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(Associated Press.)  
 London, April 5.—The war in South Africa, politics and every topic usually of interest, were forgotten to-day in the absorbing discussion of Cecil Rhodes's will. Regarding that extraordinary document, the Associated Press has ascertained some new facts. The total of Mr. Rhodes's fortune is likely to prove to be £5,000,000, or slightly under that amount. The executors to whom he bequeathed the residue of his estate will divide about £1,000,000 or £1,500,000 between them. According to the terms of the legacy, the amount is to be divided during their lifetime, but as each legatee dies his share goes to a common fund until the surviving legatee becomes its sole owner. Hence one of the executors, the majority of whom are enormously wealthy, will one day inherit what will then have probably accumulated into nearly £2,000,000.

The executors, the Associated Press learns, have unusually full powers and can construe and add to the will as seems fit. Hence the omission of British Columbia, Nova Scotia and other Canadian provinces from the list of scholarships is quite likely to be corrected, and each province of Canada put on the same footing as the American states.

One of Mr. Rhodes's most intimate associates said to a representative of the Associated Press: "He drew up his will in the same spirit in which he approached all great undertakings. In his most important tasks he merely sketched the outlines and left us to fill in the details. His trustees are given plenary powers. In the matter of the scholarships, Mr. Rhodes saw the scheme was so vast that any attempt to too rigidly lay down the lines must result in harm, so beyond endeavoring to meet the legal requirements, he tried to leave the fulfilment of his plans to those with whom during his lifetime he had frequently discussed them."

Regarding the American bequests, the same authority said: "In offering the Americans and Germans inducements to go to Oxford, Mr. Rhodes had a dual aim. First, putting the youth of England in intimate touch with what he termed the two most progressive nations of the world, so that they might be broadened and spurred to more strenuous efforts; secondly, bringing the best specimens of American and German men on such terms with the English people, and customs that they might become missionaries of a better international understanding."

When the trustees can meet and all the preliminary details are settled a request will be made to several leading Americans to form a committee in the United States to act in conjunction with the English body and assume certain responsibilities for which the executors are palpably unfitted, both by absence from the United States and ignorance of its customs.

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**BRITISH LOSSES IN RECENT FIGHT**

**THREE OFFICERS AND TWENTY-FOUR MEN DEAD**

One Hundred and Forty Seven Wounded—Kitchener's Report on Execution of Australians.

(Associated Press.)  
 Pretoria, April 4.—The British losses in the engagement in the neighborhood of Hart's river, in the southwestern extremity of the Transvaal, March 31st, were three officers and twenty-four men killed, and sixteen officers and 131 men wounded.

The Boers admit that they lost 137 men killed and wounded.

The action occurred at Doornbait Farm, a few miles south of the scene of General Delarey's defeat of General Methuen. The Boers, who were commanded by Generals Kemp and Potgieter, attacked with great determination, but the Canadian contingent, which was the last to arrive in South Africa from Canada, and two squadrons of Yeomanry, under Colonel Cookson, and the artillery and mounted rifles under Col. Kier, presented such a stout front that the burghers were finally forced to retreat.

The casualty list shows that the second Canadian Mounted Rifles had four officers wounded, nine men killed and forty men wounded.

Sentence on Australians.

London, April 4.—The war office this afternoon issued an official statement of the facts in regard to the Australians sentenced for murdering Boer prisoners as follows:

"The Bushveldt Carbineers, who were recruited in South Africa, but included other colonials, were employed in July and August in the wilderness part of the Transvaal, 80 miles northwest of Pietersburg, and took a certain number of prisoners. Grave irregularities on the part of certain officers of the corps came to the knowledge of the military authorities in October, and an exhaustive investigation was ordered by Lord Kitchener. As a result of the inquiries five officers were tried by court martial at Pietersburg in January last, and were found guilty, as principals or accessories, of 12 murders. Lieutenants Hancock and Morant were sentenced to death, which was carried out. These officers were also charged with the murder of the Rev. C. Hesse. Although there was strong suspicion that they committed the murder, the evidence was not considered sufficient to justify their execution. Lieut. Witton was found guilty of murder, and was sentenced to death, but there were mitigating circumstances and the sentence was commuted to life imprisonment at penal servitude. Lieut. Pictou was found guilty of manslaughter, and was cashiered. Major Lenahan, commanding the Carbineers, who became aware of their conviction subsequent to their commitment, was convicted of culpable negligence in failing to report them, and was ordered home to Australia, his dismissal being unnecessary, owing to the disbanding of the corps. No doubt exists as to the guilt of the accused, whose plea in extenuation, that a number of the corps were ill-treated by the Boers was not sustained by the evidence at the trial. The sentences were such as would have been inflicted on any officers guilty."

**EXCITING FINALE TO-DAY'S SITTING**

**"CURTIS CRAZY LOON," SAID THE PREMIER**

The Commissioner Adjourned the Inquiry as a Protest Against Such Language.

The royal commission of inquiry into certain charges made by Smith Curtis, M. P. P., came to a sudden and sensational termination this morning. The commission was to have met at 10 o'clock, but Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir was unable to be present at that hour, and the sitting was deferred until 11 o'clock. Mr. Dunsmuir was then present, and immediately went into the witness box. Mr. Curtis asked him for certain letters and telegrams, and Mr. Dunsmuir produced a letter written by Hon. C. E. Pooley, as solicitor of the E. & N. Railway Company, and a letter from Mr. Greenfield, including the basis of his offer for the E. & N. Mr. Curtis pressed for other telegrams. Mr. Dunsmuir lost his temper and called Mr. Curtis a crazy loon. The learned commissioner left the bench saying he would not listen to this and adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

The incidents leading up to the sensational finale were brief. Mr. Curtis was pressing for the telegram sent to Mr. Greenfield, which brought the reply from Southey. Mr. Dunsmuir said he knew nothing about it.

Mr. Curtis: Now, you find out from members of the cabinet, who has the telegram—I want.

Mr. Dunsmuir—You find that out yourself. I have nothing to do with it.

Mr. Curtis—Mr. Wells came here and Mr. Roberts came here, and they say they know nothing whatever about this. You are head of the government, and ought to know.

Mr. Dunsmuir—What has this to do with the charge that I have swindled the people by getting a good price for the E. & N. That's what you've got to prove.

Mr. Curtis—And I will prove it from your lips before this examination is through.

Mr. Dunsmuir—You have made a charge against me, and I will ask the commissioner when this is all over what redress I will have to go, after Mr. Curtis.

Mr. Dunsmuir—You had better consult your lawyer.

Mr. Curtis—There is nothing personal in these charges.

Mr. Dunsmuir—I think it is nothing but personal.

Mr. Curtis—I think it is my public duty to make these charges.

Mr. Dunsmuir—Well, like a crazy loon you are, you are liable to do anything.

Mr. Curtis—I don't think it is right for him to say that.

Mr. Dunsmuir—You ask me questions and I'll answer them. I will answer what questions you want.

The Commissioner—This must be stopped.

Mr. Curtis—What right have you to come here and insult me in that way.

Mr. Dunsmuir—Just the same right as you have to come here to insult me by bringing these charges against me.

Mr. Curtis—Well, wait until we get through.

The Commissioner—I will adjourn the



**HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.**  
 Shade of Dryden (to Lord Kitchener).  
 "Our Trouble Now is but to Make Them Dare; And Not So Great to Vanquish as to Find."  
 ("Annus Mirabilis," on the Dutch War, 1666.)

**IMPRISED BY FLOODS.**

**Fifty Persons in School House Are Unable to Get Away.**

(Associated Press.)  
 Winnipeg, April 5.—The town of Souris is now isolated by the floods, all communication having been cut off by the two bridges leading to it being swept away. As a result of the big washout at Napinka, the C. P. R. trains, bound west, were stalled two days.

Fifty residents of the flooded Portage la Prairie district are isolated in Bethel school house, waiting for the waters to recede. Melita is also cut off by floods. Ice in rivers at Winnipeg is breaking up, and the railway bridges are safe.

The situation will improve in all parts of the province by Monday, as the weather is very warm.

The Sioux Indian village near Portage la Prairie was destroyed by floods. Nearly all the houses have been swept away, and natives lost everything.

**STRANDING OF STEAMER.**

**St. John Pilot Commissioners Open Enquiry Into Grounding of the Lake Superior.**

(Associated Press.)  
 St. John, N. B., April 5.—The pilot commissioners yesterday afternoon began an enquiry into the grounding of the steamer Lake Superior.

Capt. Thompson said that he left the steering of the steamer to the pilot to decide. Pilot Rogers said when coming up the harbor from the island a tug blew for a line, when the captain remarked that he did not want a tug. "We will dock her ourselves," he said. "We will dock her ourselves," he said. "We will dock her ourselves," he said. "We will dock her ourselves," he said.

The enquiry was adjourned until Tuesday.

**SENTENCED TO DEATH.**

**Walker Gordon Will Be Hanged on June 25th.**

(Associated Press.)  
 Brandon, Man., April 5.—Walter Gordon was sentenced this morning by Judge Dubeau for the murder of Chas. James Daw to be hanged June 25th, between the hours of 8 and 10 in the morning.

**SEIZED BY ALBANIANS.**

(Associated Press.)  
 Constantinople, April 5.—Advice received here from Uskup, European Turkey, announce that a number of Albanians recently surrounded the government office at Ipek, 35 miles from Novibazar, took all the officials prisoners, and then telegraphed to the Yildia palace here demanding the release of the Albanians who are in custody in Constantinople. Two battalions of Turkish infantry have been dispatched to Ipek.

**SINGULAR FATALITY.**

(Associated Press.)  
 Telluride, Colo., April 5.—Colonel S. B. Tupper, superintendent of the Keystone Placer Mining Co., whose mines are about four miles west of this town, was killed, hydraulically, by a steam engine, which became unmanageable. A stream of water coming with terrific force struck Col. Tupper at close range and buried him fifty feet down the mountain side. When rescued, his body was floating in the torrent of water one hundred feet away from the nozzle of the giant.

**NO NAMES YET RECEIVED.**

(Special to the Times.)  
 Ottawa, April 5.—Lord Minto received a cable from the war office this morning stating that the names of the officers in the casualties list at Kleinhart's River had been sent forward, and that as soon as the list of rank and file had been received it would also be sent. So far it had not been received. The officers were four mentioned yesterday. The Governor-General called last night for a full list of casualties.

**BEHAVED SPLENDIDLY.**

General O'Grady-Haly received a cable from Col. Evans, commanding the 2nd Canadian Mounted Infantry, stating that the Canadian troops at Kleinhart's river fought bravely.

**MESSAGE FROM CHAMBERLAIN.**

The following cable was received to-day by Lord Minto from Hon. J. Chamberlain, London, April 5th:

"I congratulate the Dominion on the heroic conduct of Canadians in the action with Delarey. I deeply regret the heavy casualties, and desire to express my heartfelt sympathy with those who have given their lives to uphold the splendid traditions of Canadian valor."

**THE NEWS OF THIS ENGAGEMENT HAS CAUSED THE GREATEST UNEASINESS IN VICTORIA, OWING TO THE FACT THAT THE VICTORIA AND VANCOUVER MEN WERE ALMOST CERTAINLY IN IT. IT WILL BE REMEMBERED THAT THE FIRST DETACHMENT OF THE MOUNTED RIFLES ENLARGED AT HALIFAX ON JANUARY 14th UNDER MAJOR MERRITT, THE REMAINDER FOLLOWING UNDER COL. EVANS. THE FIRST DETACHMENT Sailed ON THE MANHATTAN, AND WERE COMPOSED EXCLUSIVELY OF EASTERN MEN, EXCEPTING 20 WESTERN MEN, WHO WERE PICKED AS SCOUTS FOR THEM. THE CHOICE OF THESE MEN FELL ON NO. 4 TROOP, A SQUADRON, WHICH INCLUDED THE VICTORIA AND VANCOUVER MEN.**

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TWO MORE LIVES LOST IN FLOODS

WALTER GORDON FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

Ontario Farmers Swindled—Returns Show Over Six Thousand Votes Against Liquor Act.

Montreal, April 4.—M. Emery, deputy postmaster, died this morning, aged 70. Steel stock.

There was another big boom in Dominion steel on the Montreal market today. In the vicinity of 12,000 shares changed hands.

Quebec, April 4.—A Bourbonnais, member of the legislature for Soulanges, died at the Hotel Dieu here this morning.

After Three Weeks. Guelph, Ont., April 4.—Archie Newstead, who was married three weeks ago to Miss Fiske, of Little Germany, sent his wife into Guelph yesterday, saying he would join her later.

Died From Blood Poisoning. Toronto, April 4.—Geo. Gourlay, manager of the Toronto Coal Co., died yesterday of blood poisoning.

Going to Africa. Toronto, April 4.—The public school board has arranged a year's leave of absence to the Toronto teachers selected to go to South Africa.

Farmers Swindled. London, Ont., April 4.—A bold swindle has been worked in this district. It is said twenty-four Canadian farmers signed papers purporting to be agreements to give a couple of agents for steel ranges through the country at \$62.50 a day, but it turned out to be an agreement to pay \$64 for a range.

Found Dead. Winslow, April 4.—A farmer named Kirke living in the vicinity of Silver Heights was found dead in bed with a bullet hole in his head.

Another Fatality. A son of John Moffat, of Bethel district, Portage Plains, Manitoba, was drowned in the flood. On the trail the water is subsiding here, but at Westbourne two bridges have been washed away.

The Referendum. The referendum totals now stand: For enforcement of act, 12,814; against enforcement, 19,077; majority against, 6,263.

Found Guilty. Walter L. Gordon, who was arrested at Halifax with the Canadian Mounted Rifles on the eve of departure for South Africa and brought back here to answer to a charge of double murder, was found guilty at the Brandon assizes today.

CECIL RHODES'S WILL. Provides for Colonial, American and German Scholarships at Oxford.

London, April 4.—The will of Cecil Rhodes provides for establishment of colonial scholarships, as previously announced, and two American scholarships to each of the present states and territories of the United States.

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of the deceased's last departure from England, and another cabled from South Africa leaves 14,000 yearly to keep up the spot in the Matoppo Hills where his body is to be buried.

PLASTERS FAILED. Liniments, Oils and Many Other Medicines Did No Good.

A New Brunswick Postmaster Tells of His Efforts to Cure His Kidney Trouble—He Suffered for Years and Tried Many Medicines, But Only Recently Found the Right One.

Lower Windsor, N. B., April 4.—(Special)—Mr. T. H. Belyea, postmaster of this place, has made a very interesting statement of his experience in his efforts to be cured of Kidney Trouble which has bothered him for many years.

Plasters, oils, liniments on the outside and doses of all kinds and descriptions taken internally seem to have had no result. He was no better.

Finally through reading an advertisement he was led to the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. He says: "Dodd's Kidney Pills were so highly recommended for Kidney Trouble that I am reading some testimonials, I conclude to try them according to directions."

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SITINGS OF THE ROYAL COMMISSION

CABINET MINISTERS AGAIN ON THE STAND

They Deny Reports of Speeches Made by Them in the House and on the Platform.

The royal commission resumed its sittings at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The first witness was Geo. A. Stewart Potts. He had reported the speeches of Mr. Dumasir delivered at the meeting held in the Victoria theatre on March 30th.

In answer to Mr. Cassidy, Mr. Potts said that he had not understood from the speeches delivered by Messrs. Eberts and Prior that Mr. Greenshields was the agent of the government.

Hon. Col. Prior, recalled, said he couldn't produce the documents asked for the day before, particularly the first 11 pages of the contract brought out from Toronto by Mr. Greenshields. He had made no search for them.

Mr. Curtis said they had yet no explanation of what had become of these 11 pages. He wanted to see the document shown Col. Prior by the members of the government on February 27th.

Col. Prior had believed, and was led to believe, that the contract shown him on the 27th was the contract that had been signed in Toronto, and that there would be no change making construction conditional upon Dominion government aid.

Mr. Curtis questioned the witness closely about the changes that had been made in the contract in the interests of Mackenzie & Mann, and asked why the government should give away the contract.

Col. Prior concluded by saying that everything he had said was fair and square and above the law so far as the government and Mackenzie & Mann were concerned.

Mr. W. C. Wells was then cross-examined by Mr. Curtis. He produced a telegram from Mr. Greenshields at Sud-bury, saying he would address a meeting in Victoria Saturday night.

Mr. Curtis asked about this letter, and Mr. Wells said he knew nothing about it. Mr. Curtis also asked for the telegram from Mr. Greenshields, stating that he was the bearer of important dispatches to the Premier.

Mr. Wells said he had no further letters or telegrams from Mr. Greenshields, nor had he sent any from the East during his visit there in reference to the railway negotiations.

In reply to Mr. Cassidy, Mr. Wells made a direct denial of Mr. Curtis's charges. The government, and particularly Mr. Eberts, were vigorous in protecting the public interests.

Mr. Wells said he had no further letters or telegrams from Mr. Greenshields, nor had he sent any from the East during his visit there in reference to the railway negotiations.

was that he had found Mackenzie & Mann untruthful.

THE SIMILKAMEEN.

A Bright Outlook—Coal Properties Attracting Much Attention.

Chas. McIntosh, who returned from the Similkameen district a few evenings ago, reports that the outlook at Princeton is better now than ever in its history.

To a Times representative he said that the coal fields of the valley were attracting much attention, while the development work was progressing rapidly on all sides.

This property, Mr. McIntosh pointed out, had splendid coal croppings, and was advantageously situated about the centre of the coal basin, between the Similkameen and Tulameen rivers.

This question of railway construction, Mr. McIntosh said, was naturally the subject of the hour, and every one was on the qui vive for any intimation of the near future would witness its commencement.

A lengthy discussion followed as to the difference between various contracts. Col. Prior, of his own knowledge, couldn't say that the changes made in Toronto had been telegraphed to the government before the theatre meeting.

VETERANS' ASSOCIATION.

Interesting Paper Read by Lieut. Beaumont Boggs.

A very successful meeting of the Veterans' Association of Vancouver Island was held in the Pioneer hall last evening. Lieut. Beaumont Boggs read an interesting paper on "Port Royal and its Defenders," which was supplemented by a short article on the "Fate of Louisbourg."

Adjutant-Capt. Fletcher was requested to communicate with the Minister of Militia in reference to securing official recognition of the association. A committee was also appointed to undertake the work of organizing a rifle association under the auspices of the Dominion Rifle Association.

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SECOND DAY AT THE KENNEL CLUB SHOW

The Fete of Canines Will Be Terminated To Night—Special Features Among Prize Winners.

Judge Davies completed his labors at the Victoria City Kennel Club show last night, and today the winners are proudly displaying the evidences of their success in the blue and red ribbons attached to their collars. On the whole the decisions are considered very satisfactory, although naturally a few complaints have been made. But in this connection it is readily recognized that no judge can please everyone, and the bench show has yet to go on record in which the decisions of the judge, no matter how expert, afforded all the competing fanciers complete satisfaction.

Victoria has ably sustained her reputation as a prize dog centre. There was nothing on exhibition that could approach Thos. Pimley's regal English setter, Lady Howard, or Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Scottish terrier, Oh Loyne Ruffan.

Of course a glance at the prize list shows that a large proportion of the trophies have been captured by outsiders, but this is easily explained by the broad scope of the competition. The additional prize winners are as follows:

bitchess—George Florence's (Victoria) Queen, first; J. G. Morgan's (San Francisco) Legs and Feet, second; Riverside Kennels' (Portland) third. Open bitchess—Charles K. Hartley's (San Francisco) Wanda-Carmenita, first; George Florence's (Victoria) Queen, second; N. H. Hickman's (San Francisco) Louie, third; J. Redieck's (Seattle) Swagzer Lady, reserve; Riverside Kennels' (Portland) Swagzer Girl, George Florence's (Victoria) Norfolk Charm, and W. F. Hall's (Victoria) Puffy Venus, V. H. C. winners, dogs—J. Bradshaw's (San Francisco) Bar None, first; G. Morgan's (San Francisco) Ch. Viola Brady, reserve. Winners, bitchess—Charles K. Hardy's (San Francisco) Wanda-Carmenita, first; George Florence's (Victoria) Queen, reserve.

Fox Terriers—Wire Hairred, Puffy dogs—J. G. Morgan's (San Francisco) Mineral Water, first. Novice dogs—George Thomas's (San Francisco) Endecliffe Skyscraper, first. Limit dogs—George S. Thomas's (San Francisco) Endecliffe Skyscraper, first; J. Redieck's (Seattle) Seattle Jack, second. Puppy bitchess—J. G. Morgan's (San Francisco) Morgana, first. Novice bitchess—J. R. Saunders (Victoria), first; S. G. Bowley's (Nanaimo) Charleston Belle, second. Winners, dogs—J. G. Morgan's (San Francisco) Mineral Water, first; G. S. Thomas's (San Francisco) Endecliffe Skyscraper, reserve. Winners, bitchess—J. G. Morgan's (San Francisco) Morgana, first; J. R. Saunders's (Victoria) Nellie, reserve.

Irish Terriers. Limit dogs—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's (Sidney) Saanlich Mixit, first; E. E. Hansen's (Victoria) Naller, second. Open dogs—Mrs. G. Bradley-Dyne's Cardiff Warman, first; Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Luckenpeter, second. Puppy bitchess—Mrs. G. Bradley-Dyne's Saucy Nellie, first. Open bitchess—Mrs. G. Bradley-Dyne's Saanlich Dorcen, first; E. E. Furd's (San Francisco) Virginia, F. second; George S. Thomas's (San Francisco) Ch. Endecliffe Shook, third. Winners, dogs—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Cardiff Warman, first; Mrs. G. Bradley-Dyne's Luckenpeter, reserve. Winners, bitchess—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saanlich Dorcen, first; C. Ford's (San Francisco) Virginia F., reserve.

Scottish Terriers. Limit dogs—Mrs. G. Bradley-Dyne's Saanlich Darkie, first. Limit dogs—George F. S. Thomas's (San Francisco) Endecliffe Rebel, first. Open dogs—Mrs. Bradley-

Dyne's Fighting Mac, first; George S. Thomas's (San Francisco) Endecliffe Rebel, second. Open bitchess—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saucy Nellie, first. Winners, dogs—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Fighting Mac, first; George S. Thomas's Endecliffe Rebel, reserve. Winners, bitchess—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saucy Nellie, first.

Bedlington Terriers. Limit dogs—Mrs. E. M. Turner's (Victoria) Dore, first.

Black and Tan Terriers. Novice dogs and bitchess—Mrs. F. Levy's (Walla Walla) Queen, first; Miss F. Levy's (Walla Walla) They, second.

Beagles. Novice dogs and bitchess—E. Jennings's (Victoria) Nellie, first. Limit dogs and bitchess—E. Gelger's (Victoria) Bee, first.

Sheep Dogs. C. J. Prior's (Victoria) Don G., first.

Retrievers. Limit dogs and bitchess—J. W. Speck's (Victoria) Bruno, second. Open dogs and bitchess—Thomas Astle's (Esquimalt) Nell, third.

Miscellaneous. E. H. Bowley's (Victoria) A. G. Wright's Raff (Chow Chow), first; A. G. Wright's Gypsy (Chow Chow), second; J. F. French's Zoto (Frisch Wolf Hound), second.

Irish Water Spaniels. Puppy dogs and bitchess—M. H. Ogden's (Seattle) Branigan, second. Limit dogs and bitchess—W. Lelievre's (Sidney) Patsy, first; W. H. Thompson's (Victoria) Chum, second; C. P. Handfield's (Victoria) Brownie, third.

Open dogs and bitchess—In this class J. G. French's (Victoria) Lungy took first, his Lemon second, and his Weasel third.

Dog Shows. P. H. Croft, silver cup, value \$25, for best setter in show—Thomas Pimley's Lady Howard.

Geo. Riley, M. P., silver cup, value \$25, for best terrier in show—Mrs. G. Bradley-Dyne's Scottish terrier Ch. Loyne Ruffan.

Hon. D. M. Eberts, silver cup for best brace of cockers, owned and bred on Vancouver Island—Swan Lake Cocker Kennels' Princess May and Silver King.

Canadian Bank of Commerce, silver cup for best English setter, owned and bred in British Columbia—Dr. L. Hall's General Roberts.

California Cocker Club, medal for best cocker dog, to be competed for by members of C. C. C. only—Plumeria Cocker Kennels' Hampton Goldie.

Philadelphia Dog Show Association, medal for best St. Bernard—A. F. Barber's (Vancouver) Nero.

Philadelphia Dog Show Association, medal for best Great Dane—Stanley Craig's (Nanaimo) Kruger.

Hon. E. G. Prior, cup for best pointer—E. H. Rogey's (Seattle) Autumn Queen.

W. R. Thompson, silver tankard for best English setter—Thomas Pimley's Lady Howard.

F. C. Brook, silver cup for best English setter puppy—T. Pimley's Rhoda Windem.

Dr. G. L. Milne, nugget pin for best English setter bitch—Thomas Pimley's Lady Howard.

Peden Bros., solar parlor lamp for best English setter bitch puppy—T. Pimley's Rhoda Windem.

Challoner & Mitchell, solid silver cup, value \$25, for best Irish setter—Geo. Jay's Mike.

W. T. Andrews, special for best Irish setter puppy—J. W. Speed's Shot.

C. A. Goodwin, English riding bridle for best Irish setter bitch—S. Sea's Una.

J. Wenger, silver cup for best Gordon setter—W. Winsby's Don.

Davies Bros., toilet set for best Irish water spaniel—W. Lelievre's Patsy.

F. R. Pemberton, silver cup for best field spaniel—C. E. Wilson's Judge.

Mayor Hayward, silver cup for best black cocker spaniel—Delverton Cocker Kennels' Alameda Ch. Princess Florence.

Weller Bros., \$25 silver water pitcher for best black cocker pup in show—Swan Lake Cocker Kennels' Princess May.

H. D. Helmsken, M. P., silver medal for best collie, other than tri-color—Geo. Tinto's Seattle Beauty.

Hon. J. D. French, silver cup, value \$25, for best tri-color collie—George Tinto's Seattle Bob.

Short & Sons, fishing outfit for best bull dog—L. A. Klein's Ch. Ival Rustic.

V. C. K. C., silver cup for best bull terrier—L. A. Klein's Ch. Woodcote Wonder.

Hibben & Co., special for second best bull terrier—L. A. Klein's American Girl.

W. G. Cameron, special for best Boston terrier—Mrs. T. Magee's (San Francisco) Winner.

J. Redieshelmer, president of P. K. L., silver cup for best fox terrier—J. Bradshaw's (San Francisco) Dr. None.

A. E. McPhillips, M. P., silver cup for best fox terrier puppy, smooth coated—W. F. Hall's (Victoria) Clicker Cracker.

Geo. Jay, special prize for best smooth coated fox terrier—Bar None.

Fitcher & Lelievre, case claret for best fox terrier—Bar None.

T. P. McConnell, \$2.50 cash, special, for best wire-haired fox terrier dog—J. Morgan's (San Francisco) Mineral Water.

W. & J. Wilson, umbrella for best wire-haired puppy bitch—J. Morgan's (San Francisco) Morgana.

M. Scully, bicycle lamp for the best wire-haired fox terrier bitch—J. Morgan's (San Francisco) Morgana.

R. Bell, M. P., silver cup for best Irish terrier—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saanlich Dorcen.

Barnesley & Co., knife for best Irish terrier puppy—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saucy Nellie.

D. E. Campbell, black ebony smoking set for second best Irish terrier—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saanlich Dorcen.

San Francisco Kennel Club, silver cup for best Scotch terrier—Mrs. Bradley-Dyne's Saanlich Dorcen.

T. Pimley, bicycle lamp for best beagle—E. Jennings's Nellie.

Dr. L. Hall's special for best sheep dog—E. J. Prior's Don G.

Pichon & Lelievre, fishing rod for best retriever dog—J. W. Speck's Bruno.

T. Gold, box of cigars for best retriever dog—Thomas Astle's Nell.

Colonist special for best in miscellaneous class—R. H. Pooley's Bruno.

Handfield & Jewell's special for best in field trial—J. W. Considine's Woodcraft.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. Preacher, morning, Canon Beaman; evening, Rev. W. B. Allen. The musical portion follows:

Morning. Voluntary—Andante. By Smart. Venille. 138

Psalm. Cathedral Psalter. Te Deum. Jackson. Benedictus. Ramsby. Kyrie. Membranosa. 136, 140 and 246

Voluntary—Chant Sans Paroles. Tschakowsky

Evening. Voluntary—Idylle. Victor Hammerel. Professional Hymn. 138

Psalm. Cathedral Psalter. Magnificat. Beethoven. Nunc Dimittis. St. John. Anthem—And. Behold, There Was a Great Earthquake. Simper. Hymns. 135 and 449

his sermon being "To Glorify God in the Pious." The holy communion will be celebrated at the evening service instead of the morning, and the Rev. Mr. Tomlinson will occupy the pulpit.

METROPOLITAN METHODIST. The pastor, Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, will preach at both services. At the morning service the Fifth Regiment will attend. The evening topic will be "The Spirit and the Significance of the late Cecil Rhodes's Educational Bequests."

CALVARY BAPTIST. Rev. J. E. Vlebert, M. A., pastor. The pastor will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Reward of Well Doing"; evening, "John and Sattle Facts." Sunday school and Bible class, 2.30 p. m. Tuesday, 8 p. m., B. Y. P. U. Thursday, 8 p. m., prayer meeting.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST. Rev. J. G. Hastings, M. A., pastor. Services both morning and evening. At 11 a. m., "Fidelity and Rewards"; 7 p. m., "Deceptive Appearance." Sunday school and Bible class, 2.30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL. The pastor, Rev. R. D. Glyth, B. A., will preach morning and evening. At 11 a. m. the subject will be "Jesus's Commendation of a Poor Woman"; at 7 p. m., "A Hedge of Thorns." Sabbath school, 2.30 p. m. C. E. Society, 8.15 p. m. The ordinance of baptism will be administered and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper observed at the morning service.

LECTURE BY A. C. REEB, A. O. U. W. hall, room No. 3, up-stairs, at 8 p. m. Subject, "What is Crime or All is Good." Followed by discussion.

UNIVERSAL BROTHERHOOD. Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical Society, Lodge No. 87, will hold its public meeting at 8.15 p. m., when the following addresses will be given from a Theosophical standpoint: "The Magic of Light Action," "Health and Disease," "First Object International Brotherhood League." Musical selections, Children's class at 2.30 p. m.

CHRISTADELPHIANS. Public meeting in the A. O. U. W. building. Subject of lecture to-morrow night, "Political, Physical and Geographical Changes in Palestine, Consequent Upon the Establishment of the Kingdom of God on Earth."

GERMAN SERVICES. Preaching in German and communion services at the A. O. U. W. building, hall No. 2, services to begin at 11 a. m. R. Knapp, Lutheran pastor.

SPIRITUALISM. R. H. Knappshaw will lecture in the Sir William Wallace hall at 7.30 p. m. prompt. Subject, "A Search for God." Clairvoyant readings after lecture. Miss Amy Knappshaw, contralto soloist.

SPIRITUALISM. Geo. P. Colby will lecture at St. Andrew's & Cathedral hall, Blanchard street, between Fort and View streets, on Sunday night at 7.30, under auspices of Psychic Research Society. Subject chosen by audience.

VICTORIA HARBOR MISSION. First Sunday after Easter. Mission services, with address, will be held in the Seaman's Institute, Store street, at 7.30 p. m. All seats free. No collection. Every-one welcome. J. S. Bailey, licensed minister.

ST. JOHN'S. There will be morning prayer at 11, followed by a celebration of the holy communion, and evening at 7, the rector, Rev. Percival Jenks, being the preacher at both services.

ST. JAMES'S. The services will be as follows: Morning prayer at 11 o'clock, holy communion at 12 children's service, with baptism, at 3 o'clock, evening, with sermon, at 7.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. Rev. Dr. Campbell, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school and piano class at 2.30. Junior Endeavor at 10 a. m. Senior Endeavor at 8 p. m.

REFORMED EPISCOPAL. There will be morning prayer at 11, and evening prayer at 7, at the Church of Our Lord (Reformed Episcopal). The Bishop will preach in the morning, the subject of

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Baby's Own Soap advertisement featuring an image of a baby and text: 'PURE, FRAGRANT, CLEANSING. ALBERT TOILET SOAP CO., MONTREAL.'

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The Daily Times. Published every day (except Sunday) by the Times Printing & Publishing Co. JOHN NELSON, Manager. Offices: 20 Broad Street, Telephone No. 45.

POLITICIANS AND REPORTERS. A correspondent of the Colonist suggests the establishment of a Hansard, or official parliamentary publication, in British Columbia...

to be nothing for us to do but accept the latest explanation and place all the blame upon the acoustic properties of the Legislature as far as the statements in the House are concerned...

RHODES'S IDEALS. The will of Cecil Rhodes reveals to the world the true character of the man. He was an idealist—a "sentimentalist." His imperialism was not of the narrow type...

THE COLONEL AGAIN. The Colonel's feet have found firm ground at last. Generally he feels under no obligation to resign his seat because all his pledges were those of a politician...

him as a political hypocrite, humbug and trickster? He has practically admitted that he considers neither honor nor honesty are to be expected in a public man.

After all the nice things the prominent men of the United States and Germany have been saying about each other—brought about by the visit of Prince Henry—an industrial war has been declared on account of a slight misunderstanding in regard to the meat trade.

INDIA AND REPORTS. India is the land of reports. There is a monthly, quarterly, half-yearly, annual plague of them. There is no country, probably, in which so many useless reports are written and so few read.

THE NEW GIRL. H. C. Bunner. I grow old, and my hair grows gray, The wrinkles keep coming in, day by day; I grow gray and my eyes grow dim; And the years they mark me with wrinkle and frown.

CONCERNING KINDERGARTENS. Chicago Inter-Ocean. Whatever may have been said about fads and special studies in schools, no objection has been raised to the system in vogue in the kindergartens.

DECLINE OF THE BICYCLE CRAZE. Toronto Star. The bicycle has fallen into place as the vehicle of the individual. Like the wheelbarrow, it is used by those who need to use it, and it is found in nearly every proportion of the people.

WHAT A CHANGE! The Editor. I can well remember the time when a man, if perchance he met a lady while he was smoking in some rather unfrequented street, always flung his cigar away and rather tried to look as if he had not been doing it.

A VERY HARD NUT. Philadelphia Ledger. Reciprocity with Canada is becoming an insistent question, not only in Canada, but in the United States, particularly in New England.

NORTH VICTORIA. To the Editor:—Can you inform your readers when the writ for the North Victoria election will be issued? At a time when the House is in session and every other part of the province is represented in the legislature...

VOICE CULTURE. In the Woman's Home Companion Irma T. Jones makes a strong plea for a more careful cultivation of that delicate instrument, the human voice. She talks as follows: "That so little effort is directed to the improvement of the quality of the speaking voice is an unsolved enigma."

FIRE AT CHEMANUS. (Special Correspondence of the Times.) About 10 o'clock on Friday the one-story frame building next to the Lewis-Lewis store was burned to the ground. Loss about \$300. The building was owned by H. E. Donald, and was occupied by K. Cameron. The fire was without doubt the work of an incendiary...

INDIA AND REPORTS. India is the land of reports. There is a monthly, quarterly, half-yearly, annual plague of them. There is no country, probably, in which so many useless reports are written and so few read.

Such a Noise! The mother says to herself sometimes, "I can hardly endure it." Then a child creeps over as she thinks of the awful silence which falls upon the home when children are taken away...

COUNTING THE REVENUE. The total revenue of the United Kingdom for last year was £129,856,000. What that glibly writes or speaks of a total of this magnitude can adequately realize the meaning of such an array of figures...

A Wonderful Thing. "I have been thinking of writing to you," writes Mrs. W. D. Deason, of Maxton, Robeson Co., N. C. "to let you know what a wonderful thing Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery did for my little boy."

A Thankful Mother. "I have felt it my duty for a long time," writes Mrs. Mollie Jones, of Gay, Comanche Co., Texas, "to tell you of the wonderful cure effected by your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets' in the case of our little boy, now nearly five years old."

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BURIED FOR EIGHT DAYS. Rev. R. Steele Fox writes as follows in the Weekly Scotian: "Perhaps some of your readers may be interested in the following account of the wonderful escape of my collie dog under a fortnight ago..."

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ALBERNI RAILWAY. Mass Meeting at Nanaimo Passed Resolution Favoring Dominion Bonus.

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LIFTING BY MAGNETS. The most important employment of the magnet in the mechanical industries is in lifting and handling such masses of metal as ships plates, boiler plates, and parts of machines...

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department. Victoria, April 5.—5 a. m.—An area of high pressure control over Washington and southern British Columbia covers the greater portion of the Pacific slope...

Coronation Ceylon Tea served free at Mowat & Wallace's.

V. & S. trains now depart from and arrive at Central Station (market building). Did you hear that crash? Slaughter prices at The Mammoth Bankrupt Clothing Sale, 111 Government street.

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WANT NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

Vancouver School Trustees Interview Minister of Education. Haydn's Masterpiece to Be Given Shortly by Metropolitan Methodist Church Choir.

LEGAL NEWS.

Hon. Mr. Justice Martin disposed of the following applications in Chambers yesterday: Re official map of Victoria city—Application by J. M. Bradburn for an order giving leave to file plan of subdivision of section 23, Victoria city...



LIEUT. GOVERNOR D. H. McMILLAN (of Manitoba) Who is Visiting His Sister, Mrs. Ben Gordon, in This City.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

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The series of Vancouver Island Farmers' Institute meetings, which have been arranged by Deputy Minister of Agriculture Anderson, were commenced this week. On Thursday and Friday meetings were held at Colwood, Metcheson, West Sooke and East Sooke. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. D. C. Anderson and Hon. C. L. Smith.

INTERESTING WORK

Illustrated at Kingston Street School on Thursday—Miss Lawson complimented. The Junior grade section in connection with the Provincial Teachers' Institute met in Kingston street school on Thursday morning, and the work was certainly most interesting and instructive.

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THIS AFTERNOON'S EVENTS. The Rife-At Clover Point. Match between H. S. Plaston team and No. 3 Co. 8th Regiment.

PIG PONG. TOURNAMENT RESULTS. The J. R. A. pig pong tournament was continued yesterday afternoon, and evening, and the same interest was manifested as was evident in the first day's play.

NERVOUS PROSTRATION!

Miss W. Childs-Blackburn, Secretary of the Rock Island Literary and Art Society,

Writes a Special Letter to Mrs. Pinkham Telling How She Was Cured.

The relation of woman's nerves and generative organs is very close; consequently nine tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous despondency and nervous irritability of women arise from some derangement of the organism which makes her a woman.



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LOCAL HOSPITALS SUPERIOR To those in the South—Such is Opinion of Victoria Medical Man. Dr. Ernest Hall, who recently returned from a visit to Lower California, is more than ever convinced of the excellence of the Victoria hospitals.

YACHTING. CLUB ANNUAL MEETING. The Victoria Yacht Club held its annual general meeting at the club house last evening. The financial statement, which was submitted, caused unqualified satisfaction, as it showed the club to be in a flourishing condition.

CRUSHED TO DEATH. Crowd Broke Down Barriers at International Football Match. Glasgow, April 5.—During the international football match between England and Scotland here this afternoon the immense crowd present broke down the barriers, and during the terrific crush two persons were killed and fifty were injured.

FIRE IN MANSION. London, April 5.—A great part of the Duke of Grafton's seat at Easton Hall, 30 miles from Norwich, was destroyed by fire this morning. The east and south wings of the mansion were entirely gutted. Valuable pictures and furniture were saved.

THE KENNEL CLUB SHOW. Commodore F. S. Barnard, vice-commander, W. S. Gorey, captain, W. H. Langley, secretary-treasurer, Sarah Malar Malachuk, managing committee, Capt. Bowdler, R. E. C. Mackintosh, S. Lawrie, sailing committee, A. D. Cross, Capt. Bowdler, C. Mackintosh, W. H. Langley, S. Lawrie.

THE CORONATION. Disposal to Be Made for Accommodation of Colonial Visitors. (Associated Press.) New York, April 5.—A private meeting of representatives of the colonial governments has just been held, says a London dispatch, to consider the question of a stand for the accommodation of colonialists who will visit England for the coronation. Fully 6,000 visitors are expected from Canada and Australia. It was decided to leave the whole matter in the hands of Lord Strathcona.



Aden, Arabia, April 5.—King Menelik of Abyssinia, has appointed Ras Makonnen, the famous Abyssinian general, to attend King Edward's coronation. Ras Makonnen defeated the Italian troops under General Baratieri in March, 1896, at the battle of Adowa, when some 8,000 to 10,000 of Baratieri's soldiers and camp followers were reported to have been killed. He is a cousin of King Menelik, and is the principal general and confidential representative of His Majesty.

TACOMA TOURNAMENT. The annual championship meeting of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association opened on Thursday last. Only two golfers, as far as known, are attending the tournament from Victoria, namely, Miss Wilson and Mr. Goldfinch. The Tacoma Ledger in reporting the proceedings of the first day says that Miss Wilson was defeated by Mrs. M. Bailey, and Mr. Goldfinch, who came to meet Mr. Rice, won by default, the latter gentleman not appearing.

REMIATE OF DUTIES. On British Goods Will Be Granted by New Zealand. (Associated Press.) Wellington, N. Z., April 4.—The Premier, Richard J. Seddon, in a speech to-day announcing that the customs revenue of New Zealand for the year just ended was \$1,000,000 in excess of the estimate, said the government contemplates providing for the rebate of duties on goods manufactured in Great Britain.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE. STORE STREET, VICTORIA, B.C. OPEN FROM 6 P.M. TO 10 P.M. The Institute is free for the use of sailors and shipping generally. It is well supplied with papers and a lamp-room for reading. Letters may be sent here to sailing ships. A parcel of literature can be had for outgoing ships on application to manager. All are heartily welcome.

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DIED. FLEWING.—At the family residence, No. 30 South Park street, on the 3rd inst., Albert Charles, third son of the late Thomas Flewning, a native of Victoria, B. C., aged 37 years and 7 months. The funeral will take place from the residence as above on Sunday afternoon at 2.45 p. m., and at the Reformed Episcopal church at 3 o'clock. Friends please accept this intimation.

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Public Meeting A Public Meeting will be held in the CITY HALL Wednesday Next, the 9th Inst., for the purpose of considering matters relating to the celebration of Victoria Day, of Coronation Day, or both. The chair will be taken at 8 p.m. All citizens are respectfully invited to attend. CHAS. HAYWARD, Mayor. Victoria, B. C., April 5th, 1902.

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Native Sons of B. C. FUNERAL NOTICE. Members of Post No. 1, Native Sons of B. C., are requested to meet at the K. P. Hall, Broad street, at 1.45 o'clock on Sunday, the 6th inst., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Albert Charles Flewning.

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## Beauties of Taffeta Show in the Latest Paris Fashions Popularity of the Louis Quinze Coat for Street & Evening Wear

BY ELSIE DEY.

Paris, Saturday.  
The taffeta gown is the gown of the hour. Again we see this soft, lustrous and extremely satisfactory silk made up into the smartest frocks imaginable, and there is a woman living who will have any complaint to make against this exhibition of faithfulness on the part of Dame Fashion.

It is really difficult to get on without at least one taffeta gown in one's wardrobe, and there is nothing that could quite fill the place of this very chic model, so before entering into detailed description of the latest hints regarding taffetas, let us give thanks to the fashion arbiters for leaving to us this one love.

Of course, for street wear only black taffeta is used, and the quality leaves nothing to be desired. Wide, of a lustrous black and perhaps softer in weave than those of last season, the plain skirts and beautifully designed coats cannot be surpassed for genuine loveliness and smartness. There are some enduring qualities about black taffeta, aside from its serviceable and shining ones, which make it a thoroughly satisfactory investment. Perhaps these are its perennial appearance of freshness and newness, two characteristics which women are not slow to appreciate, as you may know, so predictions are most favorable for a long reign of this truly delightful fabric.

Taffeta coats, in long models, for evening and carriage wear, have been mentioned before in connection with the lavish use of those beautiful white laces designed especially for applique. These are still as handsome and graceful as ever, but differ very much from the short coats, cloaks, vestes and other fancy little garments which are dignified by the name of jacket.

Here is a charming three-quarter length, which will make an imposing addition to the spring wardrobe, the selection of which is just now agitating fashionists' minds. It is modelled especially for the tall, slender woman—such coats are always quite beyond the hope of any other figure, as everybody knows—and its skirt is being without being made in a separate piece from the jacket proper.

The three-quarter-length coat, by the way, is quite the smartest effect as regards color garments, so the tall, well-built woman may again congratulate herself on her great good fortune, and by way of showing her sincere appreciation of the goodness of nature, let her choose this fashion for her new frock, "truly," she could not find anything more becoming.

To return to the coat mentioned, there is a handsome trimming displayed in this design in black and white. In the first place, the whole garment is made with narrow folds of taffeta, each one headed with a band of black velvet ribbon. This trimming extends down the front and around the bottom of the rather full coat skirt. Above this is an elaborate design with various motifs of black velvet and applique, in black and white, besides trimming the front of the coat and continuing on around the bottom. Just a bit of it shows as a facing for the smart lapels which add a deep rolling collar, decorated with a de-

sign in black velvet ribbon and edged with a tiny black ruching. This ruching, as you may know, is another new feature of the black taffeta garment, and when other trimmings are used these tiny ruffles appear as an effective auxiliary, though often enough they form the sole ornamentation.

The skirt in this instance is rather plain, and is a noticeable departure from the usual flared and flaring model. Does this prove the disappointments of the fascinating and graceful flare to which women have grown so attached? Let us hope not, though some of the dressmakers have advised us to make ready to forego shaped boucles altogether.

How Taffeta Skirt is Made.  
In regard to the taffeta skirt here portrayed, it is cut in somewhat flaring gores, with a plain front panel, outlined with black-passmenterie. There is a simulated flounce produced by the arrangement of five close rows of tucks, and a wider band of these tiny folds trims the bottom of the skirt.

Altogether, the black taffeta costume is most desirable, for it fills a place between the cloth tailor-made and the light frock designed especially for warm weather. The coat-fabric model is the preferred one for black taffeta, and usually such garments are relieved by dainty little vests, beautifully embroidered, and stylish Louis XIII. lace collars. Bobos will again be much in demand in all manner of shapes and sizes, from the tiny affair just reaching the bust line to the long ones bordering on the floor. Some of them will spread widely at the bottom, others will round up in regular figure style, while many will be confined at the waist, under a broad belt, from which will depend curious little boules. These boules are very smart, and dainty when worn over soft blouses, and are really dressy affairs.

Not alone to black are the glaze taffetas confined, though, naturally, for this style is decidedly in vogue. Daintily tinted glaze effects are to be great favorites, and these are fashioned into perfectly charming afternoon and visiting gowns, all made with the fashionable plaited skirt. For some time past dressmakers have been making this style of skirt, and with great success, too, but only recently have they attempted to carry it into the dress in sheer summer fabrics. They are going to try them with yoke effects and with very small plaits, and gather them into the waistband and gradually spreading toward the bottom.

While many women prefer the sheath skirt, most of us find an irresistible attraction in the thin summer materials, made up into broadly flaring and many hooped models. Pure enfilade gowns are consequently a suggestion of later summer ones, and whatever my lady finds pleasing in them models, where suitable, she is apt to duplicate it in her thin frocks. Ruffles and boules are to be a feature of lawn, muslin, tulle and even light cloths, and not only one, two and three of these graceful flourishes are employed, but even ten and twelve, sometimes, in fact, the entire skirt displaying a series of billowy ruffles. That skirts are to remain long is an established fact; they will, indeed, be excessively long—too long, perhaps, to be worn well, yet

none too long to look graceful and pretty. Taffeta evening coats have been mentioned before, and they are still continuing in high favor. A pretty departure from the usual one of black glaze is the one here portrayed. It is a clever model, and is really one of the most effective combinations of black and white it has been very pleasure to see. This is just the season for garments of this style and material, anything heavier being too suggestive of winter. The body of this coat is made of alternating vertical stripes of finely tacked white taffeta, having one edge finished with a band of chauny lace and laced and a half bands of black velvet. These stripes are quite narrow at the top and broaden occasionally toward the bottom, where they are interrupted by a handsome flat application of lace and velvet. The fourteen-inch deep border of black Lyons has across the upper edge an applique of black chantilly lace in a beautiful-plaisse design, and the velvet is cut out underneath so that the white taffeta shows through.

There is another row of these oddly beautiful lace appliques curving upward from the lower edge of the coat to match the graceful incrustations bordering the top. The extremely wide sleeves are of black velvet, covered with incrustations in the same glaze pattern, while they are finished on the inside of the band with double ruffles of fine white lace, just showing through the narrow chauny edging on the velvet. To harmonize with their wide sleeves there is a deep velvet collar, presenting the same effect in applique, with folds of dainty lace, forming a pretty finish. At the bust and fastening under exquisite brilliant buckles are two long lace-wool, falling quite to the bottom of the coat. These are wide enough to be graceful and are trimmed on the edge with a delicate ruchelette of white mousseline. White taffeta lines the coat through out, while about the neck and down each side, under a satin choker will have a depending drape of satin bands finished at the bottom with choisy of the same material.

Elegant Evening Coats.  
Elegant—perhaps describes this evening coat better than any other word, for its long, graceful sweep, handsome texture and beauty of design make it quite the perfection of good taste. It really seems that never before in the history of dress was lace used so lavishly and with such exquisite effect. Long scarfs of purple are not only to be popular with summer frocks, but they are utilized artistically upon coats and very spring gowns alike. Tea gowns, of course, are incomplete without this particular touch, while by way of variation instead of curving in the usual way. At the back there is a large Watteau plait in cream here, which falls over the train in a dainty fan shape.

Watteau effects seem to be quite the correct thing for tea gowns, and here is another modelled upon this style. It is of pale pink and white striped silk, with a

front let in of white mousseline banded with wide yellow lace. The inevitable bertha, too, must favor on this gown, and adorns a simple yet pretty finish for the rounded neck. Of lace, this bertha is treated in a slightly different manner, for there are soft rows of white mousseline outlining the decollette and in the smart black velvet bow fastening at the bust on long soft silks. Broad straight belts are again being worn, and some of the prettiest of these are fastened with artistically shaped jeweled buttons placed in front. Many of these broad belts confine dainty little vests of alpaca, embroidered, mousseline or fancy fabrics, while Marie Antoinette style appears to be a pretty companion piece.

For young girls there are the most charming arrangements in the way of lace boules and long graceful sashes. For instance, here is a rather unique style of combining fluff and snarl. Over a bertha of yellow lace mousseline is crossed in a dainty-to-forget fashion. It is knotted low in front, then brought around to the back, where long lace edge streamers float out over the soft diaphanous skirt. A polished waistband of the same pink fabric has its ends concealed under the knot at the back of the waist. A mile green afternoon gown, trimmed with a broad collar of butter-colored lace, displays a smart sash of silk muslin, curving downward to the front to the centre of the back, where it is tied in bows and long ends. Plaited belts of pastel silk form a requisite on the side and close with dainty jeweled buttons. Others are deep enough to appear like a draped border with the folds running crossways and closing under a narrow curved buckle which reaches from the waist quite to the foot.

Occasionally these boules, whether they are plain or laid in plaits, will be pointed in the front, very much resembling the old style guide. Again a crossed waistband of black satin fastened directly in front under a satin choker will have a depending drape of satin bands finished at the bottom with choisy of the same material. "Coco" is another dainty fabric for boules and sashes, and one handsome dinner dress had a deep waist made in tiny ruffles of white tulle, over the top of which boules fell a deep lace bertha, which was caught at the left side under a scarf of lace with loops and ends falling quite to the bottom of this wide belt.

Louis XV. jackets in vogue.  
Louis XV. jackets are again in vogue, though as a matter of fact these smart vestes are somewhat out of season—they are very chic, and what mode of lapins and boules are really unsuited for wear at certain times.

There is a modern model representing a charming little sort of this elegant jacket, made of pale pink satin, embroidered around the boules in diamond and oval shapes. The boules are ornamented with large ivory buttons inlaid with pearls and picked out with gold. Draped sleeves of mousseline line fall to the elbow, showing an embroidered cuff finish in rose pattern. About the neck the decollette is draped with the ribbon, lying in soft folds at the neck, while the free edge is daintily embroidered with fine dots. It is caught up under a soft shawl of chiffon, so that little epaulet-like frills of the mousseline fall over the shoulders and sleeves. From the shoulders the frills are brought down to the front of the corsage and, fastening with a jeweled clasp, the loose ends are permitted to fall so as to conceal the broad belt of satin folds.

It would be difficult to say whether a lower and more appropriate skirt for such a jacket than the one designed by Redfern to accompany his beautiful little blouse and white tulle draped over a foundation of white mousseline, and this again having an understated skirt of white mousseline in a very full double ruche of the nature which forms the delicate material, which shows now and then between the draped boules. There are two of these boules, Marie Antoinette style, and they are fastened about the bottom of the skirt in a graceful and charming manner. The lower edges, which form the decorative line, are heavily embroidered in rose design, while the upper edges are caught



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# Victoria Daily Times

## TIMES WAR EXTRA

### Canadian Casualties---List of Those Killed and Wounded at Hart's River.

Special to THE TIMES.

Ottawa, April 6.—The following is a list of members of the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles killed and wounded in the fight at Hart's River on March 31st.

#### KILLED.

Pte. W. T. Peters, Cranbrook, B. C.  
Pte. W. Vollrath, Revelstoke, B. C.  
Sergt. John C. Perry, Guelph, Ont.  
Corp. Alf. Sherritt, Guelph, Ont.  
Pte. M. G. Huston, London, Ont.  
Pte. C. N. Evans, London, Ont.  
Pte. W. P. K. Milligan, Peterboro Ont.

#### DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED AND SINCE DEAD

862 Pte. A. West, Montreal.  
347 Pte. D. H. Campbell, Brandon, Man.

#### DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED

Pte. S. M. Lezert, Cranbrook, B. C.  
Pte. J. C. Graftins, Cranbrook, B. C.  
Corp. S. McL. Howard, Montreal.

#### SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Pte. J. C. Fisher, Vancouver.  
Shoing Smith, W. H. Hunter, Winnipeg.  
Sergt. A. Milne, Calgary. Pte. F. W. Dennehey, Calgary.  
Pte. L. Stratton, Virden, Man. Pte. Chalmers, Calgary.  
Pte. B. Hodges, Virden, Man. Amonos Derragh, St. John, N.B.

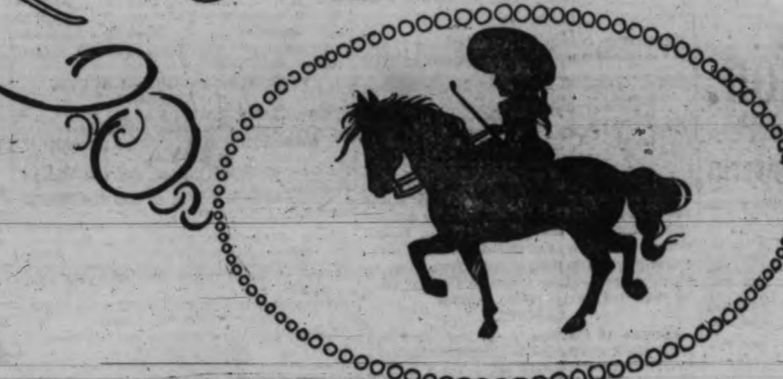
#### SLIGHTLY WOUNDED.

Pte. J. Simons, Nelson.  
Pte. P. Hendyx, Rossland.  
Pte. Alex. McDonald, Fort Steel.  
Sergt. C. R. Othen, Brandon. Pte. A. Fortey, Winnipeg.  
Sergt. T. Western, Portage La Prairie. Pte. H. Hawes, Halifax.  
Pte. J. N. Biswanger, Halifax.

Tenth Canadian Field Hospital—Severely Wounded—Pte. John Grant Gunn, London, Ont.

The released men state that Corp. W. A. Kinisley, Toronto, and Pte. T. B. Day are killed.

# OUR YOUNG FOLKS



## The Perseverance Club.

BY JAMES ALBERT WALES.

The boys of the Perseverance Club were so encouraged by their first athletic victory, having beaten the Rangers at hockey, that they resumed work on their clubhouse with more enthusiasm than ever. There being no school on Saturday, the young builders started in right after breakfast and worked steadily all day.

Sixteen energetic boys can accomplish a great deal when their hearts are in their work. At the close of the day they had all the weatherboarding, roofing and flooring in place. While laying the flooring, provision was made for the shower baths. The old barn, formerly occupying the clubhouse site, had been equipped with water connection, to supply water to the horses, which had been kept there, so it became possible to utilize the old pipes for the shower baths, arrangements for water supply having been made with the town authorities. Plumbing was somewhat beyond the boys' abilities, hence this part of the work was entrusted to a local plumber.

The question of lighting was happily settled. The president of the Riverview Gas Company had witnessed the hockey game on Friday, and had become so interested in the club that he offered to put in all the necessary gaspipes and

team chosen, with "Will" Stratford as captain and "Tom" Barry, manager.

Upon studying the rules the boys noted many differences from outdoor baseball, principally regarding the bat and ball. The bat is two and three-quarter feet long and not more than one and five-eighths inches in diameter at any point. The ball is about 17 inches in circumference, made of a yielding substance, large and soft, and about eight and one-quarter ounces in weight. The rules call for base-lines 27 feet long. Owing to the limited size of the clubhouse, it was necessary to lay out bases only 20 feet apart, in the form of a diamond. The regulation pitcher's distance—22 feet from home plate—was adhered to. The boys made bases by filling canvas bags with sand. The fellows who "made" the team had their mothers make them regular baseball uniforms of light gray cloth, with "Perseverance" in cloth letters sewn on the shirt. Black stockings and gymnasium shoes completed the uniform.

Second base went so far back that no centerfielder was needed, as the rules allow either eight or nine players, as may be desired. Wire netting was placed across the windows to prevent damage from batted balls and wild throws.

On Tuesday afternoon the boys finish-

couple of old mattresses were placed against the wall at first and third bases, to prevent accidents in "sliding," and a bucket of water was placed at first base for the use of players who wished to prevent slipping by moistening the rubber-soles of their shoes. These suggestions were adopted from the rule book.

The improvised tables for the supper were piled outside for later use, and shortly after supper the boys brought great baskets of "goodies" from home, leaving them in the shower bathroom. Two large water-pails were brought, to make hot chocolate in, as the stove could be used for cooking as well as for heating. Cups, saucers, spoons, forks, knives, plates, napkins and tablecloths were loaned by the boys' families.

Not long after seven the guests began to arrive. The boys' families and friends made up the invited list. Among the guests were the mayor, two councilmen, a justice of the peace and the president of the gas company. The little house was so crowded that there was hardly room for the baseball diamond. Many were obliged to stand behind the benches. The members of the ball team had donned their uniforms at home. They were heartily applauded as they took the floor for preliminary practice, the Dauntless Club having practiced first. This was the Perseverance batting order: Gladwin, 1st; Baumbach, 2d; Ticknor, 3d; Styles, 4th; Graham, 5th; Davidson, 6th; Barry, c., and Stratford, p.

After the practice Mayor Barclay was

banner in behalf of the club, and asked the mayor to toss the first ball across the plate. This he did, and the game began.

Very few of the spectators had ever seen indoor baseball before, and the various plays were novel and amusing. The peculiar bat and ball, the odd style of pitching, and the lightning rapidity of the playing, were commented upon generally. The rules forbid granting a base to a batsman struck by a pitched ball. The fairness of a ball is judged by where it strikes, regardless of where it rolls. A baserunner may not leave his base while the pitcher holds the ball standing in his box, nor upon a pitched ball not struck, until it has reached or passed the catcher. The baserunner may turn either way in over running first base, and the bases are loose, allowing a runner to slide along with one until he stops. No errors are charged against any players attempting to complete a double play, nor against the catcher throwing wild to prevent a stolen base, unless the baserunner gets an extra base on the throw. In other respects the game is almost identical with outdoor baseball.

For three innings neither side scored, then the Perseverance boys got their eye on the ball and batted out six runs. After that it was a walkover. The Dauntless team got but two runs during the rest of the game, but the Perseverance team hammered the spheroid all over the room, only the wire netting preventing the breaking of nearly every window in the place. Several fouls and wild throws got in among the closely packed spectators, but the ball was so yielding that no harm was done, and these incidents merely added to the fun. The final score was 26 to 2 in favor of Perseverance, and the boys felt that their football defeat had been in a measure compensated for.

After the game the tables were brought in and arranged. The chocolate had been in process of making during the closing innings of the game, so it was steaming hot and ready to be served with the sandwiches, oyster pies, fruit, cakes, etc. A royal good time followed. Good humor and good appetite made excellent sauce, and full satisfaction was done plain but wholesome menu.

Everyone was praising the successful manner in which the boys had arranged the affair, and all would have gone well had it not been for "Jack" Higgins's carelessness of the morning and Alfred Davidson's anxiety to show off before the girls. Alfred lit a cigarette, just to show that he didn't care whether his parents saw him or not. He tossed the match behind the stove, it struck the pile of shavings and ignited them. Before anyone could realize what had happened a streak of flame shot upward. The wall was burning and the flames had caught the furniture before the blaze was noticed at all.

Several women screamed and many rushed panic-stricken to the door. Walter Gladwin and "Joe" Stein were as cool headed as any. Walter sized the pail used in the baseball game and dashed its contents over the flames. Joe told Willie and Rex to fill the chocolate pails at the shower bath faucets, directed Reub and Charley to smother the blaze with mattresses and himself dashed off to the nearest fire-alarm box. The fight against the impending conflagration was started as quickly as the flames themselves.

At first the fire-fighters could do little to check the blaze. The flames increased their rapidity, and soon their greedy tongues licked the crackling shingles. Tears came to the boys' eyes as they saw the proud result of the labor apparently being demolished in a moment's time.

Reub chopped a hole in the ice at the river bank, and the bucket brigade found this a nearer and quicker access to their work than the shower bathroom, which was fast becoming too hot for comfort. Everything in which water could be carried was pressed into service, and the mayor himself was foremost in the ranks of the fire-fighters.

Exhausted work resulted in a checking of the flames' advance, and in five minutes more the fire was under control. In 15 minutes, just as the Riverview Hose Company appeared on the scene, the fire was practically extinguished. Nearly half of one side wall and a good part of the roof had become a charred skeleton.

Upon looking over the result of the fire it was seen that the damage was not such as could not easily be repaired. The boys were thankful indeed that the whole of their splendid clubhouse had not been burned to a mass of shapeless ruins. With this philosophical thought they left for home, resolved to retrieve their loss as quickly as possible. It was a comfort, too, to learn that the hammer had not been damaged in any way.

In the next story we shall read of the boys' return basketball game with their old rivals, the Golden Knights, played in the rebuilt clubhouse.

## A Case for Sherlock Holmes.

This diagram illustrates the flight of a kidnapper who stole a child from the house marked 1, and went around the head of a long narrow lake to a railway station at 7, beyond which he could not

traced to this point is that the ground was covered with a very light fall of snow, enough to show footprints and wheel tracks, but not enough to prevent

his using any vehicle he chose. The question is, what means of locomotion did he and the child employ, and what happened to them on the different stages of the route? The story is written clearly in the snow. Can you read it?

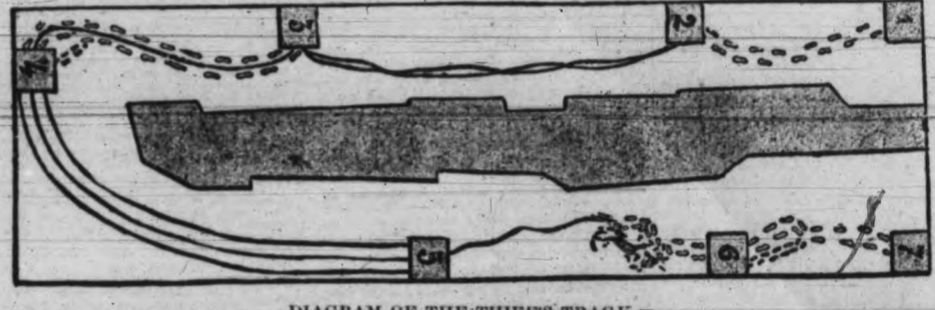


DIAGRAM OF THE THIEF'S TRACK.

## How to Make a Salt Power Engine.

BY MEREDITH NUGENT.

Here is an engine which works just like a real engine. The cardboard wheel goes flying around, the piston rod works up and down in its spool cylinder, and the cross-beam, surmounted by two American flags, seesaws fully as perfectly as those run by steam.

The power used in this little engine is not steam, though, but salt, yes, common salt! such as you use at table. The engine itself is made of cardboard or pasteboard, and is as follows:

First cut out a wheel of pasteboard or cardboard six inches in diameter. Make it with spokes and just like wheel in picture. Then cut out a pasteboard driving rod five inches in length, a cross-beam eight inches in length and a piston rod in shape of that shown in picture, six inches in length. Also cut out a pasteboard support for crossbeam eight inches in length, and two supports for flywheel, to rest in each, three inches in length.

Now take a box cover and fasten the upright for the crossbeam in position, as here shown. Then stick a pin through this upright and fasten the head of it firmly to the pasteboard with sealing wax. Also stick a pin through each end of the crossbeam and fasten the heads

of these firmly in position, which should be horizontal, with sealing wax.

With a hatpin make a hole in exactly the center of your crossbeam and slide it onto the pin in the center of the upright. Attach driving rod and piston to the crossbeam in the same manner. After this place little bits of paper over those pin points to within three-eighths of an inch of the crossbeam. This will prevent the machinery from coming apart.

Now, take your flywheel supports, and fasten them to a box cover, one on each side, and just in a line under the point of the crossbeam, when latter is in a horizontal position. Bore a fair sized hole in each support and another in exact center of wheel, then pass through supports in wheel a hatpin axle—through the wheel first and supports afterward. Fasten the head of the hatpin which projects beyond the wheel firmly to the pasteboard with sealing wax. Place a large spool on the box for cylinder, and drop loose end of the piston rod into it. Now fasten the driving rod to one of the spokes of the wheel, about an inch from the axle, and exactly in position as shown in the illustration. Greatest care must be taken to have driving rod arranged properly. Now that your little engine is

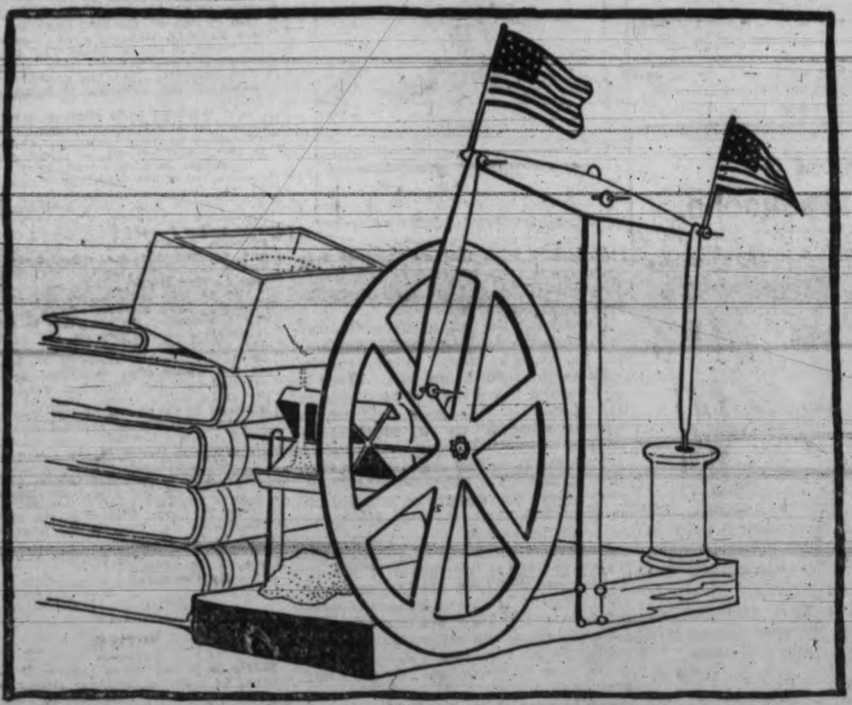
all set up, cut out four pieces of stiff writing paper two inches by one and a quarter inches, and crease over one side of each, about a quarter of an inch, as shown in diagram. Attach these papers to hatpin circle with sealing wax. See diagram.

Now take a pasteboard box, bore a hole in the bottom of it and set it in position on some books in such a manner that when the salt falls through the hole at the bottom of the box it will fall directly onto the paddles of the writing-paper wheel.

Be careful to place your flywheel supports perfectly level with each other, and also see to it that holes in supports, piston and driving rod are such that there will be no friction.

If arranged properly this little engine will run splendidly. You may use as large a box as you please for holding the salt, and, too, by tipping one end up, as shown in the illustration, the salt will run out for a much longer period without replenishing. Make all fastenings with sealing wax.

A pasteboard shoe box will furnish you with just the material you need for the manufacture of this little engine.



THE SALT POWER ENGINE IN ACTION.



A ROYAL GOOD TIME FOLLOWED.

burners without charge, to help the boys along. His offer was gladly accepted, and the company's employees made connection from the gas main in the street just back of the clubhouse.

Treasurer Charley picked up a bargain by purchasing an old stove in really good condition from a dealer in old iron. The stove was placed close to the wall just outside the shower bathroom. Behind the stove the plumber placed a small boiler and made connections which enabled the boys to use both hot and cold water, thus securing any temperature desired. The floor of the room was cemented, and graded down to a drain pipe in the centre. The dressing rooms and lockers, specified in the plans, were not finished at once, as the clubhouse committee was planning to give a "house-warming" when the house was finished, and plenty of room would be needed to accommodate the guests, especially if the plan of playing indoor baseball on that occasion should be carried out.

The plumber's bill was \$17.50. About \$45 more had been expended in buying door and window frames, doors, window sashes and glass, a clock, a supply of coal and other necessary items. During the week the boys worked hard every afternoon after school. The townspeople were greatly interested in the work, and many people visited the scene of activity, all being greatly surprised at the workmanlike manner in which the boys performed their several tasks.

The gas was in by Monday evening, and the house was in good enough shape to admit of indoor baseball practice. The floor was properly marked out, and a

ed the inside walls with material similar to that used for flooring. Baseball practice continued every evening. By Wednesday evening everything was so near completion that the clubhouse committee was empowered to issue invitations for a house-warming, to be held the following Saturday evening. A game of indoor baseball was arranged for the occasion with the Dauntless Club, of Park Heights. The boys' mothers and sisters made preparations for a spread, and the mayor of the town promised to make an address of dedication.

Thursday and Friday were spent in finishing up the details of the work. The boys made tables and benches for the spread from the wood left over, from which they also constructed a seat under the house, so arranged as to be reached through a trap-door at the side of the stove. Steps were built at the rear door and the front porch, and a neat plank walk laid to the street. The boys hoped to get a flagpole some time in the future, and they meant to place a float in front of the house for boating and swimming purposes.

Preparations for the housewarming occupied all day Saturday. After Jack Higgins had swept the floor in the morning he piled up the shavings, bits of paper, etc., back of the stove, where they would not be seen. Reub Styles advised him to sweep the track out of doors, as it might catch fire if left in the house. Jack promised to sweep it out, but another matter diverted his attention and he forgot about it.

The benches were arranged in rows on either side of the baseball diamond. A

escorted to the centre of the diamond by Chairman Johnson, of the clubhouse committee, 2d; Graham, 3d; Ticknor, 4th; Styles, 5th; Davidson, 6th; Barry, c., and Stratford, p.

"Ladies and gentlemen and members of the Perseverance Club," began the mayor, bowing to the audience, "I can truly say that this occasion is one of great interest to us all. That a club of 16 manly young fellows, believers in a healthful enjoyment of athletic sports, should build unaided a clubhouse of this kind—and build it well, too—is a fact of which our town of Riverview may well be proud! (Great applause.) I will not weary you with a lengthy discourse, as I see you are all anxious for the game to begin—(laughter)—so I shall conclude my remarks by extending to the enterprising members of the Perseverance Club the hearty congratulations and best wishes of the citizens of Riverview—and in a most practical form." While saying these words he had drawn from his coat a piece of cloth, which when unfolded bore the letters "Perseverance" in white upon the background of royal purple, the club's colors. "This banner," His Honor continued, "was made by a number of young ladies who wished to get up a pleasant surprise for you. Always live up to its legend—let 'perseverance' be your watchword, and success will be yours." The mayor's remarks were followed by prolonged applause. The banner, a handsomely embroidered piece of silk about 24 by 30 inches, was passed around for inspection, and universally admired. Then two of the boys got a ladder and hung it in a conspicuous place at the end of the hall. Amos Johnson thanked the fair donors of the



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WHAT WILLIE SAW.

"I always thought that Indians inhabited the West. Where things are wild and woolly," said Willie, "but I'm blest. If here is not a brawny brave a-standing by the door To drive away the customers from that tobacco store."

THE STAPLE DISH.

In most Royal households there is some particular dish which is never absent from the table. For instance, roast nutt and boiled chickens—the latter I am told seldom costing less than 15s. a pair—always figured both at luncheons and at dinner at Queen Victoria's table. Nutt-outlets generally make their appearance at Emperor William's supper, at which most large cups of tea also

figure conspicuously. A peculiarity in the old days of the Court of Mecklenburg-Schwerin was that potato chips, cut very thin and dried in the oven, were an invariable accompaniment to every meal, early breakfast not excepted. At Claremont the Duchess of Albany used to always have thin slices of the sour black bread known in Germany as "Pumpernickel," together with delicate

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"My dear," warbled little Mrs. Wren, "Can you stop singing a few minutes? I want to talk to you, Johnnie Wren, perched on a lilac bush and singing at though his tiny throat would split, left off his sweet trills and hopped to the twig beside his small brown wife."



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eggs were lying upon the soft, feathery lining, and the proud little madame settled down to work. Johnny sang all the time, even when he was busy catching big, fat worms. Such a lot of them as he had to catch, too, for you know he had to think of Johnny."

DOMINION OF CANADA SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS

For Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and the Yukon Territory.

Coal lands may be purchased at \$100.00 per acre for \$200.00 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company.

Persons of eighteen years and over and holding a passport, including Free Miners, Certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A Free Miner's Certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of \$100.00 per annum for an individual, and from \$200.00 to \$1000.00 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A Free Miner having discovered mineral in place may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notice, etc.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a Mining Recorder's Office, one additional day for every additional ten miles or fraction thereof.

At least \$100.00 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the Mining Recorder in lieu thereof. When \$5000.00 has been expended, the locator may, upon having a prospect made and approved by other requirements, purchase the same.

Permit may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron, coal, oil, or gas, in the Yukon Territory, of an area not exceeding 100 acres.

PLACER MINING IN MANITOBA AND THE S. W. T., EX. CANTON OF THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square, entry fee \$5.00, renewable every year for \$1.00.

The lessor's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, but not to the bed of the river or to the bars and shoals, unless 200 feet wide may be obtained.

DREDGING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY. Six classes of five miles each may be granted to a Free Miner for a term of twenty years, unless otherwise specified.

The lessor's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, but not to the bed of the river or to the bars and shoals, unless 200 feet wide may be obtained.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six months after the expiration of the first year.

PLACER MINING IN THE YUKON TERRITORY. Creek, Gulch, River and Hill Claims shall not exceed 200 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, and the same shall be obtained within ten days if located within ten miles of a Mining Recorder's Office, one additional day for every additional ten miles or fraction thereof.

The person or company staking a claim, and each person in his or its employment, shall have with them, and be able to produce on demand, a valid Free Miner's Certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim not exceeding 640 acres, or an amount not exceeding a grant of 640 acres, or a larger amount, if the discovery is made in an area not exceeding 640 acres, or a larger amount, if the discovery is made in an area not exceeding 640 acres.

Entry fee \$15.00. Royalty at the rate of five per cent charged on the gross output of the claim, with the exception of an annual exemption of \$5,000.00.

Free Miners shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same may be held as one claim, excepting purchase, and Free Miners may not exceed in number any number of claims in any one mining claim, and paying fee of \$2.00.

Work must be done on a claim each year for a period of at least \$200.00, or in lieu of work payment made to the Mining Recorder each year for the first three years of \$200.00 and after that \$400.00 for each year.

A certificate that work has been done or fee paid must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed abandoned and open to occupation and entry by a Free Miner.

HYDRAULIC MINING, YUKON TERRITORY. Locations suitable for hydraulic mining, having a head of water of 100 feet, and a depth of one mile or more, may be leased for twenty years, provided the ground has been prospectively examined by the agent or his agent; he found to be suitable for placer mining, and does not encroach on any other person's claim.

A rental of \$150.00 for each mile of frontage, and a royalty of five per cent on the gross output, less an annual exemption of \$20,000.00, are charged. Operations must be commenced within one year from the date of the lease, and not less than \$5,000.00 must be expended annually.

The lease excludes all base metal minerals, including gold, silver, copper, lead, zinc, iron, or any other mineral of agricultural or building purposes.

PROSPECTING. All unappropriated Dominion Lands shall, after the 1st of July, 1901, be open to prospecting for petroleum. Should the prospector discover a quantity of petroleum, he may acquire 640 acres of available land, including and surrounding his discovery at the rate of \$10.00 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by Order in Council.

DEPUTY OF THE MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR, Ottawa, 19th Dec., 1901.

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Table with columns: Leave, Arrive, Destination. Includes routes like Victoria-Yukon, Alaska, and various steamship services.

NEW WESTMINSTER-CHILLIWACK ROUTE. Leave New Westminster 2 p. m. daily, except Sunday. Leave Chilliwack Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 7 a. m., Friday, 9 a. m., Saturday, 8 p. m., calling at Fraser River, Callaghan, and intermediate ports on 20th day of each month.

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A Through Mail, Passenger and Freight Service will be maintained by a thoroughly equipped Stage Line between White Horse and Dawson, with comfortable Road Houses at convenient points en route.

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DAILY FOR CROFTON. Passengers will have fully 3 hours ashore at Crofton, returning, connects with evening train for Victoria.

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Monday.—Leave Sidney for Nanaimo at 6:45 a. m., calling at Fulford, Ganges, Mayo, Fernwood and Gabriola.

Tuesday.—Leave Nanaimo for Sidney at 7 a. m., calling at Gabriola, Kuper, Chehalis, Esquival, Maple Bay, Burgoyne, Ganges, Cowichan and Mill Bay.

Wednesday.—Leave Sidney at 8:45 a. m., calling at Fulford, Beaver Point, Ganges, Gailano, Mayo, Pender and Saturna.

Thursday.—Leave Sidney for Nanaimo at 8:45 a. m., calling at Mill Bay, Gowan, Ganges, Beaver Point and Fulford.

Friday.—Leave Nanaimo for Sidney at 7 a. m., calling at Gabriola, Fernwood, Ganges, Mayo and Fulford.

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Give the paper that you have in your right hand to one of the spectators and mention him to close his hands over it tight. Then quickly insert the paper that you still have in the hollowed end of the candle, and put the candle in the candle stick and light it. Take from the spectator the paper that you gave him and burn it in the candle.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Council for a transfer to Alexander Simpson of the licence now held by me to sell spirituous and fermented liquors by retail upon the premises known as The Blue Post Saloon, situate on Johnson Street, in the City of Victoria.

Dated the 25th day of February, 1902. J. M. D. HUGHES.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Council for a transfer to R. White of the licence now held by me to sell spirituous liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Commercial Hotel, situate at the corner of the Victoria and Cornorant streets, in the City of Victoria.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1902. M. H. MURPHY.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at its next session for a transfer to M. H. McEachern of the licence now held by us for the sale of wine and spirituous liquors by retail upon the premises known as the Wilson Hotel, situate at No. 94 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1902. M. H. WHITTE, M. H. McEACHERN.