, as buil fights

The Hardest Test How the New Scale Williams Piano stands It.

How the law Scale Williams Piane stands It.

The hardest test of piano excellence is the constant use to which the instruments are subjected in a Ladies College. Inexperienced performers are liable to be careless and yet the high class Colleges demand the best class of musical instrument in order that their pupils may have correct musical training.

The following letter is in addition to a large number of similar ones from other colleges—

"After a thorough examination of the

a large number of similar ones from other colleges—
"After a thorough examination of the New Scale Williams Plano, and having tested two of the make in our College of Llusic, I am pleased to report that we are pleased with the instrument and are satisfied that it will meet our needs.
"We find the instrument well made, the action good, with the latest improvements in bracing, and everything suggestive of durability. It is well strung and has a clear, clean tone which is very pleasing. You are at liberty to send us two more instruments at your earliest convenience."
C.R. PLANDERS, Prin. Stanston? "Texas FLETCHER BROS., AGENTS,
93 Government Street.

OF MUKDEN CITY

ENTRY MADE A GRAND SPECTACULAR SCENE

Where the Japanese Failed to Cut Off Force of Fifty Thousand

according to advices received by R. M. S. Empress of China, arriving from the Far East yesterday afternoon, Marshal Oyama's eetry into Mukden was an affair of splendor arranged to impress the Chinese. Governor Tsing came out with a retinue to meet the Japanese. The procession of Marshal Oyama was similar to that arranged by Gen. Kodama for the official entry into Taihoku in Formosa. Cavalry led, then bands of music, a guard of honor, then Marshal Oyama and staff mounted, a guard of honor, then generals of different armies and staffs, foreign military attaches, Chinese attaches and a large force of infantry. Fifty thousand soldiers lined the route. On March 19th Field Marshal Oyama suddenly ordered that the city route. On March 19th Field Marshal Oyama suddenly ordered that the city gates of Mukden he closed, and remainso until thirteen high Chinese officials were arrested, including the Mukden hoard of war secretary, head of the Mukden university and other prominent Manchus. They are accused of alding the Russians. Marshal Oyama has greatly enhanced Jananese receive he in diplo-Executive Meeting of the executive committee of the Victoria Day celebration was held hast evening, there being present N. Shakespeare, who occupied the chair, Chief Watson, the secretary per tem; and Ald. Hall. Ald. Fell. Dr. Carter, Dr. Garesche, Lieut.-Col. Hall and Messrs. Upper and Eaton. A communication was submitted from the communication of the occurrence of the navy and army. Messrs. Hitt Bros. wrote in regard to the fireworks display. It was referred to the fireworks display. It was referred to the committee on illuminations.

It was reported by the parade committee that it would be impossible to bring off such an event at any other time except on the afternoon of the 24th of May. Business men, they explained, found it impossible to allow their delivery wagons off on the afternoon of the 25th. Received and laid on the table.

Lieut.-Col. Hall announced that the appropriation asked by the military authorities for the transportation of the Sixth Regiment from Vancouver was not sufficient owing to the fact that the C. P. R. could not give the same rate as was given the Fifth Regiment on the occasion of its visit to the Terminal City last year. It was agreed to leave the matten in abeyance until arrangements are completed.

Messrs. Shakespeare, Moresby and Watson were appointed a printing committee with instructions to begin advertising immediately.

Ald. Fell stated that the Indians of Alberni district had determined not to attend the Victoria Day celebration, and that it would be necessary to delegate a special man to interview the remaining tribus of the coast.

That owing to the fact that Russians. Marshal Oyama has greatly enhanced Japanese prestige by his diplomatic move in keeping Japanese soldiers outside the walls of aukden and protecting the Chinese tombs. Gen. Kawamura reports the Russians greatly ravaged the country through which he marched on the Russian left toward Mukden. In one place over a hundred corpses of brutally murdered Chinese were found, houses were burned wantonly. Kawamura's army, has received a personal letter from the Mikado for its feat of endurance in marching through the mountainous district from the Yalu to the left rear of the Russian position at Mukden. This army is now designated as: "The army of the Yalu."

Correspondents writing from Mukden

army of the Yalu."

Correspondents writing from Mukden state that the Russians were completely ignorant of the Japanese plan of advance. They were always afraid that some trick was being played on them. A division general acknowledged to a military attache that the Japanese secret of war was beyond him, and advised him at the termination of hostilities to consult with his conferer on the other side to try and find out.

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All, Estmers, N. B. says: "Its gives me great satisfaction to state that I have a state of the city, entering of the 10th of March to desteh a strong force and dash through the city, entering by the southeast gate, and going out by the northwest gate, and going out by the northwest gate, and the city, entering by the southeast gate, and going out by the northwest gate, and going gate gate, and going out by the northwest gate, and going out by the northwest gate, and going out by the northwest gate, and going gate gate, ga tribes of the const.

The following resolution was put and carried:

That owing to the fact that there is considerable dissatisfaction expressed with the programme as authorized by the last general meeting, another meeting be held to reconsider the matter." After some discussion it was decided to request the Mayor to call a meeting for Wednesday evening. April 26th, when the executive will recommend the adoption of the following programme:

Wednesday, May 24-9.30 a. m. till noon, military display at Beacon Hill; 1 to 5 p. m., automobile and carriage parade in the city and automobile contests at Beacon Hill; evening, 8 to 10, water carnival on the harbor, evening, 9 o clock, fireworks at Beacon Hill, with a band concert.

Bold only in scaled bot-tles under buf wra, per. SEPT NO SUBSTITUTE.

Very convenient for tourists. J. M. Lyon. D.D.S.

April 5th from the commencement of the war there were but 2,100 cases of infectious disease.

war there were but 2,400 cases of lifec-tionus disease.

The Asahi says the Gromoboi is the only Russian warship at Vladivostock re-paired sufficiently to go to sea.

Steamer Industrie, which was saiving the wrecked Chinese warship Haitien, wrecked on Elliott islands, has been seiz-ed by the Japanese. It is alleged that s.e. carried dispatches to Vladivostock.

Confiscated contraband goods is piled at Sasebo. Tenders are invited for pur-chase, but ridiculously low prices are of-fered. Most of the goods are consequent-ly withdrawn from sale. Great bargains have, however, been secured by Japanese merchants.

Vladivostock at the beginning of April, with the convict guard, who thus obtain freedom,

Health in Spring

NATURE NEEDS ASCISTANCE IN MAKING NEW HEALTH-GIV-ING BLOOD.

MAKING NEW HEALTH GIV.

ING BLOOD.

Spring is the season when your system needs toning up. In the spring you must have new shood just as the trees must have new sap. Nature demands it, Without new blood you will feel weak and languid; you may have twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia, occasional headaches, a variable appetite, pimples or cruptions of the skin, or a pale, pasty complexion. These are certain signs that the blood is out of order. The only sure way to get new blood and fresh energy is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They actually make new, rich blood—they are the greatest spring tonic in the world. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills clear the skin, drive out disease and make tired, depressed men and women bright, active and strong. Mr. Neil H. McDon—ald, Estmere, N. B., says: "It gives me great satisfaction to state that I have found Dr. Williams' Pink Pills all that is claimed for them. I was completely run down, my appetite was poor and I suffered much from severe headaches. Doctors' medicine did not give me the needed relief, so I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are not only the best spring tonic, but are a cure for all troubles due to poor blood or shattered nerves. That is why they care headaches and backache, theumatism, annemia, kidney and liver troubles, and the special secret aliments of women and growing girls. But you must get the genuine, with the full name, "Dr. Will-

W. A. Clemons Will Examine Certifi-cates Issued By Breed Associa-

W. A. Clemons has been selected by the minister of agriculture to take the general supervision of all the live stock records under the scheme of nationalization now being carried out. He will examine all certificates of registry issued by the various breed associations, and affix the seal of the department of agriculture to those that are found correct.

Mr. Clemons is a son of G. W. Clemons, St. George, Ont., the well known breeder of Holstein-Friesian cattle, and secretary-treasurer of the association of that breed. For six years he had charge of the Holstein-Friesian Herd Book, and gained a reputation as an expert in pedigrees and the management of live stock records. In 1960 he went to Ottawa as secretary to the live stock commissioner, and three years later he was made publication clerk for the department of agriculture. His work in this connection made his name a familiar one, not only in the newspaper offices but in the farm homes of Canada. He has an extensive personal acquaintance with live stock men, among whom the news of his appointment will doubtless be received with satisfaction.

"WITHOUT PRECEDENT."

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Russian Naval Attache on Admiral Ro-jestvensky's Achievement.

Paris, April 18.—The Russian naval attache here, Captain Icpantchine, in an interview, says he believes the strategic situation will lead Admiral Togo to await. Admiral Rojestvensky off Nagasaki, where Togo will have a base to repair his damaged ships, which is important owing to the Japanese not having reserve vessels.

The captain further says that Togo's strength represents seven battleships

The captain further says that Togo's strength represents seven battleships against Rojestvensky's five. The gunfire of, the squadron, he asserts, is practically the same. Togo's heavy guns dismounted for use at the siege of Port Arthur have been replaced by new ones of English and American make.

Captain Icpantchine also declares that Admiral Rojestvensky's lengthy voyage and daring entrance to the waters of Japan constitute an achievement without

Japan constitute an achievement with historical precedent.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

nd Duke's Assassin Says He Would Repeat Crime if Ordered By Revolutionary Committee.

Moscow, April 18.—The trial of Kale-teff, who killed the Grand Duke Sergius, was sentenced to death in the Supreme-court to-day.

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The only persons present through the trial were members of the entourage of the late Grand Duke Sergius and counsel, of whom two were assigned to Kaleieff. The prisoner's mother was not admitted, but remained in the corridor. Senator Deier presided. Senator Shieheglovitoff, procurator-general of the department of cassation, was the senate prosecutor. When Kaleieff was arraigned he replied: "I am not a criminal, and you are not my judges. I am your prisoner. We have a civil war, I am a prisoner of war, not a criminal."

Twelve witnesses were examined. Prior to passing sentence, the president asked Kaleieff if he would repeat the crime if he were given his liberry. He replied: "Without doubt I would repeat it if ordered by the revolutionary committee to which I am attached."

When sentence of death was passed, Kaleieff sheated: "Execute your judgment as openly as I have acted before the eyes of all."

The date of execution has not been specified.

rifles wildly in the air, wandered about the children's ward to the Julice hospital last evening selected a plan for the children's ward to be erected at the institution. The plan was one of a number of submitted by Architect Thomas Hooper and embodies an alternative proposal for either a one-story or two-story surface, the cast of the former being remarked that they would be heaten, stolled their years and a British general!

A Nagasali dispatch says that the adjusted about 100 British soldiers and a British general!

A Nagasali dispatch says that the face of the board stored the two-story building, which will be constructed if the necessary funds are secured. The plan adopting has been greatly endanged the word of the Womer's Auxiliary Soldiers and proposaled at Valiceovited, and the was also approved by a committee of the Womer's Auxiliary Soldiers. The sharing for the control of the Womer's Auxiliary Soldiers and former being typically and the plan and the same proposal of the womer's Auxiliary Soldiers. The sharing for the month as greatly and the same proposal of the women's analysis, and the average halfy control of neconits amounting to \$2.1, 135.26. The salaries for the month as greatly and the same proposal of the segretic than and its sattlength to be a same proposal of the segretic than a dit seat a short of the segretic than and its sattlength to be a same proposal of the segretic than a dit seat a short of the segretic than and its sattlength to be a segretic than a samilar, and the service of the segretic than a dit seat a short of the segretic than and its sattle and the service of the segretic than and its sattle seation of the segretic than and its sattle seating the segretic than and the service of the segretic than and its sattle seating the segretic than a segretic than

The wonderful West is growing, and so is the sale of

COWANS Perfection Cocoa

(Maple Leaf Label.)

It makes boys and girls giants in strength and intellect. Absolutely pure. -:- -:-

The Cowan Co., Ltd., Toronto.



"Progress" Guarantee



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MUNICIPAL LIGHTING. -

way and Lighting Company is an enterprising institution. It is well managed and keen to take advantage of every opportunity that opens for the advancement of its own interests. It treats its

It appears the British Columbia Electric Railway and Lighting Company is desirous of purchasing the Victoria Gas the object of the company in entering of the question.

Under the circumstances as set forth we do not see any valid reason why the natural effect upon the morale der to protect themselves from the oment suggest that in their corporate within this municipality or in this neighborhood. But as citizens we have received nothing but "cold justice" from pand it well. It charges us several cents more per hour for the light it, supplies than it does the consumers of the neighboring city. As we have a light of the result. Accidents do not often happen when a plan of battle is well ordered, and when in addition the capacity of a commander is seconded by arder determined. boring city. As we have already pointed out, light is supplied the people of subordinates.

other cities at about one-third of the cost imposed upon Victorians.

The captain of a Nova Scotia fishing it is claimed that the exnetions of another company which impression that he was a novice. With controls the source of energy are respon- in twenty-four hours, however, the novice not complaining about the rates. Never-theless people may be thinking. Once which is told by Colin McKay in the they get the idea in their heads that they April number of The National Monthly are not receiving at a reasonable rate of Canada. "The Galoot" is one of the not receiving at a reasonable rate of Camada. the benefit of all modern improvements | best stories of sea life that has yet been in electric lighting, they will protest, and | published, with a true smack of the rea

that wherever the interests of the people ing young Canadian writers, whose work as a whole and of individuals come into is attracting increasing attention conflict, the individual investors have to step aside and acknowledge the superior rights of the masses. No injustice has ever been inflicted that we are aware of. On the contrary, the far-seeing specula-On the contrary, the far-seeing speculator has usually been treated with generosity, his own being returned to him with interest. We do not say that it would be good policy for the Victoria City Council to take over and operate the gas works in order to effectively protest citizens from the possible exactions of a monopoly which might not always remain as to its management in benevol-ent hands. There are various aspects of the lighting question which may require serious consideration in the near future. But we do say that gas as an illuminant and as a general agent for the service of mankind is not by any means an obsolete commodity. Notwithstanding the strong opposition of electric light, gas stock has retained its value. Many pers prefer it to electric light. And

Many municipal corporations own their own lighting plants. In many others there are strong agitations being carried on for the acquirement of the systems. The interests of private companies or individuals are never urged as reasons why the movements should be suppressed. Thirty-three years ago the Glasgow corporation acquired the city

gas plant at a valuation. The value of the property has increased 300 per cent, since that time. The revenue last year was £810,013, the sale per thousand, cubic feet being 2s, for motor power and 2s. 1d. for light. Not only the experi ence of Glasgow, but that of every city on the continent of America, proves that gas plants as investments are steadily appreciating in value. They are not costly to operate. No municipality that decides to require them runs any risk whatever. Montreal and Toronto are moving with that object in view, the fact apparently having been established that rates might be cut in two and still ave a substantial margin of profit.

The subject is an important one from municipal standpoint, and worthy of the most earnest consideration

AN ACCOMMODATING NEUTRAL. France is said to set up the plea that he has committed no breach of neutrality in harboring the Russian ships and permitting them to repair and refit withpermitting them to repair and coasts. She in the shadow of her colonial coasts. She And slew a bear with greatest case.

And slew a bear with greatest case.

And slew a bear with greatest case.

Ar-bob cat" viewed the deadly strife.

The Devil.—The Devi own respecting neutrality and applies them as suits her convenience or may be to the advantage of her nationa The British Columbia Electric Rall- friends. The Russian ships, we are told, did rendezvous, refit and fix up at Madagascar. But they kept outside the three mile limit. Their crews underwent a course of special training in the same employees with a liberality that is almost waters, but they complied strictly with precedent on this continent, the law as set up and interpreted by we believe. It gives the public a spleu. French statesmen. Similar manoeurres depended on lines for the imm did tram car service at rates which are may be executed whever the French flag lief of the nuisance in question very reasonable indeed. There can be flies in the East without any breach of It will be noticed in the let gainsaying all that is herewith postu- neutrality, the world is plainly told. All this will be interesting information for But the British Columbia Electric the world-and particularly interesting to Railway and Lighting Company is not a Japan. To the world it may mean that philanthropic institution-that is, not there is no necessity for the maintenance entirely so. It charges the public for all of naval stations on national account the services it renders, and it has secured provided you have an ally who can be franchises which are of considerable relied upon to interpret the laws of neuvalue at present and must increase in trality in a liberal and convenient spirit. value as the years pass. Its officers will Japan has been informed that she may scarcely demur at what is here set down. attack her chemy's fleets within their

sanctuaries, inasmuch as the places of refuge have been and will be outside of the three-mile limit, and no breach of in-Works. It will scarcely be denied that ternational law or understanding will be committed in so doing. In the meaninto negotiations for the acquirement of time the Russians are availing them-such property is to secure a monopoly selves to the full of the conveniences of the lighting business in the city of supplied by France. Their fleets are be-Victoria, or, to meet the protests of ing gradually brought together and into sticklers for verbal accuracy, as near to fighting trim. There is an ominous a monopoly as possible. It is quite cer-tain that if the company were in pos-session of both electric light and gas. The Jap is simply waiting the opportuniplants competition would be all but out ty to spring. He will land upon his enemy when he believes the time tune. Uninterrupted success has had its citizens of Victoria should not take any force; disaster following disaster has had steps they consider necessary, even to the point of purchasing the gas works. the war, the culminating engagement of equences of the benevolent the sea campaign, will be fought under lespotism of the electric stimulating conditions on the one hand commercial despotism of the electric stimulating conditions on the one hand lighting company. We would not for a and under the influence of deeply depressing memories on the other capacity Victorians should attempt to Under the circumstances, and with the inflict injustice upon a company of cap- Jap choosing his time and his place of italists who have invested their money meeting, and notwithstanding the optimmeeting, and notwithstanding the optim ism of the Russians and their anno ed determination to conquer or perish, there can be but little doubt as to the

amers and that, anyway, people are cally and muscularly, than the captain take means to make their protest effect; sea and a vivid picture of how a raging storm was overcome by one man. Coli We notice particularly at this time McKay, the author, is one of our promis

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Gazing upon a bulletin; Why doth the multitude intently view The page inscribed in carmine hue? Oh, stranger, pause and join the throng.

OAK BAY AVENUE.

To the Editor:-The writer was pleased to see that he is not the only o who has noticed the unhealthy condition of this street, which is under the care of the city officials, It appears to me however, that the secretary of the Oak Bay Improvement Association is worknded on lines for the immediate re-

It will be noticed in the letter of the correspondent "Richmon) Avenue" that the matter was brought before the council, and that there are a number of cases arising from time to time which one might trace to the effects of this open

The cost of cleaning and closing in the drain would be practically very small, and compared with the safety of the health of the public it ought to be counted nil. "Richmond Avenue" testifies to the unpleasantness of the odor at his corner, and on hot days the steuch must be overwhelming. It would be of interest to know how many cases of scarlet fever, diphtheria or measles have

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provement Association indicates that an engineering scheme is now being considered. The experiences of such schemes are that months and even years clapse before fruition, and in this case what is wanted is immediate relief. I trust, therefore, the voice of the residents in this district will not allow the matter to rest until this menace to the health of the public is cleaned and closed in. "A. M." Victoria, B. C., April 19th, 1905.

OAK BAY AVENUE DRAINAGE.

To the Editor;—As a resident of Oak Bay avenue I have read with much interest the letters of "a. M." and "Richmond Avenue" in recent issues of your paper, and can only add that I hope the matter of improper dainage on Oak Bay avenue, therein referred to, will command the attention of our city council, and that it will receive the consideration it deserves at their hands.

As "Richmond Avenue" justly observes, the drain at the corner of Richmond avenue would be more properly

mond avenue would be more properly termed a continuous open cess pit than a drain, and it does seem a disgrace that such a condition should exist on one of the most travelled thoroughfare in the

within the past two years petitions containing the names of nearly every resident on Oak Bay avenue have been laid before the city council, asking for better drainage facilities, and whether from lack of ability to cope with the question or lack of interest in the city's welfare, the only satisfaction the petitioners have had to date is to have their petition seferred to the city negineer for report, and as this report has apparently

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not yet been handed in, we must presume that the matter has been propped entirely, or that a most comprehensive scheme of improvements is being prepared, for which, when it comes, we shall be devoutly thankful, even though in the meantime cases of sickness, directly traceable to this accumulated fifth, are

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traceable to this accumulated fifth, are constantly occurring.

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In conclusion, might I suggest that the above mentioned projects might better be left over until a more propitious time, and that the funds so proposed to be used be expended in the more necessary improvement of our streets and of Oak Bay avenue in particular. As a substitute for the enjoyment the tourists and others would derive from sea baths and a pavilion at Foul Bay and the city in general from the 24th of May celebration. I would in the name of the residents of Oak Bay avenue respectfully invite the attendance of them all, including the mayor and aldermen, at any time convenient to them, to stand over the drain at the corner of Oak Bay avenue and Richmond avenue for fifteen minutes without using a handkerchief, and I will the matter of Oak Bay drainage.

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them for years.
OAK BAY AVENUE.

A NEW YORK BIRD'S LAMENT. F. P. Pitzer.

A poor bird sat a-weeping In a city park.
Why this doleful cheeping?"
Asked a friendly lark.

"Oh, my!" walled the Birdle, "I am much distressed,
'Cause my wife has three eggs
Upstairs in our nest."

"That should make you happy!" "It would; but you see— Boo-hoo-hoo—they don't allow Children in our tree."

A PRECOCIOUS YOUNG MISSOURIAN. Kansas City Journal.

Kansas City Journal.

The judge of one of the Missouri County courts went to his home the other afternoon, and becoming acqualated with some flagrant act of his seven-year-old son, summoned the lad before him. "Now, sir, lay off-your coat," he said sternly. "I am going to give you a whipping that you will remember as long as you live." "If it please Your Honor," said the boy, "we desire to ask a stay of the proceedings in this case until we can prepare and file a change of venue to mother's court. Our application will be based on the belief that this court has formed an opinion regarding the guilt of the defendant, which cannot be shaken by evidence, and is therefore not competent to try the case." Stay was granted and the boy allowed 25 cents attorney fee.

LORD STANLEY'S BRILLIANT IDEA.

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Montreal Star.

Lerd Stanley, the British postmastergeneral, hit upon a brilliant idea when he
proposed that, as the British post office
could not afford to compete with the American in rates on magazines and other
periodicals, the American post office might
"remedy" the case by raising its rates. As
the evil sought to be remedied is the preponderance of American periodicals, carrying American advertisements and American
"opinion," in Canada, it is just possible
that the American post office will not want
to "remedy" such an "evil" at all. It might
have occurred to Lord Stanley that the Americans reduced their rate for the precise
purpose of making Canadians read Ameri-

can magazines, American advertisements and all; and that they are delighted to know that the British post office thinks that it cannot "afterd" to enter into competition with them. If the British postmaster-general cannot "think imperially," he might at least refrain from thinking absurdly, and thinking so out loud.

YOUNG AMERICA IN BRITISH EYES. London Globe

Whatever may be said of the manners and customs of our English schools and colleges. In the way of depreciation, we can at least congratulate ourselves, even at the risk of being Pharisaical, that they are not like those in vogue at similar institutions in America. One cannot say, of course, how far the stories which reach us through the columns of the morning papers are to be relied on. We instinctively mistrust any extravagant tale that comes from the States. But if only a tithe of the stories are true there is need for a very substantial reform in American colleges. We are accustomed to look on builying as an obsolete practice, and the writer who introduces it into a school story does so at the risk of into a school story does so at the risk of being laughed at. But in the States it is being laugued at. But in the States it is a very genuine and active cvil. We read of doings which seem almost incredible. As, for instance, the case of the young man who was taken to an abandoned coal mine, florged, thrown into a deep pool of water, nogged, thrown into a deep pool of water, and dragged through the mud for a quarter of a mile-all this by way of a sportive practical joke. In another ense an electric chair was used on the victim, with the result that he was crippled. We repeat that we take these stories with a very large grain of sait. But there is no doubt that

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-Steamer Cottage City will be due from Alaska to morrow.

-The adjourned annual meeting of the congregation of the Clrurch of Our Lord will be held this evening in the school-room at 8 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid of Victoria West Methodist church will hold their annual sale-of-work and tea in Semple's hall on Friday, April 28th.

There is quantity as well as quality in the entertainment which is drawing packed houses to the Grand theatre daily. The programme embraces eight separate items, including the Lucados, in a wonderful strong act; Dan Mason, German comedian, in funny monologue, and song; Christopher, sleight-of-hand performer; Mr. and Mrs. Juo. T. Powers, society comedy; Miss Beatrice Fontella, balladist; Thos, Elmore, poet personator; Frederic Roberts in illustrated song and an amusing line of moving pictures.

-The Redmond company pleased a large house last evening by their production of the "Mountain Girl." This piece is being repeated at to-day's matinee. This evening "Man of Mystery" will be the bill. This is one of the strongest attractions on the company's list, and is well worth seeing. To-morrow evening and Friday afternoon. "Two Orphans" will be given. According to a letter received from Business Manager Diamond, of the Watson company, this organization will reopen at the Redmond with several new recruits who are said to be very clever.

An excellent entertainment was given in the schoolroom of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last evening. The concert was under the auspices of the Ladies' Ald, and was presided over by Rev. W. Leslie Clay. The entertainment was of an unusual character, being an English ballad concert. Among the selections given were: Plano solo, Miss Clare MacGregor; song, Miss Jeannie Bishop, violin solo (old English ballad of 17th century). A. Longfield; song, Miss Emma-Sehl; recitation, "Society Belle." Miss Gleason; violin solo, Jesse Longfield; song, Mrs. Theberg; plano solo, A. Longfield; song, Mrs. Staneland; song, Herbert Kent.

—The Tuesday club held a meeting yesterday at Alexandra hall. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Powell; vice-presidents, Mrs. Há'sell and Mrs. Potts; executive committee, Mrs. Barnard, Mrs. Mara, Mrs. Shaw and Miss Cameron; secretary, Mrs. Berkeley; treasurer, Miss Clare MacGregor. At the meeting Mrs. Powell was presented by the club with a beautiful red morocco writing pad with silver mountings. The presentation was made by Mrs. Racke Robertson. Mrs. Berkeley and Miss Clara MacGregor also received gold pens and souvenir spoons. Mrs. Robertson entertained those present at tea at the conclusion of the business meeting.

meeting.

The Gainsborough College, Menzies street, held its closing entertainment for the Easter holidays yesterday, under the direction of the principal, H. C. Marsh. The programme was: Pianoforte solo, March Song, Mrs. Norton; duet, L. and S. Hawksley; Bruce and the Spider. D. Carr Hilton; Daisy Valse, G. Marsh; Come, Little Leaves, y Masters S. Hawksley, G. Piercy, S. Marsh and D. Carr Hilton; pianoforte solo, Miss V. Cross; Arabesque, I. Hawksley; A Snow Song, N. Falconer; Up. Up in Sky, by Masters G. Porter, E. Simpson, R. Marsh and K. Porter; violia, L. Hawkesley; Rank and File, C. Hawkesley; siege of Derry, I. Hawkesley; On the Wave, S. Hawkesley; club swinging, I. Hawkesley; Regioice, P. McCoskrie; Flower Song, L. Hawkesley; Hookee, B. Carr Hilton; La Fille, L. and T. Hawkesley; Sallor Song, by Masters T. S. and C. Hawkesley, H. Bamford, J. Woollison and D. Carr Hilton; God Save the King.

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OTHER BARGAINS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION

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Resident and visiting Hebrews are reminded that this evening being Passover, divine service will be held at 6.30 o'clock at the Synagogue, corner of Blanchard and Pandora streets.

—Last evening at the manse Rev, Dr. Campbell united in wedlock Mr. Einer Lund and Miss Thora E. Lund, both of Yakima, Washington, The witnesses were H. D. Helmcken and Miss Sinclair.

-A dispatch from London says: "At a meeting to-day the B. C. Electric Railway Company's interim dividend of a percent, on deferred ordinary was declared for the half year ended December 31st, 1904."

-A. E. Greenwood, proprietor of the Central Job Printing Co., has disposed of his plant to Harry Smith, of Duncans, who proposes to establish a soper there, and operate a job office in connection. H. Herd, of this city, will be placed in charge.

A gentleman called at the Times office this morning and registered a strong complaint because of the action of the school authorities in declining to grant any more permits. He applied in January for permission to send his child to the Kingston street school, and was informed that there was absolutely no accommedation, and he would have to wait until Easter. He is now told he cannot possibly secure a permit until midsummer. He claims that being a taxpayer he has the right to send his child to school, and if there is no accommodation it is the duty to the people to see that there is.

To the police court this nor by the charges were formally made against the remaining Chinsmen gathered in on Saturday night at 40 Cormorant street. The twenty-three pleaded "not guilty." The hearing of the charges was postponed owing to the illness of Detective Sergeant Falmer. A number of the Chinamen were let out on sail. It is likely that an appeal will be taken to the higher court in this case. This is the present intention of Alexis Martin, the counsel for the Chinamen. Following the carriction of the first one all the remaining twenty-three will, it is expected, be fined.

—A charge preferred against a Chinaman of allowing his chimney to get on fire was dismissed this morning in the police court. After viewing the piace the police magistrate came to the conclusion that this course would have to be taken.

—Members of the city council are desirous of seeing the tramway line extended to Ross Bay cemetery this year. The present hitch between those interested in the project and the tramway company is said to be a question entirely of real estate. Messrs, Douglas Bros, have offered a honus of fitteen acres, while the company ask for thirty. It is believed, however, that a compromise can be arranged. At any rate the committee appointed at the regular meeting of the council on Monday evening will ascertain what can de done along this line, and will report to the next meeting of the codacilion Monday evening.

cans, who proposes to establish a paper there, and operate a job office in connection. H. Herd, of this city, will be placed in charge.

—A band of sixty Filipinos arrived yesterday on the R. M. S. Empress of China, bound for the Lewis and Clarke exposition, Portland. The natives are similar in appearance to those who passed through this city a year ago en route to St. Louis. A nother company was expected on the Minnesota, which reached the Sound yesterday afternoon.

—Last night at the Home For Aged and Infirm the Royal Templars of Temperance gave a delightful entertainment. The following programme was rendered Miss Edith Yeo, song; Mrs. Field, reading; Miss Luscombe, song; Master E. Yeo, recitation; J. B. McCallam, song; Mr. Hughes (an immate of home), song; Mrs. Luscombe and Mrs. Yeo, duct; Mr. Yeo, address. Refreshments were served by the fadies at 10 o'clock, bringing a very bright evening to a close.

—There is a first class vaudeville bill at the Victoria theatre this week. A

-Yesterday representatives of the city council and Tourist Association, censisting of Alds. Oddy and Hafma, F. W. Vincent, H. B. Themson and Herbert Cuthbert, paid a visit to the site on Dallas road, apposite St. Lawrence street, where it is proposed to provide facilities for bathing. Thos. Hooper, the architect, who accompanied the party, was given his instruction, and will immediately commence the preparation of plans. As has been mentioned the council has agreed to construct a cofferdam, and the tourist society will erect a pavilion. This structure will be two stories high, and located about the centre of the bay. On the lower floor offices and dressing rooms will be located, while the upper floor will be set aside for spectators, and on special occasions used as a grand stand. Work will commence as soon as possible.

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Sporting News.

BASEBALL TRAINING HARD.

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COMMITTEE MEETING.

. A meeting of members of the committee having charge of the school league was held yesterday, when the following schedule was

Centrals vs. South Park-Saturday, May North Ward vs. Centrals-Saturday, May

GARRISON v. CELTICS.

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The final match for the British Columbia championship, which will take place on Friday afternoon at Oak Bay between the Garrison and Celtic teams, is creating general interest in sporting circles. For several weeks the soldlers have been training and now are in perfect condition. They are playing a practice match this afternoon in preparation for the struggle. To-morrow they will rest, thus being able to take the field on Friday in the plak of shape. On

EXHIBITION MATCH.

On Saturday, the day following the cham

On Friday evening the Garrison will en-tertain the Celtie players at the Work Point barracks, bringing to a close one of the hardest and most successful seasons of As-sociation football in the history of British

HANDBALL.

Y. M. C. A. v. F. Y. M. A.

At the Y. M. C. A. rooms last eyening an inter-club tournament was played be-tween members of the F. Y. M. A. and Young Men's Christian Association. Owing to the number of games included in the schedule it was found impossible to comschedule it was found impossible to com-plete the series. Only one game was finish-ed, the double between Gallop and Thomp-son (Fernwood) and Carne and Holden (Y. M. C. A.). The former couple won after a hard struggle by a score of 21-16,

In the singles Northcott (Y. M. C. A.) and



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defeated Dunn (Y. M. C. A.) in the first set, the score being 21-19, but the latter turned the tables in the second, winning out by 21-9. Gallop and Fisher (Y. M. C. A.) played one set which was won by Gallop by a score of 21-1. Fisher and Jones (Y. M. C. A.) won one set from Malcolm and Marconini-by a score of 21-14. One set was played between Winch and Jameson (F. Y. M. C. A.) in which the former were victorious by a score of 21 to 15 points. The final sets will take place at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium next Tuesday evening.

The TURF.

HORSES IMPORTED.

Two-spiendid standard bred and registered horses arrived from Seattife yesterday by the steamer Whatcom. They are the property of A. Van Hagen, who imported them from Nebraska. One is a 3-year-old fall, Helen Grantley, by Rax McGregor, son of Robert McGregor (2.1145), sire of Cresceus (2.0256), world champion stallion, considered the monarch of the home stretch and show ring, dam by Hurdy Binily (2.1656). She is a very pretty animal, a bay with black points, and will make a very fast trotter and great show mare. The other is the stud colt Evaris, by Expedition (2.1556), best son of Electloneer, and is full brother to Bon Voyage (2.15), runner of the horse review and Keatucky, \$10,000 purses for 2-year-olds furtrities in 1904, and sold by Ch. Maroln to W. A. Clark, of Butte, Mont., for \$10,000, and still considered sold be low his value. Robert McGregor (2.11%), sire of Cresceus (2.02%), world champion stallion, considered the monarch of the home stretch and show ring, dam by Hurdy Bimly (2.18%). She is a very pretty animal, a bay with black points, and will make a very fast trotter and great show mare. The other is the stud celt Evaris, by Expedition (2.15%), best son of Electioneer, and is full brother to Bon Voyage (2.15), runner of the horse review and Kentucky, \$10,000 purses for 2-year-olds futurities in 1904, and sold by Ch. Maroin to W. A. Clark, of Butte, Mont., for \$10,000, and still considered sold below his value. low his value.

THE DERBY SWEEP.

The grand English Derby sweepstake promises to be a splendld success. A. L. Salmon, who is in charge, reports that the sale of tickets is exceptionally brisk.

LACROSSE.

LEAVE FOR VANCOUVER. weeks the solders have been training and how are in perfect condition. They are playing a practice match this afternoon in preparation for the struggle. To-morrow they will rest, thus being able to take the field on Friday in the plak of shape. On the other hand, the Celites, champions of the Mainiand, come over determined to capture the game. They are much stronger than when the soldiers met them on their own grounds. If successful in winning here a deciding match must be played on neutral grounds. Play will commence at 3 o'clock promptly at Oak Bay.

EXHIBITION MATCH.

LEAVE FOR VANCOUVER.

Rev. W. Bolton and Thos. Hooper, officials of the Victoria Lacrosse Club, will eave for Vancouver to-night to attend a special meeting of the B. C. A. L. A. Diegrate will also be present from Vancouver and New Westminster, and business of some importance is to be considered. It is understood that the schedule drafted at the arranged in some particulars. Messrs. Bolton and Hooper have full instructions from the local executive as to the stand of the Victoria club on different matters likely to be discussed. be discussed.

VICTORIA DAY MATCHES.

On Saturday, the day following the championship match, the Victoria United and Ceitic teams with try conclusions at Oak Bay. This will be an exhibition game and is announced to start at 3 o'clock sharp. The Vencouver players intend winning one of the two games they are scheduled to play, so that if defeated on Friday by the Garrison the Victoria United eleven will have to look to their laurels.

TO CLOSE SEASON.

On Friday evening the Garrison will entertain the Ceitic players at the Work Point barracks, bringing to a close one of the hardest and most successful seasons of Association football in the history of British Columbia.

will recommend to another public meeting that the regatta take place either on May 23rd or May 25th. This will allow the base ball game to be played during the morning and the lacrosse game on the afternoon of the 24th, without any important attractions to interfere with their success.

SCHEDULE DRAFTED.

Yesterday a committee composed of Miss A. D. Cameron, L. Tait, J. D. Gillis, C. L. Cuilli and J. G. Brown, appointed by the Victoria Lacrosse Club to take charge of the organization of the school league, held a meeting, when entries were received from the North Ward, Central and South Park teams. It was agreed that each schedule match should last one hour, with two rests of five minutes each, that a win should count, two points and a draw one, and that C. L. Cuilli, w. E. Ditchburn and J. G. Brown be requested to act as referees. The cup presented by J. C. Newbury, collector of creating and the Wednesday, May 25th.

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Hoper, will be handed the winning team, all Saturday matches will commence at 10 o'clock in the morning and the Wednesday, May 25th.

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South Park vs. North Ward-Wednesday, May 31st. Centrals vs. North Ward-Wednesday, June 21st South Park vs. Centrals-Saturday, June

As will be noticed, all games must be completed before the summer collidays. It might also be mentioned that the games will be played on the Oak Bay grounds.

WILL MEET TO-NIGHT.

After their regular practice an important meeting of the junior Centrals will be held this evening. Matters of importance will come up for consideration. A full attendance is requested.

GULF.

MONTHLY MATCHES.

At the Macaular Point links to-morrow the usual monthly mixed foursomes of the United Service Golf Club will take place and a large number of entries are looked for. After the matches ten will be served

Thousands of men, women and children, seeking bargains at the new five and ten cent store opened in Philadelphia on Monday, fought wildly to enter the building, and in the rush which followed every time the doors were opened scores of weaker ones were trampled beneath the feet of the more robust bargain hunters. Women were trampled to the pavement and bables were forn from the arms of mothers. The entre police force was summoned and ambulances hastened to the scene to carry off the injured,

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Mr. Yarrow pointed out that in what is termed a second-class torpedo boat, sixty feet in length, the best speed obtainable would be twenty-nine knots, but for a vessel of 200 feet in length, with similar, but proportionately larger, machinery, and exercising the same amount of skill in design, a speed of thirty knots could be attained. Therefore, the reaching of a speed of practically twenty-six knots in the Yarrow-Napier boat, forty feet in length, pointed to the possibility of propelling a vessel of 220 feet at even forty-five knots.

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TACOMA'S CREW

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Steamer Princess May Returned Yesterday Evening From Skagway With Few Passengers.

'Chief Engineer Daniels, of the steamship Tacoma, and some 41 other members of that vessel's crew, arrived here yesterday on the R. M. S. Erapress of China. They were on their way to Seattle, 'the home port of the Tacoma, whence the steamer sailed January 5th Capt. Connaughton and one or two of hischief officers remained in Japan to look after the business of the ship, she being still held at Yoshima.

The story of the voyage of the Tacoma is known to most newspaper—readers. Mr. Daniels, however, denies that there had been any mutiny aboard. The crew suffered privation through the vessel being held so long in the ice, but were at no time sfarved, for as soon as the usual provisions gave out the mess beef for the Russians was resorted to. Chief Engineer Daniels says that he and the captain were the only ones aboard who actually knew the destination of the steamer when she sailed from Seattle. It was then given out that she was bound for Shanghai, and not until the Tacoma became fast in the ice did the others of the crew realize that her destination was Yladivostock. When this became known no trouble resulted, the crew determined to get satisfaction in another way, and, according to Mr. Daniels, they will take their case into court.

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The China had a number of prominent passengers, notably Lord Hawke, the great English cricketer, who after touring the Orient is returning to England: Viscount and Viscountess Castlereagh, who have also been touring the Far East; Fleet Surgeon Handyside, formerly of Esquimait, and now of Hongkong: G. B. Dodwell, Miss P. A. Dodwell and Miss W. E. Dodwell, who were going to Vancouver, and Rev. Mr. Curuow and family. Viscount Castlereagh is the son of the Marquis of Londonderry.

FEW COMING SOUTH.

A single family composed the entire company of passengers aboard the steamer Princess May on her return from Skagway last evening, the group being E. J. Lidicoat, his wife and five children. The trip of the steamer was fine throughout. A call was made at Essington on the way norm to land the remains of the late Robert Cunningham, but this was the only stoppage made going or coming to and from the Lyun canal port. At Skagway the trail was reported in good condition.

Captain William Moore, a former resident of Victoria, who cruised the waters of Alaska in 1862, is at White Horse superintending the building of a small boat in which, although he will be 80 years old on his next birthday, June 5th, he will prospect the headwaters of the Tanana river for gold this season. Captain Moore goes in search of gold, not because he needs it, for he is already well provided with this world's goods, but for the reason that his neverdying love of adventure prompts him to do it.

The body of an unknown man was

The body of an unknown man was found on the ice in the Yukon river, a few miles below Forty-Mile, where he was frozen to death last winter and then covered with drifting snow. The identity of the man is a mystery. The mounted police are working on the case. The man was about 50 years of age.

EARL OF CAWDOR.

Romantic Antecedents of the New First Lord of the Admiralty.

The Earl of Cawdor, the new First Lord of the Admiralty, is a direct descendant of the first Thane of Caydor, and still occupies the old Cawdor Castle, famous, as everyone knows, by the tradition immortalized in "Macbeth," that there Duncan, King of Scotland, was surdered by one of the forebears of the present chairman of the Great Western railway. There are those, however, who say that in point of fact that tragedy was enacted some hundreds of years before Cawdor Castle was built, and this veems, indeed, to be the truth.

Nevertheless Cawdor Castle is rich in historic associations which bear the strictest investigation. Lord Lovat was sheltered there after the slaughter at

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Culloden, and the room is still shown in which he rested. The grand old edifice, with its most and drawbridge and massive tower and turrets, stands four-square to all the winds that blow just as it did in feudal days. Among the artistic treasures which it contains is some fine tapestry illustrative of the adventures of Don Quixote. Lord Cawdor, who succeeded to his title some seven years since, is an A.D.C. to the King and the father of six sons and four daughters, and was better known as Viscount Emly, M.P.

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A WOMAN TRAPPER.

One of the most successful trappers of the Adirondack country is a woman, Mrs. Libbte Bigraff, who dwells in a little cabin in that section of the big woods, where a tornado in apetent times mowed a tangled path, giving the region the name of "the Windfall." Her husband was a trapper and after, his death several years ago she undertook to tend his line of traps for the remainder of the season. She succeeded so well and found trapping so profitable that she has tramped the forest along her trapping route each winter since, while her daughter has cared for the cabin. She carries a Winchester carbine slung over her shoulder white roaming the forest, and one day last winter ran across a huge black bear that had got a forepaw in some hunter's trap, had escaped from the clog of wood and was making his way towards a swamp. The big brute was wild with pain, and, rearing upon his hind legs, started toward the woman, brandishing the seventy five-pound trap as though it had been a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet, upon his great paw. Taking defilied as a bracelet was truck down by the great claw-armed paw before she could have fired a second abot.

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Superintendent of Public Works Francehot announces Thursday, May 4th, at noon, for the formal opening of the Erie, Champiain, Oswego and Cayuga and Senea canals to navigation. The Black riverenal will not be opened until some time later because of weather conditions delaying necessary repairs made until May.

suicide. Coroner McGuigan did not think an inquest was necessary. A brother of the dead man came over from Victoria and at half has been chief clerk in the office of the city engineer, handed in his resignation will take effect on May 1st, and shortly after Mr. Bakes will leave for England, where he will remain at least one year.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS.

"Wm Henderson, of Victoria, provincial architect for the Dominion government, was in the city on Friday on business connected with the new post office building for the city. Mr. Henderson spent some time getting figures on the cost of various building materials in the city. In conversation Mr. Henderson intimated that the government purposed erecting a building similar to that in Nelson, which cost \$70,000. He believed it would be built of grey granite from Sirdar. Mr. Henderson when asked about the site said he did not know what site had been selected. He was of the opinion that the foundation would be constructed this summer."—Free Press.

At the last meeting of the council Ald. Wallace and Robins introduced a by-law to enable the keeping open of stores on Sundays. The mayor referred to the fact that the recent petition was far from unanimous, as many being opposed to it as favored it. Ald. Herchmer condemned the proposed imendment. It was unnecessary, was unjust to clerks and smacked too much of the western American style. Ald. Robins suggested a compromise by allowing stores to remain upen during certain hours. Aid. Tuttle stated that the movement was backed more by tobacco stores than by ice cream stores. He would not object to the latter being opened on Sunday, but he thought the cigar stores ought to take chances with the hotels if they did business on that day. Ald. Cree spoke against the by-law was defeated on its first reading.

GRAND FORKS.

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There has been quite a demand of late for small farms of ten and affeen acre lots in the vicinity of Grand Forks. During the last week two deals of this nature were completed. J. D. Sears having sold his ten acre let some two miles southwest of the city to Emil Larsen, of the Winnipeg hotel, while Mr. Basset sold his small ranch of some twelve acres to a Mr. Robinson, who just recently arrived from Manitoba. It is Mr. Robinson's intention to bring his family here immediately. In these sales it is learned that the land brought over \$100 per acre.

"Mystery surrounds the disappearance of Walter Taylor, a logger of Shoal Bay, who has not been seen for several weeks. He was last seen at Shoal Bay when he started in his sail-boat for Hemming Bay with a message from Peter McDonald to some men at his logging camp at the latter place. A few days later his boat was found cap-sized. The water was caim and Taylor was a good yachteman, besides being a first rate swimmer, so that his acquaintances up North are unwilling to believe that the boat was upset through unskillful handling. Taylor was known to have incurred the enmity of some Northern siwashes and foul play is feared. No report of the case has been received by the provincial police here, but it is understood that Officer Jones, of Shoal Bay, is making inquiries."—News-Advertiser.

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The annual election of fire wardens took place on Saturday. The only interest taken in this event consisted of the returning officer and one citizen meeting and nominating J. W. Masterson, D. E. Grobe and Finley McLeed, who were declared elected fire wardens for the ensuing year by Returning Officer Fraser.

Some time during the early hours of Saturday morning the Nelson & Fort Sheppard railway station at this place was broken into and the safe dynamited. The force of the explosion completely tore off the front door and at the same time participly wrecked the station interior. The robber or robbers, however, got nothing. Entrance to the station was gained by prying open a window north of the station walting room door. Once in that room it was easy to break the apring lock between the waiting

room and the office. A sack of Ymir mine concentrates weighing some 150 pounds was taken from a car back of the station and lodged against the safe door. Between this and the safe door dynamite was placed and the fuse lit. After the explosion the safe tumbler must have been displaced and more dynamite was then placed in the hole made, which resulted in the large outer door being wrenched away from the safe, but the inner door was still intact. At this stage of the operation the cracksman appears to have found that he had run out of fuse, so taking a part of a stick of powder, he drew the paper out to a taper and placing the percussion cap close to the end, lit this paper, at the same time placing it against the inner door. The paper, however, falled to burn, and evidently becoming slarmed or disquared, the burght of hereful to the made of the safe, nothing would have been obtained, as Agent Costello remits every night to the Royal bank at Nelson, that being one of the rules of the railway, company. It is thought the robbery was attempted to secure money that usually comes by express for certain merchants who make a business of cashing pay cheques on the 15th.

The estimates for 1905 were finally passed at the council meeting on Monday evening, the treasurer's salary being made \$110

shall be an experienced police officer, for a few months at \$500 per month.

The death occurred late Sunday aftermoon of David Anderson, M. A., who had been first assistant at the High school here for several years. The deceased had been confined to the house for about a week with an attack of la grippe. He attempted to get up Sunday, but the effort was too much and he passed away three hours after. He was a native of Scotland and was 33 years of age.

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A RARE EGG FOUND.

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Law, may, not later than the 1st day of April in each year petition the Council for an alteration in such foil, and shall state his grounds for requiring an alteration." CHAS. KENT,

City Treasurer and Collector.

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naving a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1.00 an acre. Permission may be granted by the Minis-ter of the Interior to locate claims contain-ing iron and mice, also copper, in the Yukon Territory, of an area got exceeding 160

W. W. CORY.

Deputy of the Minister of the InteDept. Interior.

NOTICE.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Devact, 1901," notice is hereby given that Willam Jones, of 104 Pranfors street, of City of Victoria, in the Jones of Belli Columbia, carrying on business and tioneer in said City, edd, of March, 1908, make an assignment on Chartres Ocell Pemberton, barristera-fast of No. 22 Victoria Crescent, of said Cit, of all his personal property, real estatt credits and effects, which may be selze and sold under execution for the health of his creditors.

And further take notice that a meeting of the creditors of the said William Jones will be held at the office of Messes. Roberts on & Hobertson, solicitors for the said Chartree Ceell Pemberton, at No. 32 Langley street, Victoria aforesaid, on Monday, the 10th day of April, 1905, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of gaving directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

And further take notice that all creditors having claims against the said William Jones are required to forward particulars of the same, duly verified, and the nature of the securities if any) held by them, to the said assignee on or before the 12th day of the same, duly verified and the nature of the same, duly verified, and the nature of the same, duly verified, and the nature of the same in the said assignee on or before the 12th day of the country of the same duly verified and the nature of the same in the said assignee on the process of the same of the country of the country of the country of the country of the held assigneed to the them have had notice, and till persons indebed to the and William lones are required to pay the amount of helf Indebtosiness to the said assigneed on the country of the same required to pay the amount of helf Indebtosiness to the said assigneed on the said assigneed to the said assigneed on the said assigneed on the said assigneed to the sa

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LOCAL NEWS

—The Blue Funnel liner Oanfa will be due from Liverpool and the Orient on Friday. She is coming soon after the Ping Sucy, which was here last week, because the latter was considerably late

To-day Terry & Marett, the popular For street druggists, opened their ice-cream soda fountain to the public. It will be in operation all through the sum-mer months. All the most refreshing beverages may be obtained.

The argument in the Hopper vs.
Dunsmulr appeal is drawing to a close.
Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C., is
now closing his argument for the interrener, Mr. Joan Dunsmuir. This address
will probably require all day to-morrow

-R. M. Palmer has returned from Malcolm Island after investigating the troubles connected with the Finnish colony there. He will report upon the conditions to the government. The situation is described by him as not so critical as at first reported.

THERE'S A HINT OF CATARRH TAINT apply Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Pow-der without delay. It will save you suffer-ing, heal you quickly whether you have been a slave one month or fifty years. It relieves cold in the head and catarrhal headaches in ten minutes. The Hon. David Mills, Minister of Justice for the Dominion of Canada endorses it. 50 cents—129. of Canada, endorses it. 50 cents.-129.

The lumber ship Antofogasta will arrive here from Chemainus on her way to sen this afternoon to ship a crew. The tug Lorne, with the vessel in tow, left Chemainus at 10.30 o clock this morning. The Senator, which has been lying in the Royal Roads, is discharging ballast and will be towed to the Hestings will in

A general practice of local lacrosse players has been arranged to take place on Good Friday at Oak Bay. Those at-tending will have their car fare refunded tending will have their car fare refunded at the club house until passes are issued by the B. C. Electric Railway Company. The following are specially requested to be present: F. Cullin, G. Simpson, P. Morris, F. Baker, C. Fairall, D. Roscamp, F. White, Sam Lorimer, W. Lorimer, H. Jessie, McConnell, D. Clerg, J. Richmond, C. Taylor, C. Waitte, Leo Sweeney, Terrial, Sargison, McLaughlan, W. West, Bob Dewar, Peele, B. Stratton, T. Crocker, H. Monteith, J. Finlayson, T. Gawley, W. Lang, A. Haughton and T. Cessford.

Here is an explanation of the old horse, she superstitition: "St. Dunstan was a skilled farrier. One day while at work in his forge the devil entered in disguise and requested Dunstan to shoe his "single hoof."

The saint, although he recognized his maign customer, acceded, but caused him so much pain during the operation that Satan begaed him to desist. This St. Dunstan did, but only after he had made the evil one promise that neither he nor any of the lesser evil spirits, his servants, would ever molesi, the lumates of a house where the horseshoe was displayed."

munity who have already been complaining about the pits.

There is, too, the question of street encroachment. This is now noticeable on Vining street. A deep pit is to be found on the one side and the council fears that if another such pit is sunk on the opposite side the street would be undermined.

This is as the city now views the question, but there is another aspect of the case, and it may be regarded the more side of the case, and it may be regarded the more side and the council fears.

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An engagement between Turks and Albanians has been fought near Dizren. The Albanians were defeated with the loss of thirty men killed.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Stockton, Cal., April 18.—William Mohr, a son of Henry Mohr, a farmer in the southern part of San Joaquin county, kulled his brother George with a rifle resterday, then locked himself in his room and with the same rifle killed himself. William was about 28 years old and George 26. The family is old and highly respected.

William is said to ave been a weak-minded youth. He shot his brother at the breakfast table without provocation. He immediately went to his room and committed spicide. George lived only long enough to bid ais father and mother good-bye.

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WORK ON HOTEL MAY BE DELAYED

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R. Marpole and C. P. R. Engineer Will Confer With City Council Over Gravel Pits.

fusing the request of the tramway com-pany on Monday night to extend its tracks to the gravel pits of Spring Ridge acted without a full knowledge of the obstacle which they are placing in the way of the construction of the new C. P. R. hotel. The company made the request in order that cars may be permitted to do the hauling from the pits to the and will be towed to the Hastings mill in hotel. At the present rate being made in a day or two. The Adderney, still another lumber carrier, is about due from San Francisco. She is bound for Chemainus, will not be able to no the natural room the pits to the natural room to the natural room to the natural room to the pits to the natural room to will not be able to complete the work in will not be able to complete the work in the time allowance agreed on, namely, May 1st, and to hasten the job the C. P. R. Company, a few days ago, sent down a number of gravel cars from Vancouver, believing that the request made to the council would not be turned down.

Mr. Haggerty owns the property from which he is hauling the gravel, and while the city cannot prevent him from making the pit as deep as he, pleases, they have taken the stand that they can at least out an obstruction in the way.

about the hotel by the first of May. For every delay the centractor of the hotel will be given an extension of time. The latter has until rearrany of 1997 In which to finish his undertaking, and to this time must be added that required for the furnishing and decorating of the big structure before if can be opened. This will leave barely time in which to open the hotel for the spring and summer. travel of 1997. That it should be ready for them is the sincere desire of the company, but if delays occur and half of 1997 passes before the hotel can be opened, it is probable that the building will not be used until 1908, as the company would consider it poor business policy to open the building when half the season's R. Marpole, the suprintendent of the

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company's western division, is in the city to-day, accompanied by the company's engineer, Mr. Cambie, of Vancouver. They are here, it is believed, to see if some arrangement cannot be arrived, at with the city council to facilitate the early completion of the gravel contract. They will meet the streets, bridges and sowers committee of the city council to-morrow evening, when the whole matter will be discussed. The acting mayor, Ald. Goodacre, and Ald. Hanna, Fell and Oddy, accompanied by Mr. Wilson, paid a visit of inspection to the site yesterday, and, it is believed, determined that the council's action was the wisest one under the circumstances. It is possible, however, that a number of the members of the council will give way rather than see the work of the hotel delayed. PETER McQUADE & SON 78 WHARF STREET

PERSONAL.

Detective Sergeant Palmer has received percetive sergeant Faumer has received word from Detective Geo. Perdue, who is at the Green River Springs, Washington, that he is rapidly regaining his health. Mr. Perdue has been suffering from a severe attack of sciatica for the past several months.

months.

E. J. F. Scott, of Messrs, Leford & Smith, Ltd., paper makers and wholesale stationers, of London, Eng., is in the city. He arrived from the Orient by the Empress of China yesterday after an extensive tour in the interests of his firm. While in the city he is a guest at the Driard hotel.

Mrs, Koenig, of the Shawnigan Lake hotel; E. H. Bucklin and wife, of New Westminater; Miss Dewett, of Crofton; J. Telford, of Atlin; and H. Cecil, of the Victoria mines, Ladysmith, are at the Dominion. Bulgarians Slain By Greeks in Fight

mill is as much entitled to a voice in the laws that regulate her toil as is the man. The same plea is obviously just as strong for every woman who is affected by rates and taxes.

"For my own part I have until now been content to let opinion gradually ripen. But the new and most impolitic exclusion of women from work on public bodies hitherto open to them, and where by common admission they were peculiarly fit to render useful service, is one of those retrograde steps that force general questions forward. To this inevitable movement so important a meeting as yours promises to be will give a powerful and much needed impulse, with which I most heartily sympathize." T. A. Ker has returned from an extended visit to California, where he went to recuperate his health. In this, his many friends will be pleased to learn, he was quite successful.

G. D. Case and wife, of Toronto, are in the city. They intend making their home in Victoria. Mr. Case is a representative of the York County Loan. Investment

J. Riplinger, E. A. Swift, Roland Gamwell. Oscar Jones and J. G. Morgan, of Seattle, comprise a party of dog fanciers staying at the Victoria hotel.

E. Lund and bride, of North Yakima, Wash., who were married here yesterday by Rev. Dr. Campbbell, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

C. H. Dickie, of Duncans; R. D. McPhall,

C. H. Dickle, of Duncans; R. D. McPhall, of Vancouver; and F. E. Wood, of San Francisco, are guests at the Vernon hotel. Steve Jones, sronjetor of the Dominion hotel, is visiting Vancouver. He is expected to return this exening.

B. J. Ferry arrived from the Mainland last evening. He has been making a tour of Exstern propalege.

of Eastern provinces.

Hon. A. E. Smith, United States consul, has returned from a business trip to the

has returned from a business trip to the Mainland.

Dr. Tory, of McGill University, Montreal, and Miss Tory, are registered at the Driard.

Dr. Handyside, of London, England, is registered at the Driard hotel.

J. L. Talt has returned from a brief visit

WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE.

Morley in Sympathy With Move

The interest taken in the extension of political suffrage to women in the United Kingdom was emphatically demonstrated at a mass meeting held in London recently. Leonard Courtney presided, and was accompanied on the platform by the Countess of Aberdeen, Countess of Carlisle, Mrs. Courtney, Sir R. C. and Lady Jebb, Sir Chas, and Lady McLaren, and many others. A letter was read from

Jebb, Sir Chas, and Lady McLaren, and many others. A letter was read from Rt. Hon. John Morley, as follows:
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of both parties welcome the active aid of women in their political contests. They are all glad that women should help them in organization, canvassing, and other of the least attractive details of electioneering. It is absurd, then, to pretend either that women are incapable of political interest and capacity, or that the power of voting on their own account must be injurious to their womanhood.
"Few now hold that the chief business of women is the kitchen and the nursery. Plain social facts are against that odious and ignoble view. Great hosts of women, in constantly increasing proportion, carn their bread with their own hands, and the female worker in a Scottish printing office or Lancashire cotton mill is as much entitled to a voice in the laws that regulate her toil as is the BR. SHIP

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Dated this 18th day of April, A. D., 1905. M. A. MELLON, Secretary.



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