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VICTORIA, B. C., MONDAY, MAY 2, 1910.

NO. 105.

SPRING RIDGE IS DISCUSSED

COMMITTEES MEET ON HIGH SCHOOL SITE

City Will Be Asked to Donate the Six Acres Which It Purchased There

All negotiations looking to the purchase of a site for the new High school are awaiting the decision of the public respecting the suggestion that has been made regarding Spring Ridge.

On Saturday afternoon a committee representing the property owners in that section of the city conferred with a committee of the school board. The whole question was discussed in a most amicable spirit and it was hoped that the best arrangement in the interests of the city would be arrived at. Dr. Lewis Hall is handling the case for the people of Spring Ridge. He favors the city donating the six acres of land which it owns there for the purpose of a site. This question will be laid before the city council at the meeting this evening.

Another matter of importance to come before the city council this evening is that of the amendments to the liquor license by-law. The contentious clauses are those dealing with the closing of saloons at 11 p. m., instead of midnight, and the application of the same law to restaurants which serve drinks. On these two questions the council is divided and it seems likely that the wording of the by-law will have to be modified considerably.

City Engineer Smith is expected to submit a report dealing with the policy of effecting permanent repairs to the trunk roads of the city and the class of pavement which ought to be employed. As far as the paving of the main trunk roads is concerned the council favors asphalt.

Mayor Morley will present a resolution setting out that an agreement should be reached between the city council and the B. C. Agricultural Association relative to the tenancy of the fair grounds. The resolution is the outcome of a recent meeting of the B. C. Agricultural Association.

H. M. Burwell, C. E., is expected to submit his report to the council on the Sooke Lake scheme for bringing water to the city in about ten days' time. He has already entered upon his investigations. He will report particularly upon the amount of power that can be developed by diverting Leech river so as to give it an inlet into the lake.

ADAMS COMING TO SEE RESERVOIR

EXPERT WHO ADVISED CITY IS EXPECTED

In Any Event Improbable That Repairs Will Be Attempted Until End of Summer

Arthur L. Adams, the hydraulic engineer of San Francisco, who has advised the city respecting its water-works improvements for the last five years, will come to Victoria almost immediately and inspect the Smith's Hill reservoir. This action on his part follows on it having been reported to him that the big basin is holding water. Seen this morning, City Engineer Smith reported that there was 12 1/2 feet of water in the reservoir and that there was no perceptible leakage—the seepage being, in fact, about ten thousand gallons.

It will be recalled that Mr. Adams in previous reports expressed the conviction that with the lapse of time the reservoir would hold water; that it would naturally draw together and that the earthy matter in the water would add to the filling-in process. That this theory is being fulfilled is being contended by the friends of Mr. Adams.

Asked this morning if, in view of the recent developments, he would favor proceeding with the repairs to the reservoir immediately, Mr. Smith answered in the negative. He pointed out that in the first instance he had favored leaving the work of repair over until the fall, when weather conditions would be more favorable. Now that it had been demonstrated that the reservoir would serve the purpose for a considerable period it would, in his opinion, be better to leave the question of repairs open for some time. Mr. Smith will report this view to the council at this evening's meeting.



THE CITY'S PRODIGAL.

MAYOR MORLEY—"That boy has been a worry and a wastrel since his birth—and now, he's tight."

HEARST CLAIMS DAMAGES FOR ALLEGED LIBEL

Actions Follow Speech by Mayor of New York in Which He Attacked Publisher

(Times Leased Wire.)
 New York, May 2.—William R. Hearst has begun a libel suit against the New York Times because this newspaper reported the speech of Mayor Gaynor at the dinner on Thursday night in which the mayor declared that "two state prison felonies, namely, a forgery and a falsification of a public document, were committed in the eagerness of this publisher and editor (Hearst) to wrong the mayor of the city of New York."

Hearst alleges that by reason of the publication he has suffered \$100,000 damages and asks to be recompensed in that sum.

Summons and complaint in the suit were served on the Times by a clerk in the office of Clarence J. Shearn, Hearst's attorney. Shearn said that Hearst was also suing the Brooklyn Eagle and the Associated Press. Damages in the case of the Eagle are put at \$100,000; in the case of the Associated Press at \$50,000.

HYDE'S ATTORNEYS ALLEGED CONSPIRACY

Counsel for Doctor, Accused of Murder, Prepare for Ad-dresses to Jury

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Kansas City, Mo., May 2.—In the case of Dr. B. C. Hyde, charged with the murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, the defendant's lawyers have decided upon what definite points of the alleged "conspiracy" of the prosecution they will present to the jury in their arguments. The two main points as evidence of such "conspiracy" in their opinion are hostility of members of the Swope family to one whom they regarded as an interloper in competition for the good will and millions of the eccentric philanthropist and hostility of the nurses. The dislike of the nurses generally grew out of his requiring them to work extra long hours, the defense claims, and that of Miss Houlihan because the defendant made slighting remarks about the clergymen at a funeral ceremony.

This latter incident introduces the unusual factor of religious differences as motives for enmity into the murder trial. The defense will also attack Miss Margaret Swope's testimony.

PEARY PREDICTS SCOTT'S SUCCESS

THINKS HE WILL REACH SOUTH POLE

Arctic Explorer to Receive Royal Geographical Society's Gold Medal

London, May 2.—Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer, who arrived here to-day, expressed the opinion that Capt. Scott, the British explorer, will be sure to reach the south pole, barring accident. Peary said that the chances of Scott are good because the Antarctic ice fields do not break up as they do in the Arctic.

Peary reiterated his announcement that he had retired from the field of exploration and said that he believed he had earned a rest.

Commander Peary is accompanied by his wife and Capt. Bartlett. They will spend six weeks in Europe. The party was loudly cheered by waiting crowds and surrounded by a swarm of newspaper men.

The explorer will have a busy time while in London. He will be the guest at luncheon to-morrow of the Royal Society Club in St. James's street, where the Earl of Halsbury will preside over a distinguished gathering of travelers and scientists assembled in the American's honor. Wednesday evening, May 4th, the commander will lecture before the Royal Geographical Society at the Royal Albert hall and receive the society's gold medal. The Prince of Wales expects to be in the audience. On Saturday the commander will be the guest at dinner of the Savage Club.

After this programme Commander Peary will begin a short continental tour, lecturing at several important cities.

BREWERY BURNED

(Special to the Times)
 Winnipeg, May 2.—Blowwood Bros' brewery and warehouse on Colony street, was almost completely destroyed by fire which broke out at six o'clock this morning. The building is just outside the range of high pressure system, so that the firemen were hampered in their work. A large quantity of beer and soft drinks was destroyed. The loss, \$100,000, is covered by insurance.

TWO LOSE LIVES WHEN CANOE CAPSIZES

Seattle Man and His Financier Are Drowned in Sight of Hundred People

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Seattle, Wash., May 2.—Within thirty feet of the shore and in plain sight of a hundred people, E. T. Saunders and his fiancée, Miss Louise Herdman, were drowned in Green lake last evening. Both bodies have been recovered.

Their canoe was overturned by the waves of a passing launch. Those on shore saw the launch speeded by the party in it making no offer to aid.

Miss Herdman was the daughter of Dr. William S. Herdman. Saunders came to Seattle from West Virginia last year.

PROTEST AGAINST PRIZE FIGHT

AGITATION SPREADING IN CALIFORNIA

San Francisco Newspaper Says the Granting of Permit is Dis-grace to Any City

(Times Leased Wire.)
 San Francisco, Cal., May 2.—While the body of Tommy McCarthy, the boy fighter killed in the prize ring last Friday night in the sixteenth round of his contest with Owen Moran, of England, awaited burial to-day, popular protest throughout California against the Jeffries-Johnson fight planned for July 4th, gained strength and volume.

Pulpit and press are joining in the protest against the big fight and the Sunday law afforded scores of ministers opportunity to denounce the heavy-weight fight and to urge their hearers to use every power at hand to prevent it.

The keynote of the outbreak against the big fight, following McCarthy's death, is struck by the members of the First Congregational Church of Oakland, who have appointed a committee to arrange for a mass meeting of protest against the fight.

The churchmen adopted a resolution declaring that among other objections to the holding of the Jeffries-Johnson fight is that it would bring to the community hundreds of the most undesirable of both races from all parts of the United States, "who would constitute a menace to the peace and safety of our country."

Copies of the resolution were sent to W. H. Donahue, district attorney of Alameda county; Sheriff Frank Barnett, Attorney General Webb and Gov. Gillette.

The San Francisco Chronicle, to-day, says editorially:

"The loss of another life in a prize fight will probably not interfere with granting more permits for these exhibitions of brutality, or lessen the attendance at the ring-side. In fact history shows that the greater the certainty that one or the other of the combatants will be murdered, the greater the bloody work."

"The pretense that we attend these shows to witness displays of manly vigor and endurance, is shallow. We go there to gratify our own brutal instincts without danger to ourselves."

"The official permits for these boxing exhibitions are a disgrace to any city. There ought to be an end of them and there would be if a decent public opinion would assert itself."

Other newspapers and other church organizations have taken similar action.

WESTON REACHES END OF LONG TRAMP

(Times Leased Wire.)
 New York, May 2.—Edward Payson Weston reached 125th street and Broadway, Harlem, at 10:30 o'clock this morning, half an hour ahead of his scheduled time. He was accompanied by a half troop of mounted policemen to the Ansonia hotel for luncheon. He reached the hotel at noon. There he drank a quart of milk and ate some raw eggs.

He declared he felt in such good condition that he could walk back to the Pacific Coast if necessary without stopping for a rest.

He was greeted by huge crowds all along Broadway and his march down the thoroughfare was a continued ovation.

There was such a crowd around the hotel that it was necessary to call police reserves while he was eating his lunch.

Weston is planning a series of lectures that will begin in the near future.

EXTRADITION REFUSED

Edmonton, May 2.—James Chapman, a negro, who confessed to the mounted police here to murdering James Matthews, of Stillwater, Oklahoma, and who was to be extradited by Sheriff Fox, of Stillwater, who is in the city, was set free by the district judge Saturday in the proceedings for extradition on the ground of insufficient evidence. Fox will make another attempt to extradite the negro.

Mrs. Matthews, wife of the murdered white man, who has been living in the city for some time, was also successful in her fight against extradition and was set free Saturday.

DECISIVE BATTLE APPEARS IMMINENT

Nicaraguan Government Troops and Revolutionists Await the Signal to Strike

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Bluefields, Nic., May 2.—(By wireless to Colon.)—Fighting on land and water is expected to begin here almost hourly. The forces of President Madriz, encamped within fifty miles of Bluefields, are awaiting the arrival of a steamer from New Orleans, bringing arms and supplies.

Revolutionist President Estrada, head of the revolutionists, has sent three small vessels, heavily armed, to meet the steamer that Madriz is expecting, and attempt to capture it.

Although couriers reported that Madriz will not attack Bluefields until the arms arrive, the city is in fear that the attack may begin at once. Madriz, it is declared, has probably allowed the impression to be given out that he will not fight, in order to throw the city off its guard.

Sending provisional soldiers to try to capture the Madriz supplies, has weakened Estrada's force defending Bluefields, and it is feared Madriz will take advantage of the fact.

SITUATION IN CHINA GRAVE

(Times Leased Wire.)
 London, May 2.—Chinese advisers both to the British foreign office and the London headquarters of the various missionary societies indicate a situation of the gravest possible danger for Europeans and Americans in China.

Though the Chang Sia outbreak has subsided, it is regarded by the best authorities as by no means over.

"I feel," says Rev. G. M. Brown, the Wesleyan Missionary Society's secretary, "that what happened in Hunan is preliminary to something of a more serious nature. Messages we are constantly receiving here show this only too plainly. The feeling of unrest and discontent makes the situation more disquieting."

Mr. Brown's expression is fairly representative of the general sentiment among those familiar with Chinese developments. The foreign office is doing no talking for publication, but it is known that the men at its head are perhaps even more uneasy than the missionary society officials. The latter are fearful merely for the safety of white men and women actually in China. The former fear that the Chinese are rapidly becoming ripe for expansion into territories now wholly or mainly Caucasian.

It is contended that local conditions, like unemployment, crop shortages, rice corners and official oppression, as well as the ignorant masses, fear that the coming of Halley's comet portends some national crisis, may be immediately responsible for the discontent prevailing pretty well all over China, but it invariably assumes the form of hostility to foreigners.

DISPATCHES TELL OF UNREST AMONG CHINESE

Officials of Missionary Societies Fear Discontent Will Result in Attacks on Europeans

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CRUSHED TO DEATH

Spokane, Wash., May 2.—Caught between the elevator cage and third floor of the Cosur d'Alene hotel building, Charles Eckstrom, a carpenter, recently from Denver, was crushed beyond recognition and died a few minutes later in the city emergency hospital here this morning.

Eckstrom was working with his head thrust through the elevator shaft door, and unaware of his presence there, the elevator operator lowered the car upon him. He was unable to stop in time, to save the carpenter's life, though Eckstrom cried out as the car struck him.

Deceased is survived by a wife in Denver and two sons who accompanied him to Spokane.

ELEVATOR BURNED

Indian Head, Sask., May 2.—The Dominion elevator, containing 12,000 bushels of wheat, was burned to the ground. The total loss is \$15,000.

TWO PERSONS KILLED

Sixteen Others Injured When Runaway Coal-Car Collides With Passenger Coach.

Seattle, Wash., May 2.—Two persons are dead and 16 injured as the result of a collision Saturday between a southbound Seattle, Redfearn & Southport passenger car and a runaway coal car, heavily loaded, near Matheson station, Orchard beach.

Judge W. C. Bell, of Harrodsburg, Ky., who has been a guest at the Sorrento hotel, died a few minutes after he was placed in a bed in the city hospital.

Miss Julia Lee Rochester, 13 years old, daughter of Judge G. A. C. Rochester, 1229 Fifteenth avenue north, received injuries which proved fatal and she died about 2 a.m. Sunday.

The coal car in some manner got away from the crew and ran down the grade at a high rate of speed. It crashed into the passenger car, hurling it into the ditch and practically destroying it.

TWO DROWNED, THREE MISSING

LOSE THEIR LIVES IN FLOOD IN ONTARIO

Rainy River is Rising Rapidly and Settlers Threatened to Blow Up Dam

(Special to the Times.)
 Warrand, Minn., May 2.—The authorities are guarding the big dam at Kenora, Ont., which settlers in the Lake or the Woods district have threatened to blow out.

About two hundred settlers on the lake shores and along Rainy river have deserted their clearings.

Two men have been drowned, one a settler at the mouth of the Rainy river and the other a pilot of a wood boat. The settlers, aroused by these fatalities and continued damages, have alleged that the dam prevented the river its natural relief, and its removal is the only remedy of the condition. The authorities have armed themselves.

Water Rising Rapidly.
 Spomer, Minn., May 2.—The rapidly rising waters of Rainy river are endangering vast territories near the stream. The waters are pouring into the Lake of the Woods, of which the river is an outlet.

Homesteaders all about the shores of that body of water are suffering heavy damage.

A quarter section of the finest land in the northwest, located at the mouth of the Rainy river, on the south shore of the Lake of the Woods, and which is normally dry all the year round, is now the scene of a raging mill race of swift tempestuous waters. A cabin has disappeared and the whereabouts of the owner, a fisherman and farmer, is not known here. The water over the spot is four feet deep.

Pernicious stages of water are reported from Warrand, at the head of the Lake of the Woods.

DEVELOPMENT IN ALBERTA CRISIS

MR. JUSTICE SIFTON MAY LEAD LIBERALS

It is Believed Selection Will Prove Acceptable to "Insurgents" in That House

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FORMER VICE-PRESIDENT OF GRAND-TRUNK DEAD

G. B. Reeves Passes Away at His Home in California at Age of 71 Years

(Special to the Times.)
 Los Angeles, Cal., May 2.—G. B. Reeves, former vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk, died at his home at Lamirada last night. He was 71 years old.

Montreal, May 2.—Mr. Reeves was for many years traffic manager of the Chicago & Grand Trunk railway, now the Grand Trunk Western, with headquarters at Chicago. In 1902 he was appointed general traffic manager of the whole Grand Trunk railway system, retiring from that position some four or five years later to his orange orchard at Lamirada, Cal., where he died last night. When Mr. Reeves resigned a year ago, he was succeeded by Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, president of the Grand Trunk, to return as second vice-president and manager. This year when upon Mr. Hays returning to the Grand Trunk, he again retired to his California home. Mr. Reeves was an Englishman by birth and was recognized as an authority in railway freight traffic affairs in Canada and the United States.

DO YOU WANT TO SEE HALLEY'S COMET?

Only Early Risers Will Be Able to View Celestial Wanderer This Week

(Times Leased Wire.)
 San Francisco, Cal., May 2.—Amateur astronomers who want to get up before Halley's comet any day this week will have to rise early.

The comet will be visible along the Pacific coast from its rising time until the sun rises. Here is the comet's rising time during the week:

Tuesday—2:45 a. m.
 Wednesday—2:45 a. m.
 Thursday—2:45 a. m.
 Friday—2:45 a. m.
 Saturday—2:45 a. m.
 Sunday—2:45 a. m.

ALBANIANS RETREAT BEFORE TURKISH TROOPS

Over Six Hundred Men Were Killed in Fighting in Kachamnik Pass

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Vienna, May 2.—The rebellious Albanians and their revolutionary Turkish allies retreated to-day from an exposed position in the Karadagh mountains, according to to-day's dispatches.

This would indicate that the pursuing Turkish loyal forces have been successful in recent encounters in the Albanian Alps.

The retreating rebels, however, are putting up a fierce resistance and dispatches state that earlier estimates of 100 Turks and 500 Albanians killed in battle at Kachamnik were too low.

LONG ISLAND SHAKEN

New York, May 2.—Long Island was shaken by an earthquake late yesterday, according to reports to-day from Hempstead, Mineola and Garden City.

Although no damage was done, the shock was strong enough to rattle crockery and windows. The tremor lasted several seconds.

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Imperial Trust Company Applying for Foreshore Rights Opposite the Post Office
Application is being made to the Dominion government by the Imperial Trust Company, through their solicitors, Hanington & Jackson, for fore-shore privileges on their property at the corner of Government and Wharf streets, opposite the post office.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, May 2.—Hon. Geo. E. Foster resumed his seat in the Commons this morning after six weeks' illness, following his libel action against the Globe. Mr. Foster is convalescing slowly from a serious nervous breakdown, and will spend the summer quietly at his old home in New Brunswick. This morning he was given a hearty reception by his fellow members in the House, his reappearance being greeted with vigorous and continued applause.

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Imperial Trust Company Applying for Foreshore Rights Opposite the Post Office
The company propose to erect an eight-story building on the property with 100 feet frontage on each street. The two lower stories will probably be utilized by the J.B.A.A. for their athletic association, including boat-houses, swimming tanks, reading rooms and gymnasium. The rest of the building will be for general office purposes.

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The bill to incorporate the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada was passed after a stiff fight.

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COURT OF REVISION PRUNES VOTERS' LIST
Nearly Two Hundred Names Are Stricken Off Esquimalt Roll of Electors
One hundred and ninety names were taken off the list of voters for the district of Esquimalt by Harvey Combe, registrar of votes, at this morning's sitting of the court of revision. The total number of names on the list was 1,040, of which 850 were retained. H. D. Helmcken, K. C., represented a number of those objected to.

TRIAL OF HEINZE
Attorney Moves for Dismissal of Indictments on Ground of Lack of Evidence
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MOUNT TOLMIE—4 lots in one block. The soil: six lots in an adjacent block with a 4 roomed house, stable, sheds, chicken houses, etc.; the whole 20 lots and buildings, 120 fruit trees, small fruits and ornamental trees, price \$2,500, on terms. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd., Mahon Block. m2
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ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.
Hearing of Charges Against William Gohl Attracts Hundreds at Court.
Montesano, Wash., May 2.—When the morning session of the trial of Wm. Gohl, former agent of the Sailors' Union at Grays Harbor, for the murder of John Hoffman and Charles Hadberg, was finished to-day, one juror had been accepted.

ATTACKS FORMER WIFE
Man Shoots Himself After Beating Woman About Head With Butt of Revolver.
Redlands, Cal., May 2.—Mrs. M. Fourben is in a local hospital to-day suffering from a fracture of the skull and the body of David Davies, her former husband, who inflicted the injury, is at the city morgue. Davies shot himself through the head after he had attacked Mrs. Fourben, beating her head with the butt of a revolver.

KILLED DURING STORM
Report That Town in Kansas Has Been Destroyed.
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REAR ADMIRAL DEAD.
Washington, May 2.—Rear-Admiral Philip Hichborn, U. S. N., retired, died at his home here last night at the age of 71.
Hichborn had served 22 years in the navy, one of his most important services being the preparation of the American ships for the Spanish-American war.

STRIKE AT REGINA.
Regina, Sask., May 2.—Between 200 and 300 union men went out on strike this morning. All are connected with the building trades, the union of carpenters, plumbers and electricians being affected. All plumbing and wiring contracts are tied up, but the buildings are still in progress. There is a large supply of non-union carpenters here, and nearly all possess licenses by union men are now filled. The contractors refuse to admit the closed shop feature, but agree to the union scale of wages. This morning the plumbers met their employers and it is believed that the men will go back to work to-morrow.

NEW INTERURBAN LINE.
Everett, Wash., May 2.—The first passenger train on the new Seattle-Everett interurban line left here at 5:30 o'clock this morning, formally opening the road to regular traffic. The first northbound car from Seattle arrived here at 4:40 a. m. An hour and a half later, a half train, carrying 100 passengers, left Seattle for Everett, the thirty-two miles of track is scheduled.

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SEEKING CLOSER TRADE RELATIONS

TAFT SAYS STATES WILL OPEN NEGOTIATIONS

Congratulates People That Tariff War With Canada Has Been Averted

Buffalo, May 2.—President Taft and Secretary Knox were the guests of honor Saturday night at the banquet held jointly by the two commercial organizations of Buffalo, the Chamber of Commerce and the Manufacturers' Club. It was one of the largest and most elaborate dinners ever served in the city, the great floor space of Convention hall being entirely covered with tables. Thomas Penney, former district attorney of Erie county, acted as toastmaster, and the speakers, in addition to Mr. Taft and Mr. Knox, included Wm. E. Robertson, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Manufacturers' Club; Mayor Louis P. Fuhrman, Elliot C. McDougall and J. B. Olinstead, one of the New York state public service commissioners.

The president devoted the greater part of his speech to purely local topics. He spoke of Niagara Falls as being an embarrassment as between a scenic grandeur and industrial ability. This brought him to a discussion of the conservation of natural resources and indirectly to a reference to Secretary Ballinger, when he said: "Let me lift my voice in behalf of those who are responsible for carrying forward this work and plead that they shall not be traduced and misrepresented in reaching a solution of a problem most difficult."

The president congratulated the business men of Buffalo, in common with the people of the entire country, that a tariff war with Canada has been averted. He hoped for a still closer union with the Dominion, and said he was sure both countries would benefit thereby within the next year. He declared Secretary Knox would enter into negotiations with Canada to see what can be done to bring about closer commercial relations.

INFLAMED KIDNEYS

Medical writers declare it incurable after the sixth month whether albuminous or not. The average man prefers to think of it as "kidney trouble" and lets it go, but the census shows this appalling fact—out of 62,000 deaths from kidney troubles the last census year over nine-tenths of these up to the last moment thought of it as an ailment of "kidney trouble," which is a matter of fact the only possible hope laid through a specific for Bright's Disease. There never was an until Fulton worked out his Renal emollient (Fulton's Renal Compound).

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DEFENCES OF PANAMA CANAL.
Washington, D. C., May 2.—In a special message to Congress President Taft urges that the defence of the Panama Canal be completed and ready for business on July 1st, 1915, on which date it is also proposed to open the canal for navigation.
"It is the right and duty of the United States to defend the work upon which it is expending such an enormous sum," the president said in his message. "An adequate defence requires suitable fortifications near the approaches to the terminals. I am of the opinion that such works may be erected for the defence of the canal should be completed, occupied and ready for operation at the time and canal itself is completed."

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SAYS REPUBLICANS DO NOT CONTROL HOUSE

Speaker Cannon Declares Democrats Were Afraid to Oust Him From Chair

Boston, May 2.—"Wicked Czar Cannon still presides over the deliberations of the greatest legislative body on earth, but his actions amount to nothing unless made vital by a majority of the representatives," declared Speaker Joe Cannon here.

Explaining why the "insurgents" did not oust him, Cannon said: "My opinion is that if a small minority of the majority had united with the Democrats and declared the speakership vacant, Democrats would have insisted on the election of Champ Clark. This would have deadlocked the session and allowed the country to know what it does not know now, that the Republicans are not in control of the House."
"The result would have been the election of a new House wholly Republican. The Democrats realized the danger and did not force their advantage."

HILL WILL BUILD TRANSCONTINENTAL LINE

Great Northern President Says for Present Company is Preparing to Enter Winnipeg

Vancouver, May 2.—J. J. Hill, the Great Northern railway magnate, arrived in the city Friday night with Louis J. Hill, president of the Great Northern road, and a party of railway officials of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific lines. Charles F. Baker, who is allied with the interests of these railways, and president of the First National Bank of New York, is a member of the party. The party left for Seattle on Saturday.

"To see Oregon," was the laconic answer of Louis J. Hill when asked as to the immediate and direct object of the visit.
"One of the main purposes of the visit was to inspect the Spokane, Portland and Seattle road, which was placed in operation late last year, carrying from Portland and Seattle."

Asked as to the intentions of the Great Northern to extend the line of the V. I. & E. to connect with the line at Princeton, Mr. Hill stated: "We shall put the line through as fast as possible. I understand that there is some difficulty in getting over the Hope mountains, but there are no natural obstructions in any case that are insuperable, and we shall get there. Time sometimes means money, and we shall make the most of the situation."

As to the matter of the Grand Trunk Pacific coming into Vancouver and the consequent necessity for terminal facilities at some convenient objective point, Mr. Hill stated that his company had no interests in ocean shipping here and would probably confine itself to the fresh water shipping, which it controls.
Mr. Hill stated that the lines of the company were to be extended to Winnipeg from Minneapolis, and that since the party left St. Paul the members had received telegraphic advices that all the negotiations for terminals and other details of terminal facilities had been adjusted. When asked if the proposals of the company were to run the line through to the coast, thus giving a fourth transcontinental road, he replied: "For the present we are going to go into Winnipeg. What we may do afterward is as yet undecided, but there is no doubt of a Hill transcontinental line."

OUTPUT OF MINES.
Forty Thousand Tons of Ore Shipped From Southeastern B. C. Properties in Week.

Nelson, May 2.—The Aurora Mining & Milling Company of Moyle has taken a lease on the Alice concentrator, three miles west of Creston, for the balance of the year. The Aurora ore will be shipped to the mill and the silver-lead separated from the zinc. The silver-lead will be shipped to the smelter at Trail for final treatment, and the zinc concentrates will be sent to the Empire Zinc Company at Denver. It will be in readiness for operation in five or six days.
Appended are the total ore shipments and smelter receipts: Boundary, total week 28,741 tons; year, 636,166 tons. Rossland, week 4,205 tons; year 55,411 tons. Slocan-Kootenay, week 6,833 tons; year 121,697 tons. The total shipments for the week were 39,601 tons and for the year to date 843,304 tons. Smelter receipts total tons, week 33,946; year 741,820.

STEAM PLOUGHS AT WORK.
Calgary, May 2.—A comparison of the cultivation going on at the present time in the irrigation block by modern steam ploughs with old horse team methods, proves that the former breaks four times the area of ground at two-fifths less cost. In the Bassano district three 22-horse power steam

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ploughs broke 40 acres per day each. A conservative estimate indicates that it would have taken one six-horse team with a modern gang plough of the largest capacity, at least nine days to break 40 acres. It would have taken one man working with a team and old-fashioned walking plough 30 days to break 40 acres. It is apparent, therefore, that with the present operation of steam ploughs in the West, four times as much land is being cultivated as was the case two years ago. Orders for gasoline and steam traction engines now in the hands of manufacturers exceed by one-third the number already shipped in this season.

FATAL FALL FROM A TRAIN.

Paris, May 2.—Samuel Hale, an Alaskan mining engineer, met with a tragic death. Mr. Hale was a passenger on an express bound from Paris for Calais, and was asleep during the journey until the train was near Amiens. Then he awoke and walked toward the washroom. By mistake, however, he opened the exit door of the car and plunged out upon the ground. He was dead when picked up. Mr. Hale's wife, who was accompanying him, returned to Paris with the body.

OPENING OF NELSON Y. M. C. A.

Nelson, April 30.—The handsome new brick and stone Y. M. C. A. building, costing \$20,000, was opened yesterday, and to-day the opening ceremonies continued, closing to-morrow with appropriate services.
The building is an ornament to the

city, and reflects the greatest credit on those who undertook to provide for its construction just a year ago. It stands four stories high, adorning one of the prominent sites of the city opposite the Hotel Strathcona. The top flat is used for living rooms, specially well furnished, heated and lighted. The rest of the building is given over to the special work of the association, and includes billiard, reading and music rooms, gymnasium, bowling alley and one of the largest plunge baths in the city, hall for meetings, and

kitchen, pantry, bathrooms, etc., complete an establishment which is well furnished throughout.

JEFFRIES-JOHNSON FIGHT.

Oakland, May 2.—"Should it be my opinion, after searching out the law, that the proposed Jeffries-Johnson fight is to be a prize fight and not a boxing contest, as governed by law, then the big fight will not take place," said District Attorney Donahue this afternoon.

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CANADIAN NORTHERN'S ACTIVITIES.

The Canadian Northern Railway may be worthy of all the glowing eulogies bestowed upon it at short intervals by a contemporary, but the time is quite close at hand when it promised to commence active construction of a line on Vancouver Island, and there is as yet no sign of activity. The Grand Trunk is already at work with some tangible evidence of its interest in the commercial future of Victoria and of Vancouver Island, an activity by the way, which does not seem to be pleasing to some of its rivals, notwithstanding the generosity and liberality which Mr. Hill extends to all railways intended for development purposes. We submit that the purchase of coal mines upon this island by a company which is going, apparently, to flood the mine with water, will not do much to promote progress. But then it may be that the millions in excess of the present value in earning capacity of the property are intended to be utilized in some auxiliary industry of importance. If they are not, perhaps there may be another hold in the price of coal, which is already costing consumers a great deal more than the circumstances justify. The fact is quite evident that Hon. W. M. Mackenzie King's anti-combines bill was not introduced and passed (with the approval of the Conservative leader, by the way) a day too soon. As the Calgary Herald, a Conservative newspaper, points out: "Go to Montreal, Toronto, Hamilton, Ottawa, London and other eastern cities and see the homes of millionaires that are being built in recent years through the formation of combines in various lines of industry. Trace the increased cost of the goods in your kitchen, as month after month they rise in price and you will find the changes due in many cases to combinations among the manufacturers. It is not necessary to say that every combination is illegitimate nor even to deny that combination to some extent may be necessary for protection. But when the ultimate consumer is being taxed more heavily each succeeding year for the goods he buys it is time that some machinery was put in motion by which he may find out whether or not he is being robbed. Mr. King's legislation promises well,

and, judging by his working out of the labor act—a very imperfect statute of which he has made the most—he may be trusted to do some useful work through the medium of his anti-combines law."

CANADIAN PUBLIC MEN.

Notwithstanding that public men in Canada are very severely assailed and criticised by their political opponents, notwithstanding that the white light of publicity constantly beats upon their public conduct, the bitterest and most irreconcilable critic can select very few of them and say they have taken advantage of their many opportunities to utilize public office for their own personal benefit. If the list of able men who have served Canada in a public capacity since the year 1867 be scrutinized, in every instance such an examination will compel the scrutineer to confess that service has been rendered unselfishly, and with an undeviating desire to advance the highest and truest interests of the country.

It is true, the desire for party advantage has been strongly developed in every successful political leader. To them political power represents what success means to men engaged in private pursuits. In the unceasing battle for public favor stratagems are sometimes resorted to which are not completely in accord with what honorable men consider fair play. Particularly was this true in the early days of the Canadian confederation. It might be said with justice of the tactics still employed in the narrow field of provincial politics.

But in the federal arena political ethics are rising to a higher and more generous plane with the growth of the country. There are still small politicians at Ottawa who in their folly imagine that their whole duty is done when they unearth and ventilate petty scandals based upon pettier gossip. These small-minded members believe their wild clamor and their long-winded speeches in Parliament are going to arouse the country and kill the government. In reality their tirades are but a weariness to the flesh of the big men of both parties. That is the reason why there was lately a movement created to depose Mr. Borden. The Conservative leader is of too large calibre for them. They expect him to endorse all their silly tirades against the government, when he knows that the country is just as impatient as he with such time-wasting and energy sapping methods.

There are occasions when public attention is diverted—possibly only temporarily—from the small things which crop up in Parliament to matters of real importance, proving that the speeches too often made for the consumption of constituents do not represent the sentiments which the majority of members on opposite sides privately entertain for each other. On such occasions the party press also turns from the ordinary tenor of its critical way and gives expression to public as distinguished from partisan sentiments. As an example we take the liberty of reproducing the following very true and just estimate of the valuable services rendered the country by the Finance Minister published in the columns of the Vancouver Province, a paper which seldom concedes there is an honorable man in the Laurier administration or that any virtue can issue from the Dominion government:

"The presentation on Tuesday night last, at Ottawa, by his friends of a handsome monetary gift to Hon. W. S. Fielding, Federal Minister of Finance, recalls the fact that a page here and there in the history of Canadian politics is brightened by such an expression of esteem which overlooks all party limitations for some man whose undeniable personal merit and exceptional public services have properly singled him out from his fellows. Such occurrences in this country have, indeed, been few in number, but if we review the list we shall find that the instinct of the public, in every instance, has been unerring.

"It will be remembered that Sir John Macdonald was the recipient of a generous contribution to which members of both political parties gladly subscribed, and that Sir Wilfrid Laurier was honored in a similar manner by the Canadian public. These men, the foremost, perhaps, that Canada has produced, gave up their lives, practically to the service of their country. With exceptional abilities, which employed for their private benefit would have assured them of large wealth and abundant leisure they preferred to live laborious days for the public advantage. Possessed of limited means upon which nevertheless numberless calls were continually made their meritorious poverty appealed to the gratitude of their countrymen who honored themselves by relieving their benefactors of private anxiety.

"In the class with Sir John Macdonald and Sir Wilfrid Laurier we can unquestionably place Mr. Fielding. While he has apparently confined himself largely to his own department of the administration he has, from the first, been one of the most potent influences in shaping the policy of the Canadian government during the last fourteen years and wide as has been the scope of his activity there has been during that long period but other than the most complete confidence on the part of all classes and both parties in his ability as well as in his desire to do the best for the public. Under his financial control the Dominion has made immense strides forward. It has while he has been a member of the administration, almost to the dignity of a nation and it cannot be denied, much as his political opponents may dwell on what they regard as a mistake here and there, that Mr. Fielding has on the whole secured for the honor and credit of the Dominion his acts whether in his

at home or in his dealings with other commonwealths.

"The public realizes this and will fully approve the testimonial of which he was the recipient on Tuesday."

The Times frankly acknowledges that in the first instance it was not greatly enamored of the suggestion that the new High School should be erected on the sand pit area in Spring Ridge. But as there is no doubt that the land, when shorn of its present unrightfulness, would make a most admirable site in every respect that is worth considering, that a large square could be procured at a comparatively small cost to the ratepayers (who have to pay the bills whether contracted by the council or the school board), and that the legitimate grievance of the people of Spring Ridge have long nursed would be wiped off the slate, we are pleased to learn that there is a possibility of the council and the board reaching an understanding in the matter. If the city can remove the blot upon the Ridge landscape at a cost of eight or ten thousand dollars by meeting the wishes of what we hope will be a majority of the trustees, it will make a splendid bargain, which the great majority of the people of the city will heartily endorse.

Seattle Times: "The services of W. S. Fielding, who has for thirteen years been the Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada, was recently rewarded by a gift of \$116,000. This gift was made at a recent dinner at Ottawa, at which Premier Laurier and other prominent members of the Liberal party were present. In this country we have a system which is a little bit different. A great many men who have held office for thirteen or fourteen years call their friends around them and divide about that much money.

Halley's comet may be seen to-morrow morning if you get out of bed early enough—say a couple of minutes before half-past two. A number of enthusiasts will undertake the ordeal; but the great majority of people will hardly think the discomfort and inconvenience worth while, particularly as the celestial visitor is reported to have shed a very large portion of its tail in the aimless wandering through space during the last seventy or eighty years. We hope no one will be so silly as to make the comet a convenient excuse for getting home very late in the morning.

It is a pity Colonel Roosevelt in the course of his travels did not carry his Big Stick into the remotenesses of Turkey and lay it vigorously upon the heads of the Turks and the Albanians. The first thing the world knows the sleeping Eastern Question will arise again and all Europe will recognize a crisis.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company is also looking for a big bound in the business of Canada. It has ordered three million dollars worth of rolling stock. It was a grand day for the company when it opened its eyes and saw that its best field did not lie in the United States, but in Canada.

It is a poor year when there is not a general election in some part of Canada. Premier Roblin is going to the country this summer. And he is not going on a good record, but his voters' lists, upon which those of British Columbia are modelled, may save him.

SHOT BY OFFICERS.

Young Man Suspected of Burglary Is Killed While Trying to Escape.

North Yakima, May 2.—Cornered by a sheriff's posse on the reservation near Granger to-day, George Carl, 22 years old, was shot and instantly killed while attempting to make cover after he had emptied his revolver at his pursuers. Carl was said to have robbed the home of J. W. Fraser, who was on his way to Granger this morning to notify the police when he encountered the bandit, who kept him at bay. A young Indian took the news to the sheriff, however, and a posse was soon on the trail.

LIBERAL ELECTED.

(Special to the Times)
London, May 2.—The bye election in Crewe division, Cheshire, rendered necessary by death of Mr. James Tomkinson was held on Saturday and resulted in a return of McLaren, Liberal, by a majority of 1935 over Mr. Wellsted, Unionist. In the general election Tomkinson, who was a Liberal, was elected by a majority of 2,342 over Major Sir John Harrington, Unionist.

FRANCO-CANADIAN TREATY.

(Special to the Times)
Paris, May 2.—At a banquet of the British Chamber of Commerce here on Saturday Sir Albert Rollet alluded to the important work of the Canadian section of the chamber, especially in regard to the Franco-Canadian treaty.

SUPERANNUATION.

(Special to the Times)
Ottawa, May 2.—It is understood the government next session will introduce a bill providing for the superannuation on a more generous scale than provided for under the old scale, abolished a few years ago, for both inside and outside branches of the civil service.

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(Special to the Times)
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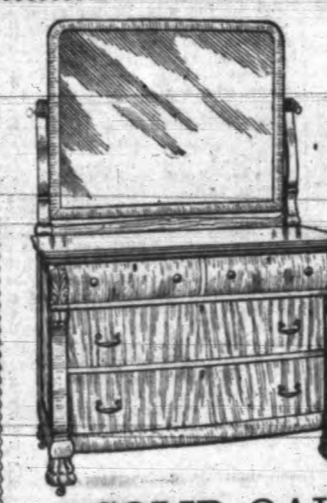
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PARKDALE.
Work was started this morning on the excavation for the new Sweeney & McConnell building on Langley Street.

The Parliament of Women will hold a rehearsal in the A. O. U. W. hall at 4 p. m. Tuesday. All taking part are requested to attend.

The Friendly Help Association will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. The meeting will take place at the Market Hall.

The Victoria branch of the Imperial British Israel Association meet tomorrow at 8 p. m. at 1122 Hillside Ave. The subject for discussion will be "The Sixth Vial and Turkey's Doom: Is It God's Work?"

The repairs which are in progress to the tank at the corner of Yates and Douglas streets are causing considerable inconvenience to the patrons of the street cars. The alterations necessitate a transfer on all cars bound over the tracks passing that corner.

An enjoyable social has been arranged to take place this evening, when the Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will be pleased to welcome their many friends. The evening will be spent with games and music, at the close of which light refreshments will be served.

On Wednesday evening, May 11th, the third concert of the Arion Club will be held in the Victoria theatre. The soloist on this occasion will be Mrs. C. Macdonald Fahy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lugin. Members of this organization are requested to attend the rehearsals held every Monday and Thursday evenings.

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Turnout Largest in History of Local Lodges—Bishop Preaches Eloquent Sermon.

Yesterday's special service to celebrate the 91st anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held at Christ Church cathedral, was attended by the largest turnout of members in the history of the local lodges.

Over 350 representatives of the various branches assembled at the I. O. O. F. hall at 2 p. m., and headed by the band of the 17th Regiment, marched to the cathedral. The procession was headed by the local branch of the Canton militant, newly uniformed, followed by grand lodge members, representatives of the grand encampment, subordinate encampments, subordinate lodges and a large contingent from the Sisters of Rebekka.

Bishop Perrin, who was assisted in the service by Rev. E. G. Miller, rector of St. Barnabas' church, and chaplain of Dominion Lodge, No. 4, preached a forceful sermon. After the service the band played the procession back to the hall. The collection, which was a generous one, was handed over to Bishop Perrin to be devoted towards the new steamer being built for the Columbia coast mission to loggers.

Alexander Locksley, president of the Victoria and District Association Football League, Samuel Lorimer, captain of the J. B. A. A., George Orell, representing the Victoria West club, and J. Sullivan, representing the Forsters, who were appointed by the league executive to revise the football constitution, will meet tomorrow night. The meeting will take place at Peden Brothers' sporting goods store on Government Street, at 8 o'clock.

WATERS RESERVED.

An "extra" of the B. C. Gazette was issued on Friday, the day after the regular weekly issue. And it was all for the publication of the following notice from the Department of Lands: "Notice is hereby given that the waters of Shooah-tians and Woodworth Lakes, in Range 5, Coast district, and the waters of all streams flowing into said lakes, and all streams flowing therefrom, are reserved, subject to the rights of existing records only, for the use of the crown."

Yesterday afternoon the Gorge park was opened for the season and hundreds visited that pretty resort. There was a band concert and the Japanese tea gardens were open. There have been several improvements made in the park, which is looking its best.

On Wednesday evening the regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Poultry & Pet Stock Association will be held in the Labor hall, Douglas Street. A full attendance of members is requested, as business of importance is to be transacted.

Another rich strike of gold on Graham Island is reported. J. Douglas, who has been investigating a claim, came down on the steamer Amur on Saturday, bringing several samples of high grade ore which he is stated to have taken out with a pick. Mr. Douglas left for Seattle to-day.

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North Ward Defeated Nanaimo Team in Fast Game by Two Goals

Lacrosse as yet in Victoria this season does not seem to be very popular, for the first of the exhibition games, played last Saturday afternoon at the Royal Athletic park between Cloverdale and Victoria West, called out only a handful of spectators and but half the players chosen to represent the Victoria West team.

Cloverdale, with a speedy team in the pink of condition, had prepared for the game and recorded a score of fourteen goals to nil against the patchwork team of the Victoria West club.

The weather was fine and the ground was in first class condition and the exhibition of scoring shown by the Cloverdale team, and combination and general play, stamps that team as likely to be at the top of the list when the league games are through.

Of the Victoria West team nothing can be said, for there were only half the team out, while two of those appeared on the field in half street dress and half lacrosse uniform. The twelve was made up of players picked up on the ground who had never played with the boys of the western club and consequently could not be expected to play into a combination in the first game.

Victoria West played the first quarter with eleven men and had two goals scored against them. Bailey went on in the second quarter but Cloverdale shot in a goal at four minutes and followed it with a straight run down the centre and a shot into the net. The other three goals of this quarter came at intervals after a number of shots on the goal.

During the first quarter Julian (Cloverdale) and Ross (Victoria West) got hot with one another and laid on the wood. They were sent off for five minutes. In the second quarter C. Brown (Victoria West) and L. Redgrave (Cloverdale) became badly mixed up with each other's sticks. They were about to start a fight, having discarded their sticks and shaped up, when the referee sent them to the bench to cool off for five minutes.

The second half of the game was all Cloverdale's, seven goals being added to the half-time quarter. The few spectators began to leave the field before the end of the game.

No account of the Victoria West strength can be gauged, because half the team had preferred fishing to lacrosse. Cloverdale, however, has a fast and clever team, which will, as the season goes on, no doubt improve on Saturday's exhibition. The team will play again in the last exhibition match, May 14th, at the Victoria West and Victoria West meet in the second exhibition game, but the meeting place has not yet been decided upon.

North Ward defeated Nanaimo at Nanaimo on Saturday afternoon in a fast game. The score was four to two. North Ward showed especially strong in defence with Johnston goal, Sweeney (F.) point, and J. Dakers cover point. The scoring was done by Sutherland (Nanaimo) five minutes, Kroger (North Ward) 10 minutes, Second quarter no score. Third quarter, McGregor (North Ward) eight minutes. Fourth quarter, Campbell (North Ward) three minutes, Arnold (Nanaimo) seven minutes, and Kroger (North Ward) 18 minutes. The star game of the afternoon, Dr. Drysdale refereed.

SPORT NOTES

July 1st and 2nd are the dates of the N. P. A. A. O. The annual regatta will be held at Vancouver this year and the V. R. C. has selected the aforementioned dates for submission to the N. P. A. A. O. committee which will no doubt accept them.

James J. Jeffries says in connection with the death of Tommy McCarthy that it was one of those unfortunate accidents that could not be avoided. Things like that are likely to occur in many any line of sport. Nevertheless, it's a mighty tough thing for a family to lose a lad of McCarthy's age.

The one, two and four mile contests in the United States national relay championship held Saturday were all won by Pennsylvania. Damsell, winner of the 100 yards, made the distance in 10 seconds flat.

The Y. M. C. A. Junior field meet takes place Saturday next. The boys are busy preparing. Junior runners have the Empire Day meet afterwards, and the High School will have a pair and crew in the annual water event. The High School holds practices at Oak Bay Monday and Thursday at 3:45 p. m.

Vancouver professional soccer men beat Ladysmith on Saturday with ease. The score was 3 to 0. Ladysmith has a weak team out, and were beaten in combination. The victory is also a victory for professionalism which is held in the Terminal City to give a better brand of sport than amateurism.

Frank Gotch and Zybasco signed a contract on Saturday at Chicago to wrestle for the championship of the world on May 29th. The purse for the event will be \$25,000.

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Advertisement for BABIES ON FIRE. With burning, itching, scaling, crusted humors, instantly relieved and speedily cured.

Advertisement for CORRESPONDENCE. Sporting Editor, Times. I should like to correct a few wild statements in your issue of the 26th on the question of amateurism.

Advertisement for RIFLEMEN SHOOT AT CLOVER POINT. Sergt. Carr Heads List of Marksmen With 93 Total for Three Ranges

Advertisement for NORTHWESTERN BASEBALL LEAGUE SCHEDULE AT SEATTLE. SPOKANE, TACOMA, VANCOUVER, SEATTLE, TACOMA AND VANCOUVER

Advertisement for TIDE TABLE. Victoria, May, 1910. Table showing tide times and heights for various locations.

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Advertisement for LEAGUE MATCHES IN OLD COUNTRY. London, May 2.—Following are the results of league games played on Saturday.

Advertisement for POOR AFFAIR WAS SATURDAY'S SOCCER. Only Six Players a Side Turned Up to Represent Scotland and England

Advertisement for WHEAT EXPORTS. The export of wheat from Canada during 1909 amounted to almost 26,000,000 bushels.

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There was an agreeable surprise in store for the very large audience which attended the presentation of H. J. Byron's comedy, "Our Boys," by the High School Alumni in the A. O. U. W. hall on Saturday evening.

Many were turned away, at Saturday night's performance, as the fire chief had given orders that only a certain number could be admitted after the seats were filled.

IN POLICE COURT

In the police court this morning Loyal De McCredie, on remand charged with obtaining a motor launch, valued at \$405, by means of a valueless cheque, was remanded until Thursday.

ESQUIMALT WINNERS

Village Defeated the Shearwater Boys at Cricket. In a cricket match played at the Cannocks on Saturday afternoon a team chosen from the Esquimalt village defeated an aggregation from H. M. S. Shearwater by one inning and 21 runs.

PROBING ILLINOIS BRIBERY CHARGES

Special Grand Jury is Investigating Statements Made by Member of State Legislature

(Times Leased Wire.) Chicago, May 2.—State's Attorney Wayman will take Representative Charles A. White before the special grand jury to-day to repeat his confession of accepting a bribe of \$1,000 for voting for William Lorimer for United States senator and later \$500 as his share in a "jack pot" or general legislative corruption fund.

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COUNTY COURT SITTING

Nine Cases on Docket at Opening of May Session—Three Cases Heard. Nine cases were on the docket at the opening of the county court May session this morning, and three were heard and decided.

FIRE ALARMS

3—Government and Superior Sts. 4—Government and Battery Sts. 5—Mendenhall and Michigan Sts. 6—Mendenhall and Niagara Sts. 7—Montreal and Kingston Sts. 8—Montreal and Simcoe Sts. 9—Dallas Rd. and Simcoe St. 10—Avalon Rd. and Government St. 11—Chemical Works, Erie St. 12—Vancouver St. and Burdette Ave. 13—Douglas and Humboldt Sts. 14—Rupert and Humboldt Sts. 15—Cook St. and Fairfield Rd. 16—Linden Ave. and Rockland Ave. 17—Moss St. and Fairfield Rd. 18—Yates and Broad Sts. 19—Government and Fort Sts. 20—Yates and Wharf Sts. 21—Government and Johnson Sts. 22—Douglas St. at Victoria Theatre. 23—Blanchard and View Sts. 24—Spencer's Arcade. 25—Fort and Quadra Sts. 26—Yates and Cook Sts. 27—Rockland Ave. and St. Charles St. 28—Fort St. and Stanley Ave. 29—Fort St. and Oak Bay Ave. 30—Fort St. and Richmond Ave. 31—Pembroke and Shakespeare Sts. 32—Oak Bay Ave. and Davie St. 33—Pandora Ave. and Quadra St. 34—Esquimalt and Gadsden Aves. 35—Cook St. and California Ave. 36—Pembroke St. and Spring Rd. 37—Gadsden and Stanley Aves. 38—Pandora Ave. and Chambers St. 39—Quadra St. and Queen's Ave. 40—Government and Discovery Sts. 41—Government St. and Princess Ave. 42—King's Rd. and Barclay Ave. 43—Government and Douglas Sts. 44—Orchard and First Halls. 45—Lemon and Gospen's Mill, Orchard St. 46—Hillside Ave. and Graham St. 47—Coronant and Store Sts. 48—Discovery and Store Sts. 49—Briggs and John Sts. 50—Cliffdowner Rd. and Belton Ave. 51—Mary and Lime Sts. 52—Pleasant St. at Moore and Whittington's. 53—Russell and Wilson Sts. 54—Sawmills Mill, Constable St. 55—Esquimalt 122, and Rothwell St. 56—Gorge Rd. and Carlyle Rd. 57—Burnside Rd. and Delta St. 58—Washington Ave.

OBITUARY RECORD

At the family residence, 1265 Vinair street, the death occurred yesterday morning of Richard Jenkins, after a lingering illness. Deceased was 40 years of age and was born in Cornwall, England. He came to America when a young man and for 20 years mined in Montana. Five years ago he arrived in this city and has resided here ever since. He leaves to mourn his loss a widow, five young children, a sister in Hütte, Montana, and a brother in London, Eng.

J. F. McKenzie left on the steamer Tees last night for Friendly Cove to bring back the bodies of Maurice McArdle and his son, Fred McArdle, who were drowned last week while making a trip up the west coast with two Eskimo men. McKenzie has the assumption that other bodies may have been recovered, and will accompany the remains back on the return trip of the Tees. The bodies of the McArdles

COAL MEASURES ON NORTH THOMPSON

Company of Victorians Formed to Develop Industrial Area—Canadian Northern Railway Will Pass Through Property.

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HONOR FOR PAULHAN

Paris, May 2.—The National Aerial League has awarded its grand gold medal to Louis Paulhan for his flight from London to Paris.

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STEAMER MAKURA SPOKEN YESTERDAY

Has Record Crowd of 550 Passengers—Should Arrive Tuesday at 10 a.m.

The fine new Australasian liner Makura is expected to arrive in port on Tuesday morning at about 10 o'clock. She was reported yesterday by the Dominion government wireless station at Pakena, 863 miles from Cape Flattery, at 8 p.m. She is carrying 550 passengers, a record crowd for even this large boat.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireles.) Point Grey, May 2, 8 a.m.—Overcast; bar, 29.97; temp, 56; passed in Rupert City 7.30 a.m. Cape Lazo, May 2, 8 a.m.—Clear; wind, N.W.; bar, 29.98; temp, 45. Pakena, May 2, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar, 29.96; temp, 47. Estevan, May 2, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; temp, 49. Triangle Island, May 2, 8 a.m.—Overcast; wind, S.E.; bar, 29.49; temp, 41; spoke Princess May 6.15 p.m. north bound, off Ping Island, and Olympic in lat. 52.38, long. 132.41, south bound, 6.45 p.m.; steamer Grant, off Goose Island fishing, 4.52 p.m.; Revenue Cutter Tacoma, north bound, 9 p.m. Ikeda Head, May 2, 8 a.m.—Overcast; wind, S.E.; sea moderate; Henricette north bound, 6 a.m. Tatoosh, May 2, 8 a.m.—Cloudy; wind, S.W. 6 miles; bar, 30.05; temp, 47; passed out, steamer Thor, 5.45 p.m. In p.m. fishing steamers, 7.45 p.m.; out, Northwestern, 8 p.m.; barque, probably Celtibard, 3 a.m.; steamer, probably Standard Oil tanker, 5.30 a.m.; schooner Blakeley, towing. Point Grey, May 2, noon.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.05; temp, 61; luxy seaward. Cape Lazo, May 2, noon.—Clear; light N.W. wind; bar, 29.98; temp, 54; sea smooth. Tatoosh, May 2, noon.—Clear; wind N.W., 40 miles; bar, 30.02; temp, 53; sea smooth; out, barque Star of Finland 1.15 a.m.; in, President 10 a.m.; out, steam schooner Jim-Butter 4.55 a.m.; inside, bound out, large Wash-ton's towing. Pakena, May 2, noon.—Clear; calm; bar, 29.95; temp, 50; sea smooth; Fees last bound 10.20 a.m. Estevan, May 2, noon.—Cloudy; light S.E. wind; temp, 49; sea smooth; spoke Northwestern 2.10 miles north of Point Grey bound. Triangle Island, May 2, noon.—Cloudy; light S.E. breeze; bar, 29.45; temp, 54; sea smooth; spoke Northwestern 150 miles off Flattery at 8.30 a.m.; large 2-masted steamer east bound at 11 a.m.

SKEEMA NAVIGATION IN FULL SWING

Distributor and Omineca Pass Down River Yesterday After Being Repaired

(Special to the Times.) Hazelton, B. C., May 1.—Steamers Hazelton, B. C., May 1.—Steamers Distributor and Omineca, of Foley, Welch & Stewart's boats, which stranded late last fall below Hazelton, have been repaired and started down the Skeena in charge of Captain Johnson, en route to Prince Rupert, where they arrived Saturday evening. They will undergo a few minor repairs and be ready for business again in a few days. Steamer Conveyor arrived at Kitce-las Friday evening, being the first boat to reach that point this season. The Hudson Bay Company's steamer Hazel-ton arrived at Kitce-las at nine this morning. Both boats are returning to Rupert to load for Hazelton. Steamer Port Simpson, with a large passenger list, left Prince Rupert this afternoon, the first through boat for Hazelton this season. The water being extremely low, she is not expected to reach here before the eighth. The opening of navigation on the Skeena is no earlier than in previous years. The weather is turning warmer and the river is rising slowly. Two Indians canoeing near Mean-skinsht upset, one of them, Timothy Wilson, being drowned.

VALUABLE SILK

Amyeric Coming With Large British Columbia Cargo, Including Half Million Dollars' Worth of Fabric. Steamer Amyeric, of the Bank line, which left Yokohama April 20th, is due to arrive here on Saturday next with a large cargo of freight for British Columbia points. She has 1,700 tons for Victoria and Vancouver, 340 tons to go overland by the C. P. R., and 1,000 bales of silk valued at \$500,000. She will be rushed through as fast as it is possible for these slow freighters to rush, very little delay being made at this port, in order that the silk may go through to New York by the special train which will be in waiting at Vancouver.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle—Arrived: Br. stmr. Kumerio, from Tacoma; Ger. ship Ador, from Everett. Sailed: Stmr. Northwestern for Valdez; Stmr. Buckman for San Francisco; stmr. Jefferson for Skag-way. San Francisco—Arrived: Stmr. Governor from Seattle; stmr. Gray's Harbor from San Pedro. Sailed: Stmr. F. S. Leop for San Pedro; stmr. Wellesly for Astoria. Tacoma—Arrived: Nor. Stmr. Horn-elen from Everett; Br. ship Halewood from Winslow. Sailed: Stmr. City of Puebla for Sound ports. Los Angeles—Arrived: Stmr. Santa Rosa from San Diego; stmr. William H. Murphy from Eureka; stmr. Wat-son from Seattle; stmr. Katherine from Eureka. Sailed: Stmr. Santa Rosa for San Francisco; stmr. Whittier for San Diego.

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stated it was the fault of the cook, who was incompetent. The men ascribed most of the misfortunes of the vessel to a coal-black cat, which, however, jumped overboard a few days ago. Now, the men say, everything will go well. The ship is a four-masted carrier with a spread of canvas amounting to 22,000 square feet. She is of 2,035 tons burden, with a large capacity between decks. For a long time past there has been little chartering to South African ports, business having been dull, but this is improving, the demand at that port being large. The Elginshire, which draws 23 feet of water, will lie easily at the dock in the harbor, as there is 25 feet there at the lowest tide. Her load here has been made possible by the work of the Dominion government in carrying out the large dredging operations which are at present in progress. It is possible that she may complete her cargo in Esquimalt harbor.

MARINE NOTES

Steamer Thor, bound for San Francisco with a cargo of coal, passed out yesterday. Steamer Century, of the Australian mail line, is on her way north from San Francisco to Comox. The oil steamer Coalhoga has been launched at Oakland, California. She has a capacity of 7,000 barrels. Steamer Celtic King, under charter to Andrew Weir & Co., from Hughes Jones & Co., of Liverpool, will join the Australian Mail line, carrying a cargo of lumber for Sydney. Captain Troup, superintendent of the B. C. coast service of the Canadian Pacific Railway, left on Saturday for Prince Rupert on business connected with his department. Steamer Otter is taking coal to the whaling stations and will bring back another cargo of whale oil for the Blue Funnel liner Proteus, which will be here in a day or two. Steamer Vado is expected to arrive here late on Wednesday. She will on her next trip call at Kitimaat going north, a number of passengers having already booked for that point. The six-masted barquentine Everett C. Griggs is here to-day picking up a crew. She will probably not get away for several days. This local-owned vessel is carrying nearly 5,000,000 feet of lumber, one of the largest cargoes on record. The steamer Germanicus, which was reported aground in Grenville channel a few days ago, has cooled at Comox and is now at Tacoma to load wheat under charter to W. R. Grace & Co. Captain Brandt denies that his vessel was ashore as reported, therefore it will not be necessary for her to dock. Steamer Cleaverley, chartered by the Jensen & Ostrander Company to take the place of the Ema, carrying freight to Mexico, is now loading at Vancouver. She has capacity for over 5,000 tons, and is commanded by Captain Krash. The Hermine is also to load wheat at Vancouver for the same firm.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

Table with columns: Vessel, From, To, Date. Includes entries for Empress of China, Amyeric, Kamakura Maru, Makura, Georgia, Keenun, Empress of Japan, Awa Maru, Madora, Londale, Proteus.

COASTWISE STEAMERS

Table with columns: Vessel, From, To, Date. Includes entries for City of Puebla, Queen, Princess Royal, Petriana, Amur, Peiriana, St. Denis, Tees, For San Francisco, For Skagway, For Northern B. C. Ports.

FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver. Steamer leaves here at 3 p.m. daily except Mondays, arriving at Vancouver at 7.30 p.m.; steamer leaves here at 1 a.m. daily, arriving at Vancouver at 7 a.m. Steamer leaves Vancouver daily except Wednesdays at 10 a.m., arriving Victoria at 3 p.m.; steamer leaves Vancouver at 3.30 p.m. daily, arriving here at 6.30 p.m. Steamer leaves here 5 p.m. daily, arriving Seattle 2.30 p.m.; leaves Seattle 7 a.m. daily, arriving here 2 p.m. Vancouver-Seattle. Steamer leaves Vancouver daily except Mondays at 10 p.m., arriving Seattle 7 a.m.; leaves Seattle daily except Tuesdays 11.30 p.m., arriving in Vancouver 8.30 a.m.

SLACK WATER

Active Pass, B. C.

Table with columns: Date, H.W., Slack, L.W., Slack. Lists tide times for various dates in May 1910.

WILE WED AGAIN

Jacksonville, Indiana, May 2.—Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, daughter of Wm. Jennings Bryan, declared Saturday that she will wed Reginald Owen, of the British Royal Engineers, on May 2nd, in spite of any opposition that may be offered by William Horace Leavitt, from whom she was divorced. Further than regretting her intention to marry Owen, she refused to comment on Leavitt's declaration that he would try to prevent the ceremony unless he secured possession of the Leavitt children.

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Esquimalt & Nanaimo Ry. DOUBLE TRAIN SERVICE DAILY Effective May 1st, 1910. Table with columns: North-bound, Train No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. South-bound, Train No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

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Eocene	1.75
Meats—	
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	27
Bacon (B. C.), per lb.	24
Hams (American), per lb.	27 1/2
Bacon (American), per lb.	24 1/2
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	28
Beef, per lb. (fat), per sack	12 1/2
Pork, per lb.	12 1/2
Mutton, per lb.	12 1/2
Lamb, hindquarter	2.50
Lamb, forequarter	1.75
Wheat, per lb.	1.25
Suet, per lb.	18
Firm Produce—	
Fresh Island Eggs	33
Butter (creamery)	24
Butter (California)	24
Cheese, per lb.	24
Western Canada Flour Mills—	
Purity, per sack	2.00
Purity, per bbl.	7.25
Three Star Patent, per sack	1.85
Three Star Patent, per bbl.	7.00
Hungarian Flour—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.90
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	7.50
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Vancouver Milling Co., Hungarian, per bbl.	7.50
Lake of Woods, per sack	2.00
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	7.75
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.90
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	7.50
Enderby, per sack	1.90
Enderby, per bbl.	7.50
Pastry Flour—	
Snowflake, per sack	1.85
Snowflake, per bbl.	7.25
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack	1.70
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl.	6.50
O. K. Four Star, per sack	1.70
O. K. Four Star, per bbl.	6.50
Vancouver Milling Co., Wild	
Rose	1.75
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.70
Drifted Snow, per bbl.	6.50
Strain	
Wheat, chicken fed, per ton	30.00
V. wheat, per lb.	22
Barley	25.00
Whole Corn	45.00
Cracked Corn	45.00
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	40
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 20-lb. sk.	30
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 40-lb. sk.	1.90
Roller Oats (B. & K.), 80-lb. sk.	1.85
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	2.50
Oatmeal, 50-lb. sack	2.35
Roller Wheat, 10 lbs.	65
Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs.	65
Wheat Flakes, per packet	1.20
Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.	48
Graham Flour, 10 lbs.	48
Graham Flour, 50 lbs.	1.75
Feed—	
Hay (baled), per ton	22.00
Straw, per bale	2.50
Middlings, per ton	25.00
Brans, per ton	20.00
Ground Feed, per ton	25.00
Shorts	22.00
Foultry—	
Dressed Foot, per ton	250
Ducks, per lb.	20
Geese (Island), per lb.	20
Garden Produce—	
Cabbage, per lb.	1.25
Potatoes (local), per sack	1.25
Onions, per lb.	1
Carrots, per lb.	1

New York Stocks

(Times Leased Wire.)
New York, May 2.—Opening prices showed declines in many stocks to-day. Amalgamated Copper, under heavy pressure, dropped to 66 1/4 points below Saturday's close. United States Steel dropped good fractions following the raising of 7,000 shares. Later in the morning buying orders appeared which strengthened Copper, Steel, Union Pacific and Reading. The market gained slightly afterwards, then went down as it had rallied slightly towards noon. Sales were influenced greatly by influences lasting over from last week.
The market turned weak at noon and sold down to prices touching the lowest of the day. Southern Pacific and Northern Pacific dropped two points. Other railroad stocks sold off. The market closed weak. Bonds were easy.

Grain Market

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, May 2.
Open High Low Close
Wheat—
May 107 106 107 106
July 102 101 102 102
Sept. 99 99 100 100
Corn—
May 58 57 58 58
July 62 61 62 62
Sept. 64 64 64 64
Oats—
May 40 41 41 41
July 40 40 40 40
Sept. 38 38 38 38
Lard—
May 12.37 12.40 12.35 12.40
July 12.25 12.25 12.07 12.22
Sept. 12.12 12.30 12.00 12.30
Short Ribs—
May 12.20 12.20 12.05 12.20
July 12.07 12.10 11.90 12.07
Sept. 12.00 12.10 11.87 12.27

Victoria Stock Exchange

American Canadian Oil	12
B. C. Amalgamated Coal	60 1/2
B. C. Permanent Loan	135.00
B. C. Pulp & Paper Co.	70
B. C. Oil Refining Co.	90
B. C. Copper Co.	2.00
Bakeries, Limited	7.00
Bitter Creek Mining Co.	95
Canadian Marconi	1.65
Northern Bank Certificates	14
Consolidated Smelters	90
Diamond Coal	65
Diablo Vale Coal & Coke	94 1/2
Grainy Mining	60.00
North West Permanent	112.00
Glacier Creek Mining	60
International Coal	60
McGillivray Creek Coal	62 1/2
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	75.00
Northern Oil	100.00
Pacific Lumber Co.	25.00
Pacific Whaling	75.00
Puget Mines	62
Rambler Cariboo	60
Red Cliff Mining Co.	1.90
Royal Collieries	15
South African	200.00
Stewart Brick & Lime	60
Stewart Mining Co.	2.50
Victoria Transfer Co.	41.00
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At London the other day President Charles M. Hays of the Grand-Trunk Pacific railway, stated that this summer he expected to ride from Prince Rupert to Copper River on the new railway line.

Construction work is being rapidly pushed forward on the line both east and west of Fort George. Transcontinental trains will be running through here, possibly in 1911, certainly in 1912.

This great transcontinental is only ONE of the many railways whose inland systems will centre at Fort George. There are now seven railway lines, building and projected, which radiate from this point. It strategic position will COMPEL the railways of the future also, to centre at Fort George.

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Because Fort George dominates the inland waterways. You can verify this statement by a glance at any map of British Columbia. You will see its location at the junction of the Nechaco and Fraser rivers, and commanding the Stuart river and its chain of lakes; the north and south branches of the Fraser; the Salmon river and the headwaters of the Peace.

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TRANSACTION IN ISLAND MINES

BELIEVED THAT DUNSMUIR INTERESTS HAVE PASSED

Canadian Co Beries, Ltd., Have Absorbed Past Interests Possessed by Pioneer Family

That the long-remembered deal for the transfer of the mining properties possessed by the Dunsmuir interests on this island to a syndicate of Toronto capitalists representing the Canadian Northern has matured is the popular belief to-day, though it is impossible to get official confirmation.

J. A. Lindsay, private secretary to Hon. James Dunsmuir, was seen by the Times this morning regarding the matter, and while refusing to confirm the report of the transfer, admitted that it was possibly correct.

"It is true," said Mr. Lindsay, "that an option has been filed on the properties for some time, but we have no information that the same has resulted in the purchase of the property. We are as much in the dark as the general public." It was assumed from Mr. Lindsay's tone that every circumstance leads to the belief that the transaction was imminent.

Secrecy of the most extraordinary sort has been maintained throughout all the negotiations. Some two months ago a rumor was afloat to the effect that the Dunsmuir mines and other properties connected with the coal industry had been bonded by the C. P. R. Fast on the heels of this story came another that this bond had been allowed to lapse and that it was now possessed by the representative of the Canadian Northern. Some credence was given this latter report in the most responsible quarters; and later it was substantiated from official sources. The later developments would seem to corroborate the earlier rumors, and that the immense holdings of the Dunsmuir have been passed into the hands of the Canadian Northern.

One of the extraordinary phases of the transaction is the circumstance that the president of the Dunsmuir company—Hon. James Dunsmuir—is a director of the C. P. R., and it has long been contended that that company would hardly be likely to have such interests pass into the hands of a rival corporation. Judging from the personnel of the incorporators of the company which is to absorb the Dunsmuir interests there can be no doubt that Canadian Northern interests are to be paramount. This company is registered as "Canadian Colliers (Dunsmuir) Limited," with a capital stock of twenty million dollars, divided into two hundred thousand shares of one hundred dollars each, and the chief business of the said company is at the city of Victoria.

With the passing of these large holdings from the family whose name is so interwoven with the history of the development and progress of this province, there is in effect a business transaction of the greatest moment to the people of Vancouver Island. The Dunsmuir company possesses rich coal lands at two points on the island—Comox and Ladysmith, and these are only in partial course of development. There is a line of railway operated by the company between Union Bay and Cumberland, and there are also colliers operated to San Francisco. It is the popular belief that with the passing of these properties into the hands of new owners there will be developments of the most important character.

DOMINION CUSTOMS REVENUE FOR APRIL

Increased Over Twenty-Five Per Cent. Compared With Same Month Last Year

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, May 2.—Customs revenue for April totalled \$5,954,770, an increase of \$1,033,092 or over 25 per cent, compared with April last year. Imports continue to break all records.

REV. DR. MILLIGAN RESIGNS.

(Special to the Times.)
Toronto, May 2.—Rev. J. M. Milligan, D. D., who has been pastor of St. Andrew's church since 1876, yesterday announced his resignation owing to ill-health.

NEW U. S. JUDGE.

Washington, D. C., May 2.—The Senate judiciary committee to-day decided to recommend the confirmation of Governor Hughes, of New York, to be Justice of the Supreme court. A protest of the American anti-trust league did not deter the committee in its action. One member of the committee said to-day: "The members of the committee know Governor Hughes' mind, character and record as well as any person in the country. There is no use in wasting time investigating a matter upon which we are already informed."

The Senate this afternoon confirmed the nomination of Governor Hughes as associate justice of the Supreme court.

It is anticipated that at this evening's meeting of the city council the city solicitor will report that in his opinion there is no basis for the protest lodged by the Biome Company, of Chicago, against the action of the city regarding the pavement being laid on Pandora avenue. Inquiries instituted by the city engineer have disclosed that the company has been granted no patents by the Canadian government.

Steamers from Seattle to Southwestern Alaska are now going north by the outside route instead of taking the tortuous channels among the islands. They make better weather outside when the weather is good, but they miss the fine scenery which is enjoyed by those taking the Canadian steamer.



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THREE STATES SWEEP BY STORM

Thousands of Dollars Damage is Wrought in Missouri, Kansas and Southern Illinois

(Times Leased Wire.)
St. Louis, Mo., May 2.—One of the severest storms of years swept Missouri, Kansas and Southern Illinois today, and as a result several persons are injured and thousands of dollars damage has been done.

The storm started last night and continued to-day. A heavy wind which, in some cases reached the proportions of a tornado, was followed by a heavy rain that fell in torrents and flooded creeks and rivers.

At Emporia, Kas., the wind was so heavy that trees were torn up by the roots and buildings were wrecked. Windows were broken, signs torn down, the roofs lifted off buildings, and telegraph and telephone wires prostrated.

Throughout Missouri heavy damage is reported. Crops already injured by the storm of a week ago when snow and freezing weather held away in the state, were further damaged by the heavy rain, which in some places washed out the newly-planted crops.

In the larger cities the wind wrecked signs and caused considerable damage. In southern Illinois the damage to crops is reported as severe.

MURDERER SURRENDERS

Man Who Killed Sweetheart in Fit of Jealousy Gives Himself Up to Police.

San Francisco, Cal., May 2.—Driven from his retreat in the canyons of the Alameda county foothills, where he has been hiding for the past ninety days, George Bessor, a longshoreman, who shot and killed Miss Eleanor Fieber, his sweetheart, on the night of January 29th in a fit of jealousy, came back into the city yesterday to surrender himself to Detective James Regan, an acquaintance, and was captured by the police before he could voluntarily give himself up. Bessor tells a story of terrible hardship endured while concealing himself from the officers.

TWO DROWNED.

San Francisco, Cal., May 2.—Losing his strength after a half-hour struggle to support themselves on the bottom of an overturned fishing-smack which had capsized with them in the bay off Fort Point, Mrs. Louise Schmitt, 22 years old, and John Gabb, aged 43, sank and were drowned.

Russell M. Schmitt, husband of the young woman, who was one of the party in the boat, made every effort to save his wife's life.

The accident occurred as the party was returning from a fishing expedition, by the boat turning turtle.

VANCOUVER BAKERS STRIKE.

Vancouver, B. C., May 2.—After a mass meeting on Saturday all the bakers in this city went out on strike to-day, and a bread famine is threatened. The master bakers say that they have only supply enough to keep hotels going. The men are asking that the open shop be abolished.

EX-PRESIDENT OF HAWTI DEAD.

Kingston, Jamaica, May 2.—Nora Alicia, former president of Hawti, is dead here to-day, following a brief illness. His health, however, had been completely broken down by the experiences of the last year and a half, after he was deposed and sent into exile.

VICTORIA HAS A STOCK EXCHANGE

ACTIVITY AROUSES BROKERS TO ACTION

Meeting Held This Morning—Old Organization Has Been Acquired by W. E. Laird

A preliminary meeting was held this morning in Frank Stevenson's offices, Mahon block, for the purpose of forming a Victoria stock exchange. Several local mining and brokerage men who are interested in mining stocks, and who believe the time is ripe for the formation of an exchange here, were present.

It was decided that a stock exchange should be formed, and that at once. The general sentiment expressed was that Victoria was ripe for a general market for the buying and selling of stocks and shares. The boom in Portland canal and Stewart shares and the general mining activity in British Columbia portends that mining business will be more than usually active for the future in every city in the province.

There has been no regular stock exchange in Victoria since fourteen years ago, when fifteen local men formed an exchange which did business under a charter for about six weeks, when a motion to wind up of that exchange was passed in regular meeting. The winding up, however, never took place. About six weeks ago a movement was made to revive the old exchange, but differences occurred between the parties. W. E. Laird, however, succeeded in securing all the stock of the company and holds the fifteen shares.

When these were transferred to him the transfer certificates were signed by the president and secretary of the old company in the regular way, but both president and secretary passed out of office by the action of the transfer. The articles of the old company called for the attendance of eleven of the fifteen members in person to constitute a regular meeting. The new owner of the stock by the transfer became president, secretary, vice-president and general pool bank, but was unable to elect himself to any of the offices without the attendance of at least eleven members. He could not transfer it to others without the signatures of a president and secretary, who do not exist, and was therefore at a deadlock with himself.

Legal advice on the unique situation of the old exchange is that the holder of the stock would have to dissolve the company by application to the courts and form a new one.

The officers of the exchange are: President, Samuel Martin; vice-president, William Piggott; treasurer, D. M. Rogers; secretary, C. P. Fegan; executive board, F. W. Stevenson, Philip Olden and A. von Alvensleben.

The membership is limited to twenty. The following members were enrolled this morning: Mitchell Martin & Company; R. B. Punnett, F. W. Stevenson & Company; Elliott & Bromley, Stewart, Olden & Mattson, Bevan Bros. & Company; Hagan Bros. & Gore; Washburn, Wynn & Company, Canadian Western Chartered Corporation, Ltd.; J. F. Arbuckle, A. G. Howard Potts, A. von Alvensleben, B. Brammer, Frewin & Harvey and J. H. Whitmore.

The first call of the new exchange was held this morning, when Portland Canal was the first stock traded in, sales being made for a block at 41 cents. Glaciers sold at 40 cents. Stewart's were bid at \$6.10 and offered at \$6.50. Pacific Whaling preferred was offered at \$71 with \$65 bid.

The calls opened at 10:30 a. m. and the exchange will permanent quarters are provided, will be at the offices of F. W. Stevenson & Company.

Rates of commission are the same as on the Vancouver exchange.

An early start is to be made by the city engineer's staff on the work of putting in permanent pavement on the southern section of the canalway area. Asphalt will be used.

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This city has more jobs to-day than it has men. A firm that used to stick up signs on its office door, "No Men Wanted Here, Keep Out," had to send a man around town the other day to beg men to come and take a job. Street improvements, new buildings, the new Grand Trunk steamships, street railway expansion, railway construction—all these things will bring so many wage-earners here that builders will be working overtime to provide accommodation for them. Vacant building sites will be rapidly taken up. Remember that an acre of ground will accommodate only six new homes.

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WHEN VICTORIA'S MAYOR WAS IRISH

A REMINISCENCE BY JOHN L. SULLIVAN

Ex-Champion Recalls Events at Ned Hanlon's Banquet Here in 1883

"The funniest fights I ever had," says John L. Sullivan recently to a New York friend, "were during my big tour in 1883. When we struck Victoria, B. C., the first man we met was the mayor. He wanted to know if the \$1,000 I hung up for anybody who could stay four rounds was a genuine \$1,000 note.

"There's only one real way of convincing you," I answered. "Here the money. Hold it yourself!" That pleased the mayor and gave us an official standing in the town. But the mayor got on my nerves, and I didn't like him a little bit. He was a sawed-off Irishman, so small I could have tucked him away in one of my pockets.

"A Frenchman accepted my challenge and he had a pretty fair reputation in town as a boxer. He was fairly craxy to win the thousand and when he was about to enter the ring I discovered that his body and arms had been bathed in oil, so that my punches would slip off and he would not be injured.

"The Frenchman had a crowd of friends on hand who expected to see him stay the limit. During the day they had bought a lot of hard stuff for me with the idea that I wouldn't be in any kind of form when I faced their fighter. But I was there with the punch and knocked Frenchy down three times in the first round. The third knockdown kept him on the floor a half hour, dead to the world. When he came to he asked to see me, and while we were talking I asked him how it felt to go to sleep so suddenly, he replied:

"When you hit me one time I think I see one French soldier. When you hit me three times I think I see one whole French army! Then wiping the oil out of his eyes he looked at my mawleys and exclaimed:

"Oh, Oh! can break ze wood fence with my fists, but Monsieur Sullivan, you break ze stone wall with yours!"

"Next night a banquet was given to Ned Hanlon, the oarsman, who was on his way to Australia, where he was matched to row for the world's championship. When the mayor handed back my thousand-dollar note he invited me to attend. The affair went along smoothly until the mayor proposed that everybody stand and drink to the health of Queen Victoria.

"I hadn't been brought up to see Irishmen toasting English monarchs, and, anyway, the mayor got on my nerves. Gillespie was polite enough to get on his feet, but I grabbed him by the collar and jerked him back to his chair.

"You must stick to Uncle Sam, Mike!" I said to him in a loud voice. Then the mayor, who wanted to put me in bad, I thought, grew red in the face and piped:

"Is it possible that any of our guests refuse to respond to that toast?" "Well, I won't drink that way!" I yelled, and grabbed Gillespie, so that I dragged him out before they murdered us!"

John L. Sullivan's remembrances do not quite agree with the facts as recalled Saturday by some Victorians who were at the banquet and by those who remember Hanlon's visit to Victoria in 1883.

Hanlon visited Victoria with Lee, the oarsman, his travelling partner, and rowed several races at Esquimalt and Shawnigan. Among them was the race between Lee and Gottsford, the then Victoria champion sculler, whom Lee defeated.

Before Hanlon left Victoria he was tendered a banquet by the athletic community, of which an all-round sportsman, William McNiff, proprietor of the Grotto saloon, was one of the leading lights. McNiff was a short little Irishman and he presided at the banquet, and it is he probably whom Sullivan refers to as "the little sawed-off Irishman." At this time C. E. Redfern was mayor of Victoria.

When the banquet was about half-way through Sullivan arrived in the room and attempted to take hold of the proceedings. As part of his programme the pugilist attempted to establish a champagne-drinking record for Victoria, with the result that a number of the guests took bottles by the neck and prepared to suppress the noisy Sullivan.

A fight, however, was averted and Sullivan was conducted from the room. The events having happened so long ago it is possible that John L.'s memory is not as clear on "the funniest fight I ever had," etc., as it might have been. There is consolation, however, for ex-Mayor Redfern and those who remember the occurrence, that their memory should remain in the mind of John L. for twenty-seven years. Even if that memory is a jest with him they have the satisfaction that the "publicity bureau" of that age did good work for the seed cast upon the waters then has found fruit after twenty-seven years.

Professor J. C. Monaghan, the Celebrated Lecturer, Will Speak on This Subject Thursday.

Professor J. C. Monaghan, who is travelling throughout the United States, lecturing under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus, will arrive in Victoria and lecture on Thursday night, May 5th, in the Institute hall.

His lecture in Victoria will be "Canada: Its Opportunities." Professor Monaghan has made a great study of this subject, and his audience will be treated to a splendid discourse on this vast and important subject to Canadians. Professor Monaghan has been classed as a lecturer in the ranks with William Jennings Bryan, the lecturer and orator of the United States. In fact, Prof. Monaghan's lecture on "Opportunity," has been placed, by some newspaper men, as ahead of Bryan's famous speech, "The Value of an Ideal."

Many people have already heard Mr. Bryan but will have an opportunity for the first time of hearing Mr. Monaghan, and when they can choose for themselves the better speaker.

The city council will be invited to attend the lecture, and Mayor Morley will occupy the chair.

No admittance fee is being charged and as this is a splendid opportunity to hear this great orator, the Institute hall will, no doubt, be filled to its capacity.

PREDICTS RAPID ADVANCE.

Creston, April 30.—Dr. Watt, doctor for the Kootenay Indians, with headquarters at Fort Steele, arrived in Creston the other day on an official tour. Dr. Watt has been at Fort Steele for the past thirteen years, and it is 25 years since he first came to British Columbia. He has done more for the Kootenay district and the Fernie district than the general public has any idea. He is the man who first interested Jim Hill in British Columbia. Dr. Watt thinks that Fort Steele and the whole valley surrounding it will prosper rapidly when the Kootenay Central railway builds through that section.

This veteran medical man says that the Indians of the Kootenay are in a prosperous condition. They manage to sustain themselves with very little assistance from the government; very little sickness is found among them, and as regards decreasing in numbers, such is not the case.

The Kootenay district, Dr. Watt predicts, will make rapid strides during the next few years.

A NEW INDUSTRY FOR VICTORIA.

The Imperial Waxine Co., manufacturers of a floor-sweeping compound to prevent dust rising, named Dustless Waxine, also of Amberline Floor Oil, Acme Metal Polish, etc., although established in this city only last November, promises to become a large and permanent industry.

The specialties of this firm are now being used so extensively and the business has made such rapid progress under the energetic management of Thomas Wilkinson, the local manager, that it has been found expedient to remove the works from Vancouver to this city, and the transfer is being effected this week. The office is at 1602 Douglas street, where samples of these labor-saving specialties may be inspected.

The business of the Imperial Waxine Co. will be controlled by Charles Brown, whilst his son, George Brown, has been appointed works manager. To annihilate the dust nuisance is a problem this firm claims to have solved.

MINERS BUST.

Salmo, April 30.—Good reports come from Sheep creek, the Queen mine, Mother Lode, Nugget, Vancouver, Bonanza, Summit, and Kootenay Belle. All are working full crews.

The north fork of Salmon river is giving considerable trouble to the Kootenay Shingle Company, washing out bridges and roads.

W. C. Wickham and family have removed to Victoria, where they intend to reside in the future.

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What Other People Think

ROYAL COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

To the Editor:—And so Judge Lampan has presented his report and only an expurgated edition of it is to be made public. Mr. Bower has exercised his prerogative and has carefully edited it, giving to the public only such portions as seemed good in his own eyes. As there could be nothing in the report more objectionable than the evidence which was published in full when the commission was sitting, Mr. Bower must have some other motive than that of withholding objectionable reading matter from the public for his strange action. What is left of the report reflects upon the conduct of his political friends, the president and first vice-president of the Conservative Association, in visiting and giving official recognition to certain houses? Did the report contain them severely for interfering with the administration of the criminal law after an action had been begun in the courts? Did the judge speak out bluntly regarding the action of the two commissioners who apparently were not opposed to granting the request of the two policemen who petitioned one of the police commissioners to be allowed to carry on gambling undisturbed by the police? If so, then it is easy to understand why Mr. Bower carefully expunged certain portions of the report.

In fact, the one gentleman who comes out of this remarkable investigation with considerable discredit is Mr. Bower himself. Why did he appoint the commission, and at whose instigation was it appointed? No one will believe for a moment that he would have authorized the investigation had his political friends, he surely would do nothing to bring discredit upon his friends, the president and first vice-president of the Conservative Association of this city. Mayor Morley is apparently the man he was after, and he appeared to have been willing to use his high and responsible position as attorney-general of the province to do a little political dirty work, and now that he finds that his net did not catch the bird he was after he gives out only a part of the finding and withholds the part which possibly may reflect upon his friends.

Again, who asked for the appointment of this commission? Who wanted it? As far as can be judged the moving spirit in securing the appointment was the chief of the gambling fraternity of the city. This appears to be the man who has sufficient influence with the first law officer of the crown to induce him to spend several thousand dollars of the people's money in this investigation. Catch Morley in any discreditable transaction, grafting or otherwise, and every gambler and thug in town would rejoice with exceeding joy. And our Attorney-General apparently was ready to lend himself and the influence of his responsible position to the attempt. He was not always so ready to investigate transactions of a questionable character.

If the judge reported that there are disreputable houses in the city officially known to the police commissioners, will

Mr. Bower take steps to see that the law is enforced against the inmates of such houses? Will he see to it that landlords who lease their houses for such purposes are dealt with as the law directs? The law regarding all these cases is plain and unmistakable. Mr. Bower must know from Judge Lampan's report just how the criminal law of Canada is being winked at in this city. What will he do about it? If the judge reported that the police commissioners are not doing their duty by failing to carry out the law, will Mr. Bower replace them by others who will?

To expunge portions of the report in order to shield his political friends, possibly, or for the purpose of covering up his own failure to enforce the law, is only a slight degree different from the action of the ostrich when it hides its head in the sand, thinking thereby to conceal its whole body. The entire report will have to be made public when the legislature meets, and it seems childish to withhold a portion of it now.

In the meantime there are a good many people in this city who are saying in the language of the Times cartoonist, "Misses Bower and Morley let be on something." And they are asking why.

CITIZEN.

MARK TWAIN IN VICTORIA

As is well known, Mark Twain was an inveterate smoker and never let a moment go by when possible without smoking his pipe or a cigar. When going on a long journey he had a moral dread of running out of tobacco. When he was in this city lecturing he was to sail next day for Honolulu. During a walk down Government street he espied a wholesale dealer in cheroots and bought three thousand of them, together with fifteen pounds of pipe tobacco. In the afternoon he went back to the store and bought three thousand more cheroots. That evening, shortly after beginning his lecture, he surprised his manager, who was in the audience, by beckoning him to come to the stage. The summons was obeyed with alacrity, much to the curiosity of the audience. The manager mounted the platform, and when at the lecturer's side Mark Twain stopped in his talk, and turning to his manager, said:

"Pond, I fear that cigar place may close before I get through here. Go there now and get fifteen hundred more of those cheroots."

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CROP STATISTICS

Production of Last Year and What is Expected in 1910.

A bulletin of the census and statistics office shows that at the end of March the quantity of wheat in the farmers' hands in the whole of Canada was about 18.25 per cent of the crop of last year.

In the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the quantity of wheat on the farms on March 31st was 18.25 per cent, being 25,852,000 bushels out of a total production of 147,482,000 bushels as against 17,391,000 bushels, or 18.53 per cent out of 91,853,000 bushels last year.

Of the total production of wheat in the north-west provinces last year 56.49 per cent was merchantable; of oats 52.13 per cent, and of barley 55.44 per cent.

Manitoba shows the highest percentage of merchantable wheat, oats and barley; being 58.53 for wheat, 57.59 for oats, and 58.13 for barley.

The live stock in the Dominion at the end of March was uniformly high for classes of farm animals, being 63.38 for horses, 95.42 for milch cows, 53.30 for other cattle, 92.43 for sheep and 92.71 for swine.

Correspondents report an early opening of spring in all parts of Canada, and in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, as well as in the counties of Ontario along Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. A very favorable account of the condition of fall wheat is given for Ontario at the same period, but in Alberta the crop suffered to some extent from drought at the seeding season and from winter exposure.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN

New York, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game of 11 innings follow:

Philadelphia R. H. E.
New York 2 9 2
Batteries—Bender and Livingston; Quinn and Sweney.

Washington, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

Boston R. H. E.
Washington 3 8 1
Batteries—Karger and Carrigan; Walker, Gray and Street.

Chicago, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

Detroit R. H. E.
Chicago 0 2 0
Batteries—Summers and Stange; White and Payne.

St. Louis, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

Cleveland R. H. E.
St. Louis 1 8 2
Batteries—Joss and Clarke; Powell and Stephens.

NATIONAL

Pittsburg, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

Chicago R. H. E.
Pittsburg 0 2 0
Batteries—Brown and Needham; Powell and Gibson.

Cincinnati, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

St. Louis R. H. E.
Cincinnati 4 7 0
Batteries—Harmon and Phelps; Caspar, Rowan, McLean and Clark.

Boston, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

Boston R. H. E.
Brooklyn 2 5 3
Batteries—Curtis, Burke and Smith; Barber and Erwin.

Philadelphia, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

New York R. H. E.
Philadelphia 4 2 4
Batteries—Marquard and Myers; Wilson, Moren, Humphreys, Marcy and Doolin and Cheek.

PACIFIC COAST

Los Angeles, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game of 11 innings follow:

Sacramento R. H. E.
Los Angeles 3 9 1
Batteries—Nease and Lalonde; Delhi and Orendorf.

San Francisco, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

Vernon R. H. E.
Oakland 5 7 1
Batteries—Schaefer and Hogan; Tompkinson and Metz.

Portland, April 30.—The scores for to-day's game follow:

San Francisco R. H. E.
Portland 3 10 2
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EASTERN

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CHARGES CONSPIRACY TO OVERTHROW TAFT

Accusations Made by Attorney for U. S. Secretary of Interior Before Committee

Washington, D. C., May 2.—A heated and direct accusation that ex-Secretary of the Interior Garfield, Gifford Pinchot, former chief forester, and others are engaged in a political conspiracy to overthrow a president "who is distasteful to them," was made before the Ballinger investigation committee on Saturday by Attorney Vertrees, Ballinger's attorney.

He directly referred to Ballinger's opponents as "sordid souls" who, bound to political parties, represent a miserable spirit that will tear down and destroy any man of respectable ability."

Other remarks in the same tenor marked the hot protest of Vertrees against what he termed a "despicable conspiracy to cast contempt upon President Taft and his advisers."

Continuing, Vertrees charged that "bitter denunciation" is now the line of attack being followed by the prosecution. He asserted that this alleged system was inaugurated by Attorney Brandeis when he requested the committee to ask Attorney-General Wickes to produce all documents and evidence as to the date when his summary of the Glavis charges was written.

The committee refused the request of Attorney Brandeis for the original draft of the Wickes summary of his findings in the Glavis charge and for other papers tending to show when the summary was prepared. When asked when he had first discovered there existed a "conspiracy against him," Ballinger said: "I had a suspicion when I was at Spokane in August, 1907, that Pinchot was industriously at work trying to damage me and ruin my character."

IMPERIAL NEWS SERVICE.

The Empire Press Union has been informed that as a development of a suggestion made by the Eastern and Eastern Extension Telegraph Companies at the interview between the Hon. Harry Lawson, M. P., chairman of the cable rates committee of the late imperial press conference, and Sir John Denison-Pender, K. C. M. G., on the 24th June last, negotiations have since taken place with Reuters' Telegram Company, with a view to largely increasing the supply of news of the Empire to India, Australasia and South Africa.

The Eastern Telegraph Company has agreed to transmit a very largely increased service of British imperial news for distribution to the press of the above British possessions.

It is an essential part of the arrangement that this increased service, amounting in some cases to fifty per cent, shall be distributed without extra charge to newspapers in the colonies and India. This special news has been available from April 4th, and is being distributed in South Africa and it is hoped that arrangements will shortly be concluded with the governments of India and Australasia, whereby these countries may have the benefit of the increased service; also that later on the same news will be distributed in the Straits Settlements and Hongkong.

Canada has not benefited by this arrangement, no better terms from press messages being obtainable from the cable companies.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Capt. John Irving has returned from a business trip to Seattle.

Mrs. C. H. Lugin will receive on Wednesday, May 11th.

H. R. Ellis left last night on a business trip to Vancouver.

D. R. Ker returned on Saturday from a business trip to Winnipeg.

Mrs. J. Gordon Smith returned on Saturday from a visit to Vancouver.

Mrs. A. Ellis, View street, will not receive to-morrow, nor again during the summer months.

Mrs. Simon Lelzer and Misses Lelzer, of Pandora avenue, will not receive during the month of May.

Mrs. Love, of Burdette avenue, has returned to this city after spending the past few months in the south.

L. H. Plummer, of Plummer & Ride-out, real estate and commission agents, has gone on a business trip to Alberni.

Mrs. J. H. Hall, 1408 Camosun street, will not receive this month, but will be at home to her friends on the first Wednesday in June.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Keates, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keates, of Toronto, to Mr. Frank B. Gibbes, of the Brackman-Ker Milling Co., is announced to take place in this city on Wednesday next.

NEW GRAND THEATRE.

Emil Chevrier, fresh from a trip to Europe, opened here for the first time since his return to-day at the Grand matinee with his violin. Playing almost any tune with almost anything to replace the bow which he discards, Chevrier draws applause for cleverness and musical ability also. There will also appear to-night The Longworths, those well-remembered instrumentalists and singers; the Wiltons, whose wonderful bar and net work has been heralded from sea to sea; Smith and Ardo, in "Just for Fun," an act that is built on the "tick" exactly. At the Grand will also be Thomas J. Price as usual, and Mr. Jamieson has been able to secure some moving picture films which will attract all fond of the silent and flickering drama.

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TIMELY RECIPES

Apple Whip.—Set a pint of sweetened apple sauce in the ice-chest until very cold. Beat the whites of four eggs stiff. Into the stiffened whites whip the apple sauce by the spoonful until all is used. Fill glasses with the mixture, and put a spoonful of sweetened whipped cream on top of each glass. Serve very cold.

Asparagus Loaf.—Cut the top crust from a loaf of stale bread and remove the crumbs, leaving only the side and bottom crusts of the loaf. Set this hollowed loaf in the oven until quite dry. Cut stewed asparagus into inch lengths, season to taste, mix with a good white sauce, and fill the hollowed loaf with this mixture. Replace the top crust and set in the oven until very hot. Serve, cutting in slices.

Batter Bread.—Beat three eggs light, strain them into two cups of milk and add a half cupful of cold boiled rice. Add a smooth batter, then add a tablespoonful of melted butter, a teaspoonful of salt, and two cups of southern cornmeal. Beat hard and pour into a greased pan. Serve as soon as baked.

Scalloped Potatoes with Onion Sauce.—Boil white potatoes and slice them thin. Melt in a saucepan a generous tablespoonful of butter, and fry in this two sliced onions. When they begin to brown, take them out and stir into the melted butter a tablespoonful of flour, and when blended add a cupful of milk. When you have a smooth sauce, season with salt and white pepper, and if a strong flavor of onion is liked, add a few drops of onion juice. Put the potatoes into a greased pudding-dish, in layers, sprinkling each layer with bits of butter. Pour in the white sauce, dot with crumbs and bits of butter, and bake to a light brown.

Brunswick Stew.—Prepare a pair of fowls as for fricasse. Wash each joint and wipe dry. Put into an iron pot a layer of chopped salt pork, sprinkle this with onion juice, and lay in six small potatoes that have been par-boiled and cut into dice; on these put the contents of a can of corn, then put a can of string beans, and lay the fowls on top of all. A second layer is put into the pot, sprinkle it with salt and a little white pepper. When all the ingredients are used, pour in a gallon of cold water, cover closely and simmer gently for three hours. Uncover the pot, lay in six sliced tomatoes, peeled, and sprinkle these with a little sugar and salt. Cover closely and stew for another hour. Thicken with a paste made of two tablespoonfuls of butter, and three of flour; bring to a hard boil and serve in a deep dish or platter.

Strawberry Flax.—Cover two quarts of ripe capped strawberries with granulated sugar to extract the juice. Strain through a cheese-cloth bag. Beat the whites of five eggs stiff and add to them gradually the strawberry pulp, sweetened to taste. Line a glass bowl with macaroons, pour in the pink strawberry cream, and heap the strawberry meringue by spoonfuls on the surface of the cream. Serve as cold as possible.

English Muffins.—Scald a pint of milk and a teaspoonful of butter. When the milk is lukewarm add two cupfuls of flour that have been sifted with a teaspoonful of salt, and beat in a stiff of warm water in which a half yeast-cake has been dissolved. Set the batter in a warm place for about six hours, or until light. When light add a cup of flour, and tearing off bits of the dough, form them with floured hands into rounds, and set to rise for a half-hour. Lay in greased muffin-rings on a hot griddle, and cook until brown on one side before turning and browning on the other side.

THE ALLEN PLAYERS.

To-night the Allen Players begin their final week at the Victoria theatre. The offering to-night will be "Mrs. Dane's Defence." Miss Vera Felton will again be seen in the leading role. "Mrs. Dane's Defence" will also be produced on Tuesday night, and on Wednesday and Thursday nights the company will present Mrs. Patrick Campbell's great starring bill, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray." On Friday and Saturday nights a Saturday matinee a comedy will be presented, "The Widow From Tokio." This is one of the funniest comedies ever written.

WOMEN'S WOES

Victoria Women Are Finding Relief at Last

It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up" must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing-down pains, and other troubles which, to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that helps and cures the kidneys.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

—BY RUTH CAMERON



"It's a lucky thing for me," commented the shampoo lady, as I squeezed my dripping hair over the bowl and prepared to swathe them in the towel, "that so few people seem to take much stock in the proverb, about a stitch in time saving nine."
"Why, I've got all of seven heads in my care this winter that'll need maybe two years' treatment before they'll be in really healthy condition. And there isn't one of those heads but I could have put right in two or three months if the folks had come to me when the hair first began to fall out."
A week ago I went to the oculist with a swollen eyelid and a bloodshot eye.
He gave one glance at me and reached for a bottle of medicine on his desk.
"You're the ninth case of pink-eye I've had this week," he remarked as he poised the dropper above me. "Guess there's an epidemic. How long has your eye been troubling you?"
"Just since last night," I told him.
My promptness in attending to my suffering member was due to no special wisdom on my part, but merely to a terrified appreciation of the value of eyes as part of my stock in trade.
"Well, I guess that means not more than two or three days for you. I promised the others about eight or ten days, but you get off easy because you didn't let it get in a terrible state before you came to me."
And his promise proved correct both in my own case and, as I heard later, in most of the others.
"A stitch in time saves nine."
How many doctors, dentists, oculists, hair specialists—members of every profession that has to do with the renovating of poor, abused human bodies—get rich on the average person's refusal to take that as a working motto in the care of their bodies.
If everyone went to the dentist for an inspection once in every three or four months, instead of waiting, as the average person does, until an unendurable toothache fairly drove him to the dentist's door, there wouldn't be business enough, a dentist told me the other day, for more than half the dentists who now thrive and grow fat and set up automobiles on the dental needs of the community.
"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," said the oculist.
"A stitch in time saves nine."
"A fence at the edge of a precipice is better than a hospital at the bottom of it."
Ninety-nine out of every hundred people would say, "Of course," without ever stopping to think, if you asked them if they believed those propositions.
And yet I don't believe nine out of one hundred people really live them when it is a question of the care of their bodies.
Can you say that you belong to that nine?

City Building in Germany.

This paramountcy of private property does not exist in Germany. Humanity is first. The city enjoys some of the sovereignty of the Empire. It can promote the beautiful. It can destroy the ugly. It can protect its poor. It can educate as it wills. It can plan for the future. It can have city dreams. And the German city has dreams, dreams which are fast being visualized. The German burgo-meisters are laying the foundations of the city of to-morrow as an architect lays the foundations of a forty-story skyscraper or the designer of a world's fair plans his play-city far in advance of its excavation. German architects saw the obvious. They saw that the city would grow as it had in the past. So they enlarged the boundaries. They annexed suburban land. The present area of Düsseldorf, with its 300,000 people, is 25,000 acres; of Cologne, with a population of 428,700, is 28,800; of Frankfurt, with a population of 335,000, is 23,203. Having enlarged its area the city was in a position to control its development, to plan for its building. It called in its architects and its engineers or it went to a neighboring university for an expert. A plan is made of the surrounding territory, of the topography of the land, the natural advantages, the proximity to the railways, and the probable uses to which the region will be put. The prevailing winds are studied, and factories are only permitted to locate in certain prescribed areas. In some cities they are excluded from the business and residence sections altogether. If the neighborhood is suited for manufacturing, it is dedicated to industrial uses. If it is a working-class quarter, the streets and parking are adjusted to workmen's homes. If it is suited for homes of a more expensive set, the plan is upon a more elaborate scale. The foresight of the city does not end here. Streets, boulevards, parks, open spaces and sites for public buildings and school-houses are laid out far in advance of the city's growth.—From "City Building in Germany," by Fredric C. Howe, in the May Scribner.

WEDDED AT KAMLOOPS.

Kamloops, April 30.—At the Methodist church Wednesday evening, Rev. O. M. Sanford united in marriage Mr. Willard Ross of this city, and Miss Mary Adela Michell, daughter of Mr. J. R. Michell, manager for Prior & Co., Ltd. here. The groom was supported by Mr. J. R. Michell, Jr., and the bridesmaids were Miss Ross and Miss Irene Michell, and Miss Grace Trinder acted as flower girl. The church was filled with invited guests and spectators, the wedding march being played by Miss Harrison, Seattle. The happy couple left on Thursday morning's train to spend the honeymoon at coast cities, after which they will return to Kamloops, where they will reside.

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NOTICE COURT OF REVISION

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R. B. BRETHOUR, Assessor.

Corporation of the District of Oak Bay COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, 14th May, 1910, at 2 p.m. for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the assessor and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

Notice of any complaint, stating the ground of complaint, must be given in writing to the Assessor at least ten days before the date of the annual sitting of the court.

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WILL NOT JOIN NEW ASSOCIATION

Moyle Board of Trade Decides to Remain Affiliated With the Eastern B. C. Boards

WILL NOT JOIN NEW ASSOCIATION

Moyle, April 30.—A representative meeting of the Moyle board of trade passed a resolution that the board decline to become affiliated with the Associated Boards of Trade of East Kootenay which is at present under organization and that it remains to exist in conjunction with the Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia.

This action was taken after much discussion, the consensus of opinion being that the organizing of a separate associated board in East Kootenay would have a tendency to decrease the influence of the already well established Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia. It was also pointed out that much had been accomplished by the united boards and that a disunion would not, in all likelihood, further the interests of the Kootenays generally.

A communication was read from R. T. Brynner, provincial secretary, enclosing the following resolution which was passed at a meeting held on March 23rd, for the purpose of organizing the Associated Boards of Trade of East Kootenay:

"That in view of the geographical position of East Kootenay the interests of this district can be best served by the formation of an association of the existing boards of trade in the aforementioned territory. Resolved, therefore, in view of the existing conditions, we, the duly appointed delegates assembled, form an association to be known as the Associated Boards of Trade of East Kootenay."

The new association consists of the following boards of trade: Fernie, Cranbrook, Hosmer and Michel and all chartered boards of trade, within the district that may hereafter make application for membership.

The communication asked that the Moyle board consider the advisability of becoming affiliated with the new association and as a result of the discussion the above action was taken.

NEW WESTMINSTER ASSIZES.

New Westminster, April 30.—When the spring assizes opened here on May 25th, Supreme Court Registrar Cambridge will read to the court add jury verdicts of the longest criminal dockets ever heard in this city. There are three charges of murder, one of wounding with intent to murder, and one of threatening to murder, and one of arson. The following are the principal cases to come up for trial: Rex vs. Harry, Emmit and Edward Wilcox, murder; Rex vs. Kengo Ishamaru, murder; Rex vs. August Charlie, murder; Rex vs. Simon George, wounding; Rex vs. S. H. Ford, wounding; Rex vs. J. C. Johnnie, threatening to kill; Rex vs. E. M. Bryant, wounding; Rex vs. Wm. Dedul, arson.

Of all the animals which are born and spend their lives in subterranean caverns there are no birds, and but one mammal, a rat.

More than 150 persons either were killed outright or died of injuries sustained in accidents while climbing the Alps last season.



TRAMWAY EXTENSION TO CHILLIWACK

B. C. Electric Railway Officials Are Satisfied With Progress of Work

Vancouver, April 30.—A party of officials of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, including General Manager Sperling and Assistant Manager Glover, were taken over the route of the Chilliwack tram line this week by Superintendent Allan Purvis, in charge of the division of the company's lines.

The steel is now laid from New Westminster to Abbotsford and the line ballasted to Harris road, fifteen miles west of the latter point. The overhead electric work has been carried along with the ballasting. Between Sumas mountains and Abbotsford the contractor and the railway officials are satisfied with the progress of the work.

The general opinion of the inspection party was that the work on the line was being pressed satisfactorily and that the extension would be opened during the coming season.

SAILS ON LAKE IN STRANGE CRAFT

Raft Consists of Two Small Logs and Biscuit Box—Steamer Rescues Mariner

Nelson, April 30.—On its voyage down Kootenay lake the steamer Kuskanook sighted a strange raft made of a couple of small logs and a biscuit box. Frank Kerec, a Philadelphian, had set sail from Kootenay Landing for Rossland to see his brother. His cargo consisted of a single pole, to which was tacked a shingle and his provisions for the voyage consisted of five old bones and a bag of salt.

Favored by the current the lonely navigator had then made four miles of his voyage. After landing his passengers for the Crow the Kuskanook put about and overhauled Kerec and took him aboard. He was evidently demented, and then ensued one of the most interesting courts that ever sat in the county of Kootenay. The boat returned to the Landing to wait for the west bound train, and Charles Wright, justice of the peace of Kootenay Landing, and Harry McCarthy, J. P., mate of the Kuskanook, held court on board the steamer, Constable Jensen laying the information. The magistrate committed Kerec for examination as to his sanity, and accordingly Nelson on the boat by Constable Jensen and committed to the provincial jail to await the examination order.

Kerec is 45 years old and formerly worked on construction for the Great Northern at Elk.

Stewart and Mobley, wholesale merchants, will construct a large corrugated iron warehouse on lots 1 and 2, block 32, section 1, Preliminary construction work on the cold storage plant at Seal Cove, was started on the 26th inst. The Helgeson Bros' building and Optimist office building are approaching completion. New structures are springing up in every direction.

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All the members thought favorably of this proposition, and it was decided that they meet the representatives of the curlers and the other athletic clubs in town.

LAND FOR DOUKHOBORS.

Macey Ranch at Grand Forks Purchased by Society.

Nelson, April 30.—Peter Verigin, head of the Doukhobor Society has purchased the Macey ranch at Grand Forks, containing 450 acres. This brings the Grand Forks holdings of the society up to 4,200 acres. The last previous purchase was the Vaughan estate, which has a water system and a fine orchard.

The Grand Forks colony has set out about 11,000 fruit trees this year, making 20,000 in all, the latter number includes 4,000 Italian prune trees. In addition to the other enterprises carried on by the colony, a sawmill and grist mill is operated, and also a brickyard. There are 200 people in the Grand Forks colony, and it is said that several hundred more are shortly to be brought out.

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G. T. P. Telegraph Line is Being Extended Eastward—Coming Municipal Elections

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Favorable progress is being made with the Grand-Trunk Pacific bridge at Zanardi rapids, connecting Kaiten Island with the mainland. The concrete piers and steel work will be completed at the time contemplated by the engineers.

W. P. McCaffrey, of the firm of McCaffrey & Gibbons, returned to Prince Rupert on the 20th inst., with his bride, Mrs. McCaffrey was married to Miss Willshire at Garry, Indiana, on April 14th. A large circle of friends welcomed the newly married couple.

Mr. Henry Hawbin and Miss Lily Driver, of Winnipeg, were married at the Methodist parsonage on April 16th. Rev. C. F. Connor, M.A., B.D., performed the ceremony.

Kitsungalum, the Big Canyon, and Lorne creek are engaging the attention of placer gold miners. Several locators were in Prince Rupert recently with coarse gold from the mines.

Manager A. B. Smith, of the Grand Trunk Pacific telegraph service, accompanied by G. A. McNichol, purchasing agent, and Foreman W. J. Rooney, arrived on the steamer Rupert City to commence work on the telegraph line from Prince Rupert eastward.

Monro and Lailey, architects, are calling for tenders for the erection of a hospital. The same firm will receive tenders for a general hospital at Stewart. The Prince Rupert hospital will be erected by the government and subscribers. Dr. W. T. Kergin will erect the hospital at Stewart.

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Success of Land Policy in West

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The settlement of the interior is now issuing the eighth edition of what is known as the Homestead map. It contains complete information relative to almost every subject touching the settlement and disposition of govern-ment lands in the west.

The early issue of these maps showed only the conditions of settlement on the even numbered sections, but dupli-cates were issued showing the disposi-tion of the odd numbered sections. The reason for this was that the govern-ment of that day decided in 1881 upon the policy of reserving all odd number-ed sections, or half the area of the whole country, to be granted as en-couragement to, and aid in the build-ing of railroads, and owing to that policy homestead settlement was con-fined from 1881 to September 1st, 1908, to even numbered sections.

Not all the lands granted to the rail-roads were carried, and it was not until about 1907 that the railroad companies had to give up the lands they had been granted and the government was enabled to make showing the amount of land the railroads had earned, about 22,000 acres in all.

Difference of Policies.

The policy of the reservation of lands in aid of railroads was the policy of the Conservative government, which was undertaken in 1881 and continued until that government went out of power in 1896. The policy inaugurated by the Liberal government was that all agricultural land should be open to settlement and no land granted to railroads, and as fast as railroad com-panies defaulted in the earning of land grants, their rights were cancelled. A map prepared by the department in 1898, but not published, showed the odd numbered sections in the three prairie provinces divided up among the vari-ous railway enterprises. The first com-

ISSUES IN THE RECENT AUSTRALIAN ELECTION

Commonwealth's Labor Party Has Different Aims and Aspirations of That of Britain

The London Daily Telegraph thus ex-plains the issues in the recent fed-eral election in Australia, which has resulted in the return of a labor gov-ernment:

More than ordinary interest attaches to the Federal elections for four rea-sons—for the first time in a great issue the referendum has been resorted to; there has been a straight fight between the Labor party and the Fusionists; the question between them has been the extremely important one of Federal government versus Unification, or, as it might be explained here, home-rule by the six states as against centralized and unified control; and fourthly, a marked feature of the elections has been the heavy polling by women voters.

Hitherto the elections have been fought on the three-party system. There were the Free Traders, until lately led by Sir George Reid, (who has come to London as agent-general), the Protectionists, led by Mr. Deakin; and Labor, led by Mr. Andrew Fisher; to-gether with some Independents. Free trade never having taken root in the Commonwealth, the parties practically became resolved into Protectionists and anti-Socialists (or the "Fusionists") against Labor. In the recent elections the programme of the Labor party was for a highly centralized or central gov-ernment, while the Fusionists have stood out for decentralization, or con-trol of the local finances by the various state parliaments in the interests of the citizens of those states under the Com-monwealth.

Incidentally, it should be remarked that the Australian Labor party has different aims and aspirations from the Labor party in this country. Compulsory military service, for instance, re-ceived their entire support, while they have always favored the creation of a strong Australian navy. The question whether the Australian Labor party is also Imperialist in controversial and need not be touched upon. The main fact established by the elections is the extraordinary strength which the Labor party has achieved in the Com-monwealth. It has been thought that its strength was largely due to the vote-splitting which prevailed before the fusion referred to. The referendum on a straight issue has shown that this is not so. As to the question of what effect the women's vote has had on the elections, various authorities seen by our representative declared that it was, and it has always been, a purely party as distinct from a "sex" vote. Ninety per cent. or more of the women voters register their con-victions in harmony with those of their male relatives or friends, with this difference, that whereas the wives and daughters of trade unionists and So-cialists are every whit as keen as their husbands and brothers and sons, the women of the higher classes are de-clared to be indifferent to the exercise of the franchise.

At the federal elections of 1903 and 1905 the percentages of voters to elec-tors enrolled were: Senate, 1903, males, 53.09; females, 39.36; total vote, 46.86; 1905, males, 55.28; females, 43.29; total vote, 52.21. House of Representatives, 1903, males, 55.47; females, 42.50; total vote, 50.37; 1905, males, 57.35; females, 44.81; total vote, 51.48.

In conversation with our repre-sentative, the premier and colonial treasurer of Western Australia, Lieut.-Colonel the Hon. Newton J. Moore, who has recently arrived in London on official business, explained that the issue between the two parties was briefly as follows: Under the Braddon clause three-fourths of the net revenue from customs and excise was returned by the Commonwealth to the various states for their separate allocation; but at the meeting of the prime minister of the Commonwealth and the premiers of the component states it became recognized as imperative that in the interests of the people of Australia, to secure econ-omy and efficiency in the raising and spending of revenues, and to permit the respective governments to exercise fuller control of their receipts and ex-penditure, the financial relations of the

plete odd numbered sections map, issued in November, 1907, showed the land earned by the railroads as finally selected and showed by comparison with the old maps, the direct gain ac-cruing to the people for free home-steading by the change of government in 1896, a gain of somewhere between twenty and twenty-five million acres of land.

What Railroads Got.

A remarkable fact to be gleaned from the maps of odd and even numbered sections, issued in 1907, is that the amount of land granted to railroads by the Conservative government from 1881 to 1896, and earned by the rail-roads up to 1907, was equal to the area of all lands that had been disposed of as homesteads from 1874 to 1907. In fifteen years the Conservative govern-ment gave to railroads land actually earned by them, amounting to 22,000,000 acres, while in twenty-seven years both governments were able to give away as homesteads only about the same amount.

The Land Act, which came into force in September, 1908, was the final de-claration of the Liberal policy with regard to land administration. The railroad companies having received all the land they were entitled to, from that date both the odd and even numbered sections remaining became avail-able for homesteading. Consequently a map of the prairie provinces showing the progress of settlement since that time must show both the odd and even numbered sections. The map just issued brings the condition of settlement on both odd and even numbered sections up to January 1st, 1910. It is one of the most comprehensive and useful maps ever issued in any country by any gov-ernment.

Pre-emption Introduced.

A feature of the Land Act of 1908 was that, with regard to a certain section of the country, wherein there was still a large amount of public land, but which had not up to that time been attractive to railroads looking for grants or home-steaders after farms, provision was made for the granting of purchased homesteads and pre-emption rights; that is, a man who had already earned a homestead and by the general law was debarred from securing another, was allowed to take another within this area upon the same terms of settle-ment as before, but was required to pay the fixed price of \$3 per acre, while the man who had never had a home-stead, if he took on in that area, was allowed to take an adjoining quarter section as a pre-emption. In his case, by doubling the term of improvements required on a homestead, and by pay-ing \$40, he was able to get 320 acres of land, whereas in other parts of the country he could only get 160.

The new map shows how attractive this concession has been, and how it has induced settlement in a part of the country which had not previously attracted either settlement or railroads. The map shows the alienated agricul-tural lands in five colors, and shows that settlement is spreading in all di-rections from the area now occupied. At the same time it shows the marvellous uniformity and great desirability of the land throughout the whole vast surveyed area of the west.

Settlement Figures.

The figures relating to settlement for the eighteen months that the modern policy of the present government has been in force, as compared with the figures for a quarter of a century preced-ing 1897, show a striking contrast be-tween the results obtained under Lib-eral administration and those accruing from the former policy of the Conserva-tive government. In a year and a half under the new Land Act, or from Sep-tember 1st, 1908, to February 28th, 1910, there were taken in round figures, 32,000 separate homesteads, 29,000 home-steads with pre-emptions, and 2,000 purchased homesteads, a total of 64,000 separate contracts for individual occu-pation and cultivation, as compared with 70,000 similar contracts, the total

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