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PREVENTS SHUT DOWN OF LIGHTS

CITY COUNCIL AND THE BOILER INSPECTOR

Repairs to Plant at Station to Be Delayed Pending Further Report.

Through the intervention of Ald. Stewart at last evening's meeting of the city council citizens are to be spared, for a time at all events, the inconvenience of having the street lighting service temporarily abandoned while repairs are being effected to the boilers at the city electric lighting station.

Mr. Hutcheson, the city electrician, forwarded a letter setting forth that S. A. Baxter, the boiler inspector, had recently inspected the plant at the city station and had recommended alterations and repairs which if carried out would necessitate the closing down of the lighting system of the city for a brief period, and he wished the instructions of the council on the matter.

Accompanying Mr. Hutcheson's letter was a report from Mr. Baxter, in which the latter detailed what ought to be done. While all the boilers ought to be cleaned, there were certain alterations to pipes and joints which had better be attended to at once.

On it being suggested that instruction should be issued to Mr. Hutcheson to have the work done according to the report of Mr. Baxter, Ald. Stewart arose and protested against this action. He had rather a poor opinion of the ability of Mr. Baxter, and cited the case of his inspection of a fire engine for the city. He had recommended that a feed pipe be placed above the position it had originally occupied in the engine, and on examination Mr. Baxter, it had been found that this alteration was not only unnecessary, but fatal to efficiency. In respect to the boilers at the city electric lighting station, Ald. Stewart declared that they had been put in according to the best plans of competent manufacturers—reliable people—and he was opposed to having any alterations made to the system until they had further information in the matter.

After some further debate the matter was referred back to Mr. Hutcheson for report on Friday evening next at the meeting of the streets, sewers and bridges committee.

ALD. HENDERSON IS CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR

This Ensures Lively Contest—
Three Men Now in
Field.

Fast on the heels of the announcement that Ald. Turner will join Mr. W. E. Oliver in the race of the mayor, comes the statement from Ald. Henderson that he, too, may be counted upon as being in the contest—this making a trio now in the field. The latter reached a decision on the matter last evening, and immediately communicated the same to the press. To the Times this morning Ald. Henderson said he did not care just at present to discuss the various issues of the next campaign—he would do so fully at the proper time.

Ald. Henderson has had a long record at the council board, and by experience is fully fitted for the high office to which he now aspires. During the regime of Mayor Beaven in 1893 he served at the aldermanic board. And he is now serving the third of three consecutive seasons as a member of the City Council.

Ald. Henderson has always displayed great attention and energy in the transaction of the public affairs of the city. He has been chairman of the all-important standing committees. He was for two years chairman of the streets, sewers and bridges committee, and is now chairman of the finance committee.

Ald. Stewart and Ald. Humber have both stated that they will not run again at the approaching municipal elections.

HOUSEHOLDERS SHOULD REGISTER AT ONCE

Only Few Days Remain in
Which to Enter
Names.

There is need of quick action on the part of householders who wish to have the right to vote at the coming municipal election. They have only this week in which to register, and many have not yet taken advantage of the opportunity of doing so.

W. W. Northcott, at the city hall, is not receiving nearly as many applications as in former years.

For the convenience of those who wish to make declaration an opportunity will be afforded every evening this week at Fawcett's drug store, Douglas street, and at the Oak Bay drug store at Oak Bay Junction.

TEN THOUSAND FOR NEW THEATRE

MACKENZIE & MANN
SUBSCRIBE FOR STOCK

Everything is Ready for Can-
vass for Public
Support.

The success of the new opera house is assured. There is \$21,000 in stock already subscribed, before any canvass has been made.

Mackenzie & Mann will subscribe to the extent of \$10,000, according to the following telegram received by Simon Leiser this forenoon during a meeting of the council which had a report on the matter under consideration:

"Replying to your request asking us to subscribe towards the building of the new Victoria opera house I have much pleasure in stating that we will subscribe to the extent of ten thousand dollars.

"This announcement was received with great satisfaction.

"The committee reported on their labors in the shape of the following prospectus, which the council approved:

"The existing opera house being too small many of the best attractions cannot come to this city.

"E. R. Ricketts, the present lessee, is unable to obtain a renewal of his lease, which expires December, 1910.

"Unless suitable accommodation is immediately provided for, attractions for the season 1910-11 cannot be booked and Victoria will not be included in the circuit.

"It is not desirable to consider the alteration of any existing building for theatre purposes.

"From the properties offered that situated at the southeast corner of Douglas and Kane streets, 123 by 128, is considered most suitable. An option has been secured on it for the sum of \$42,000, \$7,000 cash, \$10,000 in stock in the opera company, the balance, \$25,000, to remain, if desired, on first mortgage for a period to be arranged, at 6 per cent per annum.

"Mr. Houghton, a specialist in theatre construction, estimates the cost of a properly equipped opera house with seating capacity for 1,500 at \$75,000.

"The offer to lease received will net shareholders 3 per cent, the first year, and will undoubtedly be increased from year to year.

"Subscriptions will be received for the above purpose and as soon as sufficient stock is subscribed a meeting of the shareholders will be called for the purpose of organization.

"President Leiser reported that he had received a subscription for \$1,000 stock from E. R. Ricketts. The C. P. R. has promised support but nothing has been heard yet as to their intentions.

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POLITICAL VAUDEVILLE

The Latest Unpopular Ballad: "It's a good thing, boys, but we've got to keep it dark."

FLOOD SUFFERERS FACE STARVATION

HUNDREDS OF FAMILIES
HOMELESS IN MEXICO

Property Loss is Estimated at
Over Five Million
Dollars.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Mexico City, Oct. 27.—A telegraphic appeal for aid was received here today from the flood-stricken districts of the state of Tabasco, in the southern part of Mexico.

According to the dispatches the floods began when a terrible cloudburst broke over the state following twenty days of incessant rainfall. Thousands of acres, planted in corn, beans and other cereals are a total loss. Thousands of cattle have been swept away and drowned in the rivers which have extended beyond their banks. Houses have been demolished and the property damage is over \$5,000,000. Only two deaths have thus far been reported.

Five hundred families are homeless in the town of Atasta.

The town of Santa Rosa—48 submerged four feet, and many families are waiting to be rescued from the roofs of their dwellings, to which they were compelled to flee for their lives.

Starvation is impending, and unless outside aid reaches the districts many deaths will result.

The valleys are lakes and the hillsides and highlands are covered with deep mud.

MILITARY HISTORIAN DEAD.

Paris, Oct. 27.—Col. Theodore A. Dodge, the military historian of New York and Paris, is dead at Versailles. He was born in Pittsfield, Mass., in 1842. Dodge entered the Union army as a private in 1861, and fought in every regimental rank in the volunteer forces. He was thrice wounded, losing his right leg at Gettysburg. Commissioned in the regular army in 1898, Colonel Dodge served in the war department until his retirement in 1870. He had travelled all over the world in order to view the battlefields where great military leaders fought, and had crossed the ocean eighty times.

LIBERAL CONVENTION POSTPONED

Until a Date to be
Announced Later

STORM AND COLD WAVE PREDICTED

Gale Which Swept Coast of
Alaska is Travelling
Southward.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Washington, D.C., Oct. 27.—The weather bureau today predicts that the storm which swept Alaska yesterday will reach the Pacific coast tomorrow and that it will sweep eastward across the continent. It will be attended by general precipitation and will be followed by a cold wave.

BOMB THROWERS ACTIVE IN RUSSIA

Many Outrages Have Been Re-
ported in Past Two
Months.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Odessa, Oct. 27.—Bomb throwing has had a great revival in Russia recently. There were twenty-six successful or attempted outrages within the Czar's European dominions and several others in Siberia during September, and the October figures promise to be even larger.

The situation is especially serious from the fact that the Terrorist efforts to inform everyone concerning the use of explosives have armed the criminal classes with ample knowledge to manufacture their own bombs.

Outlaws almost invariably go provided with them, finding them much more serviceable than revolvers in stopping or scattering police pursuit.

The authorities are exerting themselves to the utmost to suppress the unauthorized possession of explosives, but with large numbers of experts secretly producing their own, these efforts are producing small results.

CANADIAN PACIFIC HOTELS.

(Special to the Times.)
Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—It is stated here that the C.P.R. hotel system is to be taken over by the dining cars department, Hayter Reed retiring and W. H. Cooper to be general superintendent.

CONFESSES TO THREE MURDERS

MAN KILLS SISTERS
AND BROTHER-IN-LAW

Dispute Over Property is Cause
of Tragedy in
Kansas.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Kansas City, Kans., Oct. 27.—James McMahon is in the Kansas state penitentiary at Lansing today, where he was taken from this city last night by officers who feared that the prisoner might be taken from them and lynched by an angry mob which gathered about the county jail following McMahon's confession yesterday that he murdered his sisters, Miss Rose McMahon and Mrs. Alonzo van Royen, and Alonzo van Royen, his brother-in-law, on a farm near here last Tuesday.

A long standing quarrel over property owned by the mother of the McMahon's caused the tragedy. McMahon confessed that he killed Van Royen in a field and later went to the farm house and shot his sisters.

Although McMahon took the sole responsibility for the terrible crime, the police arrested his brother, Patrick McMahon, and a farm hand named Patrick Lamb, who are held as witnesses.

McMahon's confession followed two hours of sweating by Prosecutor Taggart and Sheriff Brecker. He finally collapsed under the ordeal and told his story.

"Yes, I killed my two sisters and brother-in-law, and I was crazy when I did it," he shouted.

"It took me three months to plan and execute the crime. Day by day the picture of their dead bodies lying before me grew, and at last, two weeks ago, I saw it all. My plan was perfect.

"I bought a revolver in Kansas City. Mo. Going home I carefully waited until I knew my intended victims would be in the right positions for me to kill them and get away. Tuesday Rose went to visit at Van Royens and Lon went to the woods. To make sure he was not at home I went to the house and learned where he was. I found him and shot him in the head. He fell, and I fired six shots into his back. I always hated him. I dragged his body across the creek and then prepared to finish the deed.

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SEARCH FOR BONGE.

Roosevelt Anxious to Secure Rare Specimen of Antelope.

(By Staff Correspondent of the United Press.)
London, British East Africa, Oct. 27.—Colonel Roosevelt today started hunting in the Eldama ravine for a bonge, which is the rarest specimen of antelope in Africa. It is said that the animals are so scarce that they have never been seen alive by a white man, and that white hunters thus far have been unsuccessful in their efforts to bag one of the animals.

Colonel Roosevelt realizes that there are great chances of non-success, but he declared that he will spend months hunting if necessary until he brings one of the beasts to the earth.

JAPAN MOURNS DEATH OF ITO

POLICY IN KOREA
WILL BE CHANGED

Trial of Assassin of Statesman
to Be Held at
Seoul.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Tokio, Oct. 27.—The elder statesmen and ministers of state who were interviewed today admitted that the assassination of Prince Ito makes inevitable a change in the policies of Japan in Korea.

While they will not admit that its methods were wrong or too cruel, they say that the Koreans never have understood the real motive of Japan.

Count Okuma, who is known as the most eloquent man of Japan, is the most silent to-day. He is overcome by the death of the prince and when pressed for a statement replied: "I cannot speak it. Do not ask me."

Count Komura, the foreign minister, also was deeply affected. He said: "The prince has died ten years too soon. Poets destroy their happiness by murdering their benefactors."

The extraordinary meeting of the elder statesmen and the cabinet ministers remained in session at the foreign office nearly all of Tuesday night. The effect of the assassination upon the foreign policy of the nation was discussed in great detail and it was announced positively today that Japan's general diplomatic course in the future will not be affected. The officials concurred in an expression of regret, in which they stated their belief that in the death of Prince Ito the nation has lost its greatest, most representative man and highest authority on diplomatic affairs.

It was decided that the trial of the assassin shall be held at Seoul, the capital of Korea. In this way his punishment will be brought close to the people of Korea and the statesmen have decided that it is best to hold the trial where all Koreans may know the details of its procedure and its findings.

The newspapers here declare today that the anti-Japanese journalists, who have been active from time to time in Korea, are responsible for the assassination, as they inspired the Koreans to commit acts of violence against the Japanese officials in Korea.

The battleship Iwate was dispatched today with the imperial chamberlain and a large delegation of high officials for Dairen, where the body of the prince will be taken on board to be brought to Yokohama. The Iwate will reach Dairen next Sunday.

Tokio is gloomy today and consternation prevails throughout the country. The emperor and empress are mournful and the sorrow at the assassination of the prince affects all classes of the people.

BISHOP'S SON ACCUSED OF ABANDONING WIFE

Mrs. Dumoulin Says Husband
Was Too Attentive to Fe-
male Parishioners.

(Times Leased Wire.)
San Francisco, Oct. 27.—Rev. Cecil Marack, pastor of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, said today that he had tried in vain to reconcile Rev. Walter Dumoulin and Mrs. Dumoulin, who are bringing separate suits for divorce, the husband having started action in Seattle and the wife having fled suit yesterday in this city.

The prominence of the rector, who is the son of Bishop John Philip Dumoulin, of the Episcopal diocese of Niagara, Ont., and brother of the dean of Trinity cathedral of Cleveland, Ohio, has attracted much attention to the case.

The wife was Miss Jennie Gay, of this city, and was a member of the choir of St. Paul's church, of which Rev. Mr. Dumoulin was curate, when they were married on September 19th, 1905. They lived successfully in the Hawaiian Islands, Spanish S.D.; Holton, Mich.; Fort Morgan, Col., and in this city.

"There seemed to be such a misunderstanding that the couple could not be brought together," declared Rev. Marack, "although I conferred with them separately and spoke to them together."

Among the allegations made by Mrs. Dumoulin against her husband is the statement that he asked her to pose for a photograph of the sort "against which all her feminine delicacy rebelled." She said he told her that he had seen a picture of one of his attractive parishioners of the peculiar sort for which he wanted her to pose. She charges abandonment and non-support in addition to the assertion that her husband paid too much attention to attractive female parishioners, alleging that he arose as early as 4 o'clock to take walks with young women.

She charges that he frequently uttered the following: "I don't see why I married you. Usually when a man has no money he marries a girl who can support the family."

CHICAGO RESPONSIBLE FOR ACTS OF CITIZENS

Ordered to Pay for Damages
Wrought by Mobs During
Strike Riot.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Chicago, Oct. 27.—Unless the United States Supreme Court knocks out the Illinois statute on which the claims are based, the city of Chicago stands to lose nearly \$700,000 in judgments for damages done railroad companies by mobs during the Debs car strike in 1914. The State Supreme Court yesterday decided that the city was responsible for the acts of her citizens, and that it should pay for the damage wrought during the strike of the American Railway Union.

The case first decided against the city was brought by the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railway. The railroad claimed \$100,000 damages for cars burned by the mobs during the progress of the strike.

The city's contention was that the cars burned were not the property of the plaintiff company. The Supreme Court in its decision held that the cars were owned by the transportation company were held by the corporation as bailee and that the company can recover for the cars of other companies which may have been in its possession when destroyed.

WILL ENTERTAIN COOK.

Butte Newspaper Writers' Union En-
dorse Claims of Brooklyn
Explorer.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 27.—The Butte Newspaper Writers' Union is today making preparations for the entertainment of Dr. Frederick A. Cook on his arrival here.

At a meeting of the union last night resolutions were passed endorsing Dr. Cook in all his claims of Arctic achievement and elected him a member of the union.

SENT TO PENITENTIARY.

Hamilton, Oct. 27.—E. Fefanza, C. Colombo and M. Wolfe, Black Hand men, were yesterday sentenced to ten years each in the Kingston penitentiary for sending threatening letters to S. Sanzone. In sentencing the accused Judge Snider said Canada could not tolerate Black Hand methods, and that the practice of writing threatening letters should be put down.

BREWSTER WILL RUN IN ALBERNI

POPULAR MEMBER
AGAIN IN FIELD

Stand on Public Questions In-
creases His Authority in
the Riding.

(Special to the Times.)
Alberni, Oct. 27.—H. C. Brewster is the unanimous choice of all the districts and the McBride candidate will probably lose his deposit. The wise stand taken by Mr. Brewster on all questions which have arisen in the Legislature has endeared him to the public of this riding. The manifesto of John Oliver has been widely acclaimed, especially in the agricultural districts. The farmers, irrespective of politics, will support Brewster. Alberni, the Canal, West Coast, Parksville and Wellington will give Mr. Brewster large majorities.

NEW MEMBER OF COMMISSION.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Oct. 27.—W. S. Calvert, ex-M.P., was sworn in this afternoon as member of the National Transcontinental railway commission.

MILITARY SECRETARY.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Oct. 27.—The Earl of Lanesborough will succeed Sir John Hanbury Williams next month as military secretary to the Governor-General.

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TWO COUNTERFEITERS ARE IN CUSTODY

Men Confess Guilt and Sur-
render Plant to Portland
Police.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Portland, Ore., Oct. 27.—Frank and George Watson, claiming to be cousins, are under arrest here today after confessing that they are the counterfeiters who have been passing bogus coins of small denominations throughout the city for several days. Late yesterday Sergeant Parker arrested two men on suspicion. After reaching police headquarters the men confessed their guilt and accompanied the police to their rendezvous, several miles in the country, where a complete counterfeiters' outfit was found, together with a large amount of spurious coin.

George Watson is a native of Oregon and his cousin Frank came to this country from Ireland some years ago and has spent most of that time in the United States army. Both claim that this is their first criminal experience.

For the Sickroom

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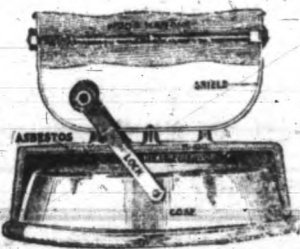
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IRISH WHISKY, Burke's, Imp. qts., per bot. \$1.25
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- 28-lb. box \$8.00
- DAIRY BUTTER, per lb. 25c
- NEW ENGLISH MIXED PEEL, per lb. 15c
- CLEANED CURRANTS, 3 pounds for 25c
- SEEDED RAISINS, Victoria Cross brand—
 - Large 16-oz. packet 10c
 - Or 11 packets for \$1.00
- ONTARIO TESTED EGGS, per doz. 35c
- Or three dozen for \$1.00
- SULTANA RAISINS, per pound 10c
- SHELLED ALMONDS OR WALNUTS, lb. 40c
- CARNATION CREAM, small tins, each 5c
- Large 20-oz. cans, 2 for 25c
- TOMATOES, Tartan brand, finest packed—
 - Two large tins for 25c
 - Case, two dozen \$2.85
- PEAS, CORN OR BEANS, Tartan brand, tin. 10c
- Case, two dozen \$2.30
- CALGARY RISING SUN BREAD FLOUR—
 - Per sack \$1.85
- JOHNSON'S FLUID BEEF, 16-oz. bottle 90c

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ANTI-COMBINE GROCERS
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Mrs. Marvin, 1234 Fort street, has kindly offered her house for an entertainment to be given by the Victoria Circle of the King's Daughters on Friday, 29th inst., from 8 to 10.30. There will be several contests, for which prizes will be given, also cards for those who wish, and with music and home-made candy it is hoped to have a happy and successful evening. All members are requested to donate towards the refreshments. A small admission will be charged.

The results of the supplementary examinations for matriculation into McGill University, held in Vancouver in September, have been announced. Mr. E. H. Chave, of this city, who wrote an trigonometry, geometry and algebra, was successful in all three, passing with good marks. Mr. Chave was coached for the examination by W. M. Mitchell, of the James Bay Academy.

—Dine at the Poodle Dog.

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OAK BAY LIBERALS MEET TO-MORROW

Will Select Delegates to Attend Nominating Convention.

The Liberals of Oak Bay will meet in the council chamber on Oak Bay avenue to-morrow (Thursday) night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the nomination convention on Friday night at Colquhoun. It is expected that there will be a good attendance of the Liberals of the district.

BASEBALL TEAM RETURNS FROM JAPAN

Wisconsin University Won Five Games Out of Nine Played.

The Wisconsin University baseball team has returned from Japan, arriving here this morning on the steamer Tango Maru. They have had a splendid time, and according to the Japanese newspapers, although they won only five games out of nine played, they played the game like gentlemen. One game at least was lost through an error of the umpire, but the decision was accepted with nothing more than a protest. The games were played against Kelo University, the Tokio Americans, the Tokio Japanese and Waseda University. Immense throngs attended the games, and the boys had the time of their lives. All their expenses were guaranteed by the Kelo University, and there was no difficulty about the financing for the Japanese, flocked to watch the game.

The team was managed by Dr. Chas. McCarthy, and with Ned Jones, of the Chicago Tribune, as press agent. They are leaving for Seattle this afternoon, and will then proceed directly home.

Rev. Father Cairns, on the advice of his physician, has gone to California for a month or two in the hope that the rest will do him good.

A splendid address on "Heroes of Missions in the Islands" will be given in the Christian Endeavor rooms, of First Presbyterian church on Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The adjourned meeting of the Voters League of Ward Three, which was to take place at Spring Ridge this (Wednesday) evening has been postponed for a few days.

Miss Bowron, of the department of mines, has returned to the city after a delightful holiday spent in the interior of the province. She has the unique experience of travelling 280 miles on horseback. She went through part of the Okanagan and the Nicola country, enjoying the trip immensely.

The sergeants' mess, Work Point barracks, have decided to hold a dance on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the barracks. An energetic committee is preparing an elaborate programme which will be given during the evening. All the members of the mess are striving hard to make this affair a success and also uphold their reputation gained on past occasions.

PERSONAL
Will F. Norris, of the Free Press, Nanaimo, is in the city to-day.

Charles H. Nelson, president of Semi-Ready, Limited, and Alfred Wood, vice-president of the same corporation, sailed for England on October 14th to visit the firm's English headquarters in Bradford. Their offices there are under the direct personal supervision of E. Leeds Nelson, a director of the company, and it is intended to further enlarge and widen the scope of the Semi-Ready Company's importing depot.

THIRTY-FIVE PROBABLY LOST

DONALDSON LINER
WRECKED ON SHOAL

Lifeboat, With Thirty-one Sailors and Passengers, is Missing.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Eastport, Maine, Oct. 27.—Mariners are convinced that thirty-one sailors and passengers were in the lifeboat which put off from the wrecked steamer Hestia yesterday, and has not been sighted since. It is believed that the boat must have been swamped in the high seas. This with the four known to be dead would bring the number of dead up to thirty-five.

The estimate is based upon the statements of the six men who were taken from the rigging of the wrecked steamer, after they had been left with practically no hope of being saved. The Hestia, with 45 persons on board, was bound from Glasgow for St. Johns and Baltimore, was wrecked yesterday when she piled upon a shoal off Seal Cove.

The six men rescued say that the lifeboat was crowded with men, and that it was so heavily laden that it would have been almost impossible for it to have weathered the seas that were running at the time.

When last seen the boat was being driven out to sea, and it is barely possible that it may yet be afloat, and if that is the case the suffering of the thirty-one survivors in it must be intense.

In the hope of finding the missing boat several tugs have gone to the scene and are searching the ocean in that vicinity.

A northeasterly gale is believed to have been responsible for the Hestia's fate, although it is supposed that a mistake of the man at the wheel in believing he had picked up Gannet-Block light, while really discerning the gleams of a lighthouse on Machias Seal Island, several miles southwest, carried the ship many miles off her course.

The Hestia was a steel screw steamer of 2,444 tons net, and belonged to the Donaldson line.

The latest advices this afternoon say that Captain Newman's small boat, which was crowded with men, was last seen drifting toward Gannet-Block.

The second boat, capsize alongside, righted again and later was seen drifting seaward with one man on board. It is believed that there is little chance of either boat surviving.

Three Bodies Washed Ashore.
Yarmouth, N. S., Oct. 27.—Three bodies, believed to be from the wrecked steamer Hestia, were washed ashore this afternoon on the southwest coast of Nova Scotia.

Two bodies were in one boat and one body in another boat. If these are the two lifeboats that put out from the Hestia all hope for the passengers is gone.

TWO YEARS FOR MANSLAUGHTER
(Special to the Times.)
Perce, Que., Oct. 27.—Two years at St. Vincent de Paul penitentiary was the sentence meted out by Judge Tessler upon J. S. Sampson, convicted of manslaughter in connection with the death of his wife at Grand River.

MONEY NEEDED.
President of W. C. T. U. Announces That Treasury is Empty.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 27.—The president of the W. C. T. U. in convention here announced to-day that the treasury had been depleted, and that the union must borrow money within six weeks.

The convention decided to hold meetings throughout the country on February 17th. Francis Willard memorial day, for the purpose of raising money to carry on the work of the organization.

CHRISTMAS DAISY WINS CAMBRIDGESHIRE
(Special to the Times.)
Newmarket, Eng., Oct. 27.—The results of Cambridgeshire run to-day follows: 1. Christmas Daisy; 2. Mustapha; 3. Sir Martin.

WINNERS OF SWEEPSTAKES ON CAMBRIDGESHIRE
Five of the Six Big Prizes Won by Vancouver Island People.
The result of the Cambridgeshire run to-day in England is as follows: First, Christmas Daisy; second, Mustapha; third, Sir Martin.

STORM STILL RAGES IN NORTH

COAST OF ALASKA
STREWN WITH WRECKAGE

Houses Along Shore at St. Michael Demolished by Gale.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Nome, Alaska, Oct. 27.—The blizzard, which yesterday drove many small steamers and tugs ashore and caused the wrecking of the whaler Olga, continues unabated to-day and wreckage is strewn along the entire coast line.

A dispatch from St. Michaels to-day states that a large river steamer is storm-bound at Pastol Bay at the mouth of the Yukon river. The steamer is supposed to be one of the last coming down the river and is loaded with passengers bound for Seattle.

Houses along the shore at St. Michael have been demolished by the wind, and wreckage has been carried out to sea. No lives have been lost there, although several had narrow escapes.

A wireless dispatch from the steamer Senator says that all are well on board and she is waiting for the storm to subside. The Senator will remain behind Sledge Island until the gale blows itself out, when she will come to Nome to discharge freight and passengers.

THE ASSASSINATION OF ITO.
New York, Oct. 27.—Financials here believe that the assassination of Prince Ito was a result of the renewal of the attempt of foreign syndicates to secure control of the railway connecting Harbin and Kuangchang. The late E. H. Harriman was contemplating the purchase of this road at the time of his death.

TAFT VISITS MEMPHIS.
Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 27.—Never was a more loyal greeting extended to a president than that which William H. Taft received here to-day. Thousands of visitors and all Memphis crowded the wharves and as the president stepped down the gangplank from the Oleaner the populace shouted a greeting which echoed and re-echoed across the river.

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OUSTED FROM STATE OF TEXAS

PROPERTIES OF OIL COMPANIES TO BE SOLD

Branches of Rockefeller Corporation Must Also Pay Fines.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 27.—The district court yesterday issued decrees ousting four branches of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey from the state of Texas. The companies are: The Security Oil Co., Navarre Refining Co., Union Tank Co., and Standard Oil Co. of Indiana.

All the four corporations are perpetually enjoined from doing business in the state and the court ordered that all their properties be sold, in addition to being ordered to place their property in the hands of the receiver prior to a public sale, the corporations were heavily fined. The Navarre was assessed \$20,000, the Security \$78,000, the Union \$50,000, and a garnishment of \$62,000 was levied against the Standard of Indiana.

The evidence in the cases was similar to that submitted in the prosecution in the celebrated Water-Pierce case, which ended when the company was ousted from Texas after a stubborn fight. The companies had no defence, and it is understood that no attempt to appeal from the decisions will be made by any of them.

The state officers proved that each company had exclusive contracts with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the parent Rockefeller corporation, which were in direct violation of the Texas anti-trust laws. Lawyers declare that the decision means that the Standard Oil has practically been put out of business in Texas.

GOMPERS SCORES

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Statement by Former President of Harvard Draws Forth Sharp Reply.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 27.—In referring to a statement of Dr. Charles W. Elliot, former president of Harvard university, that the government should prohibit labor unions on the ground that they had monopolizing tendencies and opposed to democracy, Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, said: "Since his retirement as president of the Harvard university, Dr. Elliot has nothing to do but talk. He now lives in an ease which he cannot understand. Since the time when he was mentally capable of appreciating commercial conditions, great changes and developments have taken place."

CANADIAN PACIFIC

LINE TO WETASKIWIN

Fast Passenger Trains to Run Between Winnipeg and Edmonton.

Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—The first passenger train that ever pulled out of the C. P. R. depot in Winnipeg to go over the new main line of the C. P. R. to Wetaskiwin, in northern Alberta, left the city yesterday morning. It carried William Whyte, second vice-president, and J. E. Schweizer, chief engineer of the road. The train marks an epoch in passenger traffic in the west, and it is understood that fast passenger trains will soon be run over the new main line from Edmonton to Winnipeg. Already large quantities of grain are being taken out over the new line, and it is dotted with new towns all along its route. Another great farming section has been opened up by its completion.

WILL TRY TO OUST SPEAKER

Minneapolis, Oct. 27.—Congressman Davis, of Minnesota, yesterday declared that the insurgent Republicans and Democrats would make an attempt to oust Speaker Cannon at the next session of congress. In this connection Congressman Davis said: "The plan has long been considered feasible. An investigation has convinced us that the speaker of the House can be removed and we believe that we can do so."

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AGREEMENT BETWEEN RUSSIA AND ITALY

Rulers Reach Understanding Regarding Crete and Montenegro.

Paris, Oct. 27.—The Russo-Italian rapprochement has created intense satisfaction in the French capital, where it is considered in accord with France's interests.

Officially, Foreign Minister Pichon simply declared it furnishes another guarantee for European peace, but the French press believes it is fraught with big significance for the future, giving Italy in defence two allies, which will enable her at any time to enter the opposition camp.

The precise results of the meeting of Emperor Nicholas and King Victor Emmanuel are revealed, according to that paper, by the Liberte, which from "unquestionable authority" announces that while no written convention was signed, two specific engagements were made. The first was an assurance of the independence and the eventual economic development of Montenegro. The second was support of the English-French policy regarding Crete—that is, Crete for the Cretans, not for the Greeks.

A further and more important general engagement covers the respective spheres of influence that the two countries shall exert in the Balkans. According to this engagement, Italy is in the future to act with Russia, as prior to the Herzegovina-Bosnia affair. The Liberte insists that the latter agreement was made in full accord with Great Britain and France, as proved by the active exchanges at London, which preceded the invitation of Emperor Nicholas for M. Pichon to meet him at the frontier.

THE MURDER OF ITO.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 27.—The assassination of Prince Ito recalls the American actor of the Japanese government, who was shot down in the ferry building in March, 1908, by I. Whangoo, a Korean patriot. At the time it was charged by local Koreans that Japan was slowly throttling Korea and "murdering the nation," and that Stevens in his official capacity was active in assisting the Japanese government to do so.

The Koreans in California still hold the view and it was asserted yesterday that the man who shot Ito was moved by the same motive as the man who killed Stevens.

THAW ORDERED TO REMAIN AT MATTEAWAN

Appeal is Denied, But He May Take Case to Higher Court.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 27.—Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, the New York architect, must remain in Matteawan asylum for the insane.

His appeal from the recent decision at White Plains which sent him back to Matteawan, was denied yesterday by the court of appeals. Thaw most probably will take his case to a higher court.

WINTER CARNIVAL

Montreal, Oct. 27.—A meeting of citizens last night decided to hold another winter carnival, the date being selected from January 28th to February 4th. The railways were asked to send representatives to the meeting, but the only one to do so was the Canadian Northern, which so far as Montreal is concerned, is a negligible quantity. It was decided to have an ice palace. This is the feature to which the railways take exception. It is understood that they have no objection to a week of winter sports, but they are down on the ice palace, as it tends to injure immigration.

SUPPORTS CLAIMS OF BROOKLYN EXPLORER

Moscow Man Declares Guide Told Him Cook Climbed Mt. McKinley.

Moscow, Idaho, Oct. 27.—Through the efforts of Judge Thomas H. Marshall, of Missoula, Mont., attorney for Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the Brooklyn explorer, a new figure has appeared in the Mount McKinley controversy which now threatens to cause as widespread dissensions in the west as the polar dispute has in the scientific world.

Judge Marshall announces that he had secured an affidavit from Earl David, young business man of this city, in which it is stated that Guide Edward N. Barrill repeatedly asserted in David's presence that Dr. Cook reached the summit of Mount McKinley. David stated under oath that Barrill no later than last March told that he accompanied Dr. Cook on the disputed climb.

AID FOR LABORERS

Stockholm, Oct. 27.—The national fund being raised by subscription, from which loans are to be made to laborers who were left idle after the recent big strike, has now reached \$20,000. The King and Queen and other members of the family and the cabinet members have contributed. Homesteads are already being apportioned among the employed.

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MEXICAN WILL BE GIVEN FREEDOM

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Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 27.—With the bond that will free Gutierrez de Lara, executed and signed, friends of the Mexican, who is charged with being an alien anarchist, believes that he will be released from the city jail.

The bond was signed by C. C. Reynolds, of the Harper Hardware Company, and Alfred M. Salyer. Nothing remains to secure provisional liberty for the Mexican but an official investigation of the sureties by Immigration Inspector Ridgeway, and the issuance of a formal order for his release under the terms of the bonds.

Ridgeway has expressed himself as anxious to secure freedom for de Lara, and it was thought that he would give the matter of approving the sureties his immediate attention when the bonds were filed. De Lara's hearing will be held some day next week.

SHOOTS WIFE AND HIMSELF.

Prescott, Ariz., Oct. 27.—After shooting his wife, Park Latimer, surveyor of Yavapai county, committed suicide by firing a bullet into his grain. Latimer had lived in Prescott for several years and was prominent politically.

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TRUTH-OUT AT LAST.

The 'coon has come down. Premier McBride has graciously consented to permit the people of British Columbia to see that contract with the Canadian Northern Railway before they are asked to pass judgment upon it. The organ of the government makes the announcement this morning. The decision is unquestionably the result of an intimation from high authority that the terms of the contract must be published. The result is good so far as it goes. But the publication must take place immediately. There are grave reasons of state for making this additional demand upon the government.

The reasons are that there is the most convincing evidence that it was the deliberate intention of the Premier to deceive the public as to the terms of the contract. Speaking of the guarantee, the Colonist says this morning: "It has been alleged that Mr. McBride stated in an interview that all the province is going to do is guarantee the interest on the bonds of the Canadian Northern. In an interview printed on the first page of the Colonist on Friday, October 22nd, Mr. McBride said: 'For example, the Canadian Northern is to secure the province by a first mortgage upon its line within this province. The measure, submitted to the Legislature will have to provide for the creation of a trusteeship in which this mortgage shall be vested. The government is going to guarantee the company's bonds; but it does not propose to allow the company to receive the money derived from the sale of the bonds, until it is entitled to it. Therefore, the money will be paid to the credit of the province and will not be paid out to the company until satisfactory evidence has been given that work of actual construction satisfactory to the government entitles the company to receive it.' Even in his first interview though Mr. McBride was not reported as having used the expression guarantee the bonds, it was clear from the context that he so meant, for a first mortgage on the line within the province and a covenant from the company would be inconsistent with the idea of a guarantee of interest only. The Colonist did not understand the reference in the first interview to 'the interest alone' for it presented the case as similar to that of the other provinces using the expression 'guaranteed the bonds' in that connection. In all our comments, while pointing out that the guarantee is of the bonds, we have spoken of the only liability assumed being for interest, because the principal is absolutely secured upon an asset much greater than the debt."

Our readers will observe from this "explanation" that the claim is made that neither the Premier nor the Colonist endeavored to create the impression that the guarantee was one of interest on the bonds alone. In an interview published in our contemporary on Wednesday, October 20, the Premier said: "To assist the company in the construction of this road, which will cost at least about \$50,000,000 per mile, the government will ask the legislature to guarantee interest at 4 per cent. upon \$35,000,000 per mile." Was not that intimation plainly intended to convey the impression that the guarantee was one of interest alone? That was evidently the impression made upon the mind of the Colonist also, because we find in its editorial eulogy of the scheme the following comment: "Mr. McBride, in an interview printed on the first page of to-day's paper, explains the terms of the arrangement between the government and the company. It will be observed that all the province does is to loan its credit to the company by guaranteeing interest on the bonds of the company at 4 per cent. up to \$35,000,000. Now it is admitted under compulsion that the guarantee of interest is not all the

province gives. Principal and interest are both guaranteed. The situation, therefore, virtually amounts to this: The province is going to loan the Canadian Northern Railway Company \$21,000,000, assuming that the bonds sell at par, and to that extent the credit of British Columbia will be impaired. No one will wonder that under such circumstances the Finance Minister and the Minister of Lands, knowing the real significance of the contract with Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, resigned from the government rather than become parties to any such arrangement.

SHOULD BE PUBLISHED AT ONCE.

The Premier of British Columbia, we are told in a belated apology, never intended to withhold the terms of the Canadian Northern contract from the people. He was merely waiting for a formal document which would prove that Mr. Mann had authority to sign a contract on behalf of the Canadian Northern Railway Company before laying the said contract before the public. That is a curious sort of apology to enter seeing that the organs of the government had cited cases from the records of Manitoba in proof of the soundness of the position of the Premier in withholding the document until after it had been ratified by the Legislature. We can assure Mr. McBride that no one in British Columbia will question the bona fides of Mr. Mann in this business or raise an issue as to his authority to enter into a contract with the government on behalf of the Canadian Northern Railway Company. The apology is but a subterfuge. The fact that Mr. McBride had refused to see the contract except under a seal of confidence—which would have been equivalent to his not seeing it at all—must also confirm the natural impression, taken in conjunction with the idea sedulously spread abroad by the Premier and his organs that the guarantee was one of interest alone and not of principal, that the policy of the government was one of deceit and deception. It was plainly the intention of Mr. McBride, if possible, to ask the electorate of the province to pass judgment upon the contract in ignorance of its precise terms. That design has fortunately been frustrated. The announcement is made at last that the contract will be made public. It is not difficult to surmise the reason why the Premier has decided upon a change of tactics. We hope the quarter from which pressure was brought to bear will not be satisfied with a mere promise of publicity. Mr. McBride will naturally desire, in pursuance of his programme of deceit and deception, to delay publication as long as possible. There are other features of the contract besides the question of the nature of the provincial guarantee which it is essential in the interests of honorable dealing should be thoroughly understood at the earliest possible date.

A MYSTERY.

In opposing the arrangement between the Canadian Northern Railway Company and the McBride government there is no intention to question the standing of that road as a Canadian institution. Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann are worthy of the highest praise for the manner in which they have prosecuted their enterprise in the face of tremendous odds. There are few men in the world capable of accomplishing so much under similar conditions. Nevertheless it is a fact that the Canadian Northern Railway is not as a transcontinental road in the same class as the C. P. R. and the G. T. R. with its extension the G. T. P. The Mackenzie & Mann system is simply a collection of short lines acquired or built on money borrowed on guarantees of governments or municipalities. Every mile of the line is "mortgaged up to the hilt." It is therefore manifestly absurd to contend that the whole of the system will practically become security to the province of British Columbia against the principal and interest on the cost of the extension of the line to this coast. The organs of the government are deliberately setting themselves to the task of deceiving and duping the people of this province when they make such unwarranted statements. Why Premier McBride should have singled the Canadian Northern out for such unwelcome favors under such circumstances passes comprehension. Information upon the point will probably be forthcoming in due time. There is certainly much in connection with the extravagant, reckless deal that remains to be explained, because there is no question that if such terms had been offered the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway that company would have been eager to extend its line down to the southern part of the province through a region that awaits a railway for its development. In that event we should have had a line that would have given real connection with Vancouver Island, a line of assured standing in the realm of transportation.

PROVINCIAL LIABILITY, \$46,400,000.

The fact having been admitted that the province is asked to guarantee both principal and interest in the deal between the McBride government and Mackenzie & Mann, the Times has been asked to state in plain terms what the total liability of the province will be in case the contract be ratified

by the legislature. The total liability on the treasury of British Columbia will be \$46,400,000. These are the actual figures. Their magnitude is so appalling that the resignation of Messrs. Tatlow and Fulton need not have occasioned surprise. The claim is advanced, of course, that the guarantee is only a matter of form; that the province will never be called upon to meet its liabilities. Provincial experience of railway bond guarantees does not bear out this assumption. We have assisted in building railways through much richer territory than the Canadian Northern will serve for the greater part of the distance it proposes to traverse, and in every case the guarantees have had to be met. Even if the road should prove a paying concern—and the fact that it will parallel the C. P. R. for hundreds of miles is against the assumption—railway companies have peculiar methods of "accounting." We shall have disastrous evidence in support of this proposition before we are through with Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann and their British Columbia connection.

THE TRUE SITUATION.

One of the Matson organs declares that the bargain with Mackenzie & Mann comprises a first mortgage on the whole system of the Canadian Northern. This is a palpable untruth. All the Canadian Northern property within the province is covered by a first mortgage. Most of this is held by the Manitoba government. If British Columbia gets any security at all on the sections east of the mountains it will be in the form of a second and not a first mortgage. There is no stipulation that any of the property of the Canadian Northern, except that which is within the province, shall form part of the security. The province is asked to pledge its credit to the extent of \$21,000,000, with interest at the rate of \$300,000 per annum added. How do our conservative friends like the picture? Or, rather, how will they like it when the contract is allowed to see the light of day in all its hideousness.

Those who revel in political excitement are going to enjoy a rare feast these melancholy autumn days. Another candidate out for the mayoralty, assuring a three-cornered contest of a most interesting character. Ald. Henderson, an old municipal warhorse sniffing the battle from afar, is the latest to enter the lists.

What Other People Think

THE GUARANTEE.
To the Editor:—As a supporter of the Conservative party, a member of the rank and file, and one who has for six years been a supporter of the McBride government, I should like to know the essence of the contract with Mackenzie & Mann. I have heard so many versions that I should like to hear yours on these vital points:
1. Is the guarantee one of interest only?
2. Or does the guarantee cover the cost of the road as well?
If the guarantee is only for the first, I am willing to support the policy, because it will mean only a possible liability of four per cent. or \$800,000. But if the contract carries with it an obligation that assumes the entire cost of the road, I shall withdraw from further connection with the party.

ANOTHER CONSERVATIVE.
(Our correspondent may take it from us as a fact that the guarantee not alone pledges the credit of the province for the interest, but saddles us with a liability of \$21,000,000, the cost of the construction of the road. This monstrous contract the Premier conceals from the public eye, while his organs are proclaiming that it only means a guarantee of interest. The truth cannot long be concealed.—Editor Times.)

THE GUARANTEE OF BONDS.
To the Editor:—As one of the citizens who endorsed the government policy, I was under the impression that the contract with the Canadian Northern only comprehended a guarantee of interest. Had such been the case, I think the bargain a good one, and so told the reporter of your contemporary. I am now assured that the guarantee is extended to the bonds, and that they, as well as the interest, are included in the responsibility of the province. If this be so, it will be a revelation to those who at first endorsed the policy, for they were deceived by the false statements of the reporter. I hope, Mr. Editor, that you will continue to urge the Lieutenant-Governor to compel the early publication of the agreement so that the eyes of the people may be opened.

WOOD PULP BEING SHIPPED TO JAPAN

Twenty Tons Going From Swanson Bay as Advance-Lot.
The first shipment of wood pulp manufactured in British Columbia is being shipped to Japan. Steamer St. Denis of the Boscowitz line was to have called at Swanson Bay for the consignment of 20 tons, but owing to the bad weather she was unable to do so, and the pulp will be shipped down by some other steamer and will be sent to the Orient.
The Canadian Pacific Pulp Company have just recently commenced the manufacture of wood pulp at Swanson Bay, and so far as is known this is the first shipment of the commodity from this coast. The large sheets are pierced with holes in such a way as to insure their being admitted to Japan as raw material and duty free. This shipment marks a new era in the export trade of British Columbia, and is one of the most important industrial events in the history of the coast.

POSTPONEMENT OF CONVENTION

NO DATE SET YET FOR LIBERAL MEETING

Organization Work Being Perfected—Railway Policy Falls Flat.

The convention for the nomination of Liberal candidates to contest this constituency in the forthcoming provincial elections will not be held this evening as was announced, but on a date to be announced later. There will be no meeting in the Liberal interests this evening in Institute hall.

Both the Liberal Association and the Young Liberal Association are hard at work perfecting organization arrangements and mapping out a programme for public meetings during the campaign. Meetings of committees are being held each evening at Liberal headquarters on Government street, and the greatest enthusiasm prevails amongst the rank and file.

The Liberals of the islands constituency will hold their nominating convention at Ganges Harbor on Saturday of this week, October 30th. That the "railway policy" of Premier McBride, as far as Victoria and Vancouver Island are concerned, has fallen utterly flat is shown by the complete apathy of the general public in the face of that extraordinary announcement. The consensus of opinion is that when the Premier comes before a Victoria audience in defence of that policy he will meet with the coolest reception he has ever experienced during the course of his political career. The feeling on all sides is that the contract with the Canadian Northern Railway Company ought to be produced at once so that the people may see for themselves just what dangerous stipulations it contains which have the effect of so alarming two ministers that they hurriedly resigned their positions.

ABOUT ROBLIN'S C. N. R. CONTRACT

NO COMFORT HERE FOR PREMIER MCBRIDE

Complete Expose of Colonist's Attempt to Distort the Facts.

K. H. Fessenden on Tuesday morning contributed a signed article to the Colonist, in which he undertook to give the facts respecting Mr. Roblin's celebrated agreement with the Canadian Northern Railway Company, when asking the legislature to ratify the contract for a bond guarantee. Mr. Fessenden's object, of course, is to defend the terms of the contract which Premier McBride has entered into with Mackenzie & Mann, and also to show that there is no reason why the contract should be made public just now. But he has so completely misrepresented the facts of the case and his conclusions are so utterly erroneous that the Times feels that some reply should be made to this new attempt to deceive the public. It has, therefore, obtained from a former resident of Manitoba, who is now in the city and who is conversant with all the details of the famous Roblin deal, a statement on the matter.

Mr. Fessenden says that when speaking in the legislature in March, 1903, he (Premier Roblin) merely presented a sort of preliminary sketch or outline of what the agreement would be, and that the bill which the legislature passed did not contain the detailed, final and definite terms of the contract, for these were not then in existence.

Now, the facts are that the contract was signed on February 11, 1904, and that during the course of a speech at Nanaimo on February 14th Premier Roblin is quoted as saying: "He had made his announcement as quickly as possible after signing the contract with the Canadian Northern. It was signed on February 11th at 12:30, or 1 p. m.; he took the train at 1:45 for Winnipeg, and came as fast as steam and rail would carry him. Arriving there he took a special train the next morning, went to the 'place selected' and communicated to the people of the province as a whole what were the contracts or arrangements into which he had entered."

In the face of the above, Mr. Fessenden had the temerity to write: "He (Premier Roblin) thus asked the legislature to give the binding sanction of a formal statute duly passed to an agreement that was not yet prepared." Mr. Fessenden says, again: "The legislature passed the bill without waiting for the preparation of the supplementary agreement. It was not until some months after that this was concluded and given to the public."

As a matter of fact the agreement was passed in unaltered form on March 20th, save as to a clerical error in a couple of words in one clause. As for the "supplementary agreement," of which Mr. Fessenden speaks, this referred to the question of getting consent to a mortgage. The mortgage could not be executed until sanctioned by a general meeting of the shareholders, whereas the directors were empowered with all other powers necessary to complete the agreement.

It will be observed that Premier Roblin took the earliest opportunity to lay the contract before the people—and the Colonist must extract but poor comfort from his action in its attempt to defend the course of Premier McBride in hiding his contract with Mackenzie & Mann.

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In compliance with the Exchequer Court Act, and in conformity with the advertised notice, a sitting of the Exchequer Court of Canada was held here this morning. It was only a formal sitting, however, as there were no cases entered and no one had any business to bring before the court.

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Something New.—Whole wheat bread with a soft crust, at the Central Bakery City, 640 Yates street.

See Capital Furniture Co.'s display on another page. Immense bargains this week in dressers, sideboards, office desks, etc.

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ANDREA MAY HAVE BEEN MURDERED

Must Have Been Directly in Front of Man Who Fired Shot.

That there is reason to suspect that Salvatore Andrea, the Italian who was found lying dead in the woods forty yards from the old Leach river trail on Sunday last shot through the breast, was murdered, is the latest belief of the police who have been investigating the matter.

The theory advanced is that Andrea was apparently walking along the road at the time the shot hit him and could be plainly seen by any person approaching him either from behind or in front. The shot entered the breast and came out again at the back and was evidently fired at close range. That Andrea was taken unawares is evident from the fact that the bullet did not penetrate his coat or vest in front and he was therefore walking with his garments unbuttoned and drawn back by his hands placed in his trousers pockets. The bullet marks are shown on the front of the shirt and through the back of the coat.

The police do not now believe that the shooting was accidental by a hunter in the woods as the man was either shot from the front or the back and as he was apparently walking along the road and clear of bushes, and to have been shot through the body the person who fired the shot must have been straight in line with him either behind or in front.

The motive for the crime, if crime there is, is unknown as the Italian was a peaceable man and had no enemies here or elsewhere as far as the police are aware. He always conducted himself properly and was a steady workman.

The police also consider if he was accidentally shot the body would not have been dragged into the woods, but that the person implicated would have run to the Goldstream hotel for assistance rather than hide the result of his accident in the woods.

The Italian taken into custody at Cobble Hill Sunday by the police was again questioned yesterday, but the inquiries have failed to throw any new light on the matter. The man protests his innocence and maintains he knows absolutely nothing of the affair.

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The regular monthly meeting of the diocesan board of the Women's Auxiliary to Missions will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the school room of St. John's church. All members are invited to be present.

Some of the women of Victoria are still looking for the right to vote, although they disclaim any connection with the suffragettes of the Old Country, and even object to the use of the word suffragette in connection with the movement. To-morrow afternoon the question of the extension of the franchise will be discussed at a 'parlor meeting of the W.C.T.U. to be held at the home of Mrs. Andrews, 1345 Stanley avenue. A large attendance of ladies is expected, and there will be a good programme, consisting mostly of papers.

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"Beautiful Eyes" (Snyder).

A743.

"The Garden of Roses" (Schmidt).

"Can't You See?" (Gumble).

A746.

"Alpine Violets" (Andre).

"On the High Alps" (Andre).

A747.

"Long, Long Ago" (T. H. Bayley).

"A Rose Fable" (Hawley).

A748.

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The eighth annual dance of the Victoria West Athletic Association will take place to-morrow night at the Broad street hall, near Yates street.

Miss Heater's orchestra has been engaged for the musical programme, and the X. L. rooms have the refreshment department in hand.

BASKETBALL Y. M. C. A. MATCH

In the Y. M. C. A. hall last night the students' class team was beaten by a team from the employed boys' class.

ALBIONS CLOSE THE CRICKET SEASON

Bachelors Beat the Married Members of Club by Four Runs.

The Albion Cricket Club closed the season Monday with a married vs. single match at Beacon Hill, which was won by the bachelors by four runs.

Table with columns for Bachelors and Married, listing names and scores.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN COAST LEAGUE

Table listing game results for the Coast League, including teams like Los Angeles, Portland, and Sacramento.

CAMBRIDGESHIRE WAS DRAWN LAST NIGHT

Results of the Salmon and Morris Sweeps on Big Race.

A large crowd attended Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street, last night to see the drawing of the Salmon sweep for the Cambridgeshire.

There was a murmur of excitement when Sir Martin was drawn from the box, but no one in the room held 625.

- List of names and numbers: Accurate, 6003; Adversary, 7064; Alspice, 414; Arranmore, 1883; Atropia, 6961; Bairam, 7141; Bainsacoli, 5494; Ballot, 3576; Bell Rock, 2315; Bonny Bay, 1383; Buckwest, 1212; Bomba, 7511; Canonite, 3010; Cargill, 468; Charing Cross, 7282; Christmas Daisy, 631; Dandyprat, 4693; Dean Swift, 6817; Desmond's Pride, 4741; Diamond Stud, 1332; Diopsyros, 4428; Don Juan, 3675; Duc D'Albe, 5488; Duke of Sparta, 4623; Duke Michael, 5912; Ebor, 2412; Edward, 111; Electra, 237; Electric Boy, 6747; Esperanto, 1640; Faithful to Callum, 481; Hamerton, 7849; Hayden, 3140; Hopton, 1932; Howick, 1330; L'Anson, 7034; Jack Snipe, 3834; Jackson, 6226; Jovial, 3178; Juliet II, 6961; Kaffir Chief, 5049; King's Courtship, 7663; Lady Vista, 4728; Land League, 4637; Lucus, 5775; Mat of the Mint, 7335; Maud Mackintosh, 5987; Mediant, 2174; Mellande, 1728; Mesmer, 1864; Minclan, 2219; Monitor, 2458; Moscato, 7510; Mustapha, 3966; Nimrod, 4149; Norman III, 4895; Number Nine, 5682; The Nut, 6524; Ouadi Halfa, 4412; Prester Jack, 6313; Primer, 7242; Priscillian, 1914; Prince de Galles, 3447; Pure Gem, 2911; Putchamin, 3591; The Rialto, 3492; Rockbourne, 3519; St. Victor, 7214; St. Michael, 3519; St. Victor, 7214; Santeve, 3729; Senseless, 3539; Shampoo, 6565; Shikaree, 3985; Siberia, 5431; Silent Lady, 2765; Sir Archibald, 5382; Sir Martin, 633; Smuggler, 1362; Southanan, 1144; Strickland, 402; Submit, 7256; Succour, 2472; Summer, 2927; Sweet Success, 6705; Symon's Pride, 5437; Temeraire, 7274; The Tower, 1407; Torbay, 3985; The Tower, 1407; Tullyfoyle, 4907; Valens, 2973; Wedding Bells, 7351; Wheatear, 121; The Whirlpool, 6923; White Eagle, 3098; Wise Mason, 276; Your Majesty, 4753.

MONTREAL WANTS FALL GAMES FOR MINTO CUP

Toronto Exchange Says the Decision of Trustees is Final.

Funny decision that of the cup trustees, says a Toronto exchange. If Minto Cup games shouldn't be played at the end of the regular playing season they should not be played at all.

For now Montrealers' chances of lifting the cup are practically nil. Gashes in June will find New Westminster in the pink of condition, while Montreal, having just shaken off her winter's snow will give the eastern champions no chance for practice.

Jeffries Eager to Meet Johnson Says He Will Not Stop for Any Ceremony—Bids for Fight.

(Times Leased Wire.) New York, Oct. 27.—The fight between James J. Jeffries and Jack Johnson will be arranged before the end of the week if the publicly expressed desires of the men are borne out.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Despite the fact that the Otis Walker bill prohibiting bookmaking in California has been declared constitutional, the Emeryville race track in Oakland will open November 20th for sixty days of racing, according to President Williams of the California Jockey Club, who is in Chicago.

President Williams has been east studying the method of "oral betting" employed at the eastern race courses. Williams was positive in his statement that the meet would be held in spite of the decision and will return to San Francisco to complete all arrangements for the opening day.

YACHTING. UNIVERSAL RATING ADOPTED. The universal rating for yachts in place of the international rating has been adopted in Seattle at a meeting of yachtsmen. Reports of the meeting say that the trustees of the Alexandra cup were not present but did not object.

A rule was also passed prohibiting betting by any person concerned in international races. The color of French official books (equivalent to British blue books) is yellow; Spain, red; Germany, white; Italy, green; Portugal, white; and Austria, red.

BOWLING. PORT-STREET ALLEYS OPEN.

The Port street alleys opened this week with a married vs. single match, in which teams of five competed. There were but two hundred scores rolled, these being by Brooks who scored 201, and Steers who scored 302. The full scores of the game, which was won by the single men, are:

Table listing bowling scores for various players like Single Men, Married Men, Steers, Brand, Rentrow, Buckle, etc.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN COAST LEAGUE

Table listing game results for the Coast League, including teams like Los Angeles, Portland, and Sacramento.

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EMERYVILLE TRACK WILL BE REOPENED

Races to Commence Next Month, According to President Williams.

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If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

AN ALDERMAN IN ANGRY MOOD

FULLERTON ANNOYED AT CITY ENGINEER

Lively Scene at Council Board—Games at North Ward Park.

It is seldom that the serenity of the council chamber is disturbed by anything approaching a "scene" at the aldermanic board, but the proceedings last evening for a time suggested something real lively. It was near the close of the session, just when the report of the city engineer had been received, that Ald. Fullerton arose with "blood in his eye."

"I would like to know, Mr. Mayor," said the worthy alderman, "when the city engineer is going to report on the work of improving Gladstone avenue and Shakespeare street, I do not like to charge that official with deception, but he has told me a half dozen times that he was going to report, and he has never done so. Now I want no more of this. We should insist upon our city officials carrying out our orders or else know the reason why."

Mayor Hall tried to soothe the alderman, and suggested that he could get the information he wanted at any time by simply telephoning to him (the mayor). He thought there was very little need for gallery play.

This reference to "gallery play" ruffled the feathers of Ald. Fullerton, again, and he arose with a heated protest against the suggestion of the mayor that he was playing to the gallery. He wanted that information from the city engineer, and he was going to get it. "And you can put that in the papers," said the alderman, pointing to the reporters, if the city engineer did not carry out his instructions "the council would hear something drop."

"Let us drop," remarked Ald. Humber—and the subject dropped.

The secretary of the municipality of Saanich wrote asking the board for the use of ten acres of land on the east Saanich road, which is embraced in the land utilized for waterworks purposes, for a play ground for the benefit of the people of the municipality. The latter was referred to the water commissioner for report.

On suggestion of the mayor the city clerk was instructed to write to the minister of public works and ask for the taxes due the city on the old post office property. His worship explained that the city ought to have received the money long ago. When Mr. Pughley was here he had approved of the taxes being paid, and the vouchers had gone from here duly signed.

Thomas Sorby, secretary of the Inner Harbor Association, wrote directing attention to the fact that the harbor in front of the causeway was being polluted by the water from the Empress hotel laundry. The same writer urged that the council should insist upon all the sawmills of the city erecting incinerators.

Ald. Henderson said that he was of the opinion that the management of the Empress hotel had agreed to install a pump to force the water from the laundry to the sewer.

Ald. Stewart thought that the Empress should not be given free water for laundry purposes, and he favored putting a meter on the hotel.

Mayor Hall remarked that the Empress hotel people were treating the city pretty generously in the matter of lighting the causeway, as they had agreed to do it free of charge to the city. This would involve a sum each month of about \$45.

Ald. Turner did not think well of the suggestion that a meter should be put on. It would cost \$650.

In regard to the portion of Mr. Sorby's letter referring to the necessity of incinerators at sawmills, Ald. Stewart thought that the council was indebted to Mr. Sorby for having aroused them to a sense of their responsibilities in this connection. It was quite true that because of the dilatoriness of the council in the past the sawmills had been allowed to dump sawdust in the harbor, and the result was that the public rights had been infringed, and valuable land added to that held by the owners of the mills. He favored the whole matter being investigated at once.

Ald. Raymond thought the matter one for consideration by the Dominion government. It was finally agreed to send the letter to the city engineer for report.

The sanitary inspector reported that there are 59 septic tanks discharging into the waters of Victoria Arm. He did not think that this would pollute such a large body of flowing water, but he had reason to believe that during the summer there had been discharges of crude sewage from several residences and a couple of house boats. It was decided to send copies of the report to those who had made complaints against conditions on the Arm.

The president of the North Ward Athletic Association asked for permission to use the needed portion of the North Ward park for athletic games, and in this connection there was a debate as to the right of the parks board to interfere as they had done with boys playing on that portion of the park. The mayor explained the circumstances under which Mr. England, the parks superintendent, had come to stop a game in progress on Friday last. Ald. Stewart strongly favored the park being available at all times for purposes of recreation and sport—that was what the park had been obtained for in the first instance. It was finally agreed to leave the request of the North Ward Athletic Association in the hands of the mayor, the understanding being that his worship would endeavor to prevail upon the parks board to level off a portion of the park so that it would be available for all kinds of games at all times.

Tenders for printing the voters' lists were received from the Colonist Printing & Publishing Company, T. K. Cusack and the Victoria Printing & Publishing Company, all the figures being alike—\$3.25 per printed page. The tenders were referred to the finance committee for report, after the alder-

men had spent some half an hour talking about the evils of all combles. Ald. Humber complained of the condition of the Gorge road, and urged that the work of improving the street be rushed before the wet weather sets in.

INDICTMENT OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

At the great Church Congress at Swansea on October 7th, an interesting discussion took place on the subject of "The Christian Faith in Relation to Recent Psychological Investigations."

The Rev. Dr. Rashdall (New College, Oxford), in the course of a paper, said that men of science, who looked with suspicion upon the professions of philosophy or metaphysics, eagerly welcomed the claim of psychology to a place among the sciences.

Continuing, Dr. Rashdall said: I have been asked to speak about the bearing of recent psychology upon religion. But I cannot honestly say that I believe the argument in favor of a religious view of the universe has been very materially affected one way or the other by recent psychological investigations. The facts of our inner life which are most important as the basis of religion are, I believe, quite familiar facts, which, though they may be described and analyzed with more accuracy by modern psychologists, have been perfectly well known to the older psychologists or philosophers, and to ordinary people who are not psychologists or philosophers at all. The very large amount of evidence which has been accumulated in favor of the reality of such phenomena as telepathy or apparitions, or the dying have weakened the argument, never a strong one, for regarding mind as the mere product of material processes. Further than that I am reluctant to go. When we proceed to the alleged psychological facts by which some psychologists have attempted to find positive evidence for the immortality of the soul, the subject is one with which only a specialist in such matters could deal with effectively. As far as my knowledge goes, neither the facts themselves nor the necessity of the inferences which are drawn from them are so well established as to make it desirable for philosophers, theologians, or ordinary religious people to base their faith upon them.

Claims for Psychology.

The Rev. H. H. Williams (Hertford College, Oxford) said: Psychology seemed to him to lay too much emphasis on what was irrational in faith and conduct, and to come perilously near making the process of knowledge itself irrational. Few people would deny, upon reflection, the impossibility of explaining, in the scientific sense, the process of knowledge as such. That process was involved in all exploratory arguments; the knowing consciousness which used and applied the categories of science could not itself be made the object of those categories. Now it was precisely this fact, i.e., the impossibility of going behind (so to speak) the known consciousness and giving, in the ordinary scientific sense, an explanation of its working, that seemed to him to be denied, consciously or unconsciously, by recent psychology. He needed scarcely to say that if the result of psychological investigation was the denial of the reality and freedom of the will, and a definition of the summum bonum as that which satisfied desire and instinct, its conclusions were not likely to be satisfactory to the Christian conscience.

After examining some of the arguments used by writers on psychology, the speaker concluded: In an age in which many of the conclusions of rational theology (including the most philosophical of the creeds) are, if not discredited, at least treated with indifference or with undisciplined scepticism by almost the majority of educated people, it is, perhaps, not surprising that a science which professes to find a basis for religious belief, not in dogmatic theology or the direct evidence of a rational consciousness of God, but in uncriticized and instinctive religious needs should find many votaries. But neither our emotional nor our practical necessities will be satisfied by the neglect of religious knowledge. Nor do I think that the defenders of the Christian faith will do their cause much service if they attempt to rediscover the truths of Christianity by methods which undermine the fabric of the Christian understanding.

The important subject of "The Christian Faith in Relation to Recent Psychological Investigations" was discussed in the Central hall during the morning.

Dr. Stephen Paget, author of "The Faith and Works of Christianity Science," read an interesting paper on that subject. After pointing out that Christian Science, by its blunting of the will and dulling of the mind, produced the conditions for mental healing, so that the word "hypnotism" was stamped on every page of the evidence, he said:

Not long ago I tabulated, for a book on Christian Science, 200 consecutive "testimonies of healing." The vast majority were cases of indigestion, constipation, backache, headache, tired feeling, weakness of vision, functional disabilities, downright imagination, and so forth. I inquired into the alleged healings of grave organic diseases. I found not one authenticated case of any such healing; I found nothing, absolutely nothing, that might not have got well "of itself," or got well or at any rate better, under one or another of the many forms of mental treatment. The general style of these 200 testimonies was fantastical, vague, illiterate, and, absolutely worthless, when they were just like the testimonials to So-and-so's pills.

Appalling List of Failures.

Christian Science does not publish her failures. So I wrote to some doctors, and other friends, asking them to tell me cases of the harm that she has done. I got back a long list of killed and wounded. I wish that she could be nailed to the doors of all her churches. I could only publish it, however, "To see the full iniquity of these cases, the reader should be a doctor, or should go over them with a doctor. But everybody, doctor or not, can feel the cruelty, born of the fear of pain, of some of these Scientists: the down-

right madness threatening not a few of them, and the appalling self-will. They bully dying women, and let babies die in pain; let cases of paralysis tumble about and hurt themselves; rob the epileptic of their bromide, the syphilitic of their iodide, the angina cases of their any nitrite, the heart cases of their digitals; let appendicitis go on to acute peritonitis, gastric ulcer to perforation of the stomach, nephritis to uraemic convulsions, and strangulated hernia to the miserable mel of gaigrene! watch, day after day, while a man or a woman slowly bleeds to death; compel them who should be kept still to take exercise; and withhold from all cases of cancer all hope of cure. To these works of the devil they bring their one gift, willful and complete ignorance; and their "nursing" would be a farce, if it were not a tragedy. Such is the way of Christian Science, face to face, as she loves to be, with bad cases of organic "disease." I wrote that paragraph carefully, from notes of actual cases. I stick to every word of it; and I hope that all who know of similar cases will communicate with me, so that I may add them to my list.

Seeing the gross and shameful malpractices of Christian Science, and the long trail of pain and of death that she leaves behind her, and her impudent concealment of all her ureas and wastes and failures, we ought to prevent even the faintest shadow of them from falling across our church. We have not done that. In London, the Society of Emmanuel is under her shadow; indeed, it is her shadow. It publishes miracles which never happened. It countenances exorcism. It denies poison in that fatal case of the child of Mrs. Eddy, was ever ill. It precribes "an attitude of passivity and receptivity." It advertises "no limit" to the diseases to be healed, including "the many cases, organic and other, which medical science to-day pronounces incurable." It has reprinted the case of a man who was healed, instantaneously, "in the last stages, apparently, of consumption in the lower part of the body," a disease as mythical as Mrs. Eddy's malignant tubercular lympharia; and the case of a man who was healed, by laying-on of hands and anointing, "after one lung had sloughed away, and the other had half gone, and he is now 'in perfect health,' with two good sound lungs." Can you wonder that we doctors touch at spiritual healing, if this be spiritual healing?

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THE WIDE WORLD MAGAZINE.

In the November Wide World Magazine appears the first of a series of articles dealing with "The Great Feuds of Kentucky." The first narrative is the Hatfield-McCoy feud—is thrilling in the extreme—a grim picture of a state of affairs which is now happily passing away. Other articles of more than ordinary interest include a charming account of the "Fair-Tale Castle of Rubezahl" near Marienberg, Trooper Loyevics continues his "Reminiscences of the Johannesburg Mounted Police," C. Crawshaw Williams describes his journey along the coast line of British Columbia and the regions of the great Northwest; and T. R. Porter writes of the "Bandit Hunters" attached to the Union Pacific railroad for the protection of traffic. A fascinating description of the "Disappearing Islands" of the coast of Alaska and an exciting Californian "Rabbit-Drive" are but two of the articles of a unique and interesting character which make the November Wide World a particularly attractive number.

FINANCES OF AUSTRIA.

Vienna, Oct. 27.—The budget for 1910 was submitted in the lower house yesterday. The expenditures are estimated at \$672,574,869 and the revenues at \$662,364,392. The deficit is to be met by increasing both direct and indirect taxation on the match monopoly. Minister of Finance, Von Ritinsky announced that the government also contemplated an additional credit of \$84,000,000, which will be required by the army and navy.

HON. G. E. FOSTER ENTERTAINED

Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—Hon. Geo. E. Foster was banqueted at the Royal Alexandra hotel last night by western Conservatives. Hon. Robert Rogers presided. The banquet was one of the most successful ever held in Western Canada, and was attended by Premier Roblin and nearly all the federal and local members of parliament in the west, besides many prominent citizens of both political parties.

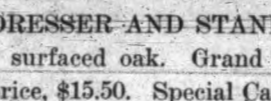
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STOCKTON RESEMBLES OLD TIME CAMP

City Celebrate Sixtieth Anniversary of Rush of '49.

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Stockton's big celebration, the sixtieth anniversary of the "rush of '49," opened here yesterday with a whoop and a discharge of old time firearms. The city is dressed in gala attire.

The plaza has been dubbed "Roaring Camp" and the scenes immortalized by Bret Harte are being re-enacted. Dance halls, saloons, opera houses, beereries and various other concessions make up the camp. The celebration will last five days. Miners' law, lynchings, stage holdups, duels, and various other features of early day life are portrayed. During the celebration the transition from early to modern days will be shown.

Bottles were first made in Britain 20 years ago.

Civic Notice

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to execute the following works of local improvement, viz.:

1. To grade, tar macadamize and drain Craigflower road from Arm street to Russell street.
2. To grade, tar macadamize and drain Russell street from Skinner street to Langford street.
3. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the west side of Douglas street from Garbally road to Francis avenue.
4. To grade and tar macadamize Quadra street between Blanchard avenue and Hillside avenue, and to construct permanent sidewalks on the east side of Quadra street from Pandora avenue to Hillside avenue, and on the west side of Quadra street from Caledonia avenue to Hillside avenue.
5. To construct a permanent sidewalk on the north side of Michigan street from Beacon Hill park to Government street, also boulevards with curbs and gutters on the south side of said street from Government street to Menzies street, and on the north side from Beacon Hill park to Menzies street, and to grade, drain and rock surface said street from Beacon Hill park to Menzies street.
6. To construct boulevards by properly filling with soil and planting on both sides of Government street (including maintenance) by filling up with black loam, seeding and planting.

And that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement (General) By-Law, and amendments thereto, and that the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-Law upon the execution of every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor, as aforesaid, having been adopted by the Council.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a

majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvements and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property is presented to the Council within fifteen days from date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvements under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvements as the Council may by-law, in that behalf, regulate and determine.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, IN LUNACY.

In the Matter of the Lunacy Act, and in the Matter of James R. Jamieson, a Lunatic, Not So Found by Inquisition.

Notice is hereby given that, under an order made by the Hon. Mr. Justice Irving, dated the 13th day of October, 1909, it is the undersigned, who was appointed committee of the estate of the above named James R. Jamieson.

All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to send particulars of same, duly verified, to me, and all persons who are indebted to the said estate are requested to pay to me the same forthwith.

WM. MONTEITH,
Committee of the Estate of James R. Jamieson.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 13th day of October, 1909.

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PLANS OF COMPANY AS NOW OUTLINED

Said a Line to Coast Will Run Through Prairie Capitals.

It is not for a moment to be supposed that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company contemplate the erection of a million and a quarter dollar bridge across the Saskatchewan river between Edmonton and Strathcona for the purpose of reaching the city of Edmonton alone. There is a far bigger scheme behind the enterprise, and it has been revealed by announcements which have just been made in Winnipeg. The pioneer transcontinental railway company of Canada do not wish to be behind their rivals and are now shaping their plans to penetrate the rich country of the Athabasca and Peace rivers, and thus build a line to the coast by way of the Pine River Pass, almost directly east in the mountains from Prince Rupert, says the Edmonton Bulletin.

That this line will be a continuation of the new one just completed between Winnipeg and Strathcona by way of Wetaskiwin there is little doubt, and Edmonton, on the completion of the bridge, will be on the main line of the C.P.R., which will pass to the coast through the most fertile part and that richest in minerals of the Dominion. The proposed line of the C.P.R. will pass through the Grande Prairie country, which will be given direct railway connection with Edmonton by way of the C.P.R. in the near future.

The new C.P.R. line from Saskatoon, through Central Alberta to Strathcona by way of Wetaskiwin, was finished this week, and the company is now celebrating the completion of the second main line through the prairies, giving direct connection between Winnipeg and Edmonton. This makes the fourth main line between Winnipeg and the Far West, and it will eventually go through to the Pacific coast.

For several months past the C.P.R. officials, on the visits to Edmonton, have stated that the work on the Saskatoon-Strathcona branch would be completed between October 15th and November 1st, and this has been the case.

"We will operate trains on this division this fall," said F. W. Peters, assistant to Second Vice-President Whyte, to the Bulletin, "and a service will be installed in the course of the next few weeks. Whether it will mean that one of the trains on the Strathcona-Calgary line will be taken off I cannot yet say, for it will depend upon the amount of the traffic."

Telegraphic dispatches from Winnipeg say that it is unofficially stated there to-day that the C.P.R. has completed the survey of a line through the Pine River Pass, in the Rocky Mountains in Northern Alberta, and this will be a continuation of the line from Saskatoon.

What is now the latest main line to the west is an extension of the Manitoba and North-Western, one of the oldest branch lines in the west, and its manager, W. R. Baker, at present secretary of the C.P.R., was assistant to the president.

Since its acquisition by the C.P.R. the line has been known as the Yorkton branch.

It is declared to be the intention of the company to make the new road an Imperial highway, over which the fastest trains, connecting with the capitals of the prairie provinces—Winnipeg, Regina and Edmonton—will run.

This is not all, it will mean ultimately a road through the Peace River country and the Athabasca River region to the Pacific. It is said that surveyors have been in this country for the C.P.R. for years.

While the announcement is not official, it is understood that about the beginning of the year through trains on a regular schedule will be operated between Winnipeg and Edmonton.

Among the towns on the route are Portage, Minnedosa, Yorkton, Sheho, Langran, Saskatoon, Wilkie, Hardisty and Wetaskiwin. The new main line will tap several branches, including the Kirkella and Minnedosa branches.

F. W. Peters, when asked yesterday with reference to extensions to the north of Edmonton, said that such had not yet been mapped out by the company and were a matter of the future.

"We first want to get an entrance into Edmonton by the high-level bridge and plans for future extensions are not yet ripe. You can rest assured, however," he continued, "that the C.P.R. will not be behind its rivals in opening up the country to the north of Edmonton."



WHY GERMANY BUILDS WARSHIPS.
The German navy is not, and never will be, sufficiently strong directly to menace England; yet it is strong enough to necessitate a cautious English policy and to compel England continually to consider the relations with Germany. This alone is what Germany desired to achieve by the building of her warships.

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Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 21st day of October, 1909.

WM. A. HURD,
CHAS. T. WARD.

Witness: E. E. WOOTTON.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

DOMINION.

Mrs. W. J. Colman, Ladysmith; E. F. Fauster, Vancouver; E. E. Conner, E. J. Conner, Seattle; W. G. Waddington, Nanaimo; W. Ray, Montreal; J. L. Morris, San Francisco; J. G. Taylor, Mrs. Taylor, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Swine, Vancouver; J. Dodd and wife, Los Angeles; John Schran, Portland; Mrs. L. Kirkwood, San Francisco; G. A. Hallstrom and wife, Centralia; J. C. Metcalfe, Hammond; J. Metcalfe, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher, San Francisco; H. Clarke, Seattle; Geo. H. Broughton, G. H. Pettit, W. O. Trimble, Vancouver; Geo. H. Burbridge, Winnipeg; Burt Mason, San Francisco; H. Hejlesen, Metchozin; J. M. Gordon, Ottawa; G. Bruce, R. Henderson, C. B. Kerr, James Sinclair, A. McDougall, Mrs. J. B. Vail, Miss Vail, Vancouver; T. N. Davidson, Ladysmith; H. O. Barnes, Seattle; O. J. Benson, Poulso, Wash.; A. Larsen, Brenterton; Miss Jessie Reynolds, Fort William; H. J. Caird, Detroit.

EMPRESS.

L. Jacobs, Seattle; J. W. Baillie, Montreal; E. Grobb, St. Catharines; H. G. Jeevne and wife, Toronto; C. R. Thompson, Portland; Dr. T. G. Moody and wife, Dr. H. B. Moody and wife, E. R. Ricketts, N. Humphreys, F. Tupper, H. C. Woods and wife, A. Blygh, W. J. Bower, C. A. Ross, N. F. Townsend, A. H. Tukes, Vancouver; J. G. Billings and wife, Sidney; C. E. Gorington, Montreal; E. Williams, Vernon; B. L. Woodward, Boston; H. A. Cowan, F. W. Randle, R. E. Cooper, Toronto; J. H. Bell, Dawson; Dr. V. V. Wright, Russell, Man.; D. Donaldson, Toronto; A. E. Booth, Montreal; F. Somersfield, Berlin; G. Elliott, J. B. Morris, Montreal.

VICTORIA.

C. H. Dickie, Duncan; B. W. Devitt, Crofton; J. M. Vipond, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Smith, Duncan; Miss V. Beuner, R. C. Crackenorth, Saginaw; Grace W. Kewick, St. Paul; K. Case, Seattle; Mrs. M. E. Stevens, Batavia; H. H. Blanchet, Ottawa; L. Scott, Montreal; J. Bolten, Winnipeg; R. E. Austin, H. W. White, H. B. McKivie, R. A. Ogilvie, Vancouver; H. F. Clough, Seattle; Albert Jones, Skidegate; J. H. Hobson, Seattle; Gus Collins, Terre Haute; E. Hennison, Seattle.

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DR. ERNEST HALL ON BRITISH POLITICS

Victorian Expounds His Opinion Relative to the Situation There.

Dr. Ernest Hall is on his way back to Victoria, after-taking a post-graduate course in Europe. He will reach this city in a few days. Dr. Hall has not given all his attention to medicine. His successor held in sentiment the Old Country has attracted his attention and he has taken a deep interest in the fight going on in the British Isles. In a letter to the Times, written on his way back to Canada, he says:

To visit the old land at the present period of political evolution is indeed a privilege. Here we see the great struggle of humanity under the limelight. What Gladstone held in sentiment his successors hold in action, and to-day partyism has a meaning in Great Britain, deep, the very basis of human nature, Politics have become the arena of principle, and the contest today is the contest that ever was and ever shall be, that between the forces of hereditary privilege, oppression, parasitism and selfishness, and on the other hand justice, humanity, the blindfold of the broken hearted, the relief of the captive, and the evolution of the British nation. Politics have become morals in action. What the prophets in their most inspired moments have foreseen, the sturdy hand of statesmen who lead the Commons are attempting to apply.

While Russia and Spain still crucify their prophets, Germany and France are working out these problems in a more humane manner, but it is to the Mother Country we must look for the mightiest constitutional revolution now in progress in the history of the Anglo-Saxon race. The ploughshare of progress has entered, and if the temper and disposition of the masses is correctly judged there will be no backward turning until legislative privileges by accident of birth will be a thing to be remembered, until wealth shall bear its just share of national responsibility, and parasitism in its many strongholds will have been reduced to a minimum.

When the new life which is, as the Bishop of London has expressed it, but Divine discontent, has reached its vigor, and this grand old land will be relieved of the oppression which has been crushing much of its energy; we will see a development beyond the

wildest dreams of enthusiasts. The potentiality of Britain is immense. With a people free in all the meaning that modern economies has given to that term, England will reassert her supremacy as never before in the world's history.

Now what is the message of the land of the budget to the "Lady of the Snows"? It is that the evolution of a race means the expression of justice in terms of national life, that the unfortunate, the distressed and destitute are largely the product of the national conditions and inasmuch as the state is largely responsible, since it has tolerated the conditions which have favored those products, the state must realize its responsibility, not only in alleviating these conditions, but in so directing the national current in the elimination of the causes. Partyism in Canada means nothing but a superficial veneer of present loyalty to ancient ideals. It is a method of pitting good and honest citizens against one another under the guise of loyalty to a name, while the unscrupulous and designing avail themselves of the opportunity. In the Mother Land we see the division upon great principles. We see the intensification of the conflict that was, is, and ever shall be in human history carried into Westminster. We see the conquest of politics by the principles inculcated by the church in her most exalted teachings. The voice of the people, and for once it is vox populi vox Dei, for they ask only for the application in national life of the principles of justice; they ask in terms emphatic that Britons never, never more shall be slaves.

This movement is the product of education, an educated people must be free, and we watch with interest in Great Britain what we shall in the immediate future watch with great interest in Canada.

We require new Liberalism in Canada, a party of life, force, and aggression, a party with a purpose, a party that will attract and incorporate every principle and factor that makes for a healthy, happy, prosperous people, and a strong, national sentiment. We should stand for all that makes for human development and national evolution, and of more importance than all, for it stands at the basis of all, a deep interest in, and a determined purpose to protect, educate and elevate the producers of wealth, to eliminate parasitism, to stand for the expression of the everlasting principles of truth and justice in terms of the nation's life. With this as a platform the forces of degeneration, selfishness and despotism would be arrayed in opposition and we would be known by the company we kept. This is the opportunity of Liberalism in Canada. Will it measure up? If not there are forces

TRAGEDY IN PRISON.

Girl Takes Poison to Avoid Execution in Kieff.

The circumstances attending the suicide of a girl named Matrera Prisiashuk, who poisoned herself while lying in Kieff jail under sentence of death, have just been ventilated, says a Reuter message from St. Petersburg. Eckhart Horn, a young political convict, serving five years' imprisonment, was confined with a number of other "politicals" in the cell adjoining Prisiashuk's.

He established communication with the condemned girl by taps and knocks, and she welcomed his suggestion that he should procure poison for her. Thanks to the somewhat lax surveillance, Horn obtained the poison and excavated a tiny hole through the wall dividing the two cells. In the intervals of his work he concealed the cavity with clay.

He eventually passed the poison through the hole in the spout of a tin kettle, and after a whispered farewell with Prisiashuk, watched her swallow it.

He wrote a long and pathetic letter to his fiancée, describing the occurrence, and it was through the seizure of this letter that his participation in the tragedy was discovered.

He was tried before the Kieff court, but was acquitted.

BEAUTY CAUSED IT.

"She said I was a beauty, and I said she was a beauty," said a woman in a London police court in explaining how a fight began.

LIMESTONE QUARRIES ARE A POSSIBILITY

Well Known Eastern Canadian Here Looking Into the Demand.

Limestone is one of the products of Vancouver Island but has not been quarried to any very large extent. There is at present in the city a gentleman who is anxious to open quarries on the island if conditions will warrant. This is B. Carrier, of Montreal, a city where limestone is largely used in construction.

Mr. Carrier visited the Development League offices yesterday afternoon and Secretary McGaffey supplied him with a lot of information as to how limestone would sell for building purposes on the island and the mainland coast. It has been used for several important public buildings already. Mr. Carrier will visit Nanaimo and Alberni, and he is likely to open quarries at the latter place if he finds general conditions favorable.

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BLANCHE BATES TO APPEAR TO-NIGHT

Strong Play, "The Fighting Hope," at Victoria Theatre.

To-night David Belasco will present Blanche Bates at the Victoria theatre in her latest success, "The Fighting Hope," a play American in theme and of timely interest by W. J. Hurlbut. For the past half dozen years Miss Bates has been identified with "The Girl of the Golden West," "The Darling of the Gods" and "Madame Butterfly."

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jackson, who have been on a honeymoon tour of California, arrived back to this city yesterday afternoon. Mr. Jackson is the assistant manager of the Empress hotel.

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Social and Personal

- E. A. Javobs is leaving for Van Anda to-day. Captain Irving returned from Seattle yesterday. J. Limmaux is on a few days' visit to Vancouver. J. Piercy is spending a few days in Vancouver. A. H. Fuller is on his return trip to his home in New York.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

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Caruso, the idol of the musical world, writes his "Reminiscences" and illustrates them with some clever sketches, while the artists "Zim," Flagg, McDougall, Winsor McCay ("Sillys"), Galloway, Levering, Donahy, Steingans, and Hy Mayer discuss and illustrate a certain "dog" joke which was recently submitted to them. A comparison of the illustrations should prove of considerable interest to all who appreciate the humorous in art. Douglas Faycraft describes how he made his record motor climb, and a racy article is contributed by a number of golfers under the title of "The Funniest Golf Story." The color section this month is devoted to "Children of a Bygone Age," with reproductions of eight famous pictures of charming "old world" youngsters. A second series of "Missing Detail" pictures again shows how curiously the character of a drawing may be entirely changed by the omission of a single essential.

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SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE. No magazine feature for years has met with such immediate and enthusiastic appreciation as Theodore Roosevelt's account of his African adventures in Scribner's Magazine. The demand for the first article of the series in the October number was so great that the entire and very large first edition was called for within three days after publication. The second article, in the November number, gives the author's impressions and experiences on an East African ranch. The story of the lion hunt gives the reader a vivid idea of the uncertainties, excitement and dangers of following the great beasts into the jungle and of the picturesque rejoicing among the natives following a successful hunt. The illustrations are from photographs by Kermit Roosevelt and other members of the expedition. President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton asks and answers the question, "What is a College For?" This fall the New York Zoo will celebrate its practical completion and the director, W. T. Hornaday, describes what has been accomplished in ten years. W. C. Brownell writes of Emerson another of his critical papers on American Men of Letters. Nelson Lloyd describes the life, movement and irresistible fascination of New York to those who have ever dwelt within its walls in "The Drum-Beat of the Town." George Wright's Sketch-Books have furnished the colored illustrations. There is a poem by Dr. Henry van Dyke, "The Ancestral Dwelling," with illustrations by Franklin Booth. "A Charmed Life" by Richard Harding Davis is a love story, one that will appeal to and hold the interest from the first paragraph, for most readers. Thomas Nelson Page's fine novel, "John Marvel, Assistant," is concluded in the November Scribner, and will be published in book form at once.

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INDIAN KILLED.

Spokane, Wash., Oct. 26.—One Indian was killed and another fatally shot while protecting their families from an attack on their camp by four white men at Waverly last night. The Indians were working in the beet fields and the whites objected. "The white men at first stormed the camp with rocks, but when the Indian bucks came out to shield their families, the whites opened fire with revolvers. Four men have been arrested on suspicion of having participated in the attack.

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 ISABELLA MOORE,
 Secretary of Victoria School Board.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING.

A special meeting of the members of the above Society will be held on Wednesday, October 27th, at 4.30 p.m., in the committee room, City Hall, to consider the authorization of the sale of the society Lots, 82, 83, and 84, Rae street, Victoria City.

WM. SCOWCROFT,
 Hon. Secretary.
 Dated October 21st, 1909.

IN THE MATTER OF THE "NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT" (BEING CHAPTER 115 OF REVISED STATUTES OF CANADA, 1906).

TAKE NOTICE that The Grand Trunk Pacific Town and Development Company, Limited, in pursuance of Section 7 of the above Act, has deposited the plans of a wharf and a dredging of the approach site thereof to be constructed upon part of and in front of Lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), thirteen (13) and part of fourteen (14), Block seventy (70), Victoria City in the Province of British Columbia, with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa in the Province of Ontario, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar-General at Victoria, British Columbia (being the registrar of deeds for the district in which such work is proposed to be constructed).
 And take notice that at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, application will be made to the Governor in Council for the approval thereof.
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MORE LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

COUNCIL AUTHORIZES FURTHER LARGE WORKS

Paving of Douglas Street to Cost in Neighborhood of \$80,000.

Some further large works of local improvement were advanced at a stage at last evening's meeting of the city council, and the prospects are for a very busy winter in the effort of the engineering department of the corporation to keep pace with the city's growth. It was decided to undertake immediately the following works:

Permanent walk on the south side of Fort street from the junction with Oak Bay avenue to Duchess street, and widening of the street from the junction to the south side of Belcher street on the north side, and to appropriate the necessary property, the triangular piece of land on Fort street at the intersection of Leighton road and Belcher avenue to be surrounded with a curb and the enclosure seeded down to grass, the owners to pay four-fifths of the cost; to pave St. Charles street from Fort street to Rockland avenue with granite and construct a boulevard on the west side, the owners to pay four-fifths.

The city engineer reported that the cost of laying a block pavement on Douglas street from Humboldt to View streets would be \$38,954, of which the city's share would be \$13,318, and of the pavement from View street to Cormorant street, \$34,700, of which the city's share would be \$12,589. It is necessary that the work be done under two by-laws as the city cannot contribute more than \$15,000 under any single local improvement by-law.

The cost of constructing a permanent walk on the east side of Menzies street from Superior street to Simcoe street and boulevards with curbs and gutters between Belleville street and Simcoe street was estimated at \$17,333, of which the city's share, one-fifth, would be \$3,466.

The cost of expropriating property for the purpose of extending Burdette avenue to Linden avenue and constructing permanent sidewalks on both sides from Cook street to Linden avenue would be \$3,096, of which the city's share would be \$1,019.

The report of the streets, sewers and bridges committee, which was adopted, was as follows:

1. Recommended that the city engineer be instructed to prepare plans of all street terminations upon Victoria harbor as well as on other waters so that applications can be made to the respective authorities for grants, the engineer to determine in each case how much of the foreshore shall be asked for.

2. Recommended that the city engineer be instructed to furnish the city solicitor with four tracings and eight blue prints of a survey plan of the foreshore between the northern end of Bridge street and the western end of Ellis street, giving the depth of water at various stages of the tide, to enable the solicitors to apply for a grant to the city of communication from city solicitors, enclosing a copy of a letter received from Elliott & Shandley, written on behalf of the owner of the lots at the foot of Johnson street, along the northern boundary of which the foot passenger bridge, constructed by the city as a temporary means of access to the E. & N. railway, passes, and desiring that the terms upon which the city is to be permitted to occupy the portions of lot referred to be settled.

Recommended that the matter be referred to the superintendent of the E. & N. Railway Company, to settle with the owner of the property as agreed between the council and the company.

4. Re communication of R. P. Rithet applying for a driveway across the cement sidewalk on the south side of Humboldt street in front of his residence.

Recommended that the request be granted, and the driveway constructed at Mr. Rithet's expense.

5. Re petition of H. B. Thomson et al., asking that the cement sidewalk taken up from Government street, between Simcoe and Niagara street, be laid in front of the petitioners' property on Douglas street, between Simcoe and Niagara street, and agreeing to pay proportionately for laying it.
 Recommended that the request of the petitioners be granted and the engineer instructed to have the work carried out.

6. Recommended that the department of marine and fisheries be informed that the council offers no objection to the application for a grant of a water lot in Rock Bay adjoining lot 1548 Pembroke street.

AN AGRICULTURAL WOMAN.

Mrs. Andrew Gemmill, Lugtonridge, Eng., who is the oldest and most respected inhabitant of the parish. Though nearing her 94th year she was active and intelligent till within a few days of her death. She was considered an excellent authority on the points of a cow or a horse, and in agricultural matters generally her opinion was valued.

INJURED AT FUNERAL.

New York, Oct. 27.—At the funeral of the late Senator McCarren at the cemetery, which is on Long Island, the crush was so great that a stone monument was overturned, seriously injuring Mrs. Ellen McConnaghy, of Brooklyn, who was pinned under it. When the shaft was raised off her body she was unconscious, and was hurried to a hospital suffering with internal injuries. When Senator McCarren's coffin was borne from the hearse to the grave it was preceded by the honorary pallbearers, among whom was William J. Connors, of Buffalo, chairman of the Democratic state committee. The body was laid to rest in the McCarren plot, where the senator's wife and five children are buried.

AN ABYSSINIAN DRUG.

Some curious information relating to the use of leaves and twigs of the Abyssinian "kat plant" is given in an American consular report. Certain tribes in Abyssinia chew the leaves of the kat plant commonly when they are compelled to exert special or long-continued effort. The immediate effects of which is to produce an agreeable sleeplessness and stimulation of long duration with none of the disagreeable features of ordinary inebriety.

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FRANCE WANTS CANADA HARD WHEAT

French Miller in Winnipeg Looking for Shipments.

"France needs Manitoba No. 1 hard wheat to mix with the French wheat in order to make good flour," but the enormous duty on the Canadian wheat prohibits the importation of Canadian wheat on an extensive scale."

This is what Mr. Blandin, a French miller, who is in Winnipeg, says. Mr. Blandin has come to the west to look into the milling situation with an ultimate object of trying to remedy conditions as they now stand. He wants to see France able to import all the No. 1 hard from Manitoba that she can get and will probably take the matter up with the highest authorities if necessary.

The high duty, which is considered prohibitive, amounts to \$1.40 on a hundred pounds, which does not include the heavy cost of shipping across the ocean. And then this imported wheat must be handled under a foreign bond and the imported wheat is ground into flour and then exported again. The French government has power, when there is a shortage in wheat to reduce the high duty, to enable millers to secure enough wheat.

Mr. Blandin will travel over the west and get in touch with the millers and grain men in order to secure the information he desires. Of the agricultural industry in France, he says it is prospering, but the wine industry this year is not so good, the trouble being that the wine men don't know how to sell their wines.

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Distant Stations Are Spoken by New Marconi Instruments.

The new powerful Marconi wireless apparatus has been installed at Gonzales Hill and is being used for sending messages from this point. It is proving to be a great improvement on the old instrument and with it San Francisco can be spoken quite easily at certain times.

The new instrument is a two-kilowatt Marconi of the very latest type. The power used is taken from the B. C. Electric wires, except on Sundays when those are not working.

A feature of the new apparatus is the tuning arrangement by which it is possible to take messages from one station while another is working.



NEW DOMINION WIRELESS STATION HERE.

tion while another is working. It is possible when the United Wireless station is working at the Exhibition grounds or any other station to tune them out that they cannot be heard and to at the same time take a message from Tatoosh Island.

As soon as the Pachena apparatus is ready for operation it will be possible for the local station to communicate direct with that point without taking it by relay through Tatoosh. The latter station refused to take any commercial messages so that the Dominion government stations have been handicapped a good deal in the past.

Work on the other stations is still proceeding. The instruments and machinery have already been forwarded to Queen Charlotte Islands, and the other stations will also be equipped as soon as possible.

Lumber Rates Show Little Change Since Last Week.

The Shipowners' Association of the Pacific Coast report the following recent charters: Steamer Coaster, Coos bay to San Francisco, \$3.25; steamer Capistrano, Grays harbor to San Pedro, \$4.25; barkentine John Smith, Grays harbor to San Pedro, \$4; schooner Defender, Puget sound to San Francisco, \$3.50; schooner H. C. Wright, Eureka to Quays, private terms; barkentine T. P. Enigh, Eureka to Sydney, private terms.

Lumber rates are quoted as follows: San Francisco, \$3.50; San Pedro, San Diego and other Southern California ports, \$4.25; Hawaiian Islands and Guaymas, \$3; Santa Rosalia, \$6; Sydney, \$3 30¢; Melbourne or Adelaide, \$6 30¢; Port Pirie, \$5 30¢; Fremantle, \$4 50¢; Hongkong, \$5; Shanghai, Kiaochow or Weihaiwei, Port Arthur, Taku or Newchang, Kobe, Yokohama or Nagasaki, \$20; Valparaiso, for orders (2-4 lbs direct), 41s 30¢; Callao, 38s 30¢; Cape Town, 52s 6d.

Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—Hon. A. B. Morline, former minister of fisheries of Newfoundland, addressed the Canadian Club yesterday. He spoke strongly in favor of incorporating the Island Colony in the Dominion. He believed that the question is taken up seriously now it will in a few years bring about the desired amalgamation.

TANGO MARU'S LAST VISIT

STEAMER IS GOING ON EUROPEAN RUN

Light Cargo But Valuable Silk Arrived on Japanese Liner.

Steamer Tango Maru arrived from Japan this morning making her visit to this port, it having been arranged that this vessel shall go on the European route, and that one of the older steamers will take her place on the trans-Pacific run.

The passengers on the steamer consisted largely of Japanese but there were a few Chinese, one or two Europeans and the Wisconsin University football team.

Two travellers from Mauritius came on the steamer to British Columbia where they intend to settle. They say that the sugar crop on those islands is a bumper one this year.

Captain Ishikawa and the officers of

the steamer were informed by wireless of the tragedy in connection with the death of Marquis Ito. They were much concerned by the news although in characteristic Oriental style they did not express their feelings. The Tango Maru left this afternoon for Seattle.

SCHOONER VERA HAS MADE LARGE CATCH

Steamer Tees Brings Word of Kuyquot Whaling Station Closing.

Sealing schooner Vera has had a good season according to news brought by the steamer Tees from the West Coast. When the vessel was spoken in Behring sea by the Pescawha she had only slightly over 700 skins, but now she has 1,111 aboard, a very good catch for a short season, and one that will well repay the owners and be money in the pockets of the hunters.

The vessel left some of her Indians at Hesquiot and is leaving the others at Clayoquot before coming on to Victoria. Her date of arrival will all depend upon the winds.

The steamer brought word also that the whaling station at Kuyquot had been abandoned for the season and that the two steamers were operating at Sechart. It was thought, however, that they would be down to Victoria very soon to lie up for the winter.

Among the passengers south were A. J. Bechtel and son and J. Crompton, who had been hunting in the neighborhood of Quatsino. They were out much longer than they intended, their having been some misunderstanding as to the place where they should join the steamer. They brought a small fawn down with them. Other passengers were F. M. Kelly, J. Melban, from Quatsino; Messrs. Robertson and Schaffer, surveyors, who were out for the Hills Company; Joe Irwin, from Nootka; John Donohue, from Kuyquot; S. S. Stone, from Clayoquot; Messrs. Harlow and Fernie, from Sechart; Mr. McPherson, from Bandfield; several Gore and McGregor surveyors, from Alberni; C. L. Betterton, from Bandfield, and a number of miners and loggers. The extreme weather at Sombrie sent the men home from that point, but others will take their places. The steamer leaves again to-night.

CREW SAVED. L'archelle, France, Oct. 27.—The Spanish coal steamer Belgic, from Cardiff, was wrecked during a storm and sank at the breakwater at L'apallice. The crew were saved.

NEW STEAMER FOR SOUTH

WILL CONNECT WITH CANADIAN-MEXICAN

New Joint Manager Crichton Has Gone Over Business Points.

G. T. Symons & Co., of London, England, the financial interests which are behind the Canadian Mexican steamship line, have placed a brand new three thousand ton steamer to give a weekly passenger and freight service between Salvador, Guatemala, and Salina Cruz. This vessel will connect with the Canadian-Mexican steamers at Salina Cruz and cargo bound north or south will be transferred at that port. The new steamer will cater very largely to the coffee trade of that part of the country and will be a serious competitor with the other steamers of the coast.

The new steamer is named the Salvador and has a speed of something like 14 knots. Mr. Crichton will make frequent trips to Mexico and other southern ports and will have a general oversight of the business in Central America as well as here. Yesterday Mr. Crichton came here from Vancouver on the steamer Georgia and saw that vessel safely away bound for Mexican points. When seen by a Times reporter he said that the business of the line was improving and that he hoped it would improve very soon. The company would improve the service as soon as the business warranted. Before coming to British Columbia he had made a tour of Mexican ports and thoroughly canvassed the prospects on that coast. He was much impressed with the business which was being done on the Tehuantepec railway. Already a large number of steamship lines were carrying freight to Puerto Mexico at the Eastern terminus, and he was of opinion that the trade would yet increase very largely.

When asked as to the effect the Panama canal would have on the business of that railway, Mr. Crichton smiled and said that it would be many years before that canal would be in operation. A great many things might happen before 1920. Even if the canal were open, Puerto Mexico was 1,300 miles further north than the canal, and Salina Cruz was 1,000 miles away from it. This was a great saving in distance and therefore in time and money. In regard to the future movements of the company Mr. Crichton did not wish to be quoted. He intimated, however, that as soon as the trade warranted the service would be much improved. In the meantime the Georgia and Lonsdale were handling a large freight that offered and were also carrying passengers. Larger and better steamers could at any time be placed on the run at a month's notice. The new manager intimated that his company was anxious to serve the public as well as possible. He had been with the steamer all the time since she had been in British Columbia waters and is getting in touch with all waters and all shippers. The result, it is expected, will be very beneficial to the company as well as to the shippers.

Mr. Crichton, although he comes direct from London, England, is no stranger to Canada. He resided in Montreal and other Eastern points for many years and is therefore in touch with matters Canadian. He is a thorough business man and has impressed everyone whom he has met most favorably. It may be safely expected now that a new era of prosperity is ahead of the Canadian Mexican company.

AGAIN IN TROUBLE. Norwegian Steamer Eir Has to Dock Again for Repairs.

The Norwegian steamer Eir, which went aground when passing out from Grays Harbor last spring, and which spent the summer on Puget Sound undergoing repairs after its cargo had been discharged, will again have to be lightened. After undergoing complete repairs at Herford's, the Eir loaded again and proceeded to the West coast, calling in at Mendocino en route for additional cargo. Coming out of the harbor she grounded and on being surveyed at San Francisco it was found that her stern frame was cracked, and the underwriters have refused to permit her to proceed until repaired again, which will necessitate the unloading of cargo.

DARING ROBBERY. Highwaymen Hold-Up Auto and Robbed Man and Woman of Jewels and Cash.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 27.—Plain clothes policemen in automobiles are to-day trying to find the three armed and masked highwaymen who late last night held up the automobile driven by George H. Launer, of Tuckwilla, and robbed him and his wife of diamonds worth \$400 and a small amount of cash. A gold watch and valuable papers also were taken. The robbery took place on the Fortlich avenue south trestle. The highwaymen promised to return the valuable papers if they were found to be non-negotiable.

MEXICAN LINERS HAVE VERY LARGE FREIGHTS

Ties and Coal Went South on Georgia—2,000 Tons on Lonsdale.

Steamer Georgia of the Canadian Mexican line, which left this port yesterday afternoon, had a full cargo of lumber and coal, made up of 16,000 railway ties loaded at Chematun and Sidney; 1,000 tons of coal from Boat Harbor and Comox; and a quantity of box shooks. A small consignment of canned salmon and other merchandise was also taken. This is the largest cargo taken by the Canadian Mexican steamers for many months, and is most encouraging. The stuff will be landed at San Blas, Manzanillo and Salina Cruz, after which the steamer will load with through freight from Europe and Montreal. The steamer took south season passengers.

The Georgia was a few days late in sailing, but the delay was found to be necessary in view of the large amount of freight offering.

Steamer Lonsdale of the same line, is now on her way north with a record cargo of European and Eastern Canadian freight. She has 2,000 tons from a number of different points.

MACKINAW BLOWN OUT OF COURSE

Steamer Ran Out of Coal and Had to Burn Fittings.

Word was brought by steamer St. Denis, which arrived in port this morning about 10 o'clock, that the steamer Mackinaw arrived in Alert Bay at the time she was there. The vessel had been driven north by a gale when she was coming light, had passed the entrance to the straits and had with the greatest difficulty been able to crawl around the north end of Vancouver Island, travelling at about the rate of two knots. She had not an ounce of coal aboard, but was burning the fittings of the vessel in order to keep her engines running.

Word was at once sent to the mines and a scow of coal is now going north to replenish the bunkers of the steamer.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Oct. 27.—Arrived: Str. Northland from Sitka, str. Queen from Sound ports, str. Cottage City from Skagway, str. Humboldt from Skagway, str. Maverick from Tacoma, str. Stratford from Tacoma, str. Fairhaven from San Francisco, Sailed: Japanese str. Shinano Maru for Hongkong, str. President for Sound ports, str. San Mateo for Eagle Harbor, str. Queen for San Francisco. San Francisco—Arrived: Tahoe from Grays Harbor, str. Willapa from Willapa Harbor, str. Star of Holland from Bristol Bay, str. Yosemite from Portland, Sailed: Str. Hydades for Seattle, str. Admiral Sampson for Seattle, str. Roma for San Jose de Guatemala, str. David Evans for Grays Harbor, str. City of Puebla for Seattle.

Aberdeen—Sailed: Str. Daisy Mitchell for San Francisco, str. Bee for San Francisco, str. Lizzie Vance for San Francisco.

Tacoma—Arrived: Str. Umattilla from Seattle, Sailed: Str. Stratthillan for Seattle, str. Harold Dollar for Everett, str. Henry Falling for New York.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.) Cape Lazo, Oct. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; calm; bar, 29.90; temp, 48; sea moderate. Point Grey, Oct. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind S. E.; thick seaward; bar, 29.83; temp, 44. Tatoosh, Oct. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind E, 12 miles; bar, 29.90; temp, 46; outward, two southbound steamers, 4 a. m.; passed in, steamer Tango Maru, 5:30 a. m. Pachena, Oct. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind E.; bar, 29.90; temp, 45; sea moderate.

Estevan, Oct. 27, 8 a. m.—Overcast; wind S. E.; bar, 29.81; temp, 50; thick fog.

TIDE TABLE

Table with 3 columns: Date, Time, and Tide Height. Data for Victoria, October 27, 1930.

The time used is Pacific Standard, for the 12th Meridian west. It is counted from 9 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. The height is in feet and inches of a foot above the average level of the lowest low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the level to which the soundings on Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are reduced.

WANT LOBBY TO REMAIN OPEN

BOARD OF TRADE'S EMPHATIC PROTEST

Says Wish of Lord's Day Alliance Must Not Be Granted.

A strongly-worded protest has been made by the Victoria Board of Trade against any attempt to close the lobby of the postoffice on Sunday, as asked by the Dominion Lord's Day Alliance.

When George Ross, Dominion superintendent of postoffices, was here the other day a Board of Trade deputation met him by request. The result of their discussion was given to the council of the board this morning by L. A. Geige, vice-president. They learned, Mr. Geige said, that Mr. Ross' special mission was to ascertain the views of the people of the Dominion generally in respect to the wish of the Lord's Day Alliance to have postoffice lobbies closed. He, on behalf of the board, entered a most emphatic protest against any curtailing of the privileges now enjoyed by the public of gaining access to their mail on Sundays. As a matter of fact, he pointed out to Mr. Ross, the public of Victoria demanded better facilities, such, for instance, as the sorting of the Seattle mail when it came in instead of waiting until 6 p. m. on Sunday.

The council heartily approved of the stand taken by Mr. Geige and unanimously adopted the following resolution: "It being reported to the council of this Board of Trade that representations have been made by the Lord's Day Alliance to close the lobby of the postoffice on Sunday, which would result in the withdrawing of the privilege of access to boxes at present enjoyed, resolved that we view such a proposal with great disapproval."

There were present Simon Leiser, president; L. A. Geige, C. H. Lugin, George Carter, James Forman, R. C. Mess, J. A. Mara, T. W. Peterson, J. J. Shalcross, Richard Hall and H. B. Thomson.

HELMCKEN WINS RIGHT TO RUN CONSERVATIVES WILL VOTE FOR LIBERAL

Hot Fight for Nomination Results in Split in Party.

One hundred and ninety-two attended the Conservative convention at the Colwood hall last night to choose a Conservative candidate to run for the provincial legislature for Esquimalt at the election on November 23rd, and elected H. D. Helmcken, K. C., by 123 votes to 69 recorded in favor of R. H. Pooley.

That the vote while satisfactory to the majority is not satisfactory to all the Conservatives in the district was made evident by a number who there and then declared they would as the result of the nomination vote the Liberal ticket. One prominent Conservative rose and said, "As the result of the nomination I will vote Liberal," and his announcement was followed by "hear, hear," in many parts of the hall.

Both Mr. Helmcken and R. H. Pooley put up a strenuous fight beforehand to secure control of the convention. The former won out, but the party seems to have been disrupted by the process. The chair was occupied by Leonard Tait, who in opening the convention explained the reason of the meeting. He asserted the coming election would be the most interesting in the political history of the province. His remarks were borne out by the falling away of Conservatives from the party to the Liberal side after the ballot had been taken.

H. D. Helmcken when declared nominated addressed the electors in the hall, paying a handsome tribute to Mr. Pooley for the sportsmanlike way in which he had moved that the nomination should be made by unanimous ballot. Mr. Helmcken then referred to the action of the Dominion government in the proposal to establish naval bases at Halifax and Esquimalt, saying, "We are all glad to see this movement." He told the electors that if they followed him they would not go wrong, and asked them to support the McBride railway policy. He said he intended to have Mr. Helmcken address the next few days which would call for the constituency to give its support to the government as well as to his candidature.

R. H. Pooley, the unsuccessful nominee, spoke, saying the convention was the largest ever held in the district. He was going to work his hardest to have Mr. Helmcken returned. Hon. C. B. Pooley supported his son's remarks. Mr. Helmcken moved a vote of thanks to the chairman and the meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

FIRE DAMAGES MILL

Montreal, Oct. 27.—Fire broke out in the big Williamson & Crombie lumber mills at Kingsburg, Que., last evening, and caused between ten and fifteen thousand dollars damage before it was extinguished. The fire broke out in the dry house, where a quantity of lumber was being prepared for the mill, and for a time it looked as though the whole plant was doomed. The company, however, has a well-equipped fire brigade, and they succeeded in confining the fire to the dryhouse. The loss will not interfere with the work of the mills to any great extent, and it is partially covered by insurance.

Canadian Pacific Ry. The Scenic Route

TRAIN No. 2 leaves Vancouver daily at 9 a. m., carrying through Standard and Tourist Cars to Eastern destinations. Also through Tourist Car, Vancouver to Toronto daily.

TRAIN No. 3 leaves Vancouver daily at 12:00 (7 p. m.), carrying through Standard and Tourist Cars, Vancouver to Montreal and Eastern destinations.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Ry. Still in Effect Double Train Service Daily

TRAIN No. 1 leaves Victoria daily at 9 a. m., arriving Nanaimo at 12:35 p. m. TRAIN No. 2 leaves Nanaimo daily at 8:15 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 10:05 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S CELEBRATES: Anniversary of Schoolroom Fittingly Observed Last Evening.

The senior and junior guilds of St. John's church held a birthday party last evening in the schoolroom of the church. A large number of members and friends of the church were present and the room presented a very pretty appearance. Various games were indulged in and a most enjoyable time was spent.

The Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard presided during the evening and gave a short address. He stated that those present were celebrating the first birthday of the schoolroom, and hoped that they would live to attend many others. Mr. Ard also hoped that it would not be long before a site would be chosen for the erection of a new church.

WEATHER BULLETIN. Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department. Victoria, Oct. 27.—5 a. m.—The western high pressure area is now central over the Dakotas and the pressure is giving way on this coast; no precipitation is reported during the past 24 hours, and the weather is chiefly cloudy with normal temperatures.

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, cloudy, with rain Thursday. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, cloudy, with rain Thursday.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 45; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy. New Westminster—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 49; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy and fog.

SAN FRANCISCO—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy. Edmonton—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 24; minimum, 24; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 12; minimum, 10; wind, 6 miles N. W.; weather, part cloudy. ERRORS IN BONDS. Alleged Anarchist Remains in Jail at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 27.—Owing to errors which Immigration Inspector A. C. Ridgeway stated appeared in the bonds prepared to secure the release on bail of \$2,000 of Gutierrez de Lara, who is charged with being an alien anarchist, the prisoner cannot leave the city until late to-day or to-morrow.

Attorney Holston, de Lara's counsel, and the officers of the de Lara Defence League, are engaged to-day in re-engaging the bonds. Until they are filed, Ridgeway stated, no further investigation of the securities can proceed.

EASTERN BASEBALL LEAGUE. New York, Oct. 27.—Patrick Powers was today re-elected president of the Eastern League of Baseball Clubs.

DUEL IN FRANCE. Only One Shot Fired and That Went Wide of Mark.

Paris, Oct. 27.—In a duel to-day M. Chevassu, dramatic critic of the Figaro, fired one shot and missed Henry Bernstein, the playwright, whom Chevassu had challenged as a result of Bernstein's published remarks regarding the critic after Chevassu had criticized Bernstein's play, "La Griffe." The affair of honor took place on the duelling field at Park des Princes. Bernstein refused to fire when the handkerchief was dropped as a signal, but stood still with his pistol resting against his hip.

SS. St. Denis Will sail for Northern B. C. Ports On Thursday, Oct. 28th. 10 P. M. John Barnsley Agent. Phone 1925. 534 YATES ST.

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The Home Circle

The Canning Season

Some women look with horror on the canning season and others enjoy the time of year when the fruit is ready to be placed in its cans for the cold days of winter. The former usually have no garden of their own and are forced to purchase all the articles needed in the canning process, while the latter generally live in the country and look with pride upon their gardens.

The housekeeper in a small town or village has a little space at her command and will have a row of tomatoes and string beans, all the family can eat; but the dweller in the cities who has no more than a little window box, with a few morning glories in it, must purchase her canning fruit. It is well worth her while to put up fruits and vegetables for the cold weather. One of the first questions to be considered is where the fruit in cans shall be stored for the cold weather. One portion of a closet is all that is needed and the closet gives a reasonable probability that the cans will keep well during the remainder of warm weather.

Some women claim that the purchase of fresh vegetables and fruits at the market in winter does away with the need of canning; yet it has been found that the cost of the produce is so much more than in the regular season. There is no doubt but that it is better to put up the things in cans than to wait until winter and then buy them in tin cans.

It has not been many years since the process of canning was started, and even now our mothers can remember when it was not done. The first experiment was made with tomatoes. Many housekeepers who can all their fruit and vegetables cannot deny that the outlay of expense is great; but, on the other hand, it is vastly cheaper than buying the already canned articles. The price of glass jars is much less than in years past, and they can be used many times if taken care of. Make it a rule that when they are emptied they will be at once washed and placed away in some secure place with the tops screwed tightly on. The next year you will only need new rubbers, which cost but a trifle.

The cost of the fruits and vegetables to be used in canning depends largely on the methods of the housekeeper and her judgment in buying. Always be on the alert for a drop in prices, and let the marketmen know what you wish and ask them to tell you when there is a chance to purchase cheapest. The conditions of the market often allow a purchase to your advantage. There should be no waste if the housekeeper understands her work and does it in the proper way. If it is to be an experiment, it is best to do it on a very small scale and not run the risk of having a large lot of canned goods spoil on your hands because you were not just sure how to manage it.

Some vegetables keep better than others, but none quite equal the tomato. When putting them up be careful to take out the hard cores and lumps. Now will be able to get more in the jars and it will go further when you come to use it. If corn is put up itself it has the reputation of keeping very badly; but corn and tomatoes canned together keep well and make a splendid winter vegetable.

String beans do not spoil as easily as green peas. Lima beans keep well. Lima beans or string beans and corn may be canned together. Young beets and spinach can do advantage, and with the former add a little vinegar. It is well to can peaches and apples, as there are plenty of these on the market all the time. Yet apples can be put up with sauce, in quarters or whole, with a slice of pineapple in each can. They need not be peeled, only cored.



She enjoys the time when the fruit is ready to be placed in the cans.

Beauty Hints

Without doubt the best time for taking physical exercise is in the morning before dressing. Another favorable time is just before retiring. At both hours the body must be entirely free from tight clothing or corsets.

If the nail cuticle does not grow long it should never be cut. Soak the fingers and loosen the cuticle once or twice a week. This must be accomplished gently, as forcing the cuticle back too much makes and ugly and heavy roll at the base of the nail.

For a dark, rough skin take a hot bath every night before retiring, using a bath brush and a bland soap. Scrub from the chin to the toes and dry. While the body is moist, massage with a good cream. In the morning take a cold sponge bath and dry with a turkish towel. Eat no greasy or fried food.

It is a mistake to use the iron on either blond or red hair, as it nearly always changes the color. The hair can be put up on curlers to get the way effect. A net will protect the hair and improve the effect of the wave.

Liquid rouge should be applied to the lips with a pointed stick, if it must be used. This stick should be wrapped with absorbent cotton, then dip it in the rouge and paint the lips carefully and over the red part only. If the rouge extends be-

round the edge of the lips it gives a thick and heavy appearance.

Walking up and down stairs is a splendid exercise to develop the lower limbs.

Strain on the Eyes

On a vacation one is especially apt to overdo reading. Care should be taken not to strain the eyes. Do not read early and late indoors—Make up your mind to read a certain number of hours each day, and no more. Do not lie down in a hammock or on the beach while reading. Keep in the shade where the glare of the sun will not strike on the pages of the book.

Smoked glasses are not in the least becoming, but if the eyes become irritated and inflamed do not hesitate to put them on. The glare of the sun on water is very hard on the eyes and causes them to become irritated and inflamed. A hat with a wide brim should be worn for outdoor reading. Salt water is a good tonic for the eyes, regardless of the sting it leaves for a short time after its application.

The woman with the indifferent figure should not attempt to wear the semi-fitting Princess gown. She should choose the semi-fitting coat and skirt suits now equally in vogue.

Mr. Justwed takes his wife's part.

Toward the end of the Justwed's stay at By-The-Sea-Waves, a certain incident was brought to Mr. J.'s intimate notice that left him a wiser and a sadder man. As an insight into the ways of women, it was enlightening, though hopelessly inexplicable.

Homers' dear liked every one at the hotel. At least every woman. There were one or two of the men whom he didn't "cotton to" it was true, but he saw no necessity for letting them know it. Nor did he feel it incumbent upon him to slight them when forced in their company. Naturally, his viewpoint differed widely from Mrs. J.'s. So Mr. J. couldn't for the life of him see why Blossom should be so fond of one woman and so antagonistic to another—intouch shows that former dear hadn't been married long.

But he "got wise" to a few things concerning social relations between women, one morning after breakfast. The hotel guests had wandered out on the veranda in that lazy, come-what-will fashion that proves the aftermath of every good breakfast at the seaside. Some one proposed "bridge."

Now Mrs. Smythe-Jones was, as far as Homers' dear could see, a most special friend of Mrs. J. Smythe-Jones was a good friend of his, and, therefore, it seemed most reasonable to expect that the same feeling would exist between their wives.

But what was his surprise, this particular morning to hear Blossom reply, when Mrs. Tom-Brown suggested getting Mrs. Smythe-Jones to complete a table at "bridge."

"Any one but her, my dear! I simply can't play bridge with her!"

Mr. J. was on the point of expostulating on the matter when Smythe-Jones happened along and took Homers' dear off to the bowling alley. But his wife's surprising statement hung in his mind all morning.

And just as they were waiting for dinner a few hours later, Mrs. Smythe-Jones came up to them. She was mad-mad clear through. Her eyes were ablaze and her approach determined. Mrs. Justwed was all solicitude at once.

"Whatever is the matter, my dear?" she asked anxiously and sympathetically.

Mrs. Smythe-Jones drew herself up haughtily.

"Don't you 'my dear' me, Mrs. Justwed!" she exclaimed. "If you 'simply won't play bridge' with me, you simply can't speak to me—and the sooner you understand that the better!"

"Why—why—why?" began Mrs. J.

"That's all, Mrs. Justwed!" insisted Mrs. Smythe-Jones, interrupting in frigid tones. "That is all! My only regret is that I have been the victim of such barefaced duplicity."

Then Mrs. J. arose in her wrath.

"That is not all, Mrs. Smythe-Jones," she retorted, "not by any means. Who told you I said I wouldn't play bridge with you? I demand to be told!"

"I said that all, Mrs. Justwed," replied Mrs. Smythe-Jones, determinedly, "and I meant it!"

And with that the enraged lady turned on her heel and beat a perfectly dignified and proud retreat.

"Well," observed Mr. J. wisely, "didn't you say so?"

Mrs. J. turned on her husband in a rage.

"Whether I did or did not is of no importance! That deplorable Mrs. Tom-Brown is a cat! The deceitful wretch! I'll make her pay for this! I might have known she'd do something like this! I knew she was the ordinary very first time I met her!"

Homers' dear paused a while in deep reflection.

"Now, Blossom," he said at length, impressively, "this ought to be a lesson to you. You did say it, for I heard you say—"



"Don't you 'my dear' me," she exclaimed.

self. Which goes to show that if you can't say anything nice about a person, say nothing at all. And, as far as I can see, you have no cause to say that Mrs. Tom-Brown told Mrs. Smythe-Jones of your remarks. I think Mrs. Tom-Brown is a most admirable woman—and I am sure she would not do a thing like that. Moreover—"

"Oh, she is, is she!" snapped Mrs. J. "Just because a woman has a pretty face you men are willing to endow her with all the virtues of the angel Gabriel. If she didn't tell, then I'd like to know who did! Who else could have told? The cat! Mr. Justwed was grave—very grave. His brow was wrinkled in thought and his expression mournful."

"It is a shame, Blossom, a shame!" he stated in a Good Friday voice. "I don't see why you women can't get along. Here yesterday the three of you were the best of friends. And today you are all at daggers drawn. Why do you do it? Does a woman always have to be fussing and fuming at some other woman. Now men don't do that. We don't gossip and we don't tell tales and we don't backbite. If two men have a difference a mutual friend brings them together, explanations are made, they shake hands, have a few drinks—and there you are—I think you are in the wrong in this affair—you did make the statement—and I think you should go straight to Mrs. Smythe-Jones and apologize. Then—"

"Apologize!" cried Mrs. J. as though she could scarcely believe her ears. "Apologize! Well, I guess not! I'd die first. But I am going to tell that ordinary Mrs. Tom-Brown what I think of her!"

Mrs. J. drew himself up in that righteous, blessed-are-the-peace-makers style.

"You will do nothing of the sort. Leave the whole thing to me. I'll straighten it out and get at the bottom of it—in the way men do. Now you sit right here until I return."

And he was off in search of Mrs. Tom-Brown. He found her sitting tranquilly at the far corner of the veranda, busy with her needle.

"Mrs. Tom-Brown," he began. "My wife and Mrs. Smythe-Jones have just had a little misunderstanding—and I want you to help me straighten it out. This morning, you remember, when bridge was proposed, Mrs. Justwed remarked to you that she simply wouldn't play bridge with Mrs. Smythe-Jones. Someone told Mrs. Smythe-Jones of the unfortunate and unparliamentary statement of my wife's and a scene ensued. My wife says that you told Mrs. Smythe-Jones about—"

And Mrs. Tom-Brown rose from her chair.

"Mr. Justwed," she said with fine scorn, "this is the rudest thing I ever had said to me by a man who was supposed to be a gentleman! I did not tell Mrs. Smythe-Jones. I bid you good morning! I shall see your wife immediately!"

And she gathered her skirts about her and walked haughtily away.

For a moment Mr. J. the peacemaker, was star-gazing. But he made up his mind to see it through.

When he found Mrs. Smythe-Jones he met with a frigid welcome.

"Mrs. Smythe-Jones," said Homers' dear, "my wife admits that she said that she wouldn't play bridge with you this morning and I have come to—"

"Humph!" snapped Mrs. Smythe-Jones. "She admits it, does she! And you have come to tell me so, have you? Mr. Justwed this is a double insult! I shall tell my husband! And I shall find your wife immediately and tell her what I think of her sending you to me with such a message. Will you be kind enough to let me pass?"

Homers' dear sat down and wiped his fevered brow.

"Well," he exclaimed, "I'll be demmed!"

Slowly, mournfully, as one in pain, he wandered back around the veranda in search of Mrs. Justwed.

As he turned the corner he beheld his wife, Mrs. Smythe-Jones and Mrs. Tom-Brown holding each other's hands.

Their faces were radiant.

They were cooing over one another like turtle doves.

But as they caught sight of Mr. J. their smiles changed to frowns and their noses assumed an upward tilt.

"Homer," said Mrs. J. indignantly, "I want you to tell Mrs. Smythe-Jones that I did not send you to her with any message—that your own meddlesome disposition prompted you to approach her and that I did not say that I wouldn't play bridge with her. I have explained all, and Mrs. Smythe-Jones understands fully, now, that I said I couldn't play bridge with her because she is so well versed in bridge that I couldn't keep up with her. And you owe an apology right now to Mrs. Tom-Brown, and to me, too, for stating, most falsely, that I said she had been deceitful enough to carry my remark to Mrs. Smythe-Jones. We understand everything perfectly now. That horrible Mrs. Pryer heard me say 'I simply can't play bridge' with Mrs. Smythe-Jones and changed it to 'I simply won't play bridge' with Mrs. Tom-Brown for a moment that dear Mrs. Tom-Brown here had been guilty of the tale-bearing."

"Poor dear! She has straightened everything out lovely! But you must break up our friendship, Homer. You owe both ladies an apology. They have graciously consented to forgive—and you should thank them for that, too."

All the while Homer had been getting redder and redder and hotter and hotter under the collar. Finally he burst forth:

"Very well, my dear. Ladies, I am a liar, a thief and a murderer. I steal pennies from blind men and snatch candy away from children. I beg your pardon for trying to straighten out this affair. I am the scoundrel. The entire burden of your gossip on my horns and drive me out into the wilderness. Everything is perfectly clear to you—though it isn't to me—so it's all right. Hereafter I shall confine my conversation to any mermaids I may discover along the beach. If I may be allowed just one word more, however, let me suggest that the next time you have a misunderstanding with each other or with my wife, don't ask your husband to intercede for you. I am going to content myself with one quart for forget this pleasant little episode, but from personal knowledge of that side of your respective husbands' characters I should say they would be content with nothing less than a gallon. Good morning."

The First Sewing Lesson

It is natural that young girls should want to learn to sew, and equally natural that their mothers should be the teachers. These first sewing lessons should not be too long and should be made as attractive as possible in order that the child will not tire after the first few minutes' work with a needle. Each one of the children should be provided with her own little workbox, containing the needles, threads, thimble, tape, pair of scissors and about a half yard of soft, unbleached muslin. There should also be a little writing pad and a pencil and the book should be filled with valuable instructions.

Certain things should be impressed on the mind of the child at the start of the lessons. The pupil should always sit the proper way in the chair, the full length of the back touching the back of the chair. Great fatigue can be avoided by sitting properly in a chair. Show the pupil the different sizes of the needles and explain how the numbers run from 1 to 12; also that the needles come in two lengths. The long "sharp" are used for general sewing and the "between" are much shorter, although they come in the same numbers. Then there are other kinds of needles, such as milliner's needles and embroidery needles, which have the long eyes. The milliner's needles are generally long and have most for hemstitching table linen.

One of the first things to teach the children is that it is a great mistake to use an excessively long thread in sewing. It should never be longer than from the shoulder to the finger tips, and in most cases much shorter.

In the first lesson to the child show how to make a small knot and how this knot must be hidden in the sewing. Give the child colored cotton thread to use with the white muslin goods in the first lesson in order that the stitches can be more easily seen and the work criticized. Let the child make the different kinds of basting stitches and the different lengths can be marked on the cloth with a pencil. This example is done in order that the child will learn to sew in a straight line and judge distance with her eye.

When doing running work the muslin is held in the left hand, between the first and

second fingers; the needle is started in the seam and shot forward and back—motion made with the hand, holding the needle, allowing the needle to go in and out of the cloth. It is best to take several stitches at a time before drawing the thread tight, and with a little practice the child can sew easily, even with this stitch.

The children should be limited at first to handling straight pieces of cloth, but in later lessons they should be allowed to cut and sew on bias ones.

After a while the child should be encouraged in making dainty little garments, some of them for the doll and others for herself. If the first lessons are made very short the child will not tire and will look with pleasure toward the lessons, proudly exhibiting her work to her little friends. After several lessons one of the easy tests for the child to make a little sunbonnet after the mother has cut out the pieces and shown how they are to be put together.



The First Sewing Lesson.

Fall Fashions

NEW WORSTED SWEATERS.

On account of the latest improvement in girls' and women's sweaters they are in great demand. The fit and texture of the sweaters is better than ever before and they are just the thing for the late summer and fall. Twenty-six-inch coat sweaters of soft, elastic wool have shaped sleeves and practically a full fashioned body without seams or joints. The new process used in the making of the sweaters allows the garment to be nonelastic at the waistline, while above and below the waistline it is as elastic as other garments of its kind. Rib knitted golfing coats with plain worsted face waistcoat and cuffs are collarless at the sides and back and in one tone. The greatest demand is for white sweaters, as they are easily washed.

BUTTONS IN THE HAIR.

It seems as though the latest fads in hair dressing, the filelets and also the jeweled hairbands, have come to stay, for a time at least. From Paris comes the latest new article to go with the filelets and hairbands—the jeweled buttons to hold them in place. These new buttons, which fasten easily in the hair, may simply be attached to the hairbands or made in a little knot of curls. They are of all sizes and shapes, some of the most beautiful being of delicate filigree and jet, while others are enamelled and show valuable gems.

POKE BONNET RETURNS.

The newest motor hats from Paris show that the styles do not really change, but that there is continually a switching,

back and forth, and a return to the old styles. The motor hats are really the old poke bonnets of half a century ago, and for real comfort in traveling it is said that they cannot be equalled. The hats protect the eyes from the glare, the face from burning, and the hair from dust—some of the hoodies, or bonnets, are beautiful affairs, in silk, lace and flowers. Others are very simple, being made of straw or linen and bearing a close resemblance to the garden sunbonnet. With the simple model a pretty veil is drawn over the hat and then over the face under the chin.

GLOVES FOR GIRLS.

Girls who play tennis can wear gloves especially adapted for the sport. The gloves are of one-button length, and in white or yellow chamois, a material which will stand boiling and which becomes soft and flexible with washing. Suitable gloves for golfing are the mosquitoes in colored mocha, and they come with long wrists. White leather gloves have long wrists for riding and driving. There are black buttons and stitching. The girl's summer party gloves are of white or slightly tinted twisted silk in the elbow lengths.

NERVOUS CHILDREN.

A naturally nervous child, one who has been pampered, should early be taught self-control and the value of it. It is essential to discourage emotionalism, and never countenance fits of temper. Plenty of fresh air and sunlight are great aids to naturally nervous children, and all rich foods should be forbidden.

A CORNER FOR MEN

Good Fellow on Smoking-Car Persiflage

Did you ever stop to think what a sight of human nature there is in smoking-car persiflage?" asked Mr. G. Good Fellow of the man at the desk next him as they walked out for lunch on a Monday. "Just back late last night from a little week-end jaunt, and the hot air I heard handed out in the smoking compartment would have run the engine if it could have been captured and corked up inside the boiler."

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LOCAL STOCKS. (By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.) (Private Exchange). Bid. Asked. Alberta Canadian Oil 12 12

NEW YORK STOCKS. (Times Leased Wire.) New York, Oct. 27.—New strength was shown in the stock market to-day

OPPORTUNITY FOR CONTRACTORS. TWO LOTS, just off DOUGLAS STREET, NEAR QUEENS, being below grade, will be sold for \$700 EACH.

COBALT STOCKS. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Toronto, Oct. 26. Bid. Asked.

NEW YORK STOCKS (Continued). Allis Chalmers, pref. 50 49 50. Amer. Car & Foundry 82 81 82

Glacier Creek Mining Co., Ltd. I am the only broker in Victoria offering these shares, and I can sell them in blocks of 100 shares

LOCAL MARKETS. Oils—Frait's Coal Oil 1.65. Bacon (B. C.), per lb. 25. Butter (Creamery) 45

Furnished House in James Bay To Let. 7 rooms completely furnished, including 2 bedrooms. Plans. All conveniences. Half block from car.

LOCAL MARKETS (Continued). Fresh Island Eggs 50. Eggs (Creamery) 45. Lard, per lb. 20

San Francisco Markets. (Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 27.—Wheat—Good to choice, California Club, \$1.20

NEW YORK STOCKS (Continued). Do, pref. 127 126 127. Amer. Tel. 140 139 140. Amer. Woolen 34 34 35

BEFORE! BUYING or SELLING IN B.C. CALL & SEE A.T. FRAMPTON MAHON BUILDING VICTORIA. PHONE 1658

LOCAL MARKETS (Continued). Pastry Flour—Snowflake, per sack 1.85. O. K. Best Pastry, per sack 1.70

San Francisco Markets (Continued). Good to choice, California Club, \$1.20. Northern White, Bluestem, \$1.85

NEW YORK STOCKS (Continued). U. S. Steel 220 219 220. Do, pref. 125 124 125. Wash. 25 25 26

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS. Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section (40 acres)

MINING STOCKS. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bid. Asked. Alameda 3 4

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Winnipeg, Oct. 27. Open High Low Close

JEFFRIES-JOHNSON FIGHT. It is Believed Articles Will Be Signed This Week. Chicago, Oct. 27.—Jack Johnson, the black heavyweight champion, is this afternoon speeding for New York on a fast train.

TWO NEGROES ARE LYNCHED BY MOB. Two Hundred Men Storm Jail and Hang Suspected Murderers. Vicksburg, Miss., Oct. 27.—Beating down the officers who tried to stay their progress, a howling mob of 200 infuriated men stormed the city jail at Floyd, La., broke down the doors and dragged out two negroes, Joe Gifford and Alexander Hill, and lynched them.

THE DOMINION BANK. CAPITAL PAID UP. \$1,500,000. RESERVES. \$3,500,000. TOTAL ASSETS. \$5,000,000. Victoria branch now open in temporary premises at the corner of Fort and Broad streets.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST MINING REGULATIONS. COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1.00 an acre. Not more than 100 acres can be leased to one applicant.

GRAIN MARKET. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, Oct. 27. Open High Low Close

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET (Continued). Wheat—Oct. 97 97 97 97. Nov. 94 94 94 94. May 99 99 99 99

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NORTHERN CROWN BANK. HEAD OFFICE, WINNIPEG. A WESTERN BANK FOR WESTERN PEOPLE. Authorized Capital \$6,000,000. Paid Up Capital \$2,200,000.

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BEAUTIFUL piece of water front, Esquimalt district, \$3,000, easy payments.

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\$200, HALF CASH, buys lot on Kelvin road, adjoining Baptist church, just outside city limits.

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NEW 6-ROOMED HOUSE on Hillside avenue, lot 54x120, to a lane. Small cash payment and \$25.00 per month will handle this.

We have a BEAUTIFUL LOT, 50x127, on Empress avenue, price \$475; easy terms.

CHAMBERLIN AVE. NEW 8-ROOMED HOUSE, including 4 bedrooms, drawing room, sitting room, breakfast room and kitchen; full basement with furnace; lot 64x120; beautifully treed; enquire.

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CHOICE LOT, Pendergast street, near park, 30 ft. x 135 ft., \$750; \$250 cash, balance easy.

DAVID ST., near 7 car lines, lot 50x120; \$600; \$50 cash, balance easy.

DENMAN ST., new modern 6 room cottage, good lot, price \$2,000; \$300 cash, balance \$20 per month.

CENTRE ROAD, 4 room modern house; \$1,500; \$300 cash, balance easy.

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6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, JAMES BAY. New and 1/2 block from Car.

LOT 50x150. PRICE, \$4,250. Easy Terms.

GEO. L. POWERS 718 FORT STREET.

LOTS IN ROCKLAND PARK—Prices \$900 up; terms. LOT—228 Humboldt Street.

LOT 4 BIK 5, 50x120, Fernwood Gardens, \$145.00.

LOT 35x120 ft., Caledonia ave., west of Blanchard street.

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FOR SALE NEW SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, Cement foundation—furnace and all modern improvements.

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VIEW STREET, 6-ROOM DWELLING, close in, always rented, \$2,000. Very easy terms.

JAMES BAY—\$1,000 will purchase new 5-ROOMED COTTAGE; \$600 cash, balance on time.

\$250 CASH and \$40 per month will purchase modern 7-ROOMED DWELLING in first-class shape, centrally located, only 10 minutes' walk from postoffice.

\$2,500 WILL PURCHASE 6-ROOMED DWELLING on Second street on very easy terms.

\$2,100—6-ROOMED DWELLING on car line, Niagara street; half cash, balance at 7 per cent.

\$2,000—MENZIES STREET, 7-ROOMED DWELLING with modern conveniences; terms.

\$3,000—QUEBEC STREET, MODERN 7-ROOMED DWELLING, newly painted and in good order; easy terms.

\$2,600—TWO-STORY DWELLING and lot 54x145. Well situated in James Bay; on terms.

FARMS AND FRUIT LANDS, Ask for Printed List.

PEMBERTON & SON REAL ESTATE, 614 FORT STREET.

HAPPY VALLEY. 7 Acres of splendid land in the above valley, 10 miles from Victoria. About one acre cleared, three acres alder bottom very easily cleared, balance in good timber. No rock, plenty of water, good roads, an ideal place for chicken raising.

PRICE, \$90.00. Be sure and see us about this. List your farms with us for quick sale. We issue the best farm list in the country.

A. COLQUHOUN HOLMES Room 8, Northern Crown Bank Chambers, 123 1/2 Government Street.

FOR SALE. OAK BAY AVE.—Fine lot, also two others adjoining; each 50x140. The three \$2,200.

SWAN LAKE (near to)—10 acres; half cash, \$4,000.

CECILIA ROAD—Close to Gorge road; 2 good lots, 1-3 acres each. Terms; \$2,000 the two.

BUY PORT ANGELES PROPERTY. LOTS INCREASING IN VALUE.

L. U. CONYERS & CO. 650 VIEW STREET.

HERE ARE A FEW MORE SNAPS.

\$750—Will buy a choice building lot, 66x100, all in bearing fruit trees, situated on King's road, close to school and carline.

\$750—Michigan street, large lot 60x120, facing south; reasonable terms can be arranged.

\$250—Cottage, 6 rooms, enamelled bath, wash basin, cement foundation and cellar; all in first class order; only 5 minutes' walk from post office; reasonable terms can be arranged.

We have a client who will exchange 2-3 of an acre of land in the city as part payment for small cottage and lot, producing revenue.

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THE CITY BROKERAGE 1213 DOUGLAS STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

\$500 CASH AND \$50 MONTHLY. Will Buy a NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE AND 1/2 ACRE OF LAND. Close to Car.

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CORNWALL STREET, lot 30 x 90, for \$750 cash.

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CAMBRIDGE STREET, lot worth \$800, for \$600. Terms, half cash.

VANCOUVER STREET, near Park, fine corner lot for \$850. Terms, half cash.

VICTORIA WEST, lot for \$250 cash.

HINKSON SIDDALL & SON NEW GRAND THEATRE BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET.

BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED FIVE-ACRE LOT, SAANICH ARM, nice water front, splendid water, fine beach, a great place for your next summer's outing, price \$500; terms, \$50 cash, balance at \$10 per month.

60x120—This new Mill race through this property and gives easy access to railway station, stores, etc.

SIXTY ACRES, one and one-quarter miles from Somers Station, log house, barn, etc., eight acres clear, ten acres slashed; price \$3,000.

FURNITURE and good-will of a 12 roomed boarding house, every convenience, close in, price \$400.

HOUSES AND LOTS in different parts of the city; small cash payment, balance as rent.

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FOR SALE. MONTERAY AVENUE, Oak Bay, 2 lots 100x125; new 2-story 8-room house, modern; \$5,250; \$1,000 cash; balance to suit.

500 LOTS, \$300 to \$600, near Gorge Road, Easy terms.

CHAUCER STREET, Oak Bay, 7-room cottage; \$1,800. Easy terms.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET.

EMPIRE REALTY CO. REAL ESTATE AND FINANCIAL AGENTS, 62 YATES STREET. Phone 2251.

BETTER THAN GOVERNMENT BONDS.

5-ROOM COTTAGE, situated on Burdett avenue; nice location; no car fares to pay; containing all modern conveniences. Price \$1,800; terms \$300; cash balance \$20 monthly.

MENZIES STREET, fine 10-room house, lot 69 ft. 6 in. x 135 ft. 6 in., containing bathroom and all other conveniences. Price \$4,500; very easy terms.

C. C. PEMBERTON, 1214 GOVERNMENT STREET.

QUATSINO. HOUSE, FURNITURE, BOAT. 125 Acres of Land. 4 Acres Good Fruit Gardens. FOR SALE CHEAP.

GRANBY MINES MAKE NEW RECORD

Furnaces Can Now Handle Four Thousand Tons of Ore Daily.

Phoenix, Oct. 26.—The Granby mines at Phoenix have entered on a new era of fracturing past records in the tonnage of ore shipped to the company's smelter. Last week's output amounted to 27,573 tons, and not only exceeded that of the previous week by 5,000 tons, but is the largest seven days' tonnage on record, and this tonnage would probably have been larger had it not been for lack of cars on the part of the railway companies.

On Thursday the shipments amounted to over 5,000 tons, which exceeded by nearly a thousand tons any previous 24 hours' output.

But these records cannot be expected to last for long. With the eight new smelter furnaces now in shape to consume 4,000 tons of ore per day, and the mines capable of outputting upwards of 5,000 tons, it is required, in a similar period, larger records will follow shortly. The shipments from the Granby for the year to date have now passed the \$90,000 mark.

Incidentally the total shipments of ore from Boundary mines last week exceeded by 2,000 tons the largest seven days' tonnage of not only during the busy mining days of 1907, but in the history of the district.

The total shipments of ore for the year to date from the Snowshoe mine, which has recently been shipped up to 700 tons daily to Trail smelter, now amounts to 137,520 tons and has passed its record of 135,000 tons in the twelve months of 1907.

Mother Lode and Oro-Denoro mines both show increases in ore shipments to the British Columbia smelter over those of the previous week.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & Co. Phone 55, 1207 GOVERNMENT STREET.

HOUSES TO LET.

2543 QUADRA STREET, large modern house, \$35.00.

516 HILLSIDE AVENUE, 10 rooms, \$24.00.

821 CORMORANT STREET, 7 rooms, \$20.00.

1226 PANDORA STREET, 5-room Cottage, \$20.00.

714 KING'S ROAD, 6 rooms, \$18.00.

29 BAY STREET, 6 rooms, \$15.00.

2502 BRIDGE STREET, 6 rooms, \$15.00.

808 JOHNSON (Rear), \$11.00.

508 GOVERNMENT STREET, James Bay, large modern house with 3 lots, \$45.00.

478 SUPERIOR STREET, 7 rooms, \$25.

MONEY TO LOAN. FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

LEE AND FRASER Real Estate Agents, 618 TROUNCE AVENUE.

FOR SALE. \$900.00—Corner lot, Jessie and Mary streets.

\$1,100.00—Will purchase 2 beautiful lots on Monterey avenue, worth \$1,600.00

\$5,000.00—One acre, Belleville street, off Oak Bay avenue.

\$1,000.00—Corner Quadra and Queen's avenue.

\$1,200.00—Simcoe street, good building lot.

\$1,050.00—Corner St. Andrew's and Simcoe streets.

\$475.00—Lots on Lee avenue.

\$300.00—Dunedin street.

\$650.00—Garbally road.

Money to Loan at Current Rates.

R. W. COLEMAN Real Estate and Insurance, 1220 GOVERNMENT ST., Telephone 802.

FOR SALE. FOUR ACRES—Strawberry Vale, next to School House, some fruit trees; Good buy. Price \$1,500. Terms \$500 cash, balance 3 years at 7 per cent.

SNAP, LOT 51x150—Just off Hillside, on Graham street; \$425; half cash; balance 4 per cent.

FOR RENT—Yearly lease from Nov. 1st, 11-room house, six bedrooms; modern; 2 large corner lots; two blocks from carline; splendid locality; rent \$30.

NEW 6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE—On lot 41x135; cement foundation; \$2,900; \$25 cash and \$25 a month. Interest at 7 per cent.

TO LET. TO LET—6-Room house with 1/2 acre ground, out buildings, modern, close to car line. Rent \$25 a month.

TO LET—6-Room house, modern, near car and high school. Rent \$25.

TO LET—6-Roomed House, 1453 Pandora avenue. Rent \$20.

McPHERSON & FULLERTON BROS. 618 TROUNCE AVENUE. Phone 1377.

BEAUTIFUL WATER FRONTAGE LOTS at Foul Bay, the most beautiful and healthful place to live in the city; prices \$1,000, on easy terms.

BEAUTIFUL LITTLE POULTRY AND FRUIT RANCH, 1/4 mile from the city, on the Wilkinson road, all cleared, and black loam, good spring, neat new house; price only \$1,000; terms, \$500 cash; balance arranged; between 3 and 4 acres all cleared and fenced.

ROOM BUNGALOW, beautifully finished and newly papered, with one or two lots and good poultry runs, boulevards, sewers, concrete sidewalks, concrete floor in basement and concrete tubs and laundry, close to church and school, and 100 yards from street car; terms can be arranged, \$500 cash and balance easy; price with one lot \$3,500.

10 ACRES cleared meadow land, 1/2 mile from the centre of the city, must be sold to clear up partnership, worth \$5,000; will sell for \$3,100.

4 ACRES cleared land, on the Burnside road, at Strawberry Vale, fine meadow, 200 acres.

5 ACRES and greenhouse for sale, exceptionally good land, suitable for nursery, etc., terms, \$5,000.

10 ACRES, house, barn and orchard, for sale on easy terms, \$2,800; situated 10 miles from the city, 20 acres cleared, and enough wood on the balance to pay for the land; close to railroad.

12 ACRES OF GOOD LAND, cleared and improved, 2 miles from the centre of the city, house and barns, exceptional value at \$7,000.

Arrow Lakes and Nelson Will Combine in the Display.

Nelson, Oct. 26.—The Arrow Lakes and Nelson districts will combine in sending a Kootenay exhibit to the great continental apple show at Spokane, Wash., on November 15-23. Not only will the Kootenay country have an adequate exhibit, but the exhibit will be adequately exhibited, for J. E. Anable of Nelson and F. G. Fauquier of Arrow lakes will go to Spokane in charge of the combined exhibit. This gratifying news has put new life into the rivalry among individual ranchers in the entire Kootenay district, and Mr. Spaulquier has already been up and down the Arrow lakes in his launch, selecting the fruit for that district. C. C. Broadwood, in covering the arrangements being made to ensure that the best fruit of the current crop from most of the Nelson district, will be sent to Spokane.

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S. A. BAIRD REAL ESTATE, FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE AGENT, 1216 DOUGLAS STREET.

Two furnished houses at \$35 and \$30 per month.

\$4,500—James Bay, seven-roomed dwelling, all modern conveniences including furnace, full sized lot, within one block of car-line.

\$2,750—Queen's Avenue, five-roomed new cottage, modern conveniences, on very easy terms.

\$2,850—Davis Street, Oak Bay, five-roomed bungalow, basement, sewer, electric light, etc. Lot, 60 x 110. Terms.

\$3,600—Oak Bay, six-roomed dwelling, modern conveniences, furnace. Two lots, 50 x 110 each.

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE Successors to Swinerton & Oddy, 1206 GOVERNMENT STREET.

FOR SALE. A nice comfortable home, close to Fort street car line, one block from the Central School and 10 minutes' walk from Government street. The house is a storey and half, six rooms and bath room (enamelled bath), good-sized hall, three bay windows, small basement, stone and brick foundation. The lot is 60x120, and slopes nicely to the street, two cherry trees.

PRICE, \$3,450.00, on the following easy terms: \$500.00 CASH; purchaser to assume mortgage of \$2,950.00 and to pay the balance of \$300.00 at the rate of \$25.00 per month with interest at 7 per cent.

E. WHITE Telephone 1497, 604 BRUGHTON STREET, INSURANCE FINANCIAL AGENT

160 ACRES NEAR FRENCH CREEK and railroad to Alberni, eighty acres fine alder bottom. The C.P.R. are clearing near this property. For quick sale this can be had with good terms for \$20 per acre.

160 ACRES, BANFIELD CREEK, Barclay District, near the proposed Island Railway. Bound to double in price. \$20 per acre.

THE CAPITAL CITY REALTY CO. ROOM 21, 618 YATES STREET, Phone 2162.

FOR SALE. A NEW 8 ROOM HOUSE, fully modern, nice large lot, on Johnson street, close in; price \$4,000, on terms, or will lease on right party.

NEW 8 ROOM COTTAGE, including bath and pantry, fully modern, lot 82x120, on Speed Ave., close to Douglas car, interior finished in latest style, extra large living room, with mantle and buffet. If you are looking for a home on easy payments, with a big increase in value, let us show you this property; price \$2,000; \$200 cash, balance \$3 per month, including interest.

WE HAVE A CLIENT who wants water frontage near Point Ellice bridge. What have you to offer?

LIBRARY AND GYMNASIUM. New Westminster, Oct. 25.—A library, reading room and gymnasium has been opened in Johnston's hall, Sapperton, under the auspices of Knox Presbyterian church, Sapperton, which should prove a great boon to the young people of that section of the city. Many of the latest periodicals and newspapers will be available and later on, as circumstances permit, the latest books will be added. The library will be open from 7.30 to 10 o'clock every evening except Wednesday. A small fee will be charged to aid in maintaining this institution. Members of all denominations will be welcomed.

One of the big features of this institution will be the gymnasium classes which will be started at once. Miss McLean will conduct a physical culture class for ladies on Tuesday evenings at 7 o'clock. On Thursday evenings Mr. McKenzie, principal of the Sapperton school, will conduct gymnasium classes for young men and on Friday evening for school boys.

NOTICE. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE EDWARD BRANT MASON, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Trustee and Executors Act, that all creditors of the estate of the said deceased are required on or before the day of October, A. D. 1909, to send particulars of their claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, solicitor for John Willis Ambery and Alexis Martin, the executors of the said estate; and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 17th day of September, A. D. 1909.

ALEXIS MARTIN, 1006 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

"LIQUOR LICENSE ACT, 1909," AND AMENDING ACTS.

I, the undersigned, hereby give notice that, one month from the date hereof, I will apply to F. S. Husey, Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, B. C., for a transfer of the license now held by me, and in respect of the Oak Bell Hotel, situate in Metcalm road, Esquimalt District, B. C., from myself to John Southwell, to self-protecting liquor.

The premises above mentioned.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1909.

L. O. DEMERS, Applicant.

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Coal equal to Old Wellington. PHONE YOUR FULL ORDERS TO LES OR LOR. Orders promptly executed and full weight guaranteed.

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WANTED. A man teacher with First-Class B. C. Certificate for the Staff of the Victoria Schools. Salary, \$900 a year. Applications, stating age and experience, received up to November 1st.

EDWARD B. PAUL, City Superintendent of Schools, Victoria, B. C.



PREPARING FOR SALE OF WORK

Will Be Held at Gordon Head by Ladies of St. Aidan's Church.

(Special Correspondence.) Gordon Head, Oct. 26.—On Tuesday, the 19th inst., Rev. Leslie Clay gave a very interesting lecture on Scotland in the Cedar Hill Temperance Hall. After a few introductory remarks Rev. R. W. Collins called on Miss Mabel Irvine for a piano solo. Mr. Clay's lecture was beautifully illustrated with lantern slides. The funds raised by the entertainment are to be devoted to the sum required to erect a manse in connection with St. Aidan's church.

On Friday last a very enjoyable dance was held in the Temperance Hall under the auspices of the Cedar Hill Dramatic Club. Miss Mabel Irvine provided excellent music and a good time was spent by everyone present.

During next month the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the St. Aidan's church will hold a sale of work. Preparations are being made and the affair promises to be a social as well as a financial success.

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Dentists
DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, Jewell block, cor. Yates and Douglas streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone Office, 527; Residence, 128.

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MRS. WALKER (C. M. B. Eng.), attends patients or receives them into her nursing home, 1017 Burdette avenue. Phone 1160.

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C. P. COX, Piano and Organ Tuner, 1804 Quadra street. Telephone 331.

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COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street. R. W. Fawcett, Rec. Sec., 227 Government street.

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Employment Agencies
COMPANION COURT FAR WEST, I. O. O. F., No. 11, meets first and third Mondays of each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Isabelle Moore, Financial Secretary, 211 Hillside Ave., city.

Modern Woodmen of America
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Takes entire charge of every detail of building. High-class work. Reasonable prices. 620 Johnson St. Phone 681.

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Prompt Attention to Alterations, Jobbing, Estimates Given. Prices Reasonable. 287 Richmond Ave., Victoria, B. C.

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GENERAL ENGRAVER, Stencil Cutter and Seal Engraver. Geo. Growther, 424 Wharf street, behind Post Office.

Watch Repairing
A. FETCH, 56 Douglas street. Specialty of English watch repairing. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

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ARMSTRONG BROS., Machinists. All kinds of general repairing done. Lances, engines and automobiles repaired. 24 Kingston St. Phone 308.

L. HAFER, General Machinist, No. 150 Government street. Tel. 1024.

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WM. J. WIGLESWORTH—All kinds of fish baited and smoked fish in season. Free delivery to all parts of city. 574 Johnson St. Phone 1134.

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FRED. FOSTER, Taxidermist and Furrier, 41 Johnson street.

Junk
WANTED—Scrap brass, copper, tin, lead, cast iron, stoves and all kinds of bottles and rubber; highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1020 Store street. Phone 1234.

Landscape Gardener
E. J. LAING, Landscape and Jobbing Gardener. Tree pruning and spraying. Phone 1187. Office, 511 Pandora Ave. Brown's Greenhouse, corner Cook and Fort streets.

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FRASER & MORRISON, successors to J. McCulloch. Highest grade of serge and worsteds altering and pressing. Phone 1167. Office, 511 Pandora Ave. Broad St., Victoria, B. C.

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OETLER & IMPEY, Painters and General Decorators. Rooms papered or painted on the shortest notice. Write or call at Oetler, 103 Caledonia Ave.; or impey, 170 Fairfield road.

Patents
FOR PARTICULARS about patents, send for booklet, Ben. B. Fannett, Ottawa, Ontario.

Pawnshop
MONEY LOANED on diamonds, jewelry and personal effects. A. A. Aaronson, cor. Johnson and Broad.

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HOT WATER HEATING—J. H. Warner & Co., Limited, 31 Fisgard St., above Blanchard St. Phone A78.

Pottery Ware, Etc.
SEWER PIPE, Field Tile, Ground Fire Clay, Flower Pots, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

Scavenging
JOHN PRIOR, Scavenger. Leave orders at Empire Clear Store, 143 Douglas St. WING ON, 1709 Government street. Phone 21.

Second-Hand Goods
BUTLER, J. R.—Successor to A. J. Winstone, in second-hand furniture, stoves, books, etc., 301 Yates, corner Quadra. Tel. 11824.

Clothing Wanted—Highest prices for all kinds of second-hand garments.
Drop cars and I will call. J. Katz, 417 Store street.

Wanted—Old coats and vests, pants, boots and shoes, trunks, valises, shotguns, revolvers, overcoats, etc.
Highest cash prices paid. Will call at any address. Jacob Argonson, new second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, six doors below Government St. Phone 1147.

Stump Puller
STUMP PULLER—Made in 3 sizes, for sale or hire; contracts taken. J. Ducrest, 105 Burnside road, Victoria. Phone A171.

Tentmakers
JEUNE & BRO., makers of tents, sails, oil cloths, camp furniture, Warehouses, 570 Johnson St. Phone 236.

Truck and Dray
PHONE 1837 FOR JEPSON TRANSFER Trucking and Expressing. Yates St. stand, all routes. Orders left at Victoria, 1010 Douglas St. Residence, 545 Michigan street.

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Victoria Truck and Dray Co., Telephone 12, Stable Phone 1193.

Turkish Baths
321 FORT ST. Phone 1859. Will be open till 11 p. m. Ladies' days are: Mondays from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., and Fridays 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. Swedish massage.

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MEN WANTED—We want men in every locality in Canada to advertise our goods, back up slowdancers in all conspicuous places, and generally represent us; \$20 to \$30 per week and expenses; big made; suit houses; entirely new plan; no experience required. Write for particulars. Royal Remedy Co., London, Ont., Can.

Exchange
WANTED—To exchange 100 acres rich Manitoba wheat land, 11 miles from station, for house or land, in or near Victoria, value \$3,200. Box 411, Times. 023

For Rent—Houses
TO RENT—Comfortable house and about 2 acres of land, with large outbuildings, poultry houses, etc., good well water, within half an hour's drive of centre of city, rent \$20 per month. Apply to Mrs. M. K. Smith, 257 1/2 1/2 Dallas road.

TO LET—3 roomed cottage, 3 lots, garden, chicken run, bath, electric light, rent \$25. 477 Linton Ave. 023

FURNISHED COTTAGE TO LET—5 rooms, reasonable rent. 19 St. Lawrence street. 023

TO LET—New 5-room modern cottage, basement, rent \$20 month. Apply 45 Menzies street. 023

TO RENT—Furnished house, facing Beacon Hill park. Apply Thos. Plimley, Victoria, B. C. 023

FURNISHED COTTAGES TO LET, with electric light, bath, hot and cold water. Apply to Mrs. M. K. Smith, 257 1/2 Dallas road. 023

FOR SALE—New five roomed modern cottage, basement, attic, gas, electric, run; a snap. Owner, 115 Fisgard, ni 023

FOR SALE OR TO LET OR LEASE—Houses and acreages, terms moderate, good shooting, fishing, etc.; acreage from \$1 per acre; farms for sale. Write F. J. Hittancourt, auctioneer and real estate agent, Salt Spring Island, B. C. 023

For Rent—Stores
TO RENT—In principal street, good store also self-contained flats, 4 and 5 rooms, modern conveniences, suitable for restaurant, ice creamery or similar business. Apply Holmes, Room 8, North-ern Bank Chambers. 027

For Sale—Acreage
CORDOVA BAY ROAD, 6 miles from Victoria post office, 20 acres, 10 acres cleared and in garden, 10 fruit trees, large barn, 4 room house, 4 room cottage, buildings all new and insured for \$1200. Price \$250 per acre. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

FOR SALE—Cheap, 15 acres close to Goldstream station. Mostly all land. Apply Box 405, Times Office. 023

A SNAP—Lake and Highland district, 2 1/2 acres, high and dry, only 3 miles from Victoria, 3 miles to Esquimalt harbor and eight miles to Victoria. All kinds of cedar and large fir on same. Call on the best game preserve near Victoria, \$5,000 cash, balance on mortgage at 6 per cent. Apply Mrs. F. Campbell, 1021 Fort street, or P. Campbell, Prospect Lake, Heal P. O. 723

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES for sale in Highland District, close to mountain lakes, log house beside stream which never goes dry; good hunting and fishing. Price \$2500. Box 506, Times Office. 023

FOR SALE—A fruit orchard, 31 acres, near Foul Bay road, will sacrifice \$10,000. Also lot of 10 acres, will exchange for house and lot in Victoria. Box 191, Times. 021

A FINE CHICKEN AND FRUIT RANCH—54 acres, high and dry, only 3 miles from City Hall, 1000 ft. above sea level, plenty of fuel, water, sewer connection in kitchen, land all fenced, good road, near Victoria, price \$25,000 or will exchange for house and lot in Victoria. \$5,000 easy terms, or will trade for city property. Times Box 54. 021

FOR SALE—\$75 certificate on Waitt's. What offers? Box 416, Times. 021

FOR SALE—A small cook stove, in use only a few months. Inquire 1190 North Park street before 2 p. m. 023

WANTED TO SELL 4 second hand express wagons of various sizes, and one truck. Apply Brantley Pacific Wagon Works, Government street. 023

RHEUMATISM is cured quickly and easily by Lion Anti-Rheumatic Rubber & Sons, Agents, Government street. 029

GREENHOUSES, flat bottom boats, long ladders, steps, meat safe, dog houses in stock and made to order. Call at 1001 Fort street, or at Pacific and Jobbing Factory, corner of Fort and Blanchard Sts. 023

FOR SALE—Banjo and case, \$7.50; revolver, 32 cal. hammerless; \$3.50; hunting field glass and case; \$5; piano accordion; guitar; cases \$7; 1001 1/2 long leather boots, \$25. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 4 doors below Government street. Phone 1147.

FOR ALTERATIONS, repairs and jobbing, call on J. W. Holden, carpenter and jobber, corner Fort and Quadra. Tel. 1292.

CHOICE FIRE DOORS, sash, mouldings, etc., at great prices. Moore & Wainwright, Yates street. 023

FOR SALE—Refrigerators, walnut ball seat, mahogany whatnot, dressers and stands, Navy boarding axes, brass kettle, stove, motor, magnets, electrical machine, will fire 2 to 3 holes, carpenter, tools, etc. The Old Curiosity Shop, Fred. J. Teviss, cor. Fort and Blanchard streets. 023

FOR SALE—One first-class cow, newly calved; ten small pigs; also bugles, light wagons, horses and harness. Apply to Mrs. J. P. Smith, 1112 Douglas St. Discovery, or Mitchell street, Oak Bay. 023

WE WILL BUY, subject to confirmation, 2,000 Portland Canal at 15c; 300 Stewart Mining & Development Co. at \$1.30. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

WE WILL SELL, subject to confirmation, 200 Canadian N. W. Oil at 55c; 10 Bakersfield Ltd. at 75c; Pacific Whaling Co. bid. N.B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

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For Sale—Wood
FOR SALE—Good wood, 4 ft., \$1.50; cut, H.K. Burt's Wood Yard. 023

Personal
I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE for any debts contracted in my name without my written consent. I also state that parties are hereby warned not to purchase or remove anything from my house, 1065 Cook street, L. P. Locke. 029

Rooms for Housekeeping
TO LET—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, 609 Gorge road. 023

TO LET—Nicely furnished bedrooms, with use of kitchen if desired, 190 Yates St. 023

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FOR SALE—3 heavy draft horses. Apply Starbuck Lake Lumber Co. Telephone 162. 023

For Sale—Houses
GOOD INVESTMENT—For sale, 2 new modern cottages, 3 and 5 rooms, rent for \$40 month; price \$2,000, easy terms. Apply Box 415, Times Office. 023

FOR SALE—House and lot, \$500. \$100 cash; easy monthly payments on balance. Apply to Mrs. J. McDonald, opposite Old Men's Home. 023

PRENDERGAST STREET, near Cook street car line, a new house, 4 1/2 room, with sidewalk lot in, drawing room, kitchen, large wood shed, 3 bedrooms, bath room, 2 closets, electric light, telephone, hot and cold water. This house has only been built this year and is therefore in first class order. Price \$2500. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

FOR SALE—Two nice cottages in course of erection on Hillside street, overlooking Hillside avenue, at Orphanage, 6 ft. cement basement, beautiful situation, each \$2500. \$100 down, \$20 monthly, 7 per cent interest. Apply 228, corner Hillside avenue and Cedar Hill road; or Boucher, Cedar Hill road. 023

FOR SALE—Eight-roomed house overlooking Beacon Hill park; six bedrooms; fruit and ornamental trees. Price \$12,000. Phone 1234. 023

For Sale—Livestock
FOR SALE—Bovine Leishman yearling heifer. West, 2024 Belmont Ave. 023

FOR SALE—Cheap, heifer, eighteen months old. Address P. O. Box 418. 023

WHITE LEGHORN HENS and other good breeds a dozen; mixed pullets, \$2 a doz.; pure bred white Leghorn pullets, \$1 a doz.; also some splendid pure bred Buff Orpingtons and partridge Wyandottes in full feather. Apply personally or by letter to C. Gifford, Mt. Tolmie P. 023

FOR SALE—Southdown rams; also ram and ewe lambs, pure bred and registered. Address A. F. Watt, P. O. Drawer 709, Victoria, B. C. 023

For Sale—Lots
FOR SALE—A snap to close accounts, two best lots on Hudson street, one good lot on Francis street; terms cash. Joseph Peirson, 1115 Langley street. 023

FOR SALE—Lot on Douglas street next to Dunedun street, Lot 12133. Price \$700. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

WE HAVE Two good lots for sale on Hillside avenue, near Prior street. Price \$150 and terms. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

A SNAP on Prior street, corner lot, \$1318. Price \$55. N. B. Maysmith & Co., Ltd. 023

DON'T WAIT TOO LONG, BUY NOW, in Port Angeles, 4 lots for \$500, \$200 cash and \$300 a month. Apply over Box 80 Post Office. 027

GOOD LEVEL LOT on corner of Shakespear and Denman streets, one good lot, size, 50x125 feet; price, \$450, terms, Two lots next to this one sold for \$500 each last month. Apply 1414 North Park street, or telephone 1222. 017

FOR SALE—Fine lot, Oak Bay, Phone 6212, near junction. Price \$100. Phone 1234. 023

For Sale—Machinery
FAIRBANKS SCALES for manufacturers' and general consumers' use; also household scales. A complete line of the world's most famous weighing machines. Made in Canada. The Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd., Vancouver. 023

Help Wanted—Female
WANTED—Young lady as mother's help, \$25 a

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AUBURN CREAMERY BUTTER, per lb., 35c; 3 lbs. **\$1.00**
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 EGGS, large, tested, per dozen **35c**
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 CANADIAN CHEESE, prime, per lb **20c**
 STILTON CHEESE, prime Canadian, per lb **25c**
 These Stilton Cheeses run about 10 pounds each; by the whole cheese we will make the price 22c.
 V. R. EDAM CHEESE, extra large, very rich. Each **\$1.25**
 BISMARCK HERRINGS, per tin **25c**
SPECIAL THIS WEEK—Tomato Catsup, per bottle, 10c

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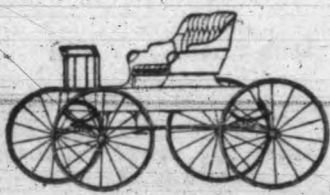
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F. J. BITTENCOURT

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Whole of His Stock of the Old Curiosity Shop

Corner of Fort and Blanchard Sts., by Public Auction on Wednesday, October 27th, at 2 p.m. Will be offered first as a going concern. Stock consists of brass pewter and other curios, furniture, gramophones, showcases, book stoves, mahogany furniture, Milton ware, crockery, Computing scales, etc., etc. Fuller particulars in Sunday's Colonist.

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 BLOATERS, 2 lbs. **25c**
 SMOKED RED SALMON, per lb **20c**
 NAAS RIVER SALMON BELLIES, per lb. **12 1/2c**
 FILLET OF HERRING, per tin **25c**

SPECIAL TO-DAY

Red Grapes, per basket **25c**

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VICTORIA WINNERS AT VANCOUVER DOG SHOW

Colbie's Irish and Wire Hair Terriers and Setters Get Prizes.

Victoria exhibitors have returned from the Vancouver dog show, held Thanksgiving Day, with honors in almost every class exhibited. The show was an excellent one they report, held in the horse show building. There were 240 dogs shown.

Mrs. F. J. Fulton, of this city, as judge of setters gave great satisfaction. Among the principal successes were John McIntosh, who with the colbie dog "Willows Prince" cleaned the board against all comers in all classes. Willows Prince competed against seventeen colbies, many of them English importations, and all from prize stock. In every class exhibited this dog was successful.

J. S. Hickford was another Victoria winner, succeeding in the English setter class with Malwyd Major, which took first and winners, and also championship. His young bitch, Arbutus Swallow, also won her championship at this show. Mr. Hickford's Arbutus Bess, a local bred dog, was a reserve winner to Swallow. Lady Rhoda Kent, of the same kennel, took first in the open class.

Messrs. Wallis and Large were also successful competitors in Irish and wire hair terrier classes getting the majority of prizes. Mr. Wallis with his home bred puppy in the Irish terriers beat all the English importations.

R. Hanson won second against all the English importations with his wire hair terrier.

Mrs. McLaren with her Scottish terrier cleared up everything in this class.

Miss Bray's bulldog swept everything and won his championship at the show.

C. H. Wilson made a strong winner with pointers, cleaning up everything.

In the Irish setter class J. H. Goodwin was a strong exhibitor, winning first and winner against all comers.

Frank Turner with Bash T. won first in the puppy and in the novice classes in English setters, and took third with Doc T.

The Victoria exhibitors are well pleased with the results of the exhibition, the local showing being excellent.

CONFESSES TO THREE MURDERS
 (Continued from page 1.)

"For an hour I wandered about planning. Then I walked into the house and found my sisters.

"My first shot probably killed Mrs. Van Royen as she sat on a chair. She screamed and fell. Rose started up to speak to me and I shot her dead.

"With the two women virtually dead I was free to take my time. I fired two more shots into the body of Mrs. Van Royen and five more into Rose's body. I did not hurry away. I was not unduly excited. It was the culmination of my only thought for months.

"I searched the house and found some rings and other valuables. I took all of them and my revolver and hid them in a cornshock.

"Later it dawned on me that I had committed a crime. I tried to keep it a secret. But hour by hour something

Maynard & Son AUCTIONEERS
 PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF
Dairy and Stock Sale

Under instructions from E. Holmeke, who is retiring from the retail milk business, we will sell on
Wednesday, Nov. 3rd
 2 p.m. at
CRAIGFLOWER DAIRY
 (Craigflower Bridge)
 All the
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Twenty-five Jersey Milk Cows, Jersey Bull, 7 Horses, Milk Carts, Wagons, Harness, Milk Cans, Ploughs, etc. Full particulars later.
Maynard & Son, Auctioneers
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Rubber Water Bottles

Our line is made by one of the best manufacturers in the business.

Every bottle carries our guarantee to replace same should any imperfection develop within one year from date of purchase.

We do not charge any more for these goods, than other good bottles are sold for, which carry no guarantee. FOUNTAIN SYRINGES also of same manufacture with same guarantee. Let us show them to you.

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STRIKING CARD PRIZES—THESE

Here Is A List of Items You Shouldn't Fail to Inspect To-day

It's card party time now and you'll be interested in knowing where best to buy the prizes. We are fortunate in being able to offer such a splendid range of suitable, medium priced gift pieces. Visit our first floor showrooms and see a special counter of suitable pieces—items listed here. While this list is broad it is but a hint to what may be selected from this store's offerings. No better place to choose such needs than this.

SMOKERS' SETS—In satin finished brass. Cigar holder, cigarette holder, match holder and large tray. Priced at \$7.50 and **\$7.00**

BRASS FERN DISHES—Beautiful styles in these. One of the most popular articles we show. Priced at each \$8 and **\$6.50**

BRASS CANDLE LAMPS—These have just arrived. Have glass chimney, mission shade. Complete with candle, at each **\$2.50**

WRITING SETS—Something very attractive—and serviceable. Set consists of ink well, tray and letter opener. In lined case. "Old brass," with figure of Napoleon embossed. Priced at **\$4.50**

Similar, with lady's head **\$4.00**

STATIONERY RACKS—"Gold plated" styles, at each \$4, \$3.50, \$2.25 and **\$1.50**

STATIONERY RACKS—In "old brass." Pretty styles at \$2.50 and **\$2.25**

TIE RACKS—Useful for men folk. "Old brass." Priced at \$2.50 and **\$2.25**

INKSTANDS—Two very handsome styles in "old brass" finish, 2 ink wells, stamp box and pen tray. Something decidedly new and artistic. Priced at **\$2.75**

BOOK RACKS—For table use. In "old brass." Big choice at \$4.50, \$3.50, \$2.25 and **\$2.00**

BOOK RACKS—For table use. In Early English Mission Oak. Brass trimmings, at \$3.50, \$3.25 and **\$2.50**

INKSTANDS—Pretty styles of Early finished oak, Mission design. One ink well. Some have stationery rack. Priced at \$2.50, \$2.25 **\$1.50**

SMOKERS' SETS—Metal stand with brass cigar tray, ash tray and match tray. Basket style with "darky" figure. Priced at **\$4.50**

CANDLESTICKS—"Gold plated" styles, at each **\$3.75**

INKSTAND—Camel design. Represents a camel in kneeling position. Decidedly attractive. Priced at **\$3.50**

INKSTAND—Lion's head design. Priced at **\$2.50**

PIPE RACKS—"Old brass" styles. For six pipes. Priced at \$2.50 and **\$2.00**

Suggestions For Better Homes

SEE THE FURNISHED ROOMS IN OUR WINDOWS.

SUGGESTIONS for better furnished homes in the windows to-day. See the furnished rooms in our Broughton street windows. You'll see there a bedroom fitted with one of our beautiful Circassian walnut bedroom suites—three magnificent furniture pieces. A satin finished brass bed is also shown. You'll look far before you'll find a better combination.

The parlor shows some interesting pieces in mahogany—upholstering work done in our own factory. A music cabinet in beautiful mahogany is shown—worthy of special attention.

The dining room is fitted in Mission style furniture—the splendid pedestal table being perhaps the leading feature. The buffet is a close second for it is an excellent style.

Another Shipment of Ragstyle Rugs

ANOTHER SHIPMENT of those popular Ragstyle Rugs has just been opened and we invite you to see the new arrivals. The craze for these rugs has "caught" here as in many cities and towns of the United States. We predict that you, too, will like them. Some that are especially desirable for bedroom use are to be found among the new arrivals. See these and other similar styles on the second floor. The new arrivals include such as these—

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Newest in Bedroom Furniture

A STRONG FEATURE OF THIS STORE'S OFFERINGS.

A STRONG feature of this store's furniture offerings is its showing of bedroom furniture. We aim to show the very newest styles at all times. The latest creations are to be found here and the choice both in style and wood is a broad one.

Visit the third floor and view at your leisure one of the most comprehensive assortments of furniture for the bedroom ever offered Victorians. Weiler Quality all through and Weiler merchandise is always worth what you pay for it—our values are unsurpassed. Let us show you some pieces in woods such as these:

Golden Finished Oak Polished Mahogany Circassian Walnut Golden Fir

Early English Oak Dull Finished Mahogany Birds' Eye Maple White Enameled

Bedside Tables Are Useful

Bedside tables are useful for a variety of purposes. The sort we sell are adjustable in height and angle and serve as a bedside table, a book rest, a back rest, card table, etc. One of the most useful furniture pieces around the home.

GOLDEN OAK TOPS—Black enamel metal parts. Priced at each **\$5.50**

GOLDEN OAK TOPS—White enamel metal parts. Priced at each **\$6.00**

Inspect Our New Shipment of McIntock Down Quilts

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 HOME FURNISHERS SINCE 1862, AT VICTORIA
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SOLE AGENTS CROSSLEY & TEMPLETON SUPERIOR CARPETS

MINISTER FROM NICARAGUA RESIGNS

Representative at Washington, D. C., Will Return Home.

(Times Lensed Wire.)
 Washington, D. C., Oct. 27.—Dr. Don Rodolfo Espinosa, the Nicaraguan minister to the United States, announced to-day that he had resigned and that Zelaya, the deposed president of the republic, had accepted his resignation.

Dr. Espinosa stated that his brother Emilio was practically at the head of the revolutionists under Estrada, the provisional president, and he gives this as the cause of his resignation.

The resignation of Espinosa is regarded here as a severe blow to Zelaya's tottering government.

It is generally believed here that Espinosa will return as minister to the United States when the new government is recognized by this country.

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