

## NO DECISION UPON CITY'S WATER SUPPLY

### Aldermen Engage in Animated Debate Without Reaching Conclusion--Three New Schemes Submitted.

Three new water schemes were submitted at the special meeting of the city council last night. Ald. Fell proposed one involving an expenditure of \$154,490 in addition to the cost of meters and cleaning Elk Lake. Ald. Hall suggested an expenditure of \$10,000 without the passage of a by-law, and the Mayor brought forward a brand new \$300,000 scheme, eliminating his 30-inch wood main and substituting a 24-inch steel one.

Two important suggestions were also brought forward. Ald. Fell strongly urged the taking of water matters out of the hands of the council and placing them in charge of three commissioners, who would be uninfluenced by municipal politics. Ald. Davey brought a new point of view before the board by advocating the borrowing of money upon security of the waterworks and the revenue derived therefrom. The right to do this without approval by the ratemakers was questioned for a time by the water commissioner, but finally he admitted Ald. Davey was right.

Before the meeting His Worship and Ald. Yates and Douglas held a consultation in the Mayor's parlor. Ald. Davey, in the committee room, meantime pondering over his theory of security from revenue only. Other aldermen were debating various phases of the question in the city engineer's office, but all were on hand shortly after 8 o'clock. There being no minutes to be read the first business taken up was a report of the finance committee, recommending the appropriation of \$12,750.44 under authority of Permanent Improvement By-law No. 12. This was adopted nem con.

Upon His Worship stating the object of the meeting--the water question--Ald. Douglas objected to discussing it as he had not been furnished with a copy of the Adams' reports. It was pointed out they were published in full by local newspapers, and the representative from South Ward was furnished with a copy.

Ald. Stewart moved the reports be taken from the table with the object of opening the discussion. Everyone voted aye.

Then His Worship proceeded to pay his respects to the Times. He asked the city clerk to read an interview with Ald. Fell. This was done, and the alderman mentioned was cross-examined by the Mayor.

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## VICTORIA FREE FROM DISEASE

### PRONOUNCED A CLEAN CITY BY INSPECTOR

Sanitary Officer Wilson. Makes Grati-fying Announcement to Times Reporter.

"We have a perfectly clean city." This terse but gratifying statement was made yesterday by Sanitary Inspector Wilson to a representative of the Times. That official's very expressive countenance beamed with satisfaction as he made the announcement. There wasn't a case of cholera, typhoid, or any of the common infectious diseases that he knew of anywhere within the limits of the municipality. The isolation hospital was deserted, in a standpoint where better than had been the case for many, many months.

After Inspector Wilson had made these remarks in reference to the situation locally, he commenced to speak of the lepers, of whom he was in charge for many years before the provincial government assumed the responsibility of the maintenance of the lazaretto at D'Arcy Island. The reporter asked what was being done with the suspect who, readers of the Times will remember, was discovered in Chinatown some time ago. He was being kept in close custody, was the effect of the reply, but as yet the indications were not such as to enable medical men to positively identify the disease. For this reason no steps had been taken yet to having him removed to the colony. The fact that he is kept in custody, however, is diagnosed and proved, beyond a doubt, to be leprosy. Were the Chinaman to be placed among those afflicted with this disease, it would mean that he would soon contract it, however clean he might be before being put there. And so Inspector Wilson said that he would not be long in the balance.

Speaking of the proposal of the Dominion government to remove the lepers from D'Arcy Island, Inspector Wilson doubts whether a much better site could be procured. He explains that they have become comfortable there, and that they have their gardens, and a line of routine which would be more or less upset should they be called upon to transfer.

## BY-LAWS PASSED BY OAK BAY COUNCIL

### GOVERNING SHOOTING IN THAT DISTRICT

And Prohibiting The Starting of Dangerous Fires--Text of the Measures.

Considerable discussion has been created as a result of several by-laws that have been adopted recently by the Oak Bay municipal council. The two most important are one "to regulate firearms" and another "to prohibit the starting of dangerous fires." In regard to both, however, there seems to be much misunderstanding. For that reason both by-laws, which are brief and to the point, are published. They follow:

To Regulate Firearms.

The municipal council of the municipality of Oak Bay enacts as follows:

1. No person shall, without the permission of the municipality, carry a rifle, pistol or fowling piece, or any firearm, within the limits of the municipality of Oak Bay. The penalty for any infraction of this by-law shall be for every offence a sum not less than \$5 and not exceeding \$10.

2. This by-law may be cited as the "Firearms By-Law."

Passed the municipal council the 27th day of August, 1906. Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the council this 29th day of August, 1906.

To Prohibit the Starting of Dangerous Fires.

The municipal council of the corporation of Oak Bay enacts as follows:

1. No one (except an owner or lawful occupant of land on the land owned or occupied by him or his or her servants) shall light or make any fire in any part of the municipality of Oak Bay except below high tide mark and below and clear of drift wood, and there only on observing the strictest care and precaution to prevent such fire spreading above high tide mark. Any person lighting or making any fire below high tide mark in the municipality of Oak Bay shall completely extinguish such fire before leaving the place where such fire has been lit, or made. High tide as used herein shall not mean extreme, but ordinary average high tide.

2. An owner or occupant of land shall take the strictest care and precaution to prevent any fire started by him on the land owned or occupied by him from spreading beyond it.

3. The penalty for breach of this by-law shall be a sum not exceeding \$10 for each offence.

## MEMBERS AND SENATORS MAY VISIT THE COAST

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 31.--A motion will be made at the next session of parliament for a trip of senators and members to the Pacific coast. Joseph G. H. Ferguson is heading the movement.

## THE HARVARD CREW

### Visit of United States Oarsmen Has Aroused Great Interest

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 31.--The London newspapers are taking increased interest in the Harvard University crew's visit. The Daily Telegraph this morning reports Charles Dickens' speech delivered at the dinner of the two crews on the occasion of the contest in 1869. "because," says the Daily Telegraph, "it so well expresses the feeling of British hearts at the presence of another Harvard crew upon the Thames."

## CANADA'S REVENUE

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 31.--Canada's revenue keeps climbing. The month of August shows an increase of \$402,936 over the same time last year. The revenue for the month was \$4,915,951. For the two months of the fiscal year the revenue was \$9,176,320, an increase of \$164,678.

## CRICKETER'S RECORD

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 31.--Hirst, the Yorkshire cricketer, playing at Scarborough yesterday, completed the season's record by scoring 2,000 runs and taking 200 wickets during the season.

## A MARKET FOR CANADIAN PRODUCE

### EARL GREY'S ADVICE TO AGRICULTURISTS

Says They Should Endeavor to Build Up a Trade With the Orient.

(Associated Press.)

Prince Albert, Sask., Aug. 31.--Replying to the civic address of welcome yesterday, Earl Grey took occasion to extend several wise suggestions to western agriculturists, chief among which was that they should endeavor to cultivate the Oriental market with its great possibilities.

## NEW ZEALAND LINERS MUST CALL AT VICTORIA

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 31.--It has been reported to the trade and commerce department that the second vessel of the New Zealand line did not call at Victoria. On a former occasion the officers promised to call regularly in future.

## WARM

(Associated Press.)

London, Aug. 31.--The last day of August has been the hottest yet recorded in this country, to-day registered 91 degrees in the shade and 112 in the sun. A number of heat prostrations in the streets were reported.

## QUEEN WILHELMINA

Received the congratulations of the foreign diplomats on the occasion of her twenty-sixth birthday. The observance of the anniversary was quite general throughout Holland, though the people have not yet recovered from the gloom cast over the country by the recent announcement that the joyful anticipation of the Queen of giving birth to an heir to the throne had again been frustrated.

## WILL OPEN FAIR

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Aug. 31.--Sir Wilfrid Laurier will open the Canada Central fair here on September 1st.

## STOLYPIN'S MESSAGE TO GOVERNOR

### MUST NOT BE DISMAYED BY ACTS OF TERRORISTS

(Associated Press.)

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.--Premier Stolypin has sent a circular to the governors instructing them not to be dismayed by the threats or acts of the terrorists as he is sure the population generally will eventually come to the support of the authorities in the war against the revolutionists.

## POPULATION WILL SUPPORT AUTHORITIES IN THE WAR AGAINST THE REVOLUTIONISTS

(Associated Press.)

Moscow, Aug. 31.--The Viedemosti, the leader of the reactionary press of Russia, created a sensation today by printing correspondence exchanged between M. Usovitch, who holds the rank of state councillor and who is president of the monarchal party of Kief, and Dr. Von Miguel, the German charge d'affaires at St. Petersburg.

## BASEBALL AFFAIRS

(Associated Press.)

New York, Aug. 31.--A dispatch to a morning paper from Boston says: "It is persistently rumored here that President Pullman of the National League has got control of the Boston Nationals and that an announcement of the deal is being withheld until the close of the present season."

## LUMBERMAN'S DEATH

(Associated Press.)

Peterboro, Ont., Aug. 31.--W. B. Kelly, one of the prominent lumbermen of this district, is dead as the result of injuries sustained by being thrown from his buggy in a street collision about a week ago. Mr. Kelly was seventy.

## A FOOTBALL MATCH

(Associated Press.)

Great interest is being taken among Y. M. C. A. members in the football match to be played at Ganges Harbor on Monday next--Labor Day. Being the first game of the season, it will give an opportunity to judge of the material from which the season's teams shall be picked. The game will be between the Intermediates and a team chosen by E. M. Whyte.

## SILVER WEDDING

(Associated Press.)

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cullin receive Pelititions of Large Party of Friends.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cullin, 7 Princes street, was the scene of a merry party last night. It was the occasion of their silver wedding, and the bride and groom were the recipients of the hearty congratulations from the large number of friends present. The presents all consisted of the high regard in which they were held by the guests.

## ESCAPED IN AUTOMOBILE

(Associated Press.)

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 31.--Early today three men and a woman, all masked, entered the post office at Poughkeepsie. They blew open the safe, secured \$500 in money and \$50 in stamps, and escaped in an automobile.

## LEADER OF CUBAN REBELS IS MAKING FOR THE MOUNTAINS

(Associated Press.)

Havana, Aug. 31.--A dispatch to the Associated Press from San Juan de los Rios this morning announced that Pino Guerra was reported to be moving more northward towards the mountains.

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C. P. R. STEAMER'S FAST PASSAGE

RECORD TIME BETWEEN MOVILLE AND RIMOUSKI

Arrival of the Empress of Ireland-- Girl Burned to Death at Cornwall.

Rimouski, Que., Aug. 30--The importance to the world at large of the Canadian route between Europe and America was demonstrated by the arrival here this afternoon of the R. M. S. Empress of Ireland...

C. P. R. Annual Report.

Montreal, Aug. 30--The annual report of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company was issued today. Besides the financial statement, the figures of which have already been made public, showing a surplus on the year's operations...

Quebec, Aug. 30--The battleship Dominion, which touched bottom when coming up the Bay of Chaleur, is said to be in a much more serious condition than generally believed, and is making

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NEARLY FIVE HUNDRED KILLED AND WOUNDED

Victims of Terrorist in Russia During the Week--Many Robbed and Reported.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 30--Official statistics of the terrorism of last week show that 401 officials, gendarmes, police and soldiers were killed, 38 were wounded, 2291 private persons were killed or wounded, 24 spirit shops were plundered, private and individual institutions were robbed of \$180,035, and state institutions of \$31,981.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 29--A new party, strongly anti-Jewish in sentiment and which will be designated as the "Popular National party," has been formed. Its position being midway between the Centre and the extreme rightists...

THE LOSS OF THE PRINCESS. Details of Wreck on Lake Winnipeg in Which Six Persons Perished.

West Selkirk, Man., Aug. 29--Details have been received of the wreck of the steamer Princess on Lake Winnipeg on Sunday last, after a long fight with the elements.

Water in all but three of her tanks. Experts are coming out from England to examine her before she leaves. Burned to Death. Cornwall, Ont., Aug. 30--The residence and barns of Joseph Pitts, sir, Maple Grove, were destroyed by fire this morning, and his daughter, Aggie, aged about 15 years, was burned to death.

Another Blaze. Tilsonburg, Ont., Aug. 30--Fire destroyed the forge room of the Maple Leaf harvest tool works. The damage is heavy.

The Record Crop. Portage la Prairie, Aug. 30--William Fulton, of Oakland, has the record crop of the season for this district. This week he threshed a field of 35 acres, which yielded 1,406 bushels of No. 1 northern wheat...

INFERNAL MACHINE. Found by Stevedore--Exploded When Thrown Into River.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29--An infernal machine was discovered today in the hold of the steamship Eaglepoint on the vessel lay in the Delaware river at the Philadelphia and Reading grain elevator.

The Infernal Machine Endangered the Life of Capt. Robertson and a crew of thirty men. It was discovered in the afterhold by Sylvester Travino, a stevedore. He carried it to the captain, who threw it into the river. As it sank it exploded, sending a column of water fifty feet into the air.

STEAMER REPORTED. Cape Race, Nfld., Aug. 28--Steamer Columbia, Glasgow and Moville for New York, was in communication by wireless with the Marconi station here when 120 miles east of this point at 6 a. m.

WAS AN EMBREZZLER. The list of securities held by the Trust Real Estate Trust Company today disclosed the fact that Frank K. Hippie, president of the institution, who committed suicide, was an embrozzler.

Go with the crowds to Gorge park.

FINAL JUDGMENT IN WILL CASE

DECISION REACHED BY PRIVY COUNCIL

The Full Text of the Recent Finding in the Hopper vs Dunsmuir Appeal.

The full text has been received of the recent judgment given by the Lords of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council on the consolidated appeals of Joan Olive Dunsmuir vs. James Dunsmuir, and of Edna Wallace Hopper vs. James Dunsmuir.

The action which gave rise to these appeals was brought for the purpose of having the probate of the will of one Alexander Dunsmuir recalled, and the will set aside on the grounds of incapacity and undue influence.

The appellants, Edna Wallace Hopper, a step-daughter of the testator, was the plaintiff. She claimed under and in right of her mother, who died soon after the testator's death. Her position as plaintiff was made difficult, if not impossible, by the fact that her mother for valuable consideration had renounced all interest in the testator's estate.

The will which was impeached was executed on the 21st of December, 1898, the day on which the testator married the plaintiff's mother, Mrs. Wallace, with whom he had lived for many years. The will gave everything to the testator's only brother, the respondent James Dunsmuir, with whom he was living at the time of his death.

The testator had resided for nearly 30 years in San Francisco, managing there the most important business of the coal raised from the Dunsmuir collieries. He died at New York on the 20th of January 1900 at the early age of 46.

The trial of the action took place before Drake, J. It lasted 42 days--a record for any case tried in the court. The witnesses were no fewer than 80 in number, and a vast quantity of evidence was collected, some relevant, a great deal irrelevant, but admitted on the plea that it was necessary for a complete survey and just appreciation of so important a case.

On the argument before this board the learned counsel for the appellants naturally put the question of capacity in the forefront of their contention. On that question there was only one judgment against them. Their lordships, as has recently been declared in the House of Lords in the case of Winans v. Attorney-General (1904 A. C. 257), that it lies on the party alleging that the domicile of origin has been lost to prove clearly that another domicile has been gained and the domicile of origin abandoned.

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residence in lodging houses and hotels until the last year of his life, when he bought an estate in California for and in the name of the lady whom he ultimately married. The learned counsel for the appellants relied much on this purchase, but their lordships think that no conclusion can be drawn from that one way or the other. It may perhaps be observed that while, on the question of domicile, the learned counsel relied upon this purchase as showing a fixed determination on the part of the testator, when they came to the question of capacity, their case was, that during the last year of his life and for some time previously, the testator had no mind or will of his own.

On the question of capacity and undue influence, the learned counsel for the appellants were even in greater difficulties than they were on the question of domicile. It is well settled, as their lordships had occasion quite recently to remind counsel, that when the question is whether concurrent judgments of the courts below shall be reversed on the ground that the judges have taken an erroneous view of the facts, it is incumbent on the appellant to adduce the clearest proof that there is error in the judgment appealed from, and to point out the blunder or mistake. It is sufficient to refer to the judgment of this board delivered by Lord Herschell in the case of Allen v. Lord (1894) to show that the burden is on the appellant to show that the conclusion their lordships would arrive at if the matter came before them for the first time, but whether it has been established that the judgments of the courts below are clearly wrong.

The learned counsel for the appellants read a carefully prepared summary of the evidence taken before the trial judge. The learned counsel for the appellants most properly placed that summary before their lordships. Instead of presenting a case built up afresh from the evidence of the witnesses, at the conclusion of this part of the case the learned counsel who was addressing the board was asked whether the Chief Justice's summary was a fair summary of the evidence. He frankly admitted that on the whole it was, although there were some omissions. In some cases he thought an erroneous estimate had been made of the value of the testimony. On this admission there was, of course, an end of the case. After the concurrent and unanimous judgments of the judges in the two courts below it would be hopeless to contend that the finding was against the weight of evidence.

Having listened to this summary of the evidence and having had an opportunity of considering the case since the argument, their lordships may observe that, in their opinion, the case is quite plain. On the one hand there is the testimony of the New York doctor who attended the testator in his last illness, and some expert evidence to the effect that the testator must have been suffering for more than a year before his death from a disease which they diagnosed, more or less positively, as alcoholic dementia. On the other hand there is overwhelming evidence to the effect that the testator was, up to the very last day of his residence at San Francisco, a capable man of business. The story is really a very simple one. The testator appeared in two different characters to two different sets of witnesses. He had always made a point of keeping away from the office and abstaining from all business matters when under the influence of liquor. No one at the office, no man of business, ever saw him drunk or incapable. When these fits of intemperance came on, he kept aloof and remained in seclusion until they were over, whether they lasted only a day or two or continued for some weeks. He had wonderful recuperative powers, and returned to business from time to time gradually broken in health but apparently as shrewd and sensible a man as ever. The will was executed immediately after the marriage, and there is the testimony of the witnesses to the will and other wedding guests and the evidence of the officiating clergyman to the effect that the testator was perfectly sober and capable on that day. On the other hand, when these fits of intemperance were on him, he appears to the witnesses of the plaintiff--bell boys at hotels, bar keepers and people of that class--to be in a condition bordering on insanity, or little removed from drizzling insanity.

As regards the charge of undue influence, it is perfectly clear, when all the facts and circumstances of the case are considered, that the will was the will of the testator and the expression of his settled purpose. All those who had claims upon him were, in his opinion, sufficiently provided for already either by his mother or by provisions which he himself had made, or by directions which his brother undertook to carry out. He had implicit confidence in his brother, and he was not to be supposed to have been coerced or interfered with by any person in any way whatever. Their lordships will, therefore, humbly advise His Majesty that these appeals should be dismissed.

The appellants will pay the costs of the appeals.

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Ottawa, Aug. 30--The business world says that there is no truth in the story that the Grand Trunk is to join the Canadian Northern to build a railway to Hudson Bay.

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THE PORT OF NEWCHWANG. Chamber of Commerce Seeks to Have Collection of Duties Suspended.

Newchwang, Aug. 30--Japan's notification that it will continue duty as a free port until China provides "Sustained" houses on the Russian frontier, resulted today in the chamber of commerce here petitioning the consular body to suspend the collection of duties at Newchwang pending the regulation of Manchurian customs. The chamber of commerce maintains that the present condition threatens the existence of Newchwang.

SITUATION IN CUBA. Gen. Avales, With One Thousand Men, Faces Guerra.

Havana, Aug. 30--General Avales and Pino Guerra are close to each other tonight, near Guanes, whither Avales with 1,000 cavalry, mounted infantry, rural guards and recruits marched to-day from Sabalo.

The Associated Press correspondent, with Gen. Avales reports that many recruits fell out along the march from illness. The opposing forces are so close tonight that a battle is expected shortly. The only fight of consequence reported to-day was a three-hour conflict between the rural guards and volunteers and an insurgent band, estimated to number 30, near Campo Florida, west of Havana. Fifty insurgents were killed and many more wounded.

Reports of surrender in compliance with the government's offer of amnesty were numerous to-night. On the other hand the insurgents have received some recruits. Col. Carlos Gaus, a prominent resident of San Antonio de Los Baños, has joined the insurgents, followed by his friends, forming the nucleus of a new band. Public knowledge of the bad behavior of Pino Guerra's force, which has looted stores in several places, is having a decidedly favorable effect on the government, as showing the undisciplined condition of this much vaunted army.

UNSUCCESSFUL. London, Aug. 30--T. W. Burgess made another attempt yesterday to swim the English Channel. He took a course over the Goodwin Sands, but the effort was unsuccessful. He was in the water eighteen hours.

MAY GO TO IRELAND.

London, Aug. 30--The Tribune states that it is rumored that General Lord Kitchener will soon be appointed to the Irish command.

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Two new court houses will be constructed in British Columbia during the next few months, the work to commence forthwith. One is to be placed at Vancouver, as mentioned by the Times previously, and another at Nelson.

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Along the front of the building the gravel will be raised to form a terrace, from which the principal entrance of the court house will be approached. This terrace will not only add to the appearance of the building, but also give the first floor all the easy advantages of access of a ground floor.

The court rooms are arranged on two floors. On the first floor are County court and the Small Debts court, and the Chambers court, together with the registrar's rooms—all easy of access to the public. The registrar's rooms are grouped together for economy of service and have the necessary vault accommodation.

The principal entrance to the building, through an Ionic portico, leads into a grand central hall, lighted by a dome which floods the whole interior of the building with light and adds dignity and spaciousness to the plan. This central hall is also convenient for the use of those having business in the courts.

On the upper floor are the Assize court and the Full court, large and well proportioned rooms, well lighted by clerestory windows, well ventilated, and situated in the centre of the building so as to be quiet and free from disturbing sounds. These courts are made of a size amply large for the purposes for which they are intended, and are arranged with the various requirements of judges' retiring rooms, jury retiring rooms, with lavatories and witness rooms, etc. To the Assize court a public gallery is provided, so that the public can be kept away from the body of the court only those having business in the court having access to it.

As before mentioned, the prisoners are brought into the dock by a staircase leading direct from the dock, thus keeping the prisoners from any possibility of contact with the public. Close to the court rooms are arranged the judges' rooms, the barristers' room and the law library, the latter being fitted up for 10,000 volumes and particularly well lighted. On the gallery floor level is also placed the grand jury room.

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## NO DECISION UPON CITY'S WATER SUPPLY

(Continued from page 1)

The Mayor—The water commissioner says that is impossible. Mr. Raymond—No petition is necessary, but the by-law must be submitted in a few minutes, however, after the city solicitor had looked up the matter, Aid. Davey was stated to be right, and that money can be borrowed on security of the waterworks without a by-law being submitted to the ratepayers.

Ald. Hall in answer to Aid. Davey, said that if redistribution were laid down 1,000,000 gallons of water additional would be required. It meant that one-third more water would be necessary to produce the same pressure as at present. It would be to put in new pipes until there was more water.

The Mayor said, within another month there would be an end of difficulties until next spring, and maybe there would be a heavy rainfall this winter.

Ald. Pett returned that nothing short of a watershed would give water this season. His Worship asked Aid. Hall why there was need for worrying about even putting a pump on before next year. Aid. Hall said he did not suggest putting it on right away, but would take three months to prepare.

Ald. Pett then made his suggestions. He said that if never convinced before he was now that a board of water commissioners was necessary. He would advocate three men, like the directors of a company. It was no use conducting a business as business at present. There was too much talk and nothing done.

Out of a multitude of reports he had some light from a person who no one perhaps, but His Worship, could equal in experience and ability. The Mayor—One of your sarcastic remarks.

"No, but a polite one," continued Aid. Pett. "You have brought in still another report differing with Adams. I am prepared to take his gladly. He deals with the previous ones. Your Worship and the water committee's, and also makes suggestions himself."

Ald. Pett went on to state that he condemned the proposal for a wood pipe in an uncertain way. His Worship had accepted that, but no other part of Mr. Adams' opinion. He, the Mayor, had a letter from one of the most eminent English engineers, who had been connected with schemes in Liverpool and Manchester, and was an authority before the Court of Chancery. That gentleman was out here 19 or 20 years ago, and knew all about Elk lake, and said that if lead pipes were used for Goldstream water citizens would get lead poisoning. If iron pipes were used they would have to be heavier, as the water was much harder. His correspondent had also given other very valuable ideas.

Elk lake had reached its limit as a source of supply. A stage had been reached where pumping became necessary, and unless the lake were left alone for a year it would never reach its normal level. It was time to quit experimenting there. The precipitation was greatly getting less. Trees were being cut and the land drained. One swamp in the old watershed was now drained into Saanich arm. Some other source of supply must be looked to. He did not suggest abandoning Elk lake; it was a valuable asset, but not a main supply. If water were cut off Highland district and an attempt made to force Elk lake water on consumers, they were certain to kick. The engineer he referred to previously had pointed out that Elk lake could be used for those residing outside the city for market gardens. In the city that water would answer for sprinkling and for laundries. For the latter it would be better than others, as the water was soft. A good revenue could be derived even if the pumps were taken off. His Worship seemed to think someone was going to abandon Elk lake.

There was no necessity in proceeding with redistribution now. Mr. Adams said the 12-inch pump was the "easiest, quickest and cheapest way." He would make a suggestion of his own, being the water committee's proposal as modified by Mr. Adams' opinion. It would require the following expenditure:

Snaps capable of containing 200,000 gallons, lined with concrete \$ 2,000 00  
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Reservoir at Smith's Hill 50,000 00  
Elevated tank for high levels, and pump for supplying same, 17,000 00  
Connecting reservoir and high level tank 20,000 00  
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Total \$144,000 00

A reservoir at Smith's Hill, instead of redistribution, was the only objection. As for meters, that proposal had been struck out while he was away, but he considered they were a good thing if used with discretion. They might kick if they got water meters, but they would kick harder at no water and no meters.

The Mayor said he had no apology to make for striking the wood main out of his proposal. His earlier experience had been the same at that of Mr. Adams, but he, the Mayor, was glad of the results of later knowledge, and accepted it.

Your Worship is playing a little too much to the gallery. Aid. Hall blamed the Mayor for putting things in all the wrong way, misrepresentation in his petition, would be in his by-law, and so on from beginning to end.

Ald. Douglas then took up the Mayor's new scheme about Sooke lake. The plant at Elk lake was good, but the water quits the reservoir. Owing to the appeal in the water case and other matters it was advisable to go slow.

Ald. Vincent—We are going slow enough. Ald. Douglas—Adv mavor must eo

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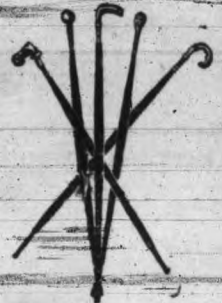
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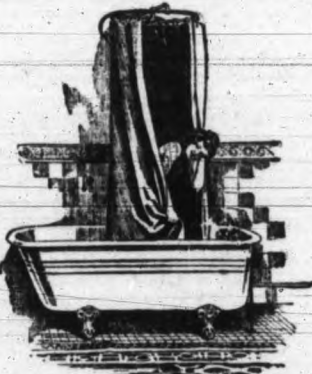
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His Worship—Certainly not; I have to respect the wishes of my people.

Ald. Vincent—How about the council? Ald. Stewart—I believe in giving the public full information, but not until we can lay it before them in a proper way.

The Mayor said he would give good reasons for his position before the matter was through. His motive in pushing his project at present was the state of insecurity from a big fire, especially in the business districts. Security of this kind would more than pay for the \$50,000 main.

Ald. Stewart suggested that the city officials work out the details of the scheme he had brought forward. If it agreed upon one thing it might be done definitely and quickly.

Ald. Yates supported this and moved the committee rise, report progress, and ask leave to sit again. This eventuality was expected, as the Mayor had said that if the council favored a scheme you would fall in with the wish of the majority.

### WILL HALDANE RETIRE?

Rumored That Changes Are About to Take Place in Imperial Cabinet.

London, Aug. 29.—A break in the Liberal cabinet of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman and consequent shifting of the portfolios among members who resign is the subject of political discussion. Mr. Haldane is expected to retire. The rumors of a cabinet break began when Mr. Haldane left for Marienburg, where the King and the Premier are stopping, to become the King's attendant. The real purpose of Mr. Haldane's visit is believed to be to report conditions in the war office, and offer his resignation, unless they express satisfaction with his work. The army men are aroused by Mr. Haldane's proposed reduction in the army. It is believed that Mr. Churchill will be promoted to the cabinet.

### AUSTRALIAN WILL COMPETE

New York, Aug. 29.—Nigel Barker, the quarter-mile Australian champion, who was a member of the Australian team and took part in the Olympic games at Athens, arrived here yesterday, where he will prepare for the coming national championship meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union, which is to be held on September 28.

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BETTER TERMS.

In discussing the question of better terms for the provinces it may be well to keep in mind all the facts of the case. It is true the new provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta have been treated with exceptional liberality by the Dominion; but it is also a fact that in return for their exceptional treatment the new provinces surrendered all their public lands to the Dominion.

DRESS REFORM.

That eminently respectable journal, the Montreal Witness, advises Canadians to revert back to the "simple life." Clothes, our contemporary holds, are expensive luxuries, and are yearly becoming more costly for the average family for the obvious reason that as class distinctions are being eliminated to an increasing extent the desire to emulate the habits and customs of our neighbors becomes more consuming.

the ancient Greek sculptors? As we have said, it would not be becoming for us to pursue the subject further at this time. We merely throw out the suggestion to the Witness as the oracle most capable of taking up the subject without danger of exciting exclamations from scandalous tongues.

There seems to have been a misunderstanding respecting the terms of the firearms-by-law passed by the municipal council of Oak Bay. The power of issuing permits to persons who can show cause why they should be allowed to carry and discharge guns within the limits of the municipality has been reserved to the Reeve.

We should surmise from the comments of the London newspapers that the visit to the "King of the Indian chiefs of British Columbia was a great success from a spectacular point of view. Londoners were greatly impressed by the appearance of the Indians in their interesting native costume, while the chiefs doubtless had their understanding illuminated in regard to the power and wealth of the Empire of which their tribes form a part.

The City Council of Victoria is seriously considering the propriety and expediency of conducting all future discussions on the water question in camera. From a purely business point of view we are sorry to hear this, because the reports of the meetings of the council have of late been of transcendent interest to the public.

The revenue of Canada continues to grow with great rapidity. We have become so accustomed to reports of monthly increases that an announcement of a decline in receipts would come upon us as an unpleasant shock. We suppose the limit must be reached some time, but the date is evidently a long distance in the future, as Canadians are just beginning to realize that they are merely on the threshold of the "growing time."

A book of surpassing attractions to all persons interested in the mountain flora of Canada has been issued by the publishing house of William Briggs, Toronto. Mrs. Julia W. Henshaw, of Vancouver, a well known British Columbia writer, is the authoress. The work is dedicated to Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

What Other People Think

THE SEALING INDUSTRY.

To the Editor:—Notwithstanding denials have come from many quarters, and among others from the Rt. Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, it is from time to time stated in the public press in the United States that negotiations are on foot here for the end in view creating a monopoly in favor of the American company operating upon the Pribilof Islands. This is a matter that I before dealt with, and as it is a matter of such importance that there was any intention upon the part of the Canadian government to assent to any such thing. But now, in view of the business call for the cabinet meeting at Ottawa and the presence there of the British ambassador, there is grave cause for alarm. Then we have an editorial of some length in the "Colonist" this morning which certainly looks as if it were inspired by those to whose immediate financial advantage the bargain would be. Here follows an excerpt from the "Colonist" editorial: "It is not pleasant to think of agreeing to surrender to any other people any right, which is inherently ours. If it is to be done, it should be done on conditions that we should agree not to exercise our right for a term of years. The question would be put on a business basis and an agreement might be possible. We waive our unquestioned right to collect duty on goods entering Canada, whose security is given that they will be promptly shipped out of the country again. In other words, we permit the transit of goods in bond. We do this, because it is good business to do so. There is no suggestion that there is any surrender to our neighbors of the right to exercise our business arrangement might be effected in regard to pelagic sealing, which would no more be a surrender of our rights than the holding of a license to hunt on the land. It is certain that the people of Canada will not assent to the permanent surrender of any of their rights upon the high seas, or to any temporary curtailment of those rights, without a substantial equivalent. And, further, we hold that as the benefits of the sealing industry are in a special manner enjoyed by the people of Victoria and Vancouver Island, so the equivalent whatever it may be, ought to be some-

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thing that can be turned to the special advantage of this city and island. In view of what appears above, it is quite evident that there is a determined movement and an apparent intention upon the part of some to influence the government to agree to the abandonment of pelagic sealing upon receiving some monetary consideration. Can it be that the Canadian people are to be so degraded and have their inalienable right to the freedom of the high seas so interfered with for some contemptible money consideration? There should be such a wave of popular opinion aroused that it would be impossible for any government to thus trifle with a matter of national importance. Now is the time for the press of Canada to voice what must be the opinion of all good citizens—that the abandonment of pelagic sealing to the United States or any curtailment of Canadian citizenship is not to be heard of, and that any attempt in any such direction will be a matter fraught with danger to the maintenance of present conditions and severely strain the loyalty of the Canadian people. A. E. McPHILLIPS, Victoria, Aug. 30th.

THE LIFEBOAT. To the Editor:—I have just read a letter in the "Times" signed by "Paul Beyrago," B. A. and C. E., in which he says: "I should like to ask the Vancouver agent how he would get a rocket to drop over a wreck when fired in the teeth of a heavy sea?" The Vancouver agent does not know what he is talking about. In my opinion Mr. Paul Beyrago does not know what he is talking about. I lived the first twenty years of my life on the east coast of Scotland, where I witnessed shipwrecks every year from my infancy, and have seen lifeboats launched every year several times a year, and have also witnessed the consular service fire rockets in the teeth of a gale to ward ships which had been driven ashore by the storm, and have seen many more saved by such consular

rocket service. In my twenty-one years' residence on the east coast of Scotland I have never seen a rocket fired towards a shipwreck unless fired in the face of a gale, otherwise no shipwreck would ever have occurred, because if the wind had been blowing from the land the ships would never have been driven ashore. I do not know who Mr. Paul Beyrago is, but I have lived here off and on for the last eighteen and a half years, and in his own language towards the "Vancouver agent," I have come to the conclusion that Mr. Paul Beyrago "does not know what he is talking about." A. W. MORE, Victoria, 30th Aug., 1906.

ANVIL SPARKS. To the Editor:—If we are short of water we have had a deluge of writing about it, and what has it all amounted to? There has been no proposition put forward by any of the writers that has the ring of success. W. W. Columbia wants water quick and wants it good, and plenty of it. If he was a Baptist he could understand his feverish desire for water, but as he is a sprinkler surely a limited supply should do him. However, W. W. Columbia is a man after his own heart, for he even goes so far as to say: "But get water? Taking it for granted that money is no object, I can show him where we can get the best and a permanent supply. The water requirements of Victoria have to be met from the Elk lake, as it is the only source of water, but as he is overgrown the supply from Elk lake, as it will also overgrow the assistance that may be derived from Highland district, and even Goldenrain, that so much has been said about it, is limited, and after a time would also fail to fill the requirements of the coming Victoria. Then the people of Victoria would have to fall back on Sooke lake, and it is doubtful if even the supply from that lake would fill the bill as it ought to be. If, as it is said, that the distance by the way a main would have to be laid from Sooke lake to Victoria is 41 miles, I think it likely if examined by a competent engineer that the water from Sooke lake could be taken to Victoria probably as cheap as from

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Sooke lake. I know people will say Cowichan lake is 60 miles from Victoria; perhaps it is by the road, but the course of the water main would be a much shorter distance, as the main could be started from the Sentry Falls, which is about eight miles this side of the end of the lake. The elevation there by aneroid is over 400 feet above the salt water. From thence the main would be taken down the Cowichan valley to Spanish Inlet. At what point it would be taken to cross is a question for engineers to solve, and from there into Victoria. Mr. Bayne says to purchase the Goldstream property and fulfill all the requirements to bring in the water and distribute it would cost \$2,000,000. I would like some expert opinion how far that sum would go in bringing in the water from Cowichan lake, and then Victoria would have one of the finest water supplies in the world, and plentiful enough to irrigate the whole of the flat lands within miles of the city, besides supplying the city, and farmers could double their crops, every lawn and garden in Victoria could be maintained in beauty and glory all summer, as this would be to a certain extent an irrigating proposition. The local government should take a hand and assist the city, and I have no doubt when the time comes, as it will have to, to fall back on Cowichan lake for its water supply. A live, progressive government must be in power and help to make the undertaking a success.

Will some of the advocates of gun licenses inform us what we are to receive to compensate us for a gun tax when for miles around Victoria hunting is prohibited by the ever-present notice: "No shooting allowed, trespassers will be prosecuted"? If one goes to the Islands district it is the same there, and the new fangled municipalities are even going a step further by attempting to prohibit hunting entirely. If it has come to pass that every little town municipality can pass and enforce any freak legislation that suits them, it is time that those who value their liberty were looking out for some other time. It seems as if a Puritanical wave has blown from the East and is endeavoring to compel us of the West to comply to their hidebound ideas of sky navigation. Perhaps they are itching for their old pastime of burning witches and torturing heretics and Quakers. W. A. ROBERTSON.

PROVINCIAL GAZETTE.

Notices in This Week's Issue of the Official Organ. The following appointments appear in this week's Gazette: F. M. Rattenbury, of the city of Victoria, to be a justice of the peace in for the province of British Columbia. Constable William L. Ferrie, of Kamloops, to be chief constable for the Kamloops police district, from the 1st day of September, 1906. Francis Parkes, of London, England, solicitor, to be a commissioner for taking affidavits within the city of London, for use in the courts of British Columbia. C. E. Courtney, of the city of Victoria, barrister-at-law, to be acting police magistrate of the city of Nanaimo, acting stipendiary magistrate for the province of British Columbia, and acting magistrate of the small debts court for the city of Nanaimo and the territory lying within fifteen miles of the said city. James A. Locke, Loyal Garret, Joseph Charbonneau and George Moran, all of Hall's Prairie, to be deputy game wardens in and for the Delta electoral district. Constable David Stephenson, of Nanaimo, to be a chief constable for the Nanaimo police district, from the 1st day of September, 1906. Frederick Inglis, M.D., of Telegraph Creek, to be resident physician at Telegraph Creek, from the 1st day of July, 1906. Robert L. McIntosh, of Port Eslington, S. M., to hold a small debts court in and for the Skeena electoral district. William J. Irwin, of North Vancouver, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia. Michael J. Feeney, of Grand Forks, to be a license commissioner for the Grand Forks license district. George McKenzie McLeod, of Van Anda, Texada Island, to be a deputy mining recorder for the Nanaimo mining division, with sub-recording office at Van Anda. Thomas S. Fletcher, of the city of Victoria, J. P., to be a court of revision and appeal for the Nanaimo, Cowichan, Alberni, Comox, Pender Island, Galiano Island, Mayne Island and Salt Spring Island assessment districts, from the 1st day of September, 1906, in the place of His Honor Judge Harrison, resigned. Cyril Tweedale, of the city of Vancouver, to be a notary public in and for the province of British Columbia. To be commissioners for taking affidavits in the Supreme court, for the purpose of acting under the "Provincial Elections Act," in the electoral districts in which they reside, such appointments expiring on the 31st day of December, 1906: Sripitkameen, Herbert Holmes, of Beaverford, and George West and William Middleton, of West-Bride; Ymir: William Henry Gage, of Clatskanie; Dewdney: Franklin R. Macdonald, of Harrison River. The change of the corporate business name from Drysdale-Stevenson, Ltd., of Vancouver, to that of David Spencer (Vancouver), Ltd., is authorized. Tenders are invited for the erection of a three-cell lockup at Hedley. Notice is given of the incorporation of the following companies: British Beer Breweries, Ltd., with a capitalization of \$100,000; Gonzales Point Land Company, capitalized at \$50,000. The Blaine Shingle Company, of Blaine, Wash., has been registered as an extra-provincial company, with Nathaniel McNair, mill foreman, at New Westminster, as attorney for the company for the province.

Executive of Agricultural Association Prepared to Wage Vigorous Advertising Campaign. Members of the executive committee engaged in attending to the many details of the British Columbia Agricultural Association have the preparations for the forthcoming annual fall fair well under way. For some time past the secretary and his assistants have been engaged in attending to many details that present themselves in the arrangements for such a show. They are making good progress and daily the outlook grows brighter. The advertising of the exhibition is receiving special notice, already over four thousand prize lists having been mailed to different sections of the province. Two hundred posters also have been sent out. It is the intention to have one of the latter placed in every hotel throughout the west, as far as Edmonton and Calgary. In all eighteen hundred of these will be set in circulation. In addition fifteen hundred half sheets and twenty thousand dodgers will be sent throughout the different sections of British Columbia. In a few days an advertising agent will take the road in order to superintend the work. An effort will be made to arrange an excursion rate from Edmonton and Calgary over the C. P. R. during the exhibition. Cheap rates is hoped will be in vogue from Sound points, a special endeavor being made to arrange for a number of extra trips from Port Angeles for the benefit of those wishing to visit the fair. The National band has been engaged to render a number of appropriate musical programmes during the progress of the fair. Judges have been secured for the various departments. They are as follows: F. M. Logan, secretary Live Stock and Dairyman's Association, light horses and dairy cattle; Andrew Brown, Galt, Ont., beef cattle, sheep and swine; Geo. Heggy, manager of Sir Arthur Stepey's ranch, Enderby, heavy horses; T. Edwards and J. Graham, poultry; Jas. Towpaley, B. C. Rice mill, grain; Frank Sere and J. W. Martindale, vegetables and farm products; Martin Bursell, Grand Forks, fruit; W. P. Burton and F. R. Pomber-



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A CHANCE YET. To secure a snap at bottom prices, as there are still some bargains left in TOOLS at ALBION IRON WORKS CO., Stock-Steel Plates, Iron, Valves, Brass Goods, etc., etc. A large quantity not yet sold. Call at the old premises of the Company. Write or inquire for particulars at the MARINE IRON WORKS. PEMBRROKE ST., VICTORIA, B. C. ANDREW GRAY, Prop. Res. Tel. 109, Office Tel. 631.

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HEAVY CLEARANCES. The Present Month's Business in Local Trade Shows a Steady Increase. The clearance for the present month amounted to \$2,700,000. Compared with the same month last year there has been an increase of \$57,000, the amount for August, 1905, being \$2,643,000. This increase of about 2 1/2 per cent. is fully borne out in all lines of business. Since 1902 there has been a steady increase. In August of that year the clearances were \$2,382,000; in 1903, \$2,712,000; and in 1904, \$2,717,000. Well-merited success from parts of the year to one of the.



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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

SPECIAL SALES TOILET GOODS COMBS BATHING SKIN TONIC PERFORMA, ETC. B. C. DRUG STORE Tel. 1074. 21 Johnson Street. J. BEAGUS, Proprietor.

RUPTURE

You get comfort and satisfaction with a Heard Truss. Free trial. Office, Moody Block, 76 Yates Street.

Last week of the bioscope at Gorge park.

Lace Curtains—Three and a half yards long by 48 inches wide. Can't beat it for \$1. Robinson's cash store, 85 Yates street.

The season is nearing its close. Take a trip next Sunday and see the beautiful scenery of the Thousand Islands of the Gulf, the picturesque frogs channel and the Troquois channel.

In the Government street window of David Spencer, Ltd., to-day, is a sample of strawberries grown by Mrs. Russell, of Esquimaux road. The berries are about the size of walnuts, being splendidly developed and matured. The most interesting fact is that it does not represent an isolated growth in the Russell garden. There is plenty more of such fruit where it came from. Fully one hundred plants are yielding prolifically in the strawberry patch from which the box full was taken. The fruit for this season of the year is one of the most remarkable showings ever seen in this city.

E. R. Stephens, Local Agent of the Great Northern Railway, has received from headquarters notice that the time limit of the excursion tickets at reduced fare issued to Eastern points over the line have been extended. The tickets are on sale Sept 8th and 10th. The final return limit of Ninety days must not exceed Nov. 16th which is an extension from the original date of Oct. 31st.

SHOOT! FISH! SMOKE! I SUPPLY THE SMOKES E. A. MORRIS THE LEADING TOBACCONIST GOVERNMENT STREET.

TENDERS WANTED for the purchase of the following Real Estate

Comprising Lots 22, 23 and 24 of Five-Acre Lot 20, on which are five cottages, stable, etc. All tenders to be received by August 31st, 1906. Lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars call at this office.

GRANT & CONYERS NO. 2 VIEW STREET.

Orchestral concert and bioscope. Gorge park.

Sheeting—Flannelette sheeting, white or grey, extra heavy, two yards wide, 40c. yard; wool sheeting, white or grey, 2 yards wide, 75c. yard. Robinson's cash store, 85 Yates street.

In the police court this morning two drunks were convicted and dealt with in the usual way. Isa Parkhill was charged with assaulting Mary Gant. The case was remanded and is being ventilated this afternoon.

Gavin Spence, the well-known Scottish entertainer, and Miss Nanette Strachan, a new soprano from Peebles, will appear at a concert to be given under the auspices of First Presbyterian church choir on September 12th.

The four sailors belonging to the crew of the Battle Abbey charged with disobeying the orders of their commander, Capt. Davidson, again came up and were remanded. It was explained that the survey of the ship's rigging, as demanded by the men, was in progress. Sentence, therefore, was remanded until this afternoon.

The funeral of William W. Bryce took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence, Jubilee avenue. Service was conducted at the house by Rev. W. Leslie Clay. There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends and many beautiful floral offerings. The pallbearers were R. Sangster, T. Lumsden, R. W. Riddell, C. McNeill, R. Mathison and W. Campbell.

A meeting of the Arrow Athletic Association was held last evening in their room, Johnson street, when the following officers were elected: President, J. W. Henney; vice-president, J. Schaefer; secretary, H. D. Moody; treasurer, Olney Harper; trustees, D. Curtis, C. Carlow, and S. Humbert. Executive committee, D. Skivington, Earl Daway and J. Rafferty; sergeant-at-arms, Wm. Hansen. Next regular meeting will be held Thursday, September 6th, and every Thursday thereafter.

Miss Nannie Strachan, soprano vocalist (sister of the late Albert B. Bach) of Galashiels, Scotland, and Gavin Spence, tenor vocalist, of Edinburgh, Scotland, will appear in this city on September 12th under the auspices of the First Presbyterian church choir in their entertainment entitled "Scotland in Song and Story." They are being received with great enthusiasm wherever they appear, not only by Scotch people, but all nationalities. They were the first to give a Scotch concert in Paris, and Le Matin says that the large hall was crowded to the doors with the most enthusiastic of audiences demanding encore after encore. Further particulars of this event will be gathered from this and the advertising columns later.

On Wednesday evening the members of Victoria West Lodge, I. O. G. T., held their usual weekly session. Business was rather quiet, the only important matter considered being an invitation from Triumph Lodge to their lodge-parade at the Soldiers and Sailors Home on Sunday evening next. It was moved and carried that as many as possible attend in regalia. The program for the evening was in the hands of Sisters E. and M. Purman, who provided something original in the way of a peanut hunt. Many and various were the devices for removing the nuts from their strange hiding places. On the call of time Bro. McCarty had received the most, and was awarded the first prize, the booty being won by Bro. Sherk. This concluded the business for the evening, and an enjoyable meeting was brought to a close.

Go with the crowds to Gorge park.

Pacific Transfer Co.

If you are leaving by the early morning boat ring up phone 249 and get your baggage hauled. Furniture moved to any part of the city at moderate terms. Wagons from 6 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.

VICTORIA'S DAILY WEATHER

Thursday, Aug. 30. Highest temperature 71. Lowest temperature 54. Mean 64. Sunshine, 7 hours 42 minutes.

VICTORIA WEATHER

July, 1906. Highest temperature 83.5. Lowest temperature 49.9. Mean temperature 66.1. Poss. precipitation for the month, 14 inch; average amount, 5.27 inch. Bright sunshine, 345 hours 12 minutes; mean daily proportion, 8.71 (constant sunshine being 12).

Bed Spreads—Lovely white, bed spreads, 60x90. Cheap at \$1.25; going at \$1. Robinson's cash store, 85 Yates street.

P. Phillips Harrison has decided to open a law office in Cumberland. Since being admitted to the bar Mr. Harrison practiced in both Victoria and Arbutus.

The remains of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Debeede, of 96 Pandora street, were laid to rest yesterday. The child was only four months old.

The merry-go-round opens up on Douglas street, opposite the city hall, to-morrow afternoon. Prizes will be given for the best girl rider in the afternoon, and for the ladies in the evening.

The fire department had a run to Victoria West last evening because of the foolish and imaginary sport of some individual who rang a bell. There was no fire, and that they should be called out on such a senseless errand has aroused the ire of the members of the department.

The Hotel Strathearn, at Shawigan, which in consequence of a recent fire in some buildings adjoining was in rather inconvenient circumstances for a water supply, has now a pumping engine going again and in a short time the management is looking forward to the re-establishment of the power plant.

In preparation for the hunting season, opening to-morrow, hundreds of hunters have gone into the country. Many have gone with the expectation of spending some time. Up the E. & N. line some have taken camping outfits and dogs and it would seem that those who go late in search of game will have some travelling to do.

In connection with the big celebration at Vancouver on Labor Day the Canadian Pacific Railway has named a cheap rate of two dollars and fifty cents for the round trip, the tickets being good going on Sunday and Monday and returning not later than Tuesday. The Princess Victoria will operate on her usual schedule, leaving here at 7:30 a.m. each day, and sailing from Vancouver at 1 p.m.

Last evening's suburban train on the E. & N. railway was detained 40 minutes on the up-trip through an accident which occurred to the engine of a freight train bound for Victoria. The freight had reached a point this side of the Summit when something went wrong, and the engine had to run back for water. In the meantime the suburban was sidetracked. On the round trip, however, the latter made up all but ten minutes of the lost time.

The date for the public meeting in the interests of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society has been changed. It has been arranged to hold this meeting on Tuesday evening instead of Wednesday, as at first announced. A change has also been made in the place of meeting, which will be the Victoria theatre instead of the city hall as originally intended. The principal speaker, as previously announced, will be Rev. W. Moore, D. D., of Ottawa. The meeting will begin at 8:30 on Tuesday evening.

In addition to the double train service arranged for Labor Day next Monday by the Esquimaux & Nanaimo railway the usual excursion rates will be in effect between all stations, tickets being on sale Saturday, Sunday and Monday, with final return limit Monday night. Following the custom of former years, the special suburban rates as far as Shawigan lake will be discontinued at the end of August, after which the usual tariff rates will be applicable. The suburban train service will, however, be operated until about the middle of September, and will prove very convenient to sportsmen.

Last week of the bioscope at Gorge park.

You will find all the Latest Creations IN Fall Suitings AT P. M. LINKLATER'S, TAILOR, FORT STREET. SEE THEM!

SIGNBOARDS FOR THE WEST COAST

HAVE BEEN ERECTED TO GUIDE MARINERS

Camosun Sails North This Evening—Launch of the Princess Royal To-morrow—The Twickenham.

The first practical step toward the providing of the west coast of this island with guidance of ship-wrecked mariners has just been taken under authority of the marine department by the erection at suitable points along the Hesquett peninsula and along the outside coast of Nootka island, locally of Bajo point and beyond, of inclusive and distance boards by which a repetition may be averted of such a lamentable disaster as that of the King David some eight months ago. It will be remembered that this vessel, on being wrecked, and there went to pieces. Her captain and all the crew made a safe landing within a dozen miles of the village of Nootka, but although so close to aid found nothing to guide them to it. Missing signs of human habitation they continued their way, and after almost a month of waiting the mate with seven of the crew went in a ship's boat in order to make for Cape Beale and there look for help. Neither boat nor men ever were heard of again. The survivors were picked up by the steamer Queen City and brought to Victoria.

The useful signboards have just been erected under the supervision of Rev. A. J. Brabant, the pioneer missionary priest of the west coast, and form a beginning in what will be an important factor of coast protection. Official police signboards, connected by a trail has not yet been given out, but is in the hands of the marine department here and at the federal capital.

LAUNCH TO-MORROW.

There will be an interesting launch ceremony, at the yard of the B. C. Marine Railway, Esquimaux, to-morrow afternoon, when the hull of the new C. P. R. steamship to be christened the Princess Royal will be given the water. Captain Troup, superintendent of the coasting service of the C. P. R. Company, who has been attending the inquiry into the Chehalis accident at Vancouver, has been notified that everything will be in readiness for the launching to take place to-morrow afternoon, and it is probable that he and other officials will be on hand to witness the interesting event.

When the hull is in the water, the steamer will be hauled and the finishing touches added to interior and exterior. Just when the Princess Royal will be ready for commission is problematical, but she will certainly be placed in service early next year, if not before.

The machinery of the steamer has been built by Bow, McLachlan & Company, of Paisley. As previously stated it is already here and will be placed in the hull just as soon as possible. The engines are triple expansion with large horse power. Until the machinery is installed it will be impossible to do much by way of testing a launch on the ship, but when this has been done it will be found that the plan followed out in the way of construction will be very similar to that seen on the Princess Victoria. The Princess Royal, however, will not be so large a vessel as that liner. She will be a six-hundred-ton vessel, considerably larger than the Princess Beatrice. In point of speed though she will be an improvement on the latter vessel. Her hull is constructed entirely of British Columbia timber, showing that in this the C. P. R. Company, have a preference for wood rather than for the use of steel.

CAMOSUN IN SERVICE.

The Union Steamship Company's northern liner the Camosun, which struck on Kestral rock at the entrance to the new Grand Trunk Pacific terminus and sustained damages which cost in the neighborhood of \$10,000 to make good, was floated from the B. C. Marine Railway this morning, and was immediately brought around to the inner harbor where she is taking on a cargo preparatory to sailing at 6 o'clock this evening. The ship has been on the ways since the 3rd of last month.

She will go out this evening well loaded. She will have fifty or sixty tons of general merchandise, including heavy shipments for the upper Skeena. In addition a consignment of 20,000 feet of lumber is to be forwarded on the steamer to the Portland canal. This is for the Stewart Land Company, which intend using the lumber. It is understood, in the construction of a wharf and tramway, J. Stewart, the manager of the company, who was married a few days ago, will be a passenger. He is the owner of a store, hotel and other places of business on the canal. Among other passengers will be J. H. Frost, J. McConnell, F. Black, J. E. Pollock, A. E. Smith, W. S. Meisen, W. Richards and wife, J. C. Hall and four miners bound for Dr. Brown mine at Maple Bay.

NO INSTRUCTIONS YET.

By inquiry at the local office of the C. P. R. Company this morning, a Times representative was informed that no instructions have been received from the company are still in ignorance about when the new service across the Pacific, reducing the time to Hong-kong by two days, is to be commenced. The local officials were so advised in a message from Vancouver yesterday. It is probable that the Empress of China will sail on Monday, but this is her old schedule date for departure and so far as known her captain has received no instructions about cutting two days off his voyage to the Asiatic terminus of the ships of the fleet.

THE TWICKENHAM.

As soon as the Canadian-New Zealand steamer Prince vacates the day

dock she will load the balance of the sugar cargo aboard the Twickenham and take it to Vancouver. The Twickenham will then enter the dry dock, where a survey of her injuries will take place and repairs made.

ROCK LOCATED IN NORTH

H. M. S. Egeria, now engaged in hydrographic work in the vicinity of Port Simpson, is reported to have discovered a rock at the northern end of Cunningham channel at the entrance to Port Simpson. The rock is 12 feet below the surface of the water. With the Egeria steadily engaged in the water of Port Simpson harbor and adjacent thereto; and the Dominion government surveying the waters of Tuck's Inlet off the site of Prince Rupert, the northern waters in the vicinity of the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific will soon be well charted. The hydrographic work in connection with this is expected to be continued next season also.

CASCADE GOES NORTH.

The steamer Cascade, which has been chartered to assist the B. C. S. Quadra in taking mail to the north for the Lucy Island lighthouse, left Vancouver yesterday for the spot where the structure will be erected. Capt. James Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries, is aboard, and will see building operations commenced before returning to Victoria. The new lighthouse will be erected by day labor and will be provided with a powerful light.

AN AMERICAN VISITOR.

The United States General J. M. Wilson spent yesterday in port. She came from the Sound with Major Childers, chief engineer of the Puget Sound military district, who was accompanied by his wife and family. The party came on a pleasure jaunt and left for home in the evening. The steamer on which they came was a local craft for the outfit, having roomy cabins and a trim appearance that denoted pleasure.

SHIPPING NOTES.

R. M. S. Empress of Britain arrived at Liverpool at 8 o'clock this morning. The Empress of Ireland arrived at Quebec at 2:40 o'clock this morning and landed her passengers at 6 o'clock.

The German steamer Lisbeth arrived from San Pedro yesterday. She encountered a heavy gale off the California coast on the voyage and will here have to be repaired.

MYSTERIOUS CAVES ALONG THE COAST

IN WHICH THERE IS A LOT OF WRECKAGE

Story of Indians About Finding of Boat Is in part Confirmed.

News continuing in part the stories told of the existence of a large cave on the West Coast in the immediate locality of where the steaming Valencia was wrecked last winter, was brought to the city about noon to-day by D. G. S. Quadra. The Quadra had received instructions to investigate these reports, and while the weather and sea were too rough for the steamer to approach the places named, sufficient information has been secured by the Dakin boys at Carmanah to indicate that there is some truth in what the Indians tell of the mysterious cavern in the rock. Phil Dakin, one of the light-keeper's sons, came to Victoria on the Quadra, and brought with him a letter to Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries, who is now absent from the city, containing a diagram showing the position of the cave heretofore reported, together with a number of others in close proximity.

The big cave which the Indians alone have thus far been able to enter is situated just about the site of the Valencia wreck and about 200 yards distant. At the entrance is a rock which prohibits all egress or access except to the small Indian cove at certain stages of the tide and when the sea is perfectly calm. It was here that some Indians found, according to report, a large lifeboat in which were human skeletons, the natives making the discovery by using swam into the cave. There appears to be some doubt about the skeleton part of the story, but the finding of the boat is believed. The Indians also said that there is a large iron box within the cave, which they could not remove and which they were afraid of dynamiting because of possible injury to themselves as well as to the boat.

One cannot but accept in part the story of the Indians. What gives credence to it is the fact that in some of the same part of the coast the Dakin boys have found immense deposits of wreckage piled in such a manner by the action of the sea as to leave it difficult to get at. One life raft was found among other floats and some brass bars and other small pieces were brought to the city by Mr. Dakin. The Quadra men enquired about the mast that was seen, apparently of some schooner, but Capt. Hackett says that he could find nothing of it, and he believes that it belonged to that found at Carmanah.

The engines of the Valencia, Capt. Hackett says, stand five feet out of water while alongside the wreck is five fathoms of water. On her trip just ended the Quadra was supplying the different lighthouses on the coast with coal.

Orchestral concert, and bioscope, Gorge park.

Excursions among the Gulf islands Wednesdays and Saturdays by steamer Iroquois. For information, phone 511.



All members and friends of the Fraternal Order of Eagles are reminded of the basket picnic and sports at Shawigan Lake (Kaeg's station) on Labor Day, Monday, September 3rd, 1906. Trains leave Victoria depot at 9 a.m., returning at 7 p.m. Tickets to be got at...



OPERA GLASSES ALTHOUGH this is not the opera season we give publicity to these useful goods, because so many tourists desire to take advantage of the lower duty and our large stock imported from Paris, thereby saving money and obtaining the latest and best. Dainty Pearl and Gold Glasses, Smoked Pearl, Dark Mountings. (The above are with or without handles). Chaine and Vest Pocket Glasses, Folding Glasses of all Descriptions. PRICES RANGE FROM \$2.75 UP CHALLONER & MITCHELL DIAMOND MERCHANTS 47 and 49 Government Street, Victoria, B.C. C.M. 1922.

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Members of the physical committee of the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting last evening at which preparations for the winter season were discussed at length. Throughout the proceedings a spirit of optimism prevailed, the opinion being expressed that the next few months would witness a marked advance in the association's prosperity. The question of providing a larger gymnasium for basketball and other indoor games was debated. No decision was reached in this regard, and the outlining of a definite programme also was left in abeyance. These matters will come up again at a full meeting called for the 7th of September.

THE DRESSY Negligee Shirts Worn by men during the warmer months are a specialty with us. We have a machine for the ironing of pleated bosom and negligee shirts that turns out work that is better than hand ironing possibly could be. The shirts are done across the shirt front in just such a way as to keep it from rumpling easily and the finish is perfect. Why not try us once at least.

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BARTLETT PEARS, per box... 1.25
ITALIAN PRUNES, per basket... .20
CRAB APPLES, 6 lbs., for preserving, per box... 1.25
WASHINGTON PEACHES, for preserving, per box... 1.25
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Sporting News

LACROSSE

FORTHCOMING MATCHES

As it is expected that a number of important matches will take place in connection with the forthcoming exhibition those interested request that all local players attend practice regularly. Besides the series of games announced to decide the ownership of the Kirkpatrick cup and the championship of British Columbia, it is understood that the Mainland Juniors expect to come here to compete with a representative Island twelve for the championship of the province.

MAPLE LEAFS WON

The Maple Leafs succeeded in defeating the Vancouver team Wednesday in Recreation Park by a score of 5-0, says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. It cannot be said that the result was a surprise to the large crowd of spectators who witnessed the game, because it looked like the Leafs were going to win from the start.

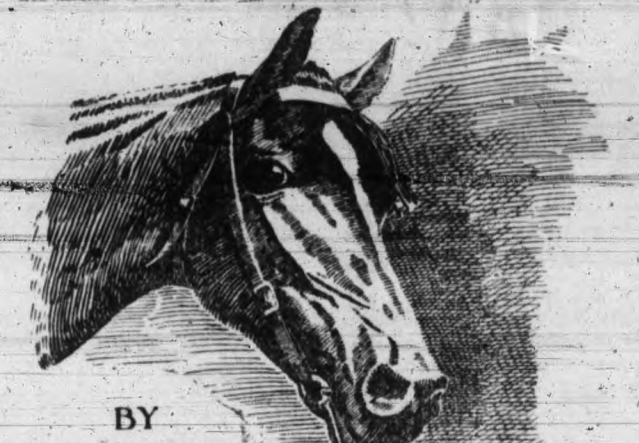
THE RING

Goldfield, Nev., Aug. 30.—The title of champion of the world in the light division of the ring was won today by James J. Braddock of San Francisco, defeating Jess Willard of Philadelphia.

THE TURF

The management of the New Westminster Agricultural Association have the preparations for their annual fair and show well advanced. The show will be held on the grounds of the association, and will feature a variety of interesting exhibits.

THOROUGHBREDS



BY W. S. FRASER.

CHAPTER XV.—(Continued.)

"The girls on Lauzanne," he muttered, "she's the best in the lot. If she did run me down, a rider that would not, when she ought to be in the house washin' dishes. A woman ain't got no more business hangin' round the stable than a man's got in the kitchen. Petticoats is the devil; I never could abide 'em."

"Ned's got the soft snap in that blasted bunch," as his eye discovered Carter on Lucretia. "He'll slipper my shirt, but I've noddled the boss, so I don't care. I'm next 'em this trip."

"Whoa! Steady, old boy!" Porter was coaxing soothingly. "Steady, boy!" "The case up has put the vertebrae of my shoulder to Allis, who was at Diablo's side. "He's a hard-mouthed brute if ever there was one."

"He'll be all right, dad," she called forward, raising her voice, for the wind cut her breath; "shandy's made him with a heavy hand, that's why."

A quarter of a mile from the finish the horses raced into a swinging stride. Diablo was simply mad with a desire to gallop; but in the saddle was his master; no horse ever did as he wished with John Porter. Battling against the sharps his honesty might handicap him out of the saddle, but in the saddle the elation of movement swept into his sinews, and he was superb a king. As a jockey, he would have been unsurpassed. It filled his heart with delight to play with the fierce, imperious animal he rode.

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Oceanic S.S. Co. S. S. ALAMEDA, for Honolulu, Sept. 1, 11 a. m. S. S. SIERRA, for Honolulu, Samoa, Auckland and Sydney, Sept. 12, 2 p. m. S. S. MAHARAJA, for Tahiti, Sept. 11, 11 a. m. 415 round trip.

FOR San Francisco LEAVE VICTORIA 7.30 P.M. Umatta, Sept. 2. City of Puebla, Sept. 7. Queen, Sept. 12. Steamers leave every fifth day thereafter.

For South Eastern Alaska Connecting at Skagway with the W. P. & Y. Railway. LEAVE SEATTLE, 9 P. M. S. S. Cottage City, Humboldt, or City of Seattle, Aug. 30, Sept. 4, 8. Leave Victoria 6 a. m. City of Seattle, Aug. 31.

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Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber upon the lands situated on Yea Island, Skeena District, British Columbia, described as follows:

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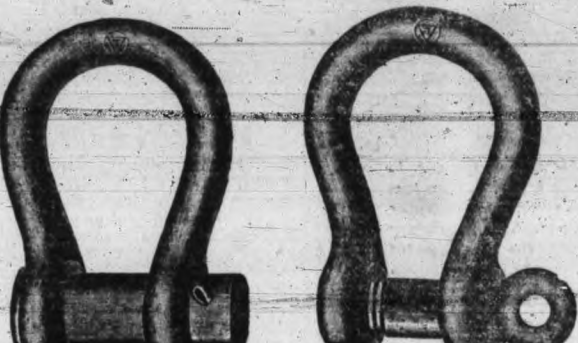
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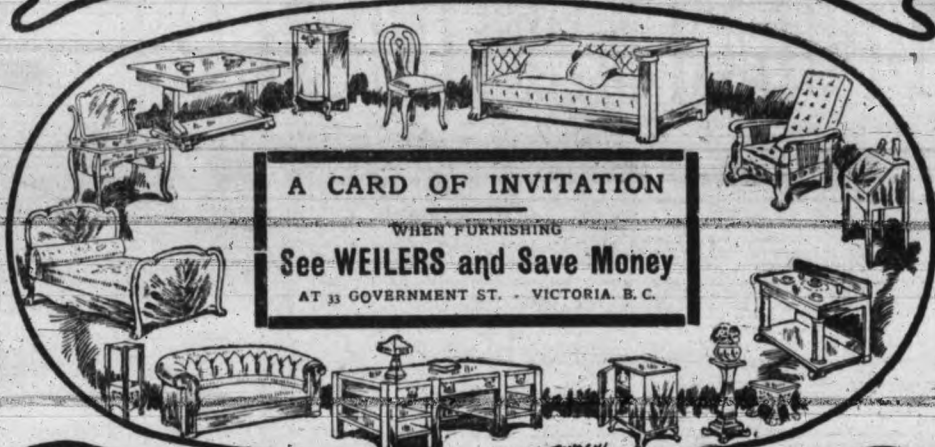
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Judgment of Court of Inquiry Into Sinking of Chehalis by Princess Victoria.

(Special to the Times.)  
Vancouver, Aug. 31.—The following is the judgment of the court of inquiry into the Chehalis disaster:

"The court has very carefully followed the evidence and the argument of counsel. We have come to the conclusion that the collision was caused solely by the want of care and navigation of the Princess Victoria under the command of Captain Griffin, that he displayed ignorance of article 28.

"We also find that every care was taken after the collision on the part of the officers of the Princess to rescue the survivors.

"The court wishes to add by way of recommendation that on account of the increase of traffic from this port we are of opinion that the time has now come for special regulations regarding the navigation of the harbor and the Narrows, and we shall recommend to the minister of marine and fisheries the appointment of a commission to frame such rules and regulations.

"The court suspends the certificate of Captain Griffin for six months, dating from the day of the accident, July 21st.

"As it incumbent upon the court, a full report of the proceedings and evidence will be formulated and transmitted to the department at Ottawa and will also be served upon the parties interested.

"The costs of the witnesses and other costs will follow the event, subject to any decision which the minister of marine and fisheries may be pleased to make.

"In conclusion, we wish to express our appreciation of the assistance rendered by counsel."

The chairman, Mr. Justice Morrison, Commander Hunt and Capt. Cox, conferred at a moment. Then the chairman spoke an inaudible word to Registrar Beck.

"This court stands adjourned," said the registrar to the silent counsel and spectators. They nearly filled the court room. No one of the four counsel engaged in the inquiry spoke a word to the commissioners nor the commissioners a word to counsel beyond their decision. All filed out.

Contrary to expectation Joseph Martin, who appeared for the Union Steamship Company, this morning opened the reply to the argument by E. V. Bodwell yesterday afternoon at the Chehalis inquiry.

Referring to the rules of the road, Mr. Martin said the law required the overtaking vessel to warn the boat ahead. Mr. Martin, who spoke for but a few minutes, declared that the only witnesses who were positive that the Victoria had blown two whistles were Capt. Griffin and the quartermaster. Capt. Peters followed Mr. Martin, arguing that the course the Victoria's officers had described their boat as taking was opposed to the records of their own log. He mentioned that material entries in the Victoria's log had been altered, and this cast suspicion upon it. He said Capt. Griffin and the C. P. R. came into court with a discredited case. He declared it was evident Capt. Griffin had lost his head, blew his whistle and did nothing else.

The Empress of Indian collision with the Chinese cruiser Quong Tai, off the China coast, was quoted by Mr. Peters as showing that where the overtaken vessel kept her course and was run down all blame was on the overtaking craft. The Chehalis had kept her course, and the Victoria should have kept off. In closing Mr. Peters submitted that the Chehalis had done nothing to remove the responsibility of the Victoria as the overtaking vessel, and therefore the decision must be that the Victoria wholly was to blame. In rebuttal, Mr. Bodwell denied both

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**PROMINENT ENGLISH JOURNALIST IN CITY**

Seeing Canada Through Eyes of Editor of London Mail—Chamberlain Policy Discussed.

My trip through the Dominion has opened my eyes to its vast resources and wonderful possibilities," remarked Evelyn Wrench, editor of the Overseas edition of the Daily Mail, London, England, this morning. Mr. Wrench is visiting Victoria for a few hours before returning to the "Old Country." While impressed with the commercial activity of the eastern provinces and the grandeur of the scenery of British Columbia, the representative of the Mail thinks that the prairies, ultimately, will become to Canada what London is to the British Empire. It was wonderful, he said, to see the farmers from the eastern boundary of Manitoba to the western confines of Alberta gathering in their harvest, to note the immense granaries, to witness train load after train load of wheat shipping. In the direction of the eastern markets, visions of the ultimate destiny of the country were unconsciously photographed upon the mind, but no imagining, he believed, could adequately picture the future commercial greatness of that territory.

The optimism everywhere met with was most impressive, and in itself insured a growth that could not be measured. Undoubtedly Canada's development during the next few years would prove a surprise to the outside world.

Mr. Wrench's trip to the Dominion, while largely for purposes of pleasure, was arranged with a view to his obtaining a comprehensive idea, as far as possible, of the conditions prevailing here. His position as editor of one of the most important editions of the Daily Mail makes it necessary that he should be particularly well acquainted with the British colonies. The Overseas edition, it might be explained, is published weekly and contains 16 pages of the most important home and foreign news. To Englishmen it is scarcely necessary to state that the Daily Mail is reported to have a circulation five times as large as that of any penny London morning journal.

In Eastern Canada Mr. Wrench met a number of the most prominent Canadians. He was introduced to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and to Sir Thomas Shaughnessy. From both of these gentlemen and from others he was given a very frank and candid opinion of Canada as it should be with a few more years of the progressive policy initiated by the government.

Quebec's old world atmosphere impressed Mr. Wrench exceedingly, but with the city of Toronto he was particularly charmed. "Toronto and Victoria," he remarked, "are in my opinion the most delightful cities from a residential standpoint to be found in the Dominion." Of the latter city he did not stint his praise. He had heard that it was "a bit of England on the shores of the Pacific," and it fully justified the description. It was pleasing, and yet somewhat strange, to meet with a place so typical of England so many miles away from home. He would leave with pleasant recollections of his short stay in Victoria.

Of the scenery along the line of the C. P. R. and in particular that in crossing the Rocky mountains, the distinguished newspaper man could not

say enough. He had climbed the celebrated peaks of the Alps, and fought his way through the depths of the Caucasus, but never before had he viewed scenes of wilder grandeur than those disclosed as the train wound its way amongst the fastnesses of the stately Rockies. It was so wonderful to go miles and miles without coming across a single human habitation, and every few minutes to have some new point of striking beauty unveiled. The only trouble was that there was so much splendid scenery that one became surfeited; in fact he had written home stating that he was becoming callous to snowclad mountains and to beauties that his friends would give anything to see.

Talking of politics, Mr. Wrench referred to the Chamberlain policy. He did not think the time was ripe yet for its introduction, as advocated by that great statesman. The people of Great Britain had to be educated up to it first. In the meantime there were many ways of binding closer the Mother Land and her colonies. The reduction of the cable rates so that Imperial and colonial news could be more readily exchanged—the freer distribution of English literature in Canada and other colonies. These were two things which, he thought, would have beneficial results if accomplished. He had been surprised in the east at the difficulty experienced in procuring English weeklies. The American publications were in circulation, but none or few of those from across the seas could be found. In his opinion the latter were much higher class, and though perhaps a couple of days older when delivered, could be made much more popular with more enterprise.

Mr. Wrench will leave to-night for the east, travelling via the Northern Pacific. While here he will be a guest at the Driard.

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Duly instructed by the Misses Nuttall, will sell by public auction, at their residence,  
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Goods on view Thursday afternoon and Friday morning.

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Is favored with instructions from Mr. E. T. McGuire to sell by public auction on Wednesday, September 5th, at 2 p.m., at his residence, No. 4 Erie street, James Bay, all his desirable furniture, Heintzman Piano, Lady's Triclope, etc., etc. Particulars later.

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**BRAYSHAW HEADS BISLEY AGGREGATE**

**THREE VICTORIANS QUALIFY FOR TEAM**

Splendid Showing Made by Local Riflemen at the Dominion Association Meeting.

(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, Aug. 31.—British Columbia men have done splendidly in the Bisley aggregate at the Dominion Rifle Association meeting.

Brayshaw, Victoria, with 221, leads in the aggregate. Cunningham, New Westminster, made 214; McHarg, Vancouver, 211; Moscrop, Vancouver, 211; Caven, Victoria, 207; Carr, Victoria, 206.

All are pretty sure of being on the Bisley team, as it will take 305 for the first twenty.

The British Columbia team wins the guard cup and takes second place in the Gillespie.

Selections from British Columbia shoot in the second stage of the Governor-General's: Brayshaw, 221; Moscrop, 211; Carr, 207; Fisher, 205; Richardson, 204; Cunningham, 203; McHarg, 202; Caven, 201; Carr, 200.

The Lansdowne aggregate was won by the 5th Regiment, Victoria, by 4 points, over the 48th Highlanders.

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Of course it's hard to work. Stooping over hurts. Lifting is tedious, and you wonder what to do. Ever try Nerviline? Nothing like it for weak or lame back. It penetrates to the core of the pain, eases from the first application, brings cure that defies a relapse. No lintment is so clean, so soothing, so certain to kill muscular, rheumatic or sciatic pains. Your dealer sells Polson's Nerviline in large 25c. bottles. Why not try it?

—On the 4th page of this issue will be seen the advertisement of Fred Carne, Government street, which offers you to-morrow a very fine bargain in tea. This opportunity should be grasped by all. This ad. will in future hold the same position.

Premier McBride will leave for the Mainland to-morrow to attend the Agassiz show.

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**E. R. Stephens, Local Agent of the Great Northern Railway, has received from headquarters notice that the time limit of the excursion tickets at reduced fare issued to Eastern points over the line have been extended. The tickets are on sale Sept. 8th and 10th. The final return limit of Ninety days must not exceed Nov. 16th which is an extension from the original date of Oct. 31st.**

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Real Estate & Commission Agent  
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Two doors from Fell & Co., on

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Notice is hereby given that, in an order made by the Honorable Mr. Justice Irvine, dated 9th day of August, 1906, J. the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased. All parties having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same to me on or before the 30th day of September, 1906, and all parties indebted thereto are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. W. MONTEITH,  
Official Administrator.  
Victoria, B. C., August 30th, 1906.

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