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FACILITIES FOR LIFE SAVING

CONSTRUCTION OF WEST COAST ROAD

Party Leaving to Begin Work—One Hundred Men Will Be Employed

On the next trip of the Ties for the west coast of Vancouver Island J. D. Macdonald, of this city, will leave with a party of about 25 or 30 men to begin work on the clearing of the road for life-saving purposes from Bamfield creek to Carmanah.

The construction of this coast road has been decided upon by the department of marine and fisheries at Ottawa. The government's action is largely the result of the efforts of Hon. William Templeman, whose knowledge of local conditions resulted in his pressing it upon his colleagues. The other island members of the House of Commons, Ralph Smith and W. Sloan were also prominent in urging it upon the attention of the government.

In addition to the men whom Mr. Macdonald takes with him there will be enough employed at Alberni and wherever else on the west coast that they can be obtained to bring the strength of the party up to about 100. These will be disposed of to the best advantage by Mr. Macdonald, in order that the 25 miles of trail may be completed this summer.

The work is a wonderful undertaking. Some acquainted with the coast have said that the road could not be built, but Hon. Mr. Templeman has determined that there will be every facility afforded for life-saving on the coast, and the work will be done. In the 20 miles of trail there will be between 25 and 30 bridges which will be framed on the spot.

Mr. Macdonald is admirably adapted for the work. He has been engaged in lighthouse construction and work for the public works department so that he understands thoroughly the kind of work in hand. The construction will begin at Bamfield Creek and proceed in the direction of Carmanah. The trail will be within eight of the coast all along its route, and as close as it can be built to the waterfront. It will be a trail similar to the commissariat road built for taking in supplies for railway construction. It will give an opportunity for a life-saving party with rockets, etc., to pass along without interruption from station to station between the points named. It is likely that as soon as possible the telegraph line will be moved to the road, which will make it easier to keep it in repair.

CONTRACT FOR VICTORIA

The B. C. Marine Railways Company has secured the contract for the repairs on the American steamer Northwestern. The vessel, which is being repaired at the local salvage company's steamer Salvor, and after an eventful voyage, during which she grounded on the Sand Heads off the mouth of the Fraser river, she was brought to this port in safety. The tender for the repair work sent in by the B. C. Marine Railways Company was the lowest—that was received by the Northwestern. The contractor, and this, coupled with the fact that the vessel had salvaged the vessel, was doubtless the means of securing the contract for Victoria. The salvage money received on the Northwestern—\$49,000—has been set aside for repairs, which must be completed in sixty days, is said to be \$53,000.

UNCHARTED ROCK

When opposite Jedway and proceeding to that port, the steamer Amur discovered a hitherto uncharted rock, with the track of vessels at the entrance to the harbor. The Amur passed alongside it at low water, and the kelp growing from the pinnacle-shaped summit could be seen floating on the surface. The rock, described as a menace to navigation and its exact location has been reported to the marine and fisheries department. The Japanese head office, which signified their intention of placing a temporary light where the rock lies.

MARINE NOTES

Steamer Amur brought news to port today that the tug Chief, which caught fire at Port Esquimalt recently, had not been badly damaged. Her pilot house is burned and some of her deck fittings destroyed, but the repairs can be carried out with comparative ease.

When she sails on Saturday night the C. P. R. steamer Amur will make a special trip to the Queen Charlotte Islands for the purpose of landing a party of prospectors.

Coming from her inaugural trip on the Canadian-Mexican Pacific Steamship Company's line, the steamer Georgia, Captain Henderson, is due at this port. The Russian liner Belleophon is expected to return to this port from San Francisco early this morning. The City of Puebla is due here tomorrow morning from the Golden Gate.

Coming from the West Coast the steamer Ties, Captain Townsend, is expected to reach port to-night. The Alliance Francaise, which meets this evening at 8.30 in the drawing room at the Balmoral hotel, will report all the special requests of a number of absent members at the last meeting of the little French comitee. "Dire et faire son devoir." As this will be the last meeting of the society before its adjournment for the summer vacation it is to be hoped that their will be a good attendance of the members and their friends.

—There was a meeting of the council of the board of trade this morning, with M. J. Mara in the chair. The secretary's file was very full and embraced a variety of subjects, most of which are referred to the general meeting to be held to-morrow afternoon.

DISCIPLINE IS VERY STRICT

IN THE REGIMENTAL CAMP THIS SEASON

Men are Making Good Progress— Number Reprimanded Last Evening For Being Absent.

Again last evening the members of the Fifth Regiment were met at the drill period with a fall of rain. In spite of it, however, a good evening's work was accomplished.

A body of recruits, number about 16, were given a good practice on infantry drill, while company No. 3 was in the fort.

Number 1 company drilled last night on the 13-pounder, and seeing that this was the first night of the company they got through their work very smartly.

Number 2 company worked hard at infantry drill, while company No. 3 was in the fort. In Fort Macaulay last night No. 3 company was given instruction on the Maxim and the other fort guns. To the infinite disgust of the men a whale within range continued all evening to spout defiantly in full view. The members of the regiment longed to enter on target practice, testing the efficiency of the men themselves individually and the regiment as a whole, this discipline will be strictly maintained throughout the training.

There was every reason to be well satisfied with the muster parade last evening as the regiment turned out just as strong as it did on Sunday. The men are keeping their tents very clean. This is due partly to the men and partly to the discipline of the regiment. The names of those occupying the drill tent are posted every day on the regimental board. This makes the men especially keen to keep their tents up to the mark and their names off the board.

The men are being equally impressed at the way the new recruits are shaping. So that, from every point of view, in looking at the progress and promise of the men in their work a very successful camp is promising.

The Fifth possess an ideal camping ground, for no matter how it may rain, say, it may almost come as in the equatorial regions of the globe, without making any appreciable difference in the dryness of the surface, the nature of the soil being such that it readily absorbs the rain as it falls. In consequence, the public are able to lounge in equally unnecessary, in being swamped or rather washed out of their encampment through careless trenching around their tents. In fact, the leading authorities on the subject in this neighborhood deem such precautions absolutely unnecessary, owing to the perfect conditions of the soil. Similar soil is to be found at Aldershot, in England, where there is equally unnecessary, with perhaps the exception of one little portion of the ground. Even then it would be a very wet season to make these precautions necessary.

Everything is being done to study the comfort of the men in camp; the sanitary arrangements are excellent, and their quarters all that can be desired. The fair ladies of Victoria have not forgotten the soldiers, as is in evidence in the beautiful bouquets of choice roses and other sweetly perfumed flowers for which the neighborhood is so famous, most tastefully arranged in bright vases on the spotted white linen of the officers' mess table. The officers are thus not allowed to forget their fair friends, not even in the midst of their martial duties.

The regimental orders for to-day are as follows: Orderly officer for June 12th, Lieut. W. A. Irving; next for duty, Lieut. P. T. Stern; next for duty, Lieut. R. P. Clark.

The following man, having been passed by the adjutant, is posted to No. 2 company; No. 168, Gr. J. Lawson.

The following man, having been re-tested, will be continued on the strength of the regiment for a further term of three years: No. 61, Gr. Chas. Jasper, June 12th.

No. 35, Gr. John F. Arbuckle, having been duly attested, is taken on the strength of the regiment, dated June 10th.

BORN

ROBERTSON—On the 11th inst., at Esquimalt, the wife of W. J. Robertson, of a son.

GALBRAITH—On June 11th, the wife of Angus Galbraith, Olympia avenue, of a daughter.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to grade and macadamize Washington avenue, from Gorge road to Burnside road; and

To straighten Cook street, between Fairfield road and Dallas road, and define the lines of said street as straightened, of the said by-law, upon the said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said by-law, up on the said works of local improvement, giving statement showing the amounts chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property benefited thereby, and their respective shares thereon, and the Council hereby is hereby given that the reports herein referred to are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.

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### FAST MAIL TEST.

Exciting incidents of North Sydney—Sens Carried Montclair Against the Virginian.

North Sydney, June 10.—The first fast mail test via North Sydney, was made today. The transfer of mails and passengers was attended by many stirring incidents and at one time it looked as if the affair would result in a marine tragedy. Contrary to expectations and in direct opposition to the wishes of Captain Belanger, Captain Vipond, of the Virginian, insisted that the Montclair proceed further out than Swivel-point, where the transfer of the mails would take place. Just as soon as the Virginian dropped anchor, Captain Belanger worked the Montclair alongside the big liner. As Captain Belanger anticipated heavy seas caused his vessel to crash against the Virginian. First the forward part of her side was twisted, pulling the long iron bow through the hardwood—then the latter was shattered. Both ships then moved in towards the entrance of the harbor and anchored between Livingston's shoals

## ORCHARD ANXIOUS TO SECURE RANCH

Committed Crime to Obtain Property Promised to Him By Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone.

Boise, Idaho, June 11.—When the Haywood trial was resumed here at 9:35 a. m., Harry Orchard continued his testimony. Attorney Richardson continued to question the witness about the attempt he made upon the life of Bradley in San Francisco. Orchard said he roomed near the Bradley home, being able to overlook it from his bedroom window. He had bought some dynamite for a bomb before the attempt to poison Bradley with strychnine in the milk failed. Orchard thought it was the Judson Powder Company that he bought the explosives from.

Asked the appearance of the clerk who waited on him, Orchard said he was youngish looking. In buying the powder Orchard was required to give his name. He could not remember what name he gave, but it was—  
A Pictitious One.  
As an excuse for buying ten pounds of dynamite Orchard told the clerk he wanted to blow out some stumps on his ranch.

"Don't you know there are no stumps within 150 miles of San Francisco?" demanded Richardson. "I know there are; I've seen them on my way to Caliente Springs."

Orchard gave as nearly as he could a description of various places where he had lived in San Francisco. He could not remember the names of the streets or the numbers of the houses.

Next Orchard told of a pleasure trip he had taken to Caliente Springs while waiting for Bradley to return from Alaska. Orchard was living near the Presidio when he bought the dynamite for the Bradley bomb. He did not remember whether he took a bag of giant caps to San Francisco or bought them at the Judson Company. He kept dynamite in his room and took it with him when he moved to 1328 Washington street, within a half block of the Bradley home.

With the failure of the milk plot he went ahead "and planted" the bomb. Orchard said he bought the pipe in Taylor street, somewhere in the 200 block.

Richardson wanted to know if Detective McFarland had attempted to trace the San Francisco locations for the witness.

"He investigated the powder purchase. He brought me a list of the sales of the Judson Powder Company and I picked out 'I. Debs' as one I thought I remembered."

"Don't you know there was but one 16 pound sale of dynamite that year?" Mr. McFarland asked several times.

"But all the other sales were in the name of a well known customer of the firm." "There were several names."

Orchard said he had heard from McFarland about the suit of the owner of the apartments against the San Francisco Gas Company after the explosion of the bomb.

Orchard said when he placed the bomb at the front door of the Bradley house persons were passing on their way to work. The lead bomb was inside a wooden box. Orchard took a car and was out of earshot before the explosion.

"From the examination of the place after the explosion don't you know that the walls were blown out instead of were shattered?"

Orchard said that as Bradley opened the door he would be sideway to the bomb and the explosion would be more likely to blow him out than in.

The witness drew a diagram showing just where he had placed the bomb, and where Bradley would be with the opening of the door. He also explained the diagram in the jury. Orchard said he went to the coroner's inquest a few days after the explosion to learn Bradley's condition. The grocer said the explosion was generally attributed to gas, but he thought it was a bomb.

"I told him I didn't think so," declared Orchard.

Orchard next told of returning to Denver after receiving more money from Pettibone. He disguised himself as a soldier and wore glasses. Orchard said he had sent several San Francisco papers to Pettibone, whom he visited in Denver. He then met Steve Adams and went with Billy Ackerman to live at Adams' house. Mrs. Adams was cooking the meals.

"Didn't Steve have to move because he could not pay the rent?" asked Richardson. "No, he had plenty of money. The old place was not satisfactory."

Orchard continued to live with the Adams family from before Christmas, 1904, to February, 1905. Orchard said that when he reported to Pettibone and Adams he represented Bradley's condition to be worse than it really was.

"You lied, didn't you?" "Yes."

Richardson in cross-examination of Orchard brought out that Orchard contemplated the blowing up of a boarding house filled with

Non-Union Men  
at Globeville, near Denver, in 1905. Orchard testified that Max Malich, a storekeeper at Globeville, asked him to blow up the "scabs."

"It was your habit to lie about everything, wasn't it?" "Whenever it suited my purpose."

"You have always been a liar, haven't you?" "I have lied at times, since I began to go wrong."

"And you started pretty early, didn't you?" "Somewhere between 25 and 30 years."

Richardson asked the witness if he kept any money he received for the Bradley affair to either of his wives. He said—  
He Had Not.  
He supposed Pettibone was looking out for his Cripple Creek wife.

"But nobody was caring for your Canadian wife?" "No."

The witness seemed to show one of the rare traces of feeling in his voice.

"Isn't a fact that the woman you wronged in Cripple Creek had to sell her washbubs in order to get things to eat?" "No. Pettibone had promised to look out for her when I left Colorado."

"Did you talk to Haywood about sending money to your wife?" "Yes."

"That makes two visits to Pettibone's back yard?" "No. He talked about it the day they wanted me to go to California to get Bradley."

Orchard showed decided emotion when Richardson put him on the rack for his neglect of his two deserted wives. Orchard insisted that Haywood and Pettibone promised to care for the wife at Cripple Creek, but had failed to do so. When he admitted that he knew his first wife had worked at cheese making for a living, Orchard displayed feeling.

Richardson continued this grilling for fifteen minutes, but failed to break him down. Orchard said it was while he was lying with Adams that he was

Detailed by Haywood  
to help Adams assassinate Judge Gabbert in Denver.

Haywood said he wanted to shoot Gabbert because he felt the use of dynamite would get everybody in trouble," said Orchard. His idea in continuing to kill was to get the ranch he said Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone had promised him.

"And you were ready to kill everybody in Colorado for a \$2000 ranch?" "I don't know about that."

the next generation. Let us hope that they will be felt, not only in the more complete equipment of your citizens for public life and in their warmer zeal for civic progress, but also in a true perception of the essential elements of happiness, a larger capacity for enjoying those simple pleasures which the cultivation of taste and the imagination opens to us all."

**MR. BRYCE AT CHICAGO.**  
Delivered Convocation Oration at Graduation Exercises at University.

James Bryce delivered the convocation oration at the graduation exercises at the University of Chicago to-day on "What University Instruction May Do to Provide Intellectual Pleasures for Later Life." Later he received the honorary degree of doctor of laws.

Mr. Bryce commented upon the fact that production and transportation have been transformed by science, and he asserted that the effect of science also is strongly felt in education.

"Sixty years ago," he said, "science was not given a prominent part in the curriculum of schools and universities, and now it is trying to relegate the study of language and literature to a secondary place. All education has two sides. It is meant to impart the knowledge, the skill, the habits of diligence and concentration which are needed to insure practical success. It is also meant to form the character, to implant taste, to cultivate the imagination and the emotions, to prepare a man to hours of leisure and to the inner life, which goes on, or ought to go on, all the time within his own heart."

"Every one of us ought to have a second or inner life over and above that life which he leads among others for the purpose of his vocation. He ought to have some pursuit, or taste to which he can turn from the daily routine."

"Whatever the taste or pursuit may be, whether of a higher or commoner type, it is good for him, but, of course, the more wholesome and elevating the taste or pursuit is, so much the better for him."

"Nowhere in the world does there seem to be so large a proportion of the people that receive a university education as here in America. The effects of this will doubtless be felt in

**LAUNCH MISSING.**  
Eleven Members of Crew of United States Battleship Probably Drowned.

Norfolk, Va., June 11.—Five midshipmen and an officer, who came ashore last night in a small boat from the battleship Minnesota to attend a ball at the Jamestown exposition grounds, together with five seamen, are missing.

The Minnesota's launch is known to have left Discovery Landing, at the exposition grounds, shortly after 12 o'clock last night, and the theory of the officers of the fleet now in the Roads is that the launch struck something and went down and that all were drowned.

Skill Missing.  
Washington, June 11.—A telegram received at the navy department from Rear Admiral Evans to-day says: "Minnesota's launch, after going to disposition last night still missing and grave fears are entertained that she was run down and sunk."

**LOGGER DROWNED.**  
Fell From Log at Reade Island—Young Man's Sudden Death.

The steamer Cassiar, which has arrived at Vancouver, brought news of a drowning accident in the North. John Norwood, a logger, accidentally slipped from a log at Reade Island on Wednesday, and his body was not found until Saturday. He was 36 years of age.

The Cassiar also brought news of the death of Maynard Collins, a young man of 24 years, who went north from Vancouver ten days ago to work for Norton and McKinnon, the loggers, and was taken ill a few days after his arrival. Everything possible was done for him, but he died two days later at the camp.

**BOBE'S GUM.**  
GOOD FOR THE CHILDREN.  
RAT CAUSED FIRE.

A rat was responsible for a small fire on Sunday night in a cigar store on Hastings street, Vancouver. The rodent had climbed up on a case and chewed a package of matches. The matches falling on the floor, ignited a blanket and for some time volumes of smoke rolled out through the cracks. A pedestrian sent in a call for the fire department, but the services of the firemen were not required, however, the blaze having been extinguished by the proprietor of the shop, who happened along shortly after the alarm had been sent in. He opened the door of the store, and no time was lost in locating and extinguishing the fire.

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### RAILWAY FARES

Governor of New York Vetoes the Two Cent Bill.  
Albany, N. Y., June 11.—Governor Hughes to-day vetoed the bill of Assemblyman Baldwin, which would have compelled a flat passenger rate of two cents a mile on every railroad system in the state, more than 150 miles long. In the course of his veto message the governor points out that "the passage of the bill was not preceded by legislative investigation of suitable inequality under the authority of the state. Nor is the fixing of this rate predicated on reports or statistics officially collected, which would permit a fair conclusion as to the justice of its operation within its province."

### SPLENDID FIELD FOR IMMIGRATION

General Booth on the Prospects of British Columbia—is on Way Home.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—This morning in company with Commander Booth, Commissioner Nicholas, Col. Higgins, Brigadiers Cox, Styanou and Howell, and Major Page, General Booth passed through Winnipeg on his way to London after his tour in Japan, where for some time past he has been carrying on a great work.

"Although he is not looking so well as when he left England, the general stated to a reporter that his health was wonderful. He said he had slept and had been awake all last night, but this, he thought, was accounted for by the changes of climate and occupation. "Yes, I am wonderfully well," he continued, "although the tour and the incidents of the hour have been a terrible strain. I have been guided and sustained, and the campaign has gone on without a hitch. I am quite satisfied with my tour and I hope it will help to cement the friendly feelings between Japan and our country."

"What are your impressions of Canada on this tour?"

"I have not changed my views since I was here last, but I have been greatly impressed by the prospects of British Columbia. It seems to me that there is a vast field there for thousands of people. That is, people of the right kind, especially if rightly managed and assisted in a rational way."

"Have you held the same views on immigration?"

"Practically," was the reply. "But you want the right people, and they ought to be managed in a right way, then it would benefit both the immigrants and the country. If they want to get the right people, they will have to go about it in a different way. They must be willing to manage the thing in a systematic way, and invest money in the work, the same as they would in any business. Personal interests, party feelings and a desire to glitter under the glare of the popularity of the moment, too often affect the actions of governments, but I don't know if that is the case in Canada."

"On returning to England I will make my automobile trip of the country, lasting for some weeks, and will then return to America, where I will undertake another auto trip."


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THE "FOOT OF THE THRONE" FARCE

A case that has to be bolstered up by statements which require no demonstration of their falsity must be fundamentally weak.

There is no foundation whatever for the assertion that Sir Wilfrid Laurier has opposed the case of British Columbia as laid "at the foot of the throne" by Premier McBride.

It is palpably false and dishonest, although not unexpected, considering the source from which the assertion comes, to state that the Canadian government purposes altering the Terms of Union in a manner which will be prejudicial to the interests of British Columbia.

Toronto Star. The blue book of the Colonial Conference tends to confirm the theory that everybody, including Winston Churchill, had to back up for Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

We are told it was the Governor-General, not the government, that gave Premier McBride the credentials which carried him to the "foot of the throne."

ONE OF THE DISADVANTAGES OF FREE TRADE

That loud-voiced friend of the "colonies," Winston Spencer Churchill, the member of the British government who has publicly declared that the Liberal-Labor-Radical party of Great Britain has locked the door against the Imperial preference, has doubled barred the said door and has placed an impassable barricade against it.

The Kaiser's government has discovered by experience that such a conflict is not profitable. It has undertaken to declare a truce in the case of Canada.

A reciprocity treaty between the Fatherland and the United States has already been negotiated. Under this instrument the products of Germany are to be admitted to the markets of the United States under preferential terms in return for concessions to American goods seeking a market in Germany.

It is pointed out that the difficulty in reaching an agreement with Great Britain lies in the fact that under the express terms of the Dingley Act the president must be satisfied that Great Britain has something to offer the United States that will constitute true reciprocity.

They hope also by this and diplomatic pressure to suppress the anti-Japanese agitation in California. The move is considered to have great significance.

We gather from a letter which has reached this office, whether intended for publication or not we cannot tell, that the members of the Arion Club are displeased with the press and with others who might have gone out of their way to show a little courtesy for the treatment meted out to the Orpheus Club of Tacoma.

Harriet Johnston Wood, a lady lawyer, contends that the time is at hand when women will assert themselves and the right to choose their own husbands—or, as the lady herself rather bluntly puts it, who shall be the father of their children.

Search was made high and low, the ship being detained for two hours in quarantine. She was then allowed to proceed to the outer wharf, and the search continued. The coal bunkers were searched as it was anticipated that the men being well acquainted with these quarters, would make their hiding place. But amidst the black lumps no trace of human anatomy could be found.

right of choosing her life's companion? It is true that in the United States, the home of the reformer in question, the divorce courts have, generally at the instance of husbands who have become dissatisfied with the choice their wives have made, dissolved marriage contracts.

CANADA BOUND, JAPAN EXEMPT

A Canadian sailing schooner, the Carlotta G. Cox, has been seized by the United States revenue cutter Rush, and will be taken captive into the nearest port in British Columbia.

WILL DEMAND INDEMNITY

Japanese of San Francisco intend to Present Claim to the United States Government.

THE MYSTERY OF TWO STOWAWAYS

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

The board of directors of the Provincial Jubilee hospital will hold a meeting at the hospital at 8 o'clock on the evening of Thursday, June 13th. The bank clearings for the week ending June 11th amounted to \$1,253,494, which is well up to the average of the present year. Of irresistible beauty are the new dress muslins to be seen at Robinson's, 86 Yates street, a price from 10c. to 25c. a yard. In the Y. W. C. A. rooms at 20 Fort street this evening at 8 o'clock there will be a social to which all members and friends of the association are cordially invited. The board of licensing commissioners for Esquimalt district will hold a meeting at noon on Saturday in the provincial police department to consider applications for renewals of licenses in the district. Next Sunday is "Flower Day" in the Centennial Methodist church. The pastor will give a special sermon to the children in the morning and an address on the Forward Young People's Movement in the evening. Next Sunday the S.S. Iroquois will stop one hour at the Crofton smelter, which is now in full operation. Take a trip and enjoy the exhilarating breezes and beautiful scenery of this delightful outing. The St. James' Women's Auxiliary garden party, which should have been held last evening at the residence of Mrs. F. M. Rattenbury, was postponed owing to the inclemency of the weather. Rev. Charles Saint, B. A., who has been appointed by the Methodist conference to take charge of the mission at Salt Spring Island, is expected to arrive from Kamloops in time for next Sunday's work. Mr. Saint is a British Columbia boy, well adapted for work in the West. Judgment in the case against E. M. Johnson, in which he is charged with infractions of by-laws, will be given in the police court by Magistrate Hall on June 13th. Yesterday the magistrate announced that he had not yet reached his decision in the matter, and would further consult the evidence. The monthly general meeting of the Victoria Board of Trade will take place in the board's building at 3 p.m. tomorrow. The matters to be discussed are: A proposal to increase the amount recoverable in small debts court from \$100 to \$200. A proposal to appoint an official assessor. The proposed road to Mill Bay from Goldstream, and preservation of fish in Cowichan river. The seventeenth annual meeting of the British Columbia Pharmaceutical Association is to take place in Vancouver to-night. The council held a meeting this afternoon to discuss matters preparatory to commencing the regular business this evening. J. H. Emery, of Victoria, is president of the association, and in company with John Cochran, who is one of the directors, left this morning for the mainland to attend the meeting. Dr. A. R. Baker, of the Vancouver Auto Cycle Company, came over to the city on the Princess Victoria on Monday evening, bringing with him four cars, three Oldsmobiles and one Cadillac run-a-bout. In less than three hours Mr. Baker had disposed of the three Oldsmobiles, one being bought by L. B. Van Decar, proprietor of the Priard; another by J. B. Simpson, and the third by another local autoist. The Cadillac run-a-bout is still in Dr. Baker's hands, but he expects to sell it within a couple of days. A sure cure for the worst case of dandruff, hair falling out; if faded will return to its brightness; makes the hair fluffy and curly; best hair grower; contains no dye or oil; used on blonde or black hair. Gray Hair Elixir will return gray hair to its natural color. All Dr. H. B. P. Christison's French toilet preparations represented by Mrs. Winch, 123 Cosmopolitan street. All orders by mail receive special attention.

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DISTRICT ORDERS. Promotion in Royal Engineers of Lieut. Hughes. District orders by Colonel Holmes, under date of yesterday, are as follows: The following extract from the Canada Gazette at Ottawa, Saturday, June 1st, 1907, is published for general information: "Royal Canadian Engineers-To be captain: Lieut. H. T. Hughes, to complete establishment, 23rd April, 1907." Leave of absence on private affairs has been granted to Capt. Stork, N. Co. Kootenay Rifles, for six months, from the 23rd ult. MAKING PROGRESS. Boys' Auxiliary to Missions Does Good Work. The useful work of the young society of the Boys' Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Canadian Church is making very satisfactory progress. In four months in the diocesan branch 43 members have been enrolled. Interesting instructions are given to the boys on alternate Tuesdays in St. John's schoolroom, under the supervision of Rev. St. John Payne. Their time is taken up together with the Cathedral branch in covering books and magazines for the Columbia coast missions. The Cathedral members, who chiefly belong to the Cathedral choir, among other useful work, assisted in purchasing a horse for a former choir boy of St. Paul's cathedral in London who is now a catechist, named Mr. Edward, at Saskatchewan. They are now busily engaged in helping the Y. W. A. to raise funds to build his house in Saskatchewan. Miss Ard, who is leaving for England, bid farewell to the boys and gave them good advice. Miss Rameedale has also been of great assistance to the boys, and Canon Beaulabre, of the Cathedral, has been giving the boys regular instructions on mission work. Branches of the society have been formed at Ladysmith and Duncan. All are united to collect funds for the M. S. C. C. The Boys' Auxiliary started only four months ago, and now numbers 55 members. GUN CLUB MEETING. Shoots Arranged for-Proposal to Form Provincial Association. A well attended meeting of the Capital Gun Club was held at the club rooms, 45 Johnson street, last evening. The following officers were duly elected: President, Mr. E. Leavelle; vice-president, H. Young; secretary-treasurer, W. N. Lenfestey; captain, F. W. Stevenson. The shoot for the Peter's cup will take place on June 16th at 10.30 a.m., and the Curtis and Harte's cup will be shot on July 14th at the club grounds. The third shoot for the Leavelle medal will take place on June 16th. It was decided to hold a merchandise shoot on July 21st, which will be open to members of both city clubs. The drawing up of a programme being left in the hands of a committee. As an encouragement to the younger shooters it was decided to divide the club members into three classes, and the following prizes were allotted to the different classes: 1st class, a Parker hammerless shot gun; 2nd class, a Winchester take down repeating and shot gun; 3rd class, a Winchester repeating rifle. Five shoots will be held for these prizes of 25 birds each, the dates for same being decided by the committee in charge. An invitation was received from the management of the Dominion Cartridge Co.'s trophy shoot suggesting that as there would be a representative gathering from all parts of the province it would be an opportune time to form a British Columbia Trapshooters' Association. This suggestion met with the unanimous approval of the club, so the club's representative at the forthcoming tournament was empowered to act accordingly. Five new members were elected, which now brings the club membership up to sixty. After passing a vote of thanks to the retiring officers the meeting adjourned.

Excursions by S.S. Iroquois among the Thousand Island of the Gulf. For information tel. 511. An expert tire vulcanizer wanted at once. Phinley Auto Company, Ltd., 15 Government street, Victoria, B. C. "Rainy day" friends! Special values in umbrellas, both for ladies and gentlemen. Prices \$1 to \$2.50, at Robinson's store, 86 Yates street. The regular quarterly meeting of the board of licensing commissioners took place in the city hall this afternoon. At the time of going to press it was still in progress. Mrs. W. A. Gleason and Mrs. T. A. Switzer wish to announce that they have removed to camp, "The Woodland Rest," opposite the Gorge park bathing house, for the summer months, and will receive their friends on Thursdays. A movement is on foot to afford the summer campers at Shawnigan Lake the benefit of religious services during the summer. It is proposed to station a young clergyman there, and in the event of a suitable building not being available to erect a tent in which services will be conducted. Among the many matters that will come before the board of school trustees at their meeting this evening will be the preparation of a programme of work to be done on the various city schools during the summer vacation. The buildings and grounds committee will report on this matter and will make several recommendations in regard to the school buildings in need of repair or renovation. The literary department of the Metropolitan Epworth League had charge of an excellent programme on Monday evening. Rev. G. W. Dean gave a charming talk on the "Value of Reading." Mr. W. R. Harrison sang a solo. Miss Anderson gave a recitation. All present were well pleased. Next Monday the programme will be under the auspices of the missionary department. Strangers are welcomed. The examination of those pupils of the sub-high school who are candidates for the high school will take place on Thursday, 20th inst. It is expected that a large number of candidates will enter. The programme of the examination is as follows: Thursday, June 20th - 9 to 11, algebra; 11 to 12.30, botany; 2 to 3.30, Canadian history. Friday - 9 to 11, arithmetic; 11 to 12.30, chemistry; 2 to 3.30, geography. Monday - 9 to 11.30, grammar and composition; 1 to 2, geometry. Tuesday - 9 to 11, Latin; 1 to 3, English literature. Friday, June 28 - 9 to 11.30, drawing.

THE UPLANDS FARM. The Subdivision Will Soon Be Made of This Valuable Property. The syndicate which purchased the Uplands farm will, in the near future, be in a position to throw open to the public for selection their valuable property. This beautiful and rich land with its oaks and maples already presents great attractions to intending purchasers. In one corner Chinese market gardeners have taken full advantage of its productive soil to carry on a most lucrative trade. The vista of grand scenery over the water is simply superb. It is well worth anybody's while to take a ride in the Fort street car and then to walk as far as the Uplands. They will thoroughly enjoy spending an hour or two in admiration of the beautiful scenery of the locality. At present only the preliminary surveys taken in the topography of the land have been made. The Hudson's Bay as previously alluded to have procured the services of Mr. Homestead, a well known landscape gardener, who is at present formulating plans to submit to the company as to the best way to lay out the land to the best possible advantage. The owners are sparing no expense in their endeavors to convert their property into a most beautiful neighborhood estate. When Mr. Homestead's plans are submitted, approved and passed, the company will then proceed not only to a complete survey and the staking out of the land, but also to the grading. When this has been accomplished the property will then be offered to the public for selection.

PERSONAL. J. B. Ferguson, manager of the West-ern Oil and Coal Consolidated, with headquarters and offices in Vancouver, is staying in this city with his wife and sister-in-law at the Priard hotel. He states that English capitalists have gladly taken up shares in his company, which he was in England he readily disposed of \$400,000 of the company's stock. Mr. Ferguson is looking over property with a view to residing in Victoria. The climate and beauty of Victoria has so impressed him that he is hoping to find a suitable locality in the near future in the immediate neighborhood of Victoria. A. C. Belbeck, with his wife and family, are staying at the Dominion hotel. He is the C. P. R. terminal superintendent at Winnipeg, and after having made several trips to this city has become so well acquainted with the advantages and beauties of Victoria that he has recently invested in property in the neighborhood. C. H. Ellcock, civil engineer and surveyor, of this city, who returned on Saturday from a long canoe trip up the canoe and Columbia rivers to Tete Jene Cache, a distance of 150 miles from Revelstoke, will leave this week for the Okanagan district on a business trip. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wagner and their family, of Regina, are in the city. They intend to locate their future home here, and Mr. Wagner will likely connect himself with the local real estate business. A public meeting of all interested in the Quadra Street cemetery matter will be held in the city hall on Friday evening. The committee, which conferred with the civic cemetery committee will report progress and, it is expected, will be entrusted with some definite decision on the part of those interested to report back to the civic body. The proposition put forward by Ald. Weston on behalf of the cemetery committee that those having relatives interred in the old burying ground should pay for the upkeep of all graves will be put before the meeting and discussed.

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SPORTING NEWS

ATHLETICS. SEATTLE'S GREAT MEET.

Present indications are that the eyes of the athletic world will be on Seattle Saturday, June 22nd, when the track and field sports are held on the university campus to decide the membership of the team which will represent the Pacific Northwest Association of the Amateur Athletic Union at the Jamestown exposition.

It is certain that Dan Kelly, 'the world's champion 100-yard sprinter,' will be here, and now that the Olympic Athletic Club of San Francisco has accepted the invitation of the Seattle Athletic Club to send a team, it is almost certain that Bill Snedigar, the crack sprinter of San Francisco, will line up at the tape against the world's champion.

But the chances are that Snedigar will not be the only celebrity to meet Kelly. Negotiations are under way to bring Charlie Parsons, the former Wisconsin flyer, who beat Archie Hahn, here from the University of Southern California, Parsons has expressed a fond desire to get a chance to trim the champion, and the California newspapers have gone so far as to intimate that Kelly avoided the recent meet in San Francisco because Parsons was entered. Kelly has paid no attention to the stunts, but when he was in Seattle a short time ago and wiped up the earth with the best sprinters of the University of Washington and the University of Idaho could produce with ridiculous ease, he told Will Inglis, superintendent of the Seattle Athletic Club, that he would be glad to meet Parsons at the coming try-outs.

Members of the Victoria Cricket Club are holding practices regularly every evening and afternoon in anticipation of the two big matches they have on hand at Vancouver with the Burrard Club on June 29th, and also on July 1st. These are the first big events, and the Victoria Club will do all in its power to come out on top.

Saturday's games, in both cases, promise to be productive of some very good play. The bankers and lawyers will have quite a strong team, composed mostly of experienced cricketers, and they are expected to give their friendly rivals a hard fight.

The Tacoma team which will line up against the Oak Bay club is practically the same as last year, and in view of the fine games they put up throughout last season, the local players will certainly have their hands full.

The Olympic Club will send, in addition to Snedigar, Plaw, who is the greatest hammer thrower on the Coast. He has a record of 172 feet 9 inches, which is only two inches less than the world's record held by John Flanagan of New York city.

Among the other stars who will represent the Olympic Club, are Powell, who holds the Coast record in the 120-yard hurdles, 15 4-5 seconds; and 220-yard hurdles, 25 3-5 seconds; Check, a hurdler; and Glarner, whose strong point is the half-mile.

It is possible that the Pacific Northwest Association and the Association of California may unite and send one team to represent the Pacific Coast. Fortus Baxter in the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

BASEBALL. A GREAT BALL GAME. The baseball editor having been summoned by telegraph to attend the funeral of a distant relative, and having barely time to catch the train, turned his attention to the musical editor and asked him, as a special favor, to write up the game that had been played that afternoon.

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"The game between the Chyorks and the Bostroits yesterday afternoon was witnessed by a large and critical audience. It was a cold day, however, and the fans were conspicuous by their absence. Overcasts and instead.

"The performance opened with the veteran Sullivan at the bat. Four or five strikes were called on him, and then he lifted a beautiful foul over the left field fence, taking third on the fly. Hahnstone stole home, making two out. Donobell was hit in the back by a Texas leaguer and by a close decision was put out at the home plate.

"The average reader won't know the difference," he said. Chicago Tribune.

CRICKET. SATURDAY MATCHES.

Lovers of cricket will be given an opportunity of seeing plenty of their favorite game next Saturday afternoon, when two matches will be played in the city, one at Oak Bay between the Oak Bay and Tacoma clubs, and the other on the Jubilee ground between the Victoria club and team composed of local lawyers and bankers.

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On Friday next at the Jubilee hospital grounds, the University school, of this city, will play a game of cricket with eleven representing Queen's school, Vancouver. The game will start at 2 o'clock sharp.

On Saturday morning at 9 o'clock on the same grounds the Queen's school eleven will be opposed by the Collegiate school team.

On Sunday afternoon, at the Victoria Golf Links, Oak Bay, the men's open golf tournament for the championship of British Columbia and the Bostock cup was decided, when F. W. Stirling defeated J. A. Rithet in the final game.

At the completion of the first eighteen holes Mr. Rithet was only five down, but in the second round he was hopelessly defeated. This is the first time in the twelve years of competition that the cup has been won by Mr. Stirling. Last year the cup was won by Harvey Coomb, who was unable to remain in the city this summer to defend the trophy.

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The ladies' competition for the Flumer, set to proceed and will probably be settled next week.

Seven thousand people went to Hanlan's Point, Toronto, to see the annual spring champions of the West End Y. M. C. A. One of the surprises of the day was the defeat of Robbie Kerr, of Hamilton, in the 30 yards dash, by Knox, of the Central Y. M. C. A. Knox also equalled the Canadian record for the pole vault, jumping 11 feet.

The three-mile match race between Longboat of Toronto and Nebrieh, of Buffalo, was the last thing on the programme. Nebrieh took the pace until the third lap, when Longboat, who ran with

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THE TURF. LADNERS MEET. The following is the revised programme of events for the Ladners horse races to be held on the 26th June, 1907.

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While going through his performance, he was attacked by a huge leopard. He was lifting the animal by the forelegs, when it suddenly turned and tried to bury its fangs in Vannuzzi's neck.

Vannuzzi has been eighteen times mangled by his beasts, and on two occasions by the leopard which bit him, and his wounds have been on two occasions so severe that he has been detained in hospital for several months.

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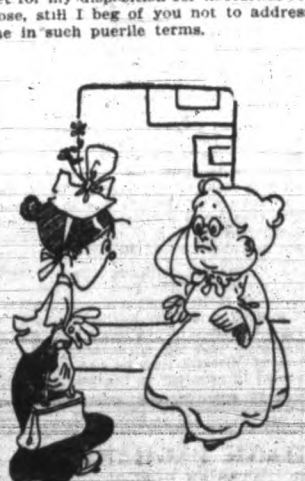
Maid—What's the name? Visitor—Why, it's on my card. Maid—But, sure I can't read an 'it' meself wants to know.



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Women who have recently joined the Wandsworth, England, Rifle Club have proved so expert in the use of the rifle that scores of 50 out of a 'highest possible' of 60 have frequently been recorded.

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TENDERS FOR DERRICK SCOW, BOILER AND ENGINE. Tenders addressed to the undersigned at Ottawa, and marked on the envelope 'Tenders for Scow, Steam Engine, Boiler and Derrick for buoy service, British Columbia, or tender for scow alone,' will be received up to the

30th DAY OF JUNE, 1907, for supplying and delivering at Victoria, a wooden scow and the erection on board of a steel derrick with hoisting engine, boiler and other accessories, according to specification; also for supplying and delivering at Victoria where directed, a double cylinder tandem hoisting engine, which to have four hoisting drums and two winch heads, an upright steel tubular steam boiler to have greater capacity, and a structural steel derrick.

Specifications of the machinery and plans of the derrick can be obtained at the Department here, at the agency of this Department, Victoria, at the Customs House, Vancouver, and the Customs House, New Westminster, B. C.

Tenders may be furnished plans of the boiler and engine offered, and state the earliest possible time which they will agree to make the delivery.

Separate tenders for the scow or tenders for all together, if accepted, shall be a chartered Canadian flag equal to 30 per cent. of the whole amount of the tender made accompanying the tender accepted will be forfeited, if the party tendering declines to enter into a contract or fails to complete the work contracted for, and such cheque will be returned immediately in case of non-acceptance of a tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. No newspapers inserting advertisements without authority from the Department, will not be paid.

F. GORDEAU, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries. Ottawa, Canada, 28th May, 1907.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS. Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 36, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person or the head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Application for homestead entry or inspection must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent-Sub-Agent.

An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be written by the local Agent of the Sub-Agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant or reserved for the settlement such application will be held priority and the land will be held until the necessary forms to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of 'personation' the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

Applicants for inspection must state in full particulars the homesteaders in the vicinity, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars, the applicant will lose any re-entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled.

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COURT OF REVISION. NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Victoria will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., on Thursday the 4th day of July, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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## BELLA COOLA AS A COMING CENTRE

### An Arrival From the North Praises the District for Its Various Resources

W. Sutherland, of Liverpool, Eng., and who for four years past has been residing at Ootsa Lake, 125 miles in the interior from Bella Coola, arrived from the North on the Camosun on Sunday, and is staying at the Balmoral prior to his departure to England. He predicts a great future for Bella Coola district, which he says is only held back at the present time by the lack of transportation. He is leaving the country with many regrets, due not merely to the fact that he has made so many friends in the North, but also to the fact that in this city, but also on account of the beautiful and natural advantages of this sportsman's Eldorado. This country is only as yet in its infancy. The difficulty of transportation, he says, is in reality the only thing which is retarding its progress and rapid development. This, however, before very long, will be remedied, for Bella Coola will be the terminus of at least one branch line of railway, if it will not be on the main line of the new railway. In either case the development of the whole district is assured. Great excitement is now taking place in the neighborhood, and amongst the inhabitants of Bella Coola ever some copper prospects. The property is in the hands of some Spokane people, and is turning out very well. There is a fair amount of gold and silver in the assays, the carrying of iron is also good there. In the opinion of Mr. Sutherland everything points to the establishment of a great mining camp in the near future at Bella Coola. The Spokane people are spending a great amount of money on development work, and seem to be confident that most successful mining operations will be the result.

A well-known firm are putting up a cannery plant at Kuskung Channel. Some fine timber lands are being taken up and two mills are about to be erected. Owing to the late spring travel into the interior is not quite so great as in former years. Mr. Colley, P. L. S., and his outfit, have gone up, being the first to get through on their way to Ootsa Lake. The trails are in good shape, and the mountain trail will be open in July. Horses can be had for \$40 or \$50. Bella Coola is in addition well known as the headquarters for hunting outfits.

Mr. Sutherland gives the following information for the benefit of sportsmen visiting Victoria and intending to try their luck in British Columbia. He states Mr. Kermodie, of the Provincial Museum, accompanied by Mr. Morrison and himself, were up in this country last year collecting specimens of big game, and that the party collected some very fine specimens, which are now on view and mounted at the Provincial Museum. Mr. Page, the well-known big game hunter of the Coast, is at the present time in this sportsman's paradise hunting grizzly bear, goats, deer, caribou and bear are to be found in plenty. White guides and packers are easily to be obtained. In addition to the variety of sport just mentioned there is any amount of exceptionally fine fishing and shooting to be found further back in the interior.

Speaking of Bella Coola itself, Mr. Sutherland said: "It is situated at the outlet of a beautiful and lovely valley, rich and productive. Grapes and all kinds of fruit will grow in the open and the position in the district are almost unrivalled. The climate in the summer is almost perfect. Bella Coola in addition possesses the finest natural pass in the country and no tourist should feel that he has done the beauties and sights of B. C. unless he has first visited Bella Coola."

### WILL COME HERE

British Official in India Intends to Make Victoria His Home.

Mr. Collins, an Englishman who for some time past has been staying in this city, has decided to make his home in Victoria. At present he is on leave of absence from India; where he holds a government appointment. He is returning to England to take his two sons away from school and bring them over here.

Mr. Collins has been occupying his time here in yachting, being very keen on this most enjoyable pastime. He is also a good fisherman and a capital shot. From what he has seen and heard there is no place like British Columbia for a man of leisure. He considers this part of the Dominion to be unrivalled in its facilities for hunting, fishing and yachting.

### BATHING PAVILION

Arrangements For Those Who Wish to Take Advantage of St. Clair's Baths.

The Gorge Sea Bathing Pavilion has been opened for the summer under the careful management of John McKinnon. McKinnon's assistant is Mr. Phipps. Under the able supervision of these two the comfort and safety of their patrons at the Gorge will in every way be specially considered during the season. The pavilion adjoins the grounds of Mrs. Marshall. The charges as in former years will be strictly moderate. This, when the enhanced cost of labor and the rise in prices all round in consequence of the rapid developments which are taking place in Victoria, will in the opinion of

the management be appreciated by constant bathers at the Gorge. A great improvement has been made for the present season, whereby young beginners and others will have the advantage of a well-constructed tank. This tank is offered free of extra charge and is absolutely safe. Through this improvement beginners will feel greater confidence in the water and will become proficient swimmers in far less time than formerly. The water at the same time will always be fresh and clean because the tank is so constructed as not to rest upon the bottom. The teacher at the pavilion will be Jan St. Clair, the well-known physical instructor to the public schools. St. Clair is now busily engaged in enrolling the names and arranging the most suitable hours and days for the tuition of his pupils during the present season. In every respect the bathing season at the Gorge this year opens with great promise and with the means of affording pleasure and bestowing strength and energy to the patrons.

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### GOOD ROADS

Its Importance Tied Upon the People of the East.  
Speaking before the Halifax Board of Trade recently on the subject of the increasing depopulation of Ontario owing to the increasing popularity of Western Canada, J. Macdonald, the editor of the Toronto Globe, alluded to the emigration from the province that had taken place to the United States, and was now going to the Canadian West, suggested to him by a recent visit to Pictou. There he found the population of decreased population, but it was the same problem that had been met and was still to be met in Ontario, where schools that once had 80 or 90 scholars, have but 4 or 5 now. "The burden of this rests," he said, "on those who remain. It teaches us for one thing that we must not do things in the same way as we did half a century ago. Bad roads, for instance, might have answered them when they might not have mattered so much, but they will not do now. We must have good roads to keep abreast of competition. Pictou might be next to heaven, but its roads are neither smooth nor straight." (Laughter.) He had driven over fifty miles of them recently, and he thought that the ups and downs made the distance miles longer than it should be. "Time spent on such roads is lost time," he continued. "A problem is how to get the greatest results with the least expenditure, and it is going to hold our farmers out roads must be improved. The problem of transportation is very real, whether as referring to our roads or to our railways. We cannot do things as we did them in the past. We reverse the past, but we are not facing the situation presented to our ancestors, but that to ourselves. We must face our own problem, which would not be sons of the blood if we did not."

### GORGE CARNIVAL

Arrangements for the carnival to be held at the Gorge park on Saturday next from 2 until 10 p. m. are almost complete. The distance refreshment booths of all sorts, there will be a flower stall, a plain work stall, a candy stall, fortune tellers' tents, an Aunt Sally and a fish pond. In the afternoon there will be a children's race, and a small donkey will be on hand for hire by children for short rides. In the evening a grand band concert will be given by the Fifth Regiment band, and an illuminated and decorated boat parade take place, for which handsome first and second prizes have been donated. The Auxiliary Anti-Tuberculosis Society, who have charge of the affair, anticipates a huge success, weather permitting; and it is to be hoped that the public will assist the good work by turning out in large crowds on the afternoon and evening of the day in question, Saturday, June 15th.

### WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.  
Victoria, June 12—6 a. m.—During yesterday a moderate storm area spread inland across this province, and caused rain to fall in the Straits of Fuca and Georgia, and a general rainfall extending eastward to Alberta and southward to California. There are indications of another disturbance off the Coast which may cause more rain over the province and a southerly gale on the Coast.

**Forecasts.**  
For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Increasing easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and cool, with occasional rains.  
Lower mainland—Easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and cool, with occasional rains.

**Reports.**  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.70; temperature, 68; minimum, 68; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.  
New Westminster—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, 58; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .22; weather, cloudy.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 44; minimum, 32; wind, calm; rain, .12; weather, fair.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.65; temperature, 68; minimum, 38; wind, calm; rain, .34; weather, rain.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, .10; weather, rain.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.46; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .02; weather, rain.

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TROUBLE SPREADS

IN IRELAND

FIGHT BETWEEN RAIDERS AND POLICE

Officers Opened Fire on Crowd But Were Finally Forced to Retreat.

Dublin, June 11.—The grazing war is spreading rapidly and becoming popular. The most serious affair thus far was near Athenry, Galway, at midnight yesterday. A large posse of police opposed a crowd of people who were driving cattle off a farm. The people stoned the officers.

Several of the latter were badly hurt, and the sergeant in command ordered the posse to fire. They fired repeated volleys at the crowd and the raiders returned the fire, finally compelling the officers to retreat, when the graziers finished their raid.

Two or three farm houses have been fired into at night recently. The general sympathy of the masses is with the people, even in the case of many public officials, which fact ties the government's hands.

To Punish Liberals. London, June 11.—At a meeting of the Irish Parliamentary party in the House of Commons to-day it was decided to fight the government both in the house and in the constituencies, in order to punish the Liberals for failing to give Ireland a broader measure of Home Rule than was contained in the rejected Irish council bill.

After the meeting had adjourned John E. Redmond in behalf of the Irish party, issued a long statement concluding as follows: Another proof has been afforded that Home Rule cannot be won by a policy of conciliation alone. It can be won only by hard fighting, vigorous agitation in Ireland, an active, disciplined party in House of Commons, thorough organization of the Irish vote in Great Britain and its use absolutely independently of English party interests to push forward the cause of Home Rule by taking every opportunity and means offered in Ireland and Great Britain to force upon the public the grievances Ireland has suffered and the ruinous effects of British rule in that country.

SHOT BY POSSE. Man Believed to Have Been Implicated in Train Hold-Up Killed—Companion Escaped. Sheridan, Wyo., June 11.—A man believed to have been one of the party who held up the Northern Pacific train near Welch spur, and killed Engineer C. W. James, private secretary to the minister of education, and going to British Columbia to make a collection of archaeological objects for the museum, on the way they will make an examination and take notes of the Indian drawings illustrative of events in the history of the various tribes which are painted on the rocks along the Nepegon river. Mr. James will also make inquiry into the secondary schools of the nearest states in the United States. He will place before the students the superior facilities offered in the province of Ontario for secondary education in the hope of inducing them to come here.

WILL VISIT PROVINCE. Toronto, June 11.—David Boyle, curator of the provincial museum, and C. W. James, private secretary to the minister of education, are going to British Columbia to make a collection of archaeological objects for the museum. On the way they will make an examination and take notes of the Indian drawings illustrative of events in the history of the various tribes which are painted on the rocks along the Nepegon river. Mr. James will also make inquiry into the secondary schools of the nearest states in the United States. He will place before the students the superior facilities offered in the province of Ontario for secondary education in the hope of inducing them to come here.

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RED CROSS SOCIETY. Congress in London—Lord Roberts in Behalf of the Queen, Welcomed Delegates. London, June 11.—Field Marshal Lord Roberts, in behalf of Queen Alexandra, who is president of the British Red Cross Society, to-day welcomed the delegates to the eighth international Red Cross Congress, which assembled in Easter Hall here to-day. The Marquis de Vogte, a Frenchman, president of the central committee of the French Red Cross Society, replied in behalf of the delegates. The Empress of Russia and Florence Nightingale sent messages of congratulations.

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THREE PERISHED. Members of Survey Party Lost Their Lives by Capsizing of Canoe. Ottawa, June 11.—The transcontinental railway commission has received a report from Engineer W. D. Robertson, who is in charge of a party east of Abitibi lake, stating that J. W. McDonald, Joseph McDonald and Rod McDonald, of Nova Scotia, who worked on the survey, were drowned on May 23rd by the upsetting of a canoe.

TRADE WITH JAPAN. Large Order For Lumber Placed in Vancouver. The lumber industry of British Columbia has become such that it is no longer a question of finding markets, but one of filling orders. Japan has begun to purchase heavily from the province.

FOREST FIRES. Toronto, June 11.—The department of lands and mines received a message to-day that forest fires are raging in Scobis and Paignone townships, along the line of the Port Arthur, Duluth and Western railway. Part of the land in the townships is crown land and part is settled. There is a considerable amount of jack pine in the townships.

THE GUARDED TREASURE. Extraordinary Credulity Results in the Fleecing of a Family. An extraordinary story of credulity and superstition comes from Zeleisdorf. A woman named Theresa Bach went to the wife of a small tradesman, Marie Iser, and told her that she could release a poor soul from purgatory and thereby obtain a great treasure but it would require money. Iser gave her a small sum, and a few days afterwards she had appeared with a packet, and said she had got the treasure, but the "poor soul" must wait another two years before being released. In the meantime the treasure must not be touched under pain of instant death, also it must be watched every night; one night she would guard it, and the next night Frau Iser must sit up. From that time the Iser family knew no peace. The Bach woman was continually drawing small sums of money from them, in the name of the "poor soul," until they were ruined. Frau Iser had parted with nearly two hundred pounds, and two of her sons were bankrupt and their children starving. At last in sheer desperation, Marie Iser determined to open the treasure packet, although it was still two months before the two years would expire. Feeling assured that it would cost her her life, she assembled her family around her and bade them a solemn farewell.

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WHERE FARMERS BOMBARD CLOUDS

Surely the strangest known protection for crops is parked artillery pointing skyward—barrel after barrel projecting from among the vines of Austria and Hungary, Italy and Southern France.

The object of these singular weapons is to disperse hail clouds, either driving them away altogether by concussion of the air, resulting from a series of violent explosions all over the vine-clad slopes, or else causing them to descend in Gentle Rain.

Instead of destructive ice masses that may not only ruin the grape harvest of a year, but also smash and tear the vines, crippling them for many seasons.

And strange as the idea is, it is far from being new. Over a century ago the Chevalier de Jancourt noted that it never hailed on besieged towns, over which the air was in a constant state of concussion from artillery and small arm fire.

Here even in the little commune of Denise, covering only twenty-four hundred acres, the annual losses in a single decade exceeded a million dollars.

The grape growers surveyed their vines heavy with ripening fruit. Around them was the labor of months, the hard-won profits of a year. The vines had been shielded from every pest that flew and crawled; in a few days the purple bunches would be gathered. But out of the day's heat would gather black, menacing clouds, and in a period measured by moments the havoc was done—fruit and vines ruined.

During the storm mentioned, Steiger, who was also the leading vine grower of Windisch Felstritz, began experimenting with home-made cannon. He took an old locomotive smokestack, set it on an oak stump, slipped a mortar under it, loaded with eighty grams of powder, plugged it with a cork wad, and fired it off by a fuse.

The weapons carry an eight-inch cartridge of forged steel, with a percussion cap and a charge of eighty grams of powder. In short, the hail shooting guns are loaded like the old-fashioned shot guns. The artillery man will advise the visitor to watch for the "whirlwind ring." There is a heavy boom as of rock blasting, and up into the threatening ball clouds goes a vaporous circle, screaming and whistling. This is the intangible projectile which Rends the Hail Cloud.

It breaks it up, and either drives it away altogether, or else causes it to fall in a kind of slushy snow, or big raindrops. Surely this is "War with Nature" in the most literal sense. The rows of vines—the bone of contention between the angry, rolling clouds and the bellowing cannon mouths—seem to realize their peril, and droop big protective leaves over their great, blooming, purple bunches. Suddenly the enemy above will be seen to waver. The black clouds become billows of rolling smoke. They appear to give way, and like a flash the sun shines gloriously through a rift. The gunners shout from hill to hill and work faster than ever. The busy cannons puff their cottony smoke and screaming rings of vapor, and a few minutes later the dark-browed invader breaks and scurries across the sky to less protected regions.

One of the latest converts to the hail shooting is Professor Doleric, director of the viticulture school at Rudolfswerth, Austria. He had long scouted all possibility of fighting hail by means of these Sky-Pointing Guns.

until involuntarily he assisted at a big demonstration which saved hundreds of acres of a costly vintage, while in unprotected vineyards only a couple of miles off enormous damage was done.

Scientists like Professor F. Houalle, agricultural meteorologist, of

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Montpellier, produce exhaustive theories as to the cause of hail. As to the vine growers and the vast industry dependent upon them, amounting to scores of millions of dollars annually, they are thankful and content about the result and care little for its physical causes. They have had pamphlets distributed to them containing high sounding sentences about "globules," "electric tensions," "ascending hot air," "super-saturation," "gaseous projections," and the like. They have tried to understand it all; but what interests them most is the actual saving of the vine harvest.

They were interested, however, in experiments made to test the force of the "Whirlwind Ring."

As it is seen ascending after each explosion. Their scientific guardians put up paper targets seven feet in diameter backed with wire netting. And at a distance of three hundred feet, the whirlwind ring of vapor went clear through the tough paper like a solid hoop. Another experiment lifted a hanging wooden target weighing over three hundred pounds. Vermorel and Gastine hold that this ring is not made of air ejected with enormous force.

As to experiments in the field, the cost of cannon and maintenance has been reduced by the government subsidies, until it is within the reach of the humblest grower. Isolated or unorganized firing is of uncertain use. There should be at least one cannon to every one hundred and thirty-five acres, and the total cost of maintaining a battery does not exceed thirty-five cents an acre—a very low insurance indeed.

Against Their Destruction. This is the heaviest initial cost; while the annual charge for use amounts to less than twelve cents an acre. Firing begins as the clouds near the zenith, with one shot a minute for each station, increased later on to three every minute. Naturally the firing slows down when rain begins to fall, for by that time the axis of the hail storm has passed over the cannon, and the peril is over.

But perhaps the queerest use of all to which this agricultural ordnance has been put is found in the French possessions of Madagascar and Algeria. Here their great funnel-shaped muzzles have been turned upon vast menacing swarms of grasshoppers and locusts. In whose cloudlike hosts the famous "whirlwind ring" has cut mighty swaths so discouraging that the destructive insects forthwith resolve to seek pastures new across the sea.

A MORNING CLIMB IN JAMAICA

When first I went to live at Barbican the sweet charms of the place fascinated me beyond anything I had known elsewhere, so out-of-the-world it seemed, and so like fairyland, with its gorgeous flowers and deep shadows of dense woods, and with the wonderful fragrance of the night-flowering shrub which in the darkness were all aglow with innumerable dancing fireflies.

One morning, having visitors staying in the house, we agreed that for their amusement we would make an early expedition on foot, and picnic for the day on one of the many heights that, shutting us in from the north side of the island, commanded a view varied and extensive both seaward and landward.

We packed up luncheon baskets and calculated upon Nature's supplying us with oranges and mangoes ad libitum. The first breath of the morning had indicated me and set my nerves tingling with delight; when we were fairly started our feelings were almost as beyond bounds as if we were English boys home from school for the first long holidays. Fearing to create too great an excitement by arousing the lodge-keeper's sleeping menagerie, we walked down the drive with due solemnity, as it became persons going out by stealth into the darkness. Not that it was really dark; the full moon was hining upon us from a cloudless sky, and where her rays were not interrupted by dense foliage, our pathway was bathed in light as clear as day, only more gentle.

By-and-by we got into the high road, where our exuberant spirits found vent in merry talk and laughter. Over our heads waved the gracefully arched bamboos, with the moonlight dancing through their pointed leaves like so many fairy arrows. No sound was heard except our own voices for a long while; even the cicadas and frogs, which fill the tropic night with their unmelodious chirpings and croakings, had finished their concert, and the morning air was still. After we had proceeded some way, a crowing cock told us of other life near, and dogs at some huts about half a mile distant in the woods began to bark; we passed into a narrow mountain gorge, a stream tumbled noisily down amongst the bananas and huge ferns that filled the hollow on our left, and a great escarpment of limestone formed a white wall on our right, reflecting the light and re-echoing the sound.

Presently we entered such a cathedral of vegetation that, powerful as the light was, it could not penetrate the foliage, and objects were but dimly visible. The giant boughs of the silk cotton tree towered eighty or a hundred feet above and spread equally in all directions, supporting a small forest of epiphytes; the immense leaves of the trumpet plant, the lighter clothed gentian tree, and the oak-like branches of the mango, covered thickly with glossy leaves and bunches of gorgeous fruit, mingled strangely together, and were bound by vines and climbers into a weird but magnificent architecture. Beneath this temple roof our path lay narrow and sometimes rugged; but it wound ever upward, and often it was flower strewn. Now and then our feet slipped in the soft rich soil, or our headgear got entangled in the bushes. Though the air was cool, it was hot work climbing; the sun, as yet, was several degrees below the horizon, and we wanted to reach the summit of the mountain before he did. Sometimes we paused to look back over the view below. At first all was mountainous and densely wooded; then we came to little points whence we overlooked the plain, and beyond lay the sea. Very still and peaceful it all seemed. The great city of Kingston was like a small grey-

white patch among the green; the camp ground of the soldiers looked like a wee picnic ground dotted over with pins, which were the tents. But upward ever as we went the scene enlarged and beautified; there were the foaming breakers round the Cayes, looking like specks of silver and diamonds and the great guardship keeping watch over our shores and linking us to the world far away. How far away! How strange and quiet was our country life! For some time that morning we saw scarcely anybody, and a hut which we passed on the mountain side was deserted. After a time we observed one or two enterprising market women moving majestically down a path of the mountains, bearing on their heads baskets of yams and mangoes.

At last a ruddy light touched rapidly the western peaks; we climbed a few steps upward, and the eastern horizon came into view, just as the splendor of the sun flooded the sky. It was like a literal opening—rather bursting open—of the gates of day. Colors too gorgeous for words, there were, and soft tints exquisitely beautiful; bands of gold and purple and crimson succeeded one another to north and south, and specially to westward, where the moon, full and large but very pale and silvery, was going down. She sank suddenly, almost as a dark drop quickly to his west, the same moment the sun appeared in all his triumph; we were speechless at the beauty and wonder of it all. I was hardly surprised that the daily miracle of the sunrise on the newly-glorified earth touched some deep feelings in our light-hearted girls who stood a moment hand-in-hand rapt in admiration and then walked on quite silently for a few minutes. Soon after sunrise we sat down to lighten our lunch baskets, and oranges from a tree near by came in opportunely; then, refreshed, we climbed on. An old man was just beginning to work in his little "plantation"—something like an allotment garden in an English village; he really had very little to do in helping Nature to produce a luxuriant land, that "if you tickle the earth with a hoe, she laughs with a harvest." The man's "missus"—his woman—was probably one of the peasants we had met carrying the load to market, and he gave us merrily a big stare of wonder as he did his chores about the little wooden palm roofed shed he called home.

Along the ridge of the mountain was now an easy grassy walk, under spreading branches of cacao trees. Southward, towards the Liguanea plain, the slope was channelled by fierce but fitful torrents which were concealed from view, even when their roar was most distinctly heard, by masses of ferns, bananas, plantains and tangled shrubs. Under the trees, whose shelter from the sun we now found pleasant, the grass was long and heavy with dew, and our garments clung about us, though not altogether in graceful Grecian style. Somebody had told us that the pathway along this avenue was called the "Lover's Walk." Attractive as a promenade it doubtless would be if transported near some English city, but we were too hungry and wet for romantic fancies, and rejoiced at the first glimpse of grey shingles and green-painted balconies which told us that we had almost arrived at Hyiar Cottage, where we should enjoy breakfast and rest.

EELS GREAT TRAVELLERS. The life history of the common eel just completed by Dr. John Schmidt is mentioned as one of the most fascinating ever worked out by the naturalist. The spawning ground for Europe proves to be the Atlantic, where the depth is about 500 fathoms, along the coast from Norway to Spain and to the deep-sea region the eels make a long journey from the inland fresh waters of the continent. Here the females deposit their eggs, which gradually develop into deep, ribbon-shaped larvae (leptocephalus brevirostris). The leptocephali reach their greatest development about June, when they cease to

TIMES' FASHION HINT



GOWN WITH NEW WIDE SLEEVE.

Gray and white striped silk is used for the frock pictured, the costume showing the wide Japanese sleeve cut in one with the bodice. The frock was made with a deep pointed vest which extended to the high girde front and back. Cream color Chantilly lace was used for the vest and ruffled under-sleeves. Round embroidered dots in black silk, alternating with trefail figures in watermelon pink, outlined the vest and sleeves, the edges of which were piped with a narrow fold of pink taffeta. The high girde was also of the taffeta. The skirt was trimmed with two applied folds of striped silk cut on the bias.

coat from Norway to Spain and to the deep-sea region the eels make a long journey from the inland fresh waters of the continent. Here the females deposit their eggs, which gradually develop into deep, ribbon-shaped larvae (leptocephalus brevirostris). The leptocephali reach their greatest development about June, when they cease to

feed and enter into a retrogressive metamorphosis lasting about a year, in which they take no food and gradually decrease in size and take on the slender eel-like form. Near the close of the metamorphosis the creatures, now become eels, are very active. They start in vast numbers toward the coast, entering the nearest rivers in September to December, those farther away in January or February, but not reaching Danish waters until April and May. Many perish in the passage of the English Channel and other waters on the way. The remnant of the army of young eels finally becomes scattered in the streams all over Europe, where they feed and grow and prepare to make the return migration to the sea.

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AT 2 P. M.

All the said property will first be put up on bloc, and, if in the discretion of the auctioneer, no adequate bid is received, the sale will be continued in parts and lots as the auctioneer may determine. Terms, 10 per cent. cash, balance within 30 days, if sold on bloc. If sold in lots, cash.

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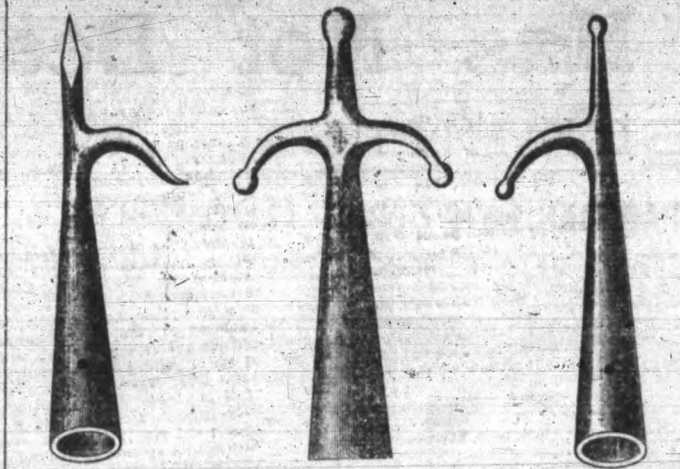
### FIGHT AT DANCE.

House Almost Demolished and One Man Lost His Life.

Winnipeg, June 11.—Lutz Soroby, aged twenty years, was killed in a fight at 561 Burrows' avenue last night by being struck with stones thrown by a fellow-countryman, who had been attending a dance at the house.  
Shots were fired, and that other fatalities did not result is surprising to the police. The house, a small three-roomed cottage, is a total wreck, and there is not a whole pane of glass left in it. Nineteen persons were arrested, and about sixty foreigners made a rush for the place, and in the mixup which ensued Soroby was stoned to death.

### C. P. R. TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Montreal, June 11.—The C. P. R. traffic receipts for the week ending June 7th, amounted to \$1,554,000. For the same week last year the receipts amounted to \$1,237,000.



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Varied, indeed, are the types of soldiers who go to make up the Indian native army. Representatives of a thousand tribes, of scores of races and sub-races, a wonderful heterogeneous collection, affording many a tangled skein for the ethnologist to unravel should he feel inclined. Men of the north, the east, the west, and the south, varying in complexion from lighter olive than that of the Spaniards, to a brown so deep that in certain lights it were difficult to distinguish it from black. Tall and well-built some, others of medium height and strength, and yet others short, thick, and compact, like Japanese, and the diversity of features even more marked.

See the proud Sikh step past, first and foremost of our Indian warriors who has poured out his life-blood in many a distant "strip of red" for the glory of the Empire. Scion of a noble race, hewn, as it were, from out the effete Hindus of the Punjab in the Middle Ages, quickened with the spirit of a new religion, and later to become renowned in arms by reason of a long and bitter fight for very existence with the usurping Moslem, his bearing is impressive in the extreme. Of magnificent height and a good physique, whiskered and bearded, his features of almost classic type, there is might and reliance in every inch of him. Firm in character, of independent spirit, abhorring cowardice, he is a born soldier. Nature's fighting man, and from giving us some of the hardest tussels it was ever our lot to meet, he has become the pride of our Indian fighting men—the pick of the army.

By way of contrast, yet he merits second place at least, note the wiry and active little Gurkha, almost fresh from the snows of Thibet, his record there and at Dargal, known to the world. What a strange blending of Mongol and Aryan blood, and yet what an admirable strain the result! The Gurkha showed of what stuff he was made when he fought us nearly a hundred years back. We admired him for the great courage he then displayed, and when at the peace of Segowli he gave up all designs on our territory, and promised to settle down peacefully, we struck up a rare friendship with him, which has continued to this day. His country proper, Nepal, is a kingdom which is absolutely independent, and its offer of help during the Sikh war and the splendid services rendered during the mutiny have cemented the alliance between us so strongly that there is no fear now of a rupture. There is little sentiment about the Gurkha, or emotion either. Phlegmatic in temperament, dogged and deliberate at all times, he never loses his head on the field of battle. Ready alike for a steady advance of a "forlorn hope," he manages to "get there" with surprising result, while his hearty good humor, exhibited whether the fortunes of war be for or against him, has found for him a warm friend in "Thomas Atkins," especially "Jack." The Gurkha is a feature of the Indian army it would miss sadly were it despoiled.

A strange mixture still is represented by the tall, muscular, and clean-limbed Pathan, a few years back at logger-heads with us—some of his kind none too well disposed towards us now. A touch of the Aryan and the Scythian, or Tartar, something of the Afghan and the Persian, and a glint of the Turk, have made him a first-class fighting man and given him a character on which no dependence can be placed. When he is at home he is an adept in the art of shedding blood, with an unholty zeal for avenging a fancied insult to himself or his religion—Islam—but under restraint, caught young and taught to obey, he is in some respects the beau ideal of a soldier. Give him some hard, rough work to do in the fighting line, and he goes at it like a blood-hound unleashed. To one who knows him, the horrors of war never appear more real than when he hears a Pathan attack! Kipling has sung of him, many admire him, most at a distance, and yet Afridi, Waziri, or Shiwazi, as the case may be, the Pathan is a valuable acquisition to our Indian forces.

### SHORTAGE OVER THIRTY THOUSAND

Experts Still Examining Accounts of John Riplinger, Former Comptroller of Seattle

Seattle, June 11.—The known defalcation of John Riplinger, formerly comptroller of the City of Seattle, is in excess of \$30,000. This much has been developed by the investigation of the experts who are now checking up the accounts that were in charge of the former official.

Riplinger did not confine himself to special funds of which he appears to have been the sole custodian, and a cheque of the accounts shows that in some instances he had been paid money which could hardly be credited to any fund. It was money that belonged to the City of Seattle, was received for by the former comptroller and its final disposition is one of the features of the investigation that is making the work of the experts decidedly tedious.

For five weeks the auditing of the several funds has been in progress, and while the end does not appear in sight, it is expected that a final report will be made to Treasurer Russell before the close of the week.

Accounts at hand show that the receipts from the fixed estimate fund aggregate something like \$30,000. This amount was paid by contractors on various public improvements, who fixed charges for engineering and other incidentals were established before the award. This amount was in each case paid to the contractor in addition to his contract price for such improvement, he paying the amount to the comptroller.

The fact that the experts have found that all of Riplinger's apparent expenditures were not confined to any of the established funds increases the belief that there will never be any chance of fixing the exact amount of the aggregate defalcation that will be charged against the former comptroller.

### RECORD WHALE CATCH ON COAST

(Continued from page 1.)

lying at Sechart ready for shipment, but owing to the extremely wet weather the whaler did not wait to take the cargo on board.

To-morrow the little C. P. R. steamer will proceed to Esquimaux to have a new furnace fitted. A portion of her present one was carried away in a recent gale off the West Coast.

### AUGMENTING FORCES.

Mex. Mexican Troops Are Being Hurried to Frontier—Conditions Are Chaotic.

Mexico, June 11.—Conditions on the Guatemalan frontier were accurately depicted to-day by one who has just arrived from that section and who is Mexico's agent for the various Central American republics. This agent, who for political reasons desires that his name be not used, declared that the people on both sides of the border are greatly excited and that only a word from President Diaz would be necessary to cause an army of 10,000 to attempt to march upon the Guatemalan camp. He said that hundreds of Guatemalans were daily crossing the line and coming into Mexican territory. These people, he avers, relate pitiable and horrible stories of oppression.

As to the Guatemalan forces now on the border, he declared that not more than 2,000 were visible, but that within a day's march of the frontier 8,000 troops were distributed. Traffic on the border is at a standstill and business conditions are chaotic. The Mexican forces are daily augmented. Work is being rushed on the Panamanian Railway, and the road is now operating trains to Huixtla, seventy-five miles from the border.

### ACCUSED OF THEFT.

Police Officer and Fireman Are in Jail on Murder Charge.

(Associated Press.)  
Calgary, June 11.—Stripped of their uniforms, Police Officer Quirk and Fireman Charlsonau now lie in jail here charged with the theft of goods while guarding the book store of D. K. Young & Co., after the recent fire. Both practically admit the charges. Quirk was formerly a member of the Winnipeg police force.

### "BEAST IN A CAGE."

Boy Murderer Rehearses Ghastly Tragedy With Passionate Realism.

Thirty years' penal servitude is the sentence just inflicted at Milan on a youth named Bassanti for a cold-blooded murder.

Falling one bitterly cold night to bed, Bassanti was awakened by the sound of a door opening and a man came in who he acted as errand boy made him up a bed in the store room.

During the night Bassanti, through pure caprice, as he himself boasted in court, took it into his head to butcher his master, and seizing a log of wood that lay in a corner he cudgelled the sleeping man to death.

He then plundered the safe, drained a bottle of champagne, and afterwards rifled the pocket-book and purse from the corpse.

Having closed all the windows and doors securely he walked away leisurely.

Next day, feigning a stroke of good luck, the assassin entertained a party of friends to dinner. He bought a new outfit and bicycle for himself, and made a present of 44 to his father.

During the trial the presiding judge desired the prisoner to demonstrate to the jury the manner in which he perpetrated the crime.

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