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Greatest Conflict.

There is something appealing in the oft-repeated warning that reciprocity means annexation. It catches some people for the peculiar reason that it is an appeal to the vainest and at the same time the basest instincts of the human mind. Knowing one's own loyalty to be beyond suspicion, it is flattering to some people to think that they are better than some other people—not named nor known. There is great captivation in the "I am holier than thou" feeling, but it is a base feeling. What do you think of those who foster it and appeal to it? Even British Tory papers are more just to the people of Canada.

BRITISH TORY VIEW.

(London Times, Conservative).
The electors have to decide whether in extending the facilities for trade with the United States they will jeopardize their own industrial development or also create permanent interests that must ultimately weaken their connection with the Mother Country. This is a plain issue upon which the judgment as well as the patriotism of Canadians may safely be left to express an unmistakable opinion. There is only one factor that can disturb this judgment, and that is the Nationalist party led by Mr. Bourassa. One thing this party fears more than reciprocity with the United States, and that is a policy which brings Canada closer to the Empire. On that account we regret that the fortunes of the Conservative party should even temporarily be linked with those of Mr. Bourassa.

BRITAIN TRUSTS CANADA.

(London Standard, Con.).
Although, however, these matters are not likely to be lost sight of during the coming struggle, there is little doubt that at Ottawa—correspondent prophesies. Reciprocity will be the absorbing issue. And people in this country will not be unwilling to trust to the good sense and patriotism of Canadians to settle it once and for all in a way conducive to the interests alike of themselves and of the Empire. We must not omit to record with satisfaction Sir Wilfrid Laurier's reiteration of former assurances that the "proud principle of British Preference still dominates Canada's fiscal policy, which, he asserts, would in no degree be impaired by reciprocity with the United States.

GET THE PRICES RIGHT.

(Calgary Albertan).
British Columbia people will buy Alberta produce under reciprocity if they get it at the same price they get it from elsewhere. One would think to read the Bennett organ-crier's effusions that the people of British Columbia would buy from Washington just for the pleasure of turning Alberta down. Don't you believe it.

JUST A CHILD WAIL.

(Boston Congregationalist).
To hear the Canadian Opposition, in its argument against reciprocity, crying "Annexation! Annexation!" reminds one of a child crying in the night and with no argument but a cry.

CONSISTENCY.

(Calgary Albertan).
"Oh! God, those American dollars," screeches the Borden candidate, while the high tariff manipulators of his party go to New York to get a barrel of the same kind of dollars to help defeat reciprocity.

POLITICAL STRAWS

Mr. Barnard has also become "frank and candid." He admits that in the campaign of 1908 he had no hope of the Conservative party being returned to power. This confession is hardly in line with the campaign utterances of the ex-member. Still the people will accept the confession and let that feature of the past be forgotten. But Mr. Barnard says the conditions are different in this election and that he really believes the Conservatives have a chance. We can, however, assure Mr. Barnard that as a prophet he is not likely to have honors showered upon him. The Times is in possession of facts which prove that the Liberal victory of 1911 is going to be very much more decisive than the triumph of 1908. In the East Conservative after Conservative, some of them candidates for election, are declaring themselves in favor of reciprocity. In the province of Nova Scotia one local election has been held already in which reciprocity was the only issue, and it resulted in the election of the advocate of freer trade and reduced taxation by a majority of 750. This is the surest indication of the trend of feeling in Nova Scotia and bears out the contention of the Times that the political remains of the Conservative leader himself will be found among the ruins on the 21st of September.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE		
At New York—		
	R.	H.
Pittsburg	3	7
New York	1	6
Batteries—Adams and Gibson; Mathewson and Meyers.		
Second Game.		
	R.	H.
Pittsburg	1	2
New York	2	4
Batteries—Cannitt and Gibson; Marquard and Myers.		

AMERICAN LEAGUE		
At Detroit—		
	R.	H.
Detroit	1	2
Washington	2	4

off after the Detroit-Washington game postponed on account of rain.

FIGHT WITH THREE HOUSEBREAKERS

WINNIPEG POLICEMAN MAY DIE FROM WOUNDS

Young Civilian Assists Officers in Capture of Two of Desperadoes

Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—Constable Trainor was shot through the lungs and Constable Brown was fired on 15 times but not hit by three housebreakers, whom the officers were trying to arrest in Elmwood and North Winnipeg yesterday afternoon. The housebreakers are now in the cells.

The police were notified that housebreakers were at work about 3 o'clock, and Constable Trainor on his motor cycle set out for Elmwood, unarmed. He was informed that the men had gone to the segregated district and located them at a house in Ratchet street. He was refused admittance, and on going to the rear door was shot in the lungs and laid out. Constable Brown, who had been sent to his assistance, set off after the men as they left the house and all of them opened fire on him in the street, and of fifteen shots in his direction only one came near hitting him, cutting a hole in the leg of his trousers. He followed them persistently, and with another officer succeeded in cornering the trio in Euclid street.

The entire neighborhood was terrorized, and the streets were cleared of foot and vehicular traffic in a twinkling after the shooting was first heard. The final capture of two of the desperadoes was due to the presence of mind and courage of a youthful civilian. The fugitives held up a trolley car on Euclid avenue, but the civilian hearing the police whistle and seeing the fugitives urging the motorman to hasten, pulled off the trolley. The men then backed out of the car, covering the passengers and crew and commandeered a horse and buggy driving by. The same youthful civilian grabbed the horse's head and ducked a fusillade of bullets as the desperadoes, thus delaying them until the police arrived and effected their capture. Two of the men gave their names as Harry Kelly and Frank Jones, both of Minneapolis. Constable Trainor may die. A dramatic feature in connection with the affair is the fact that Constable Trainor was suspended a couple of weeks ago because he did not give chase to highwaymen who fired on him and another policeman on Allen street. Winnipeg police do not carry guns in the daytime, and in the chase he was armed with only bludgeons to oppose the automatic pistols of the yeggonne.

TWO BURNED TO DEATH.

Ontario, Cal., Aug. 24.—Douglas Clark, aged 17, and Everett Davenport, aged 9, were burned to death last night when the Clark residence burned to the ground shortly before midnight.

The house burst into flames at midnight and so rapid was the spread of the blaze that by the time an alarm had been turned in, the building was burned almost to the ground. Mrs. James Clark, mother of Douglas and grandmother of the Davenport boy, was roused by her sister, Mrs. Frank Clark, who lived next door. The latter was seriously burned in the attempt to arouse the household and her sister was seriously burned and fatally injured by jumping from the second story window.

The boys were sleeping in an upper room and it is believed suffocated in their bed.

FIGHT OVER CAR FARES.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 24.—The county authorities took a hand today in the trouble between the residents of Rainier Valley and the Seattle, Renton & Southern Railway over the collection of second fares at Kenyon street and the refusal of the company to issue transfers good on the competing line, by arresting James Blackwell, chief engineer of the road; George Hartung, superintendent; Park Shelton, a conductor; and Sam Wallace, said to be a "bouncer," on a charge of violating the public service law.

This law provides a misdemeanor for an employee of a street railway to demand a fare exceeding five cents for a single ride within the corporate limits of any city. The warrants were issued by the prosecuting attorney on request of the attorney for the residents of the affected district.



READY FOR HIM!
THE OGRE—Booh!
THE MAN WITH THE AXE—Booh yourself!

RUTHERFORD MAY RETIRE FROM RAGE

HON. F. OLIVER DENIES OPPOSITION STORY

Ex-Premier Not Offered Judgeship to Withdraw From Edmonton

Edmonton, Aug. 24.—Hon. F. Oliver held an enthusiastic meeting last night in the committee room. The minister and a number of local workers spoke. Mr. Oliver gave emphatic denial to the story published in the morning paper that Mr. Rutherford had been offered a judgeship to retire. "Mr. Rutherford has the same right as any other citizen to offer himself as a candidate, and I have no wish to prevent him," said the minister.

The first of the campaign meetings of the ex-premier was advertised for last night, but was called off, the reason given being that Mr. Rutherford was suffering from tonsillitis. There are persistent rumors that he will retire, but no one in authority will make a definite statement.

Duncan, Aug. 24.—At the Conservative convention held yesterday Frank S. Shephard, of Nanaimo, was unanimously nominated as the Conservative standard bearer to oppose Ralph Smith in the Nanaimo district.

Montreal, Aug. 24.—The Liberals of Drummond-Athabasca have nominated Mr. Brouillard to oppose A. Gilbert, who is again in the field, this time as an independent candidate.

Tanorede Marell, one of the younger men of the Bourassa wing of the opposition, was nominated yesterday to oppose J. Marcil for the County of Bagot.

A. Gellezare, notary, was today nominated Conservative candidate for Maskinonge county.

Mr. Oliver Assella last night received the Conservative nomination in St. James to oppose Alderman L. A. Lapointe, who was chosen as candidate by the Liberal convention.

Brockville, Aug. 24.—The Liberals of Leeds in convention today at Delta selected Pirman Cross, of Lansdowne, to oppose George Taylor.

Quebec, Aug. 24.—The Liberal convention at Jeanne Lorette today nominated J. E. Caouette.

BIRTH RATE DECREASES

Montreal, Aug. 24.—There was a slight increase in Montreal's death rate last year and a falling off in the birth rate, according to the annual report of the civic health department. For births the decrease amounts to 4.9 per thousand. Marriages were augmented by 3.56 per 1,000. Deaths for 1910 numbered 10,271, or 23.40 per 1,000, as compared with 22.98 per 1,000 for the year previous. The births numbered 16,616, or 34.63 per 1,000, as compared with 37.15 for the year preceding, and the record for marriages showed that they numbered 4,296, or 9.02 per 1,000 inhabitants, as compared with 8.98 for the year before.

THREE LOSE THEIR LIVES IN FIRE

FLAMES DESTROY HOUSE AT PORT ARTHUR

Two Children Escape by Jumping From Windows of Burning Dwelling

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 24.—Trapped on the upper floor of their little home on Chamberlain street, on the outskirts of the city, three children of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Schmidt were burned to death yesterday morning, while two others narrowly escaped the same fate by jumping from the windows. The fire started from some unknown cause on the second floor while Mrs. Schmidt was engaged in preparing breakfast. When she noticed it she ran to the staircase to call the children, but was met with a wall of flame and smoke that she could not penetrate. Her calling gave the alarm to the other two children who were able to jump from the windows and escape, but the other three probably were suffocated by the smoke. The victims, whose bodies were found in the ruins after the home had been destroyed, were Ella, aged 16, employed in the city telephone central office; Louise, aged 8, and Marion, aged 5. The father was away at work at King's elevator when the fire occurred. Convent Destroyed.

Thurston, Que., Aug. 24.—Fire destroyed the convent here, entailing a loss of \$20,000, out of which \$5,000 is covered by insurance. The fire started in the sheds and as there is no fire-fighting apparatus in the village, the bucket brigade could do practically nothing. The burned convent was a three-story wooden structure put up last June. It was closed for vacation at the time of the fire.

SOME REASONS FOR RECIPROcity

- It will lessen the cost of living.
- It will benefit the consumer.
- It will give a larger market for farm produce.
- It will increase the trade of Canada.
- It will open a market for British Columbia fish.
- It will make the British Columbia fish industry the greatest in the world.
- It will benefit the manufacturer through the general impetus to business and not jeopardize the protection he now enjoys.
- It will give employment to a greater number of men through the general increase of business and the establishment of new industries.
- It will increase rather than decrease wages through the greater demand for labor.

A VOTE FOR TEMPLEMAN MEANS A VOTE FOR RECIPROcity.

PROSPERITY WILL BE INCREASED

SIR WILFRID SPEAKS ON RECIPROcity

Jingoes of England and Canada Oppose Freer Trade With United States

Que., Aug. 24.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier at his meeting here yesterday, made it quite clear that the Liberal candidate, Arthur Currier, had the unequivocal support of the government. Five thousand people attended the meeting, which was marked by great enthusiasm, the prime minister being frequently cheered.

Sir Wilfrid alluded to Canada's prosperity and the reason why Canadians should feel proud of it and their country, but the Liberals had a policy which would augment still further the country's prosperity, that of reciprocity with the United States. The opposition until February last had favored reciprocity, but now they had changed their coats and cried: "Let well enough alone," a cry that was very flattering to the Liberal administration.

"We would be better still with reciprocity," he said. "Hay sells at \$13 a ton in Montreal and in Boston at \$20 a ton. You have a fine hay crop in Richelieu. If you send it to Boston and sell it for \$20 you will pay \$7 of \$4 freight and \$4 customs, but remove the \$4 duty and you reap a greater benefit."

Sir Wilfrid said all parties favored reciprocity. Suddenly the opposition had changed their attitude. Some believed the manufacturers had caused their change. "I never believed this," he said. "Reciprocity does not hurt the manufacturers. It is in their interests for the farmers to be rich. When the farmers are rich, all are rich. It was not the manufacturers who opposed this policy. It was the jingoes of England and Canada."

FRANCE'S REPLY TO GERMANY.

Paris, Aug. 24.—The maximum terms which France will offer to Germany for the settlement of the Moroccan dispute will be submitted to the full cabinet for approval to-morrow. Meantime they are held in complete secrecy.

NEW PRESIDENT OF PORTUGAL.

Lisbon, Aug. 24.—The constituent assembly today elected general Arrago president of the republic by 121 votes.

BIG BOODLE FUND FOR ANTI-RECIPROcity FIGHT

Protected Interests Contribute Freely in Hope of Defeating Pact Which Will Reduce Cost of Living in Canada.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 23.—Having failed in their attack on reciprocity in Congress, the Big Interests and Trusts of the United States are now concentrating their fire upon the hosts of the freer traders in Canada. They are evidently determined to fight "to the last ditch" for the privilege of enslaving and despoiling the people. The marauders realize that if they can carry the ramparts in Canada the results would be just the same as if they had succeeded in thwarting the will of the people in the United States, as in the event of the defeat of the Liberal government the reciprocity pact would fall to the ground. Hence the organization has transferred its base of operations from Washington to Montreal, and with a tremendous boodle fund at its disposal is actively at work manufacturing dispatches and sending them to Conservative newspapers in all parts of Canada predicting ruin and desolation should reciprocity be adopted by the electorate.

As an indication of the sources from which this organization is drawing its supplies and its inspiration, the following appears in an American newspaper: A big international boodle fund is

being raised to-day to beat the reciprocity bill. Great Britain, Canada and the United States will figure in the three-cornered last desperate effort to encompass this end. From the United States will come a big contribution from the Lumber and Paper trusts. The protected interests of Canada will contribute a big slice, while the tariff reformers of England, those who are behind the propaganda to put the mother country on a protective tariff basis, will swing in with their share of the golden motive power.

Information received by members of the Liberal party is to the effect that from England alone there is already half a million dollars on the way. Accompanying it is a series of English posters that have been used in the campaign there against the movement to make the enormously wealthy peers bear a just share of the taxation. The rich Tories see in the reciprocity movement not so much a blow at the British preferential as a manifestation of general tendency against the ruling classes.

The motives of the Paper and Lumber trusts in the States are easy to understand, while the animosity of the manufacturers of Canada to any movement for lower tariff is easily appreciated. Five million dollars is declared to be already in sight of purchase of the reciprocity fund, and as much more as may be necessary will be forthcoming at the proper time.

THIRTY RESCUED.

Perim, Arabia, Aug. 24.—The British steamer Warwickshire, passing Lere today, signalled that all of the thirty passengers and crew who were missing from the steamer Fisherie when she was wrecked at the entrance to the Gulf of Eden two weeks ago, have been rescued.

HAVOC WROUGHT BY STORM.

Rome, Aug. 23.—Torrential rains, accompanied by high winds, have devastated the rich province of Lombardy. Many houses have been blown down and some fatalities have resulted. Bridges have been carried away and enormous damage has been done to vineyards.

NICARAGUAN PRESIDENT RESIGNS.

New Orleans, La., Aug. 24.—An unconfirmed report reached here today from Bluefields that President Adolfo Diaz had relinquished the presidency of Nicaragua to his minister of war, General Luis Mena. Diaz is said to have left Managua, the capital-for Bluefields, where he expected to meet former President Juan Estrada.

WINNIPEG RAILWAY DEAL.

Conferences Between Owners and Members of the City Council.

Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann held lengthy conferences with the city council this morning touching on the purchase of the interests of the electric street railway company by the city for \$4,000,000. Two questions seem to be holding the parties apart. Mackenzie & Mann want the city to agree, before an audit is made, that if the investigation by independent experts shows the stock is paying a five per cent dividend on a valuation of \$250 per share, the city will bind itself to submit a by-law of purchase to the people and also they do not want to sell the suburban lines.

The city will not purchase without the suburban lines and they want a dividend to be shown of 7 per cent on stock valuation of \$250.

While the conference was secret, it was declared at the conclusion that terms had been partially agreed upon. An audit will be made and a by-law submitted if the dividend of six per cent is warranted and the suburban lines will be included, in fact everything the company owns.



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AT EIGHT O'CLOCK
Full attendance requested, important business to be discussed.
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A SPECIAL MEETING of all active Liberals in Ward Five is called for
TO-NIGHT
In the Liberal Committee Rooms, Cormorant Street, at 8 o'clock.

LIBERALS OF OAKLANDS
are requested to meet at
1455 Hillside Avenue
on
Friday, August 25th, at 8 o'clock p.m.
for organization purposes.
A. B. FRASER, Pres. Ward Three. T. J. W. HICK, Secretary.

SAANICH LIBERALS OF WARD TWO
are cordially invited to a meeting
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- CANADIAN RYE WHISKEY 65c
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- OLD BANFF SCOTCH, Imp. quarts, 5 years old. Price \$1.25
- OLD BANFF SCOTCH, flasks; 5 year old 50c
- OLD BANFF SCOTCH, per bottle; 5 year old \$1.00
- CANADIAN CLUB RYE, per bottle \$1.00
- SEAGRAM'S 83 RYE, per bottle \$1.00
- FINE OLD JAMAICA RUM, Imp. quarts, \$1.25
- FINE OLD JAMAICA RUM, per gallon \$5.00
- FINE OLD SCOTCH, per gallon \$4.50

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Tenders, sealed and endorsed, "Tender for Sidewalk," will be received by the undersigned up to 5 p. m. on Thursday, August 31, 1911, for the construction of a five-foot cement sidewalk on the west side of Newport Avenue, from Saratoga Avenue to

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FATAL BLAZE AT VANCOUVER

ONE CHINAMAN DEAD; FOURTEEN INJURED

Many Have Narrow Escapes When Flames Destroy Four Buildings

Vancouver, Aug. 24.—A fire which resulted in the death of one Chinaman and the serious injury of several others, broke out in Shanghai Alley, in Chinatown, early this morning. Four buildings, from No. 17 to No. 21, on both Shanghai and Canton alleys, were completely gutted.

The following is the result of the casualties as correctly as it could be compiled this morning: Dead, Loo Wong, aged 25, cook, burned to death; injured, Lew Tong, skull fractured, may die; Loo Ching, head hurt and leg broken; Loo Wai To, head and back injured; Lew Gin Ching, right leg injured; Loo Sin, left leg and hand hurt; Loo Hee, injured back; Loo Chee Ho, injured back; Loo Lin Sing, hand hurt; Ching Chung, back hurt; Lee Chung, back hurt; Loo Ts Gin, hand hurt; Loo Ching, hand hurt; Loo Wing, hand hurt; Loo Hing, bruised.

With the exception of Lew Tong, the injured are being cared for at the homes of friends in Chinatown. They are all laborers.

Loo Wong must have received his fatal burns while trying to escape from the little room in which he slept. He jumped from the third story window and was beyond help when the firemen and policemen picked him up.

The others received their injuries in jumping to safety from the windows. They were probably 25 Oriental in the burned buildings and the flames spread with such rapidity that it is surprising that so many were able to get out.

The fire originated in the lower floor of some of the buildings, but owing to the nature of the construction of the buildings, it is impossible to tell in exactly what spot it started. The call was turned in shortly before 2 o'clock this morning and the entire fire fighting force of the city was on hand in a few minutes. The firemen were handicapped by the maze-like character of the buildings.

The blaze was brought under control about 3 o'clock, when a few of the partitions and passages were burned out and the firemen got a chance to pour in some water.

BASEBALL RESULTS

At Portland—R. H. E.
Sacramento..... 2 7 0
Portland..... 5 6 0
Batteries—Byram and Thomas; Steen and Kuhn.

At San Francisco—R. H. E.
Los Angeles..... 4 11 5
Oakland..... 12 16 1
Batteries—Crigher, Tozier and Smith; Christian and Mitze.

At Los Angeles—R. H. E.
San Francisco..... 4 12 2
Vernon..... 5 12 3
Batteries—Henley and Berry; Raleigh, Carson and Hogan.

EASTERN LEAGUE
At Toronto—First game, Toronto, 4; Jersey City, 1. Second game, Toronto, 4; Jersey City, 2.

At Buffalo—Newark, 6; Buffalo, 9.
At Rochester—Providence, 7; Rochester, 12.

At Montreal—Baltimore, 7; Montreal, 1.

CANADIAN LEAGUE
At Hamilton—Branford, 10; Hamilton, 1.

At Berlin—London, 2; Berlin, 16.

WESTERN CANADIAN LEAGUE
At Saskatoon—Mede Jaw, 3; Saskatoon, 7.

At Calgary—Edmonton, 10; Calgary, 2.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE STANDING.

The standing of the Northwestern League teams is:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Vancouver	79	49	.617
Tacoma	73	55	.570
Seattle	70	57	.553
Portland	62	63	.496
Victoria	31	99	.238

—In the police court this morning John Dempster, who sought trouble on the street yesterday, was sent to jail for one month on a charge of assaulting a constable. He followed the constable about the street for a time and finally struck him.

—The officials of the Centennial Methodist church have decided to change the hour of Sunday evening service from 7 to 7:30 o'clock, to take effect on Sunday evening next.

MACDOUGALL WINS THE WALKER PRIZE

Makes Possible in Final Range—Scores of Other Victorians at Big Meet

Ottawa, Aug. 24.—Sergeant Major Macdougall was shooting in great form yesterday. His total for three ranges in three matches was 102, the distances being 500 in the governor-general's, 800 in the Dominion and 900 in the Walker. At the last range he scored a possible. This gives him the first individual prize in the Walker and \$25.

Victorians' scores in the governor-general's match at 500 yards, were: Macdougall, 34; Lettice, 32; Caven, 31; Richardson, 33; Rogers, 33; Carr, 32; Birch, 32; Winsby, 33; Duncan, 32.

Dominion, 800 yards: Macdougall, 33; Lettice, 28; Caven, 26; Richardson, 32; Rogers, 28; Carr, 27; Birch, 29; Winsby, 30; Duncan, 28.

Walker, 900 yards: Macdougall, 25; Lettice, 28; Caven, 23; Richardson, 21; Rogers, 24; Carr, 28; Birch, 24; Winsby, 24; Duncan, 24.

TO DEVELOP BIG RANCH.
Vancouver, Aug. 24.—Plans for the development of the 110,000 acre ranch of the Douglas Cattle Company, Ltd., near Douglas Lake, in the Nicola district, south of Kamloops, recently acquired by a group of London financiers, will soon be formulated. This was the announcement made by R. M. Palmer, former deputy minister of agriculture and now managing director of the B. C. Fruit Lands, Ltd., owing large tracts near Kamloops and in the Okanagan district. Mr. Palmer is closely associated with the new owners who include A. C. Johnstone, managing director of the British-Canadian Investment Company of London, England, and took a prominent part in the recent negotiations that resulted in the sale.

FINE AND IMPRISONMENT.
Two Convictions Against Estelle Durin—Sentenced and Fined.

Estelle Durin, alias Estelle Carroll, appearing on remand before Magistrate Jay in the Saanich municipal police court this morning, charged with keeping a disorderly house on the George road, was found guilty and sentenced to serve four months' imprisonment.

The evidence for the prosecution was given at the former sitting of the court, and the defence this morning announced there would be no evidence to refute the charge. Mr. Robinson, of Vancouver, who appeared for the defence, argued it had not been proved that the accused woman was the owner or occupier of the house.

The magistrate held otherwise, and that the case was proved by the evidence of Constable Little as to proprietorship; and the other witnesses as to the character of the place.

On a charge of selling liquor without a license, also remanded from last court, the accused was fined the maximum sum, \$250, and in default of payment by distress two months' imprisonment. There are three other charges of selling liquor without a license but these may be withdrawn, all having occurred on the same occasion. The accused was fined last July \$500 for selling liquor, the amount being fines for two convictions.

Mr. Robinson this morning, in speaking for the defence, requested the court to accept the apology of the woman for her behaviour in the court on Tuesday, August 15, for which she was sent to jail for contempt.

WOMEN WISER THAN MEN

In the care of their hair women have shown superior wisdom to men. Only when a bald spot appears on top do many men begin to realize this fact.

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Parisian Sage supplies nourishment to the hair roots, while it kills the dandruff germs and, at the same time, puts life and lustre into the hair. A truly wonderful combination makes it possible to kill the dandruff germ, soak in and get right down to the hair roots where the hair worries and scalp ailments begin. This is why D. E. Campbell guarantees Parisian Sage to grow new hair (if the hair root is not dead), to stop falling hair, to kill the dandruff germs and stop itching scalp or money back.

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STORM RETARDS THE HARVESTING

Indications of Improved Conditions of Weather in Grain Districts in West

Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—While the government weather report for the past 20 hours ending yesterday again shows the entire absence of frost throughout the western provinces, private dispatches from correspondents assert that frost was felt at one or two points. From Weyburn was received the following dispatch: "There was frost in this district Tuesday night which left a thin coat of ice on water during the early morning. Farmers living along eleven rural telephone lines assert that no damage was done to crops. Potatoes and cucumber vines are not injured, therefore it is believed that wheat, which is a sturdier plant, has escaped injury." From Brandon, which is the centre of Manitoba agricultural area, the following was received yesterday morning: "Weather was warmer Tuesday night than Monday. The lowest point recorded at the experiment farm was 46, which is far enough above zero to allay any fears of damage to crops. Not even the tenderness of plants in the farm gardens showed any signs of injury. This morning broke bright, clear and warm, and it looks like another spell of ideal harvest weather."

Generally all reports received are very optimistic and these fears not appear to be any wide-spread anxiety over weather inclemencies. From the belt which was struck by the cyclone of Sunday evening and Southeast Saskatchewan and Southwestern Manitoba, belated reports indicate hail, rain and wind swept away from 5 to 12 per cent. of uncut grain, and generally retarded harvesting operations. With every indication of better weather for the next week prospects are still bright for an unusual good average wheat yield.

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Lexington, Ky., Aug. 24.—The Burley tobacco crop of Kentucky, which was last year estimated to be 300,000,000 pounds, will not amount to more than 50,000,000 pounds this year. The great shortage is due to the worst drought in years, to hail-storms and to failure of hundreds of farmers to plant tobacco this year on account of the large amount of the pooled crop of other years still unsold.

ADMIRAL TOGO'S TOUR.

Winnipeg, Aug. 23.—Admiral Togo reached Winnipeg this afternoon and was met by representatives of the Dominion and provincial governments, the city council, and Sir William Whyte, vice-president of the C. P. R., over which line the admiral is travelling. Admiral Togo remained only an hour here.

One hundred thousand tons of apples are raised on British soil yearly.

WORKINGMEN AND RECIPROcity PACT

CROWDED MEETING LAST NIGHT IN INSTITUTE HALL

Liberal Speakers Deal With Matters Which Intimately Concern the Worker

It was a typical workingman's meeting which was held in Institute hall last evening under the auspices of the Liberal party. The hard-working, hard-thinking, keen men who had gathered to listen for a couple of hours to speakers on the great question which is going to mean so much in benefit to their families and themselves had come after a long day's work, but in spite of that listened for two hours with an attention and appreciation which set a good example to all audiences. They were thoroughly representative of the high type of working class which Victoria boasts of.

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Prospered Under Reciprocity.

Chairman Sherk announced that the meeting was called to consider reciprocity from the economic standpoint. The economic question was ever before them; it was a hobby of the working man, who had to study it closely to make ends meet. Mr. Sherk recalled the days of reciprocity when formerly in force, and the manner in which eastern Canada had then prospered. He instanced barley, which commanded so high a price across the line that finally the brewers began to kick and threaten dear beer.

"Soon there was a repeal of reciprocity," he continued, "and we got cheap beer, for there was no sale for beer, nor for anything else as soon as the prosperity reciprocity had brought passed away."

Mr. Sherk laughed at the Colonist attempt to make the workers believe that reciprocity was going to make hard times for them the same as in the United States. The workingmen knew the facts and it would not be so easy as the Colonist thought to delude them. Taking one case out of many he cited, he said, he mentioned the cost of sash. That made across the line sells at 35c and the millmen got a good profit at that—but here the mills charged a dollar. There white labor was employed; here the mills had Chinese white labor.

A Fruit-Grower's Testimony. Senator Bostock, as an Englishman who had come out to this country to farm and grow fruit, declared himself unhesitatingly for reciprocity as a benefit to his section of the population. Said he:

"Reciprocity is going to be of great advantage to the fruit-growers, because it will give us a larger market and give us an opportunity of selling the best of our fruit at the high prices obtainable in the United States market. And we will then be able to sell our second quality at the same price as the Americans secure for theirs in the Northwest market. So far as the consumer is concerned he will get during a certain part of the year fruit of a kind not raised here in great quantity and cheaper." (Applause.)

The senator referred to Mr. McBride's boast of a solid seven, and assured the meeting that while the coast was going to see that boast was not realized, the electors of Yale-Cariboo and Kootenay meant to make it as difficult as possible—even impossible—to reselect the old members. In Dr. J. H. King and Dr. K. C. Macdonald the Liberals had splendid candidates. Concluding, Senator Bostock said:

"While in England this summer I find that the people think reciprocity a good business arrangement for Canada, but some tariff reformers thought we should have it, not because not a good thing for us, but because it did not play into their hands as they desired. As I pointed out to them, the British empire will be best together if every part of it does what it thinks best in its own interests. (Hear, hear.) We will not further the unity of the empire by neglecting to do what is best for ourselves because it does not suit some other part. We want to make this Dominion a greater force than ever in the empire, and the only way we can do this is to have a free trade agreement with the great British Empire." (Applause.)

Challenges McBride.

R. L. Drury, who took a prominent part in the settlement of the Japanese question, having been sent to Japan to make enquiries before the treaty was arranged, referred to the fact that at the last election most of the space of the Colonist had been devoted to the suggested Japanese wholesale invasion, which was made the great appeal at that election. He read the editorials which appeared in the morning paper, the first stating that the defeat of a cabinet minister would be the most emphatic way of protesting against the

THINKING THEMES BY DR. FRANK CRANE

If Nathanael Hawthorne were alive there is a novel I would like to have him write. He had the genius for describing the over-development of some one trait of character that had become morbidly super-tense, until it twisted and colored, deformed and transformed the whole man. He thus depicted the overactive conscience, in 'The Scarlet Letter.' I would like to have him take up the overactive sense of Modesty.



He could thus show us the timid, shrinking boy, full of love, life and companionship, but too keenly sensitive; so that little by little he is alienated from all his playmates, draws apart from his brothers and sisters, and even from his mother. No one understands what the difficulty is. He is mis-called selfish, egotistic, for he despises himself, and loves his fellow-beings passionately. The secret is that his spiritual skin is so thin that human contact of any kind is an exquisite torment.

His early life would thus be traced, until the climax comes. He falls in love with an estimable girl, who, however, has the womanly knack of liberal criticism. He pours out to her all the pent up reserves of his nature, unfolds in a passion of confession all the inner life that has so long been hidden. She takes it all quite as a matter of course. She sets him down as a very "peculiar" man and tries to get him to fall in line with the rest of humanity.

His struggles to retain his love and to endure the torture of their relationship, increase in complexity and intensity, until at last the high-strung silver cord snaps, the too thin golden bowl is broken, and he goes mad.

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Japanese agreement, and the second remedy suggested. That remedy would not have been worth the paper it was written on because the Japanese could pass such a test in thousands. English was taught to every boy and girl compulsorily, at all the Japanese schools, and not one failed to pass the test. And a Natal act had been passed. Mr. McBride's panacea for the trouble, while the remedy which has been given by the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier had been a great success, and was a remedy that would last for all time. He defied Hon. Mr. McBride, and also Mr. Barnard, to come forward and say that either of them would be willing to-day, to substitute the Natal act for the successful measure introduced and carried out by the Liberal government, and if his good friend the Colonist would reproduce these editorials and the speeches of the premier and Mr. Barnard and distribute it from house to house all over the city he would be quite prepared to pay the

whole of the expense. (Applause.)

As to the five Conservative representatives of this province he took opportunity to refer to the statement made in the House by Ralph Smith that all these gentlemen, notwithstanding their professed professions, all employed their attics themselves, and he also alluded to the fact that, when this matter was mentioned at Ottawa none of those mentioned dared to stand up and deny it.

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MYSTERIOUS TRAGEDY.

New York, Aug. 24.—Three young women are under arrest pending search for the murderer of James McNeary, who was shot through the heart in his apartments in East 124th street. Though all deny any knowledge of the crime, the police believe they were members of a party, both men and women, who were in McNeary's rooms shortly before dawn when the pistol shots alarmed the neighborhood. When the police arrived they found McNeary dead on the floor and alone. The women under arrest were found several hours later in a neighboring house. They gave their names as: Julia Crowe, Mary Beine, and Margaret Elme. The police say the Elme woman was known as McNeary's wife.

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DEALING WITH CRISES.

The Shareholder and Insurance Gazette, reviewing the coal strike situation and commenting on the action of the government in temporarily suspending the import duty on coal, says: "In view of the above, does it not seem a little remarkable that the reciprocal proposals whereby Canada and the United States will each reduce their duties against coal from each country to the other should have aroused such opposition?"

McBRIDE'S INCONSISTENCY.

The Hon. Richard McBride exhibits increasing evidence of the progress in his system of a disease, the germs of which were not suspected in his constitution until he became inoculated with the bacillus discovered in that Ottawa Tory caucus at which Mr. Borden was compelled to adopt the Empire dismemberment cry in order to have a campaign slogan. It is an open secret that Mr. Borden in this caucus stood out for hours in favor of reciprocity, and so well was his first impression of the pact understood that the leading Conservative organs of Ontario gave the reciprocity agreement all but unstinted praise.

Bride himself, though he yesterday at Dunsmuir reaffirmed his insincere declaration "this reciprocity pact being thrust upon Canada would lead to the dismemberment of the Empire and fusion with the United States."

This is quite on a level with his utterances at the Conservative picnic at Goldstream, and at Dunsmuir he again stated the unalterable determination of the Conservatives to "raise the duties still higher."

Premier McBride must be of short memory. Such utterances from him now suddenly, the dignified statements he made from his seat in the legislature on February 13th of this year when he was speaking to a resolution condemning the reciprocity pact and whipping into line the all too subservient members of the legislative assembly who do not fail to vote as Mr. McBride indicates the way.

From Premier McBride's address at the Conservative picnic, Goldstream, August 12, 1911. (Revised report): "Are we of Canada going to preserve this blessed heritage of liberty, or are we to exchange it and our present fortunate conditions for those other conditions in which we find so much to criticize across the boundary line?"

"Reciprocity is generally recognized as a threatening disasterous effects to Canadian national welfare. British Columbia is strongly opposed to it as shown by the resolution passed in the legislature on February 13, 1911."

"If reciprocity would not take many weeks to find out what material losses Canadians were suffering. It was all right to say that we would get cheaper tobacco and cheaper wheat, but under reciprocity we would pass into the grasp of the most merciless trusts, and moreover the wages of our working men would fall to the level of those across the line."

"Canada's aim," continued the premier, "should be to promote inter-provincial and imperial trade - something that is being built up at present."

How the Premier can expect the people who have given him the highest office in their power to accept Mr. McBride's recent utterances is a matter which we are too overtaxed to explain. There is not even genius exhibited in his change of front. If there were any circumstances arising since February 13 to justify such a remarkable Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde Act we could understand the Premier's inconsistency. The change, however, appears to be wholly on Mr. McBride and accountable only on the assumption that he has placed himself and his machine at the service of "the interests."

The flag waving party is opposed to granting tariff concessions to the Motherland. Don't let that fact slip your memory.

Every Tory argument against reciprocity is based on an ignorance of common fact or a deliberate misrepresentation of present-day economic conditions and the trade relations between countries.

Kansas now has a law which requires the licensing of agents who propose to sell stocks and bonds. It is to protect the people from fraudulent "get-rich-quick" schemes. Of 200 applications for license only 18 were approved by the bank commissioner.

The telephone girls of the Bangor, Me., exchange, who stuck to their posts at the switchboard at the time of the great fire, when the district all around them was in flames, has each been given a silver pin by the telephone

company in recognition of their bravery.

The unanimity with which the Premier at the Imperial Conference have rejected as impracticable the proposal of Sir Joseph Ward for the establishment of what he terms an "Imperial Parliament of Defence" is evidence that they have a deeper comprehension of the problems connected with Imperial relations than the Premier of the New Zealand Dominion - The Labor Leader, N. Z.

A school teacher in Liverpool, G. H. who boasts that he has never chastised a girl pupil, saved his record the other day by permitting a boy to receive the punishment due a girl. It was during the hot weather last month, and the girl had repeatedly dropped a book to make a disturbance. When the schoolmaster made his offer, there were 20 boys willing to take the punishment, and the master chose the most popular boy of the school, thus adding to the boy's popularity, and, presumably, to his own.

The Toronto World says: "There is no reciprocity issue before Canada. All that reciprocity may or may not do for Canada will be done by the Democratic party of the United States as soon as it comes into power." The trouble with this sort of argument is that the United States Congress has prorogued without being able to carry a single one of its free list measures. Many Democrats voted against these and thus sustained the president's veto. We hope readers of such rash arguments will not be deceived.

Mr. Martin Burrell has never denied the statement that he sold his apple crop last year at \$1 per box to a Winnipeg firm and was shortly afterwards offered \$1.25 per box by Spokane buyers. The quality of fruit grown on Mr. Burrell's excellent farm is sufficient to explain the difference, but under reciprocity he would have been offered \$1.30. Perhaps Mr. Burrell's reason for opposing reciprocity is that he knows it is sure to come and he can thus safely adhere to the traditions of his party. He has no real fear of his industry being checked so long as Spokane offers better prices than Winnipeg.

Three months ago the Colonist vigorously denied having said anything that could be construed into an assertion that keeping up the cost of living is the only guarantee of high wages. It even went so far as to advertise a reward for any such statement appearing in its columns. Yet today every issue of the Colonist carries the editorial declaration "Reduce the cost of living and wages must come down." Every day it emphatically commits itself to this brazen falsehood. When the elections are over it will "perjure" itself by swearing that it never said any such thing.

WAS SIR JOHN A TRAITOR?

(Winnipeg Free Press). This is the standing offer to the United States which Sir John A. Macdonald put into the National Policy tariff which was enacted in 1879:

"Any or all of the following articles, that is to say: Animals of all kinds, green fruit, hay, straw, bran, seeds of all kinds; vegetables, including potatoes and other roots, plants, trees and shrubs; coal and coke, salt, hops, wheat, peas and beans, barley, rye, oats, Indian corn, buckwheat, and all other grains; flour of wheat and flour of rye, Indian meal and oatmeal, and flour meal of any other grain; butter, tallow; meats, fresh, salt, or smoked, and lard; and any other articles that may be imported into Canada free of duty or at a less rate of duty than is provided by this Act upon the proclamation of the Governor-in-Council, which may be issued whenever it appears to his satisfaction that similar articles from Canada may be imported into the United States free of duty or at a rate of duty not exceeding that payable on the same under such proclamation when imported into Canada."

This standing offer remained on the statute book during the whole thirteen years of Sir John's premiership. It was in existence when he died. Elections will observe that it provided for a wider measure of reciprocity than the reciprocal proposition now before the Canadian people. Also, that it gave the Canadian Government power to bring about reciprocity by order-in-council without consulting Parliament. Conservatives who now oppose reciprocity should offer an explanation of Sir John's attitude. Didn't he know any better? Or was he a traitor to the Empire, like Laurier in 1911?



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This lot includes almost every possible style of collar on the market, Silk Bows, String Ties, Jabots, Stiff Embroidered Collars, and an almost endless variety of other styles and patterns too numerous to mention. Not one of these collars have yet been offered for sale to the general public. They are a very superior lot and are worth from \$1.50 up to \$2 each, and would be fair value at that price. Having secured these samples at our own price we are able to make this an unusual advertising event. Special price on Friday morning 25c

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CARPET REMNANTS - There are a number of very useful pieces of tapestry and Brussels carpet to be sold on Friday morning at very low prices to clear. They come in useful lengths and are valued at 85c to \$1.10 per yard. Price, to clear \$45c

REMNANTS of lace curtain nets, Madras muslins, cretonnes, tapestries, printed satens and fancy muslins in a variety of designs. These oddments are all marked at about one-third of their regular price, and go on sale on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock at prices that will please the most expectant.

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—Salmon trolling outfits of all kinds at the Victoria Sporting Goods Co.'s removing sale, Douglas street.
—Rev. Mr. Tonge, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Odessa, Wash., will arrive in this city on Friday, and will address several meetings of the Salvation Army.

—The Daughters of Scotland will hold a flannel dance in the Broad street hall on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock. A buffet supper will be served.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 24—5 a. m.—The pressure still remains high over British Columbia and the Northern Pacific states. With the exception of showers at Rupert, Chicago and in Kansas, fair weather conditions are general in this entire western part of the continent.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 2 p. m. Friday, Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm.
Lower mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm.

Reports at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.17; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.15; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, calm; rain, 56; weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.00; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles S. W.; weather, part cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. Wednesday.
Highest temperature..... 59
Lowest..... 52
Average..... 56
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Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2:30 p. m.; Princess Royal leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving at Victoria at 4:30 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 10 a. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 3 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 1 p. m. On the lie-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.
Princess George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

Vancouver-Seattle.
Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 10 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 7 a. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle at 11:30 p. m. daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

ASPHALT LAYING IS INTERESTING STUDY

Work of Laying is Too Hot for Whites and Blacks Accordingly Get In

Asphalt is a word that is likely to figure prominently in the lexicon of Victorians from now on, and it is just as well therefore that something should be known and understood regarding the ingredients of this interesting combination upon which the citizens will shortly have to tread. It so happens that the present is a peculiarly appropriate time for such a study, in view of the operations of the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company, which concern is carrying out the great contract recently entered into by the city.

The making and laying of asphalt for pavement purposes is one of those processes which have to be studied at first hand in order to obtain a conception of the intricacies and proportionate value of the ingredient materials, and happily under the circumstances it is easily possible to do this, for the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company does its plant work in the open air where anyone who evinces a sufficient interest in the making of asphalt for pavement purposes can attain his end without recourse to eavesdropping. From Spratt's wharf, where the asphalt plants are located, to the completed pavement on Queen's avenue and Yates street is little more than a step geographically, but in the asphalt sense, which is the sense under consideration, it is a long way, traversing the whole gamut of conditions and phases through which the constituents pass in their transitional course.

Perhaps the best way in which to focus the entire scheme of paving which is at present under way is to begin at the beginning and trace the process step by step from the asphalt plants at the wharf to the thoroughfares already mentioned, which are the first to be treated by the company and upon which the finest article is to be observed. Spratt's wharf today presents a scene of strange activity. For a time, when Queen's avenue was being paved, only one of the great plants was in operation, the other being held in readiness for opening the attack on Yates street. Now, however, both plants are producing asphalt at a great rate. For a time one of them produced the binder while the other produced the surface asphalt, but now that the binder has been laid on Yates street the surface paving is being proceeded with rapidly. Binder it is possible to lay at a much greater speed than the surface owing to the different composition used. Much of Yates street is already done and it has been promised in a completed condition for the Fair week. On this particular street the many critics of the company have had every opportunity of exercising their super senses upon the merits of the pavement.

In regard to Queen's avenue it so happened that light asphalt was all that was required under the specifications, no binder figuring in the proposition at all, so that the pea gravel, of which there was so much

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heard recently both for and against, with the balance of words and votes finally leaning "in favor," did not make its public appearance until the operations on Yates street were commenced. The elimination of the binder on the Queen's avenue pavement is due to the fact that the street is not recognized as one upon which there is likely to be heavy traffic at any time.

This light asphalt, which consists of the materials specified in the contract, and in such proportions as may be deemed necessary and expedient by the circumstances, goes of course through the great plant emerging finally at something like 300 degrees heat. The mixing of the constituents is the last phase before the combination is carted away in the asphalt-lined wagons of the company, to the scene of the paving operations. Nothing is lost in this process save the smoke. By an ingenious device the plants shoot all their "material" smoke into a little round house which is so arranged as to segregate and retain the minutest particles of dust. This elusive element is of course used again in the "filling in" process, which means that it is applied to the surface binder to plug any air holes that might remain even after the thorough mixing to which the various elements of the composition are subjected. After being satisfactorily blended the simple pressing of a lever removes the bottom from the mixer and the finished asphalt is automatically deposited into the carts which are backed into the plants for the purpose.

The wagons which are being used by the company are of that patent type which empty themselves by the pulling of a lever from the driver's box. When the material is deposited on the street it is raked into a gang of blades and rakes, spreading it about until the desired thickness is attained. It is claimed that white men will not tackle the job of laying the asphalt on account of its excessive heat, and the company has perforce to resort to the employment of negroes in this very important part of the work.

As may very well be guessed much of the success of the pavement depends upon the careful spreading of the material and upon the judicious use of the roller. On going over the completed parts of the Yates street pavement, it is impossible to tell where the joints have been made, a fact which must be regarded as a tribute to the zeal and precaution of the men and hard as a rock the two streets pavement on a magnificent surface which positively invites negotiation.

The Welsh Society will resume its meetings early in September. At the first meeting a quartette competition will be held, the subject being "O Noel Addwyn," to the tune of the hymn, "Rhosymedra."

Permission was granted yesterday to the Phoenix Brewing Co. to build a one-story addition to the Colonial hotel, Johnson street. The building will cost \$12,000 and will be put up by Dinwiddie & Malcolm, W. Ridgeway Wilson presiding over the plans. Permits were also granted to the following: Harrison & Henderson, dwelling on Fernwood road, \$1,800; to Thomas Potter, additions to dwelling on Caledonia street, \$600; to A. E. Gregory, dwelling on Bank street, \$3,000; to Mrs. M. McCarter, garage on Hillside avenue, \$100; to A. Chalton, dwelling on Gorge road, \$1,900.

WORKINGMEN AND RECIPROCIITY PACT

(Continued from page 3.)

Turning to reciprocity Mr. Drury said he would ask them this question. If Mr. McBride's suggestion on the Japanese question had been so inefficient was he a proper leader to follow in his suggestions as to the present issue of reciprocity? ("No.")

Proceeding to refer to the argument that they were to be dispossessed of their natural resources, an interruption was put in by a questioner who had twice before stopped the speaker by irrelevant questions, and Mr. Drury made a hit by telling the audience that the "questions" interpolated were just as far from the subject as the Tory "arguments" were from the real facts of the issues.

No Treason in Trade.
Proceeding, he alluded to the cry started of "disloyalty," and mentioned that the imports from the United States last year amounted to \$28,000,000, out of which amount \$19,000,000 came in free, showing that Canada was "disloyal" to the extent of the difference. "If they were to become disloyal by the removal of duties then they were 130-284ths disloyal now. On the other hand they had exported to the United States goods valued at \$103,000,000. There was nothing more ridiculous from the trade point of view than this "disloyalty" cry. There was no treason in trade.

From similar inquiries he had had made at Seattle very recently, he had ascertained that prices for food in Seattle as against those in Victoria were considerably less—one-third and one-half the Victoria prices, as a rule, on the everyday needs of the table—but notwithstanding this, his countrymen had also found that the rate of wages was not, by any means, lower. As a matter of fact the wages of carpenters in Victoria were \$4.50, while at Seattle \$5 and \$6 was paid to them. Plumbers, too, who received \$5 in Victoria got \$6 to \$6.50 in Seattle, and painters, who were paid \$4 in Victoria, received \$5 at Seattle, and other trades were in proportion. The Colonist, he said, was simply trying to frighten the working man, who, from these figures, could see how unreal any such warnings were.

At this period George Oliver, the Socialist, who was in the audience, asked why in the excavation of the basement of the Times office Chinese were employed.

In reply Mr. Drury, after referring to the incident he had related of the five representatives from British Columbia, stated that the knew that Hon. Mr. Templeman did not employ Chinese, and never had done so, but it was possible that Mr. Templeman might have met with an experience similar to his own, as on one occasion when he had afterwards found that the work had been sublet, and a Chinaman had been at work quite unknown to himself and decidedly against his desires.

Tories and Chinamen.
"No matter how much an individual may be prejudiced against Chinese labor," began Walter W. Baer, who was the next speaker, "if he lets a contract for digging out a foundation to a Tory contractor there seems to be no way under heaven to keep Chinamen off the job. (Laughter and applause.) Where Mr. Templeman made the mistake was in letting a contract to a Tory contractor, and so making this thing possible." (Applause.)
"Hot air," sniffed an evident Tory in the audience.

"When Mr. McBride, on the way home from England," continued Mr. Baer, "spoke to Mr. Borden in Ottawa he pledged to Mr. Borden that he would put the political machine of this province to work. You have the evidence right here to-night, gentlemen."

The audience showed quick appreciation of the speaker's words and of the fact.
"For some time, Mr. Baer said, he had concluded that the only fitting name for opposition to reciprocity was bogey; the only name for its opponents was bogeymen. For five months he had been reading day by day the editorials of papers of all shades of political opinion, published from Halifax to Victoria, and in the 'Old Land' and he had yet to see in print any single statement in opposition to reciprocity which was not either based on misapprehension of the economic facts which underlay the pact, or else a misrepresentation of conditions as they existed; so he had naturally grown upon him that all opposition to reciprocity was a bogey."
There were two ways in which reciprocity was presented from day to day. One was in regard to the competition which might arise between eight millions and ninety millions. That morning the morning paper had contained a wall that we were going to be overwhelmed by the ninety millions if we got reciprocity. Tariff walls did not prevent competition. If we had one tariff wall, against the States, with none on her side, we would be protected, but they had a tariff wall a little higher than ours. Instead of exchanging goods on a common level, as proposed under reciprocity—adding cost of transportation, commissions and a reasonable profit, which had to be allowed for anyway—and then a natural competition came in, with tariff walls what happened was that the price of products was increased by the amount represented in the customs duties required to lift them over the walls.

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And the same thing would work in every other case, say work like versus produce, what was the sense of the tariff wall on food products, asked the speaker. Reciprocity was intended to take down that tariff wall, and was bound inevitably to benefit everyone and hurt none.
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Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately \$400 for the first year and \$250 for the second year.
On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of \$2 per diem.
Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.
Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.
Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.
G. J. DESBARATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service,
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NEWS OF SPORT

TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT SHAWNIGAN LAKE

Will Attract Many Racquet-wielders From City—Dance in the Evening

The tennis tournament to be held at the Strathcona hotel, Shawnigan Lake, on Saturday promises to attract a goodly number of enthusiastic racquet-wielders from the city and also many who will make the trip for the sake of the pleasant outing and the dance in the evening.

The first match will be played at 9:15 a.m. on the arrival of the train. In the evening a fanny dance will be held at the hotel with the Bantley-Breaser orchestra supplying the music. A buffet supper will be served.

The list of entries and the draws follow:

Ladies' Singles.
Miss Lillian Clarke vs. Miss Cran.
Miss Steward vs. Miss Hayward.

Gentlemen's Singles.
Jack McArthur vs. Louis Lucas, J. C. Brooker vs. E. Corfield, M. G. Rowcroft vs. F. Kingston, John P. Sweeney vs. Jack Heyland, A. McCallum vs. J. Brown, D. Spence vs. F. Pauline, R. Saston-White bye.

Mixed Doubles.
E. Corfield and Miss Cran vs. McCallum and partner.
John P. Sweeney and Miss Lillian Clarke vs. Brown and Miss Weldon.
Rowcroft and partner vs. Miss Hayward and F. Kingston.

Gentlemen's Doubles.
McArthur and Heyland vs. Lucas and Sweeney.
Kingston and Corfield vs. Lawson and Brooker.
Hamilton Bros. bye.
R. Saston-White and partner vs. McCallum and Rowcroft.

Ladies' Doubles.
Miss Lillian Clarke and Miss Steward vs. Miss Cran and Miss Hayward.

ENGLISH CRICKET.
London, Aug. 24.—Following are additional results of cricket games concluded yesterday: Hampshire beat Yorkshire by six wickets; Nottinghamshire and Middlesex drew.

LOCALS AGAIN LOST IN NINTH INNING

Game Was Hair-Raiser for Eight Frames—McCreery Deserved to Win

Another hair-raiser yesterday for eight innings but in the ninth the locals, who up to that time had been working beautifully, broke down. Lake let a grounder get through, sending the run in which broke the tie and leaving Coltrin on third with only one man down. This had break demoralized the whole team and before the inning ended the Pippins had the game bottled up. Victoria failed to do anything in the last of the session and a game, which had promised so well, ended in a one-sided score of 6 to 2.

McCreery was in great fettle and pitched one of his finest games. For eight innings there was really only one clean hit marked against him, that by Casey in the sixth, but he lost heart after Lake's error in the ninth and allowed a pass and two more singles, making in all four hits for the Pippins in that frame. The whole inning was a series of poor plays.

Casey was first up and he "flicked" out to Clementson. Harris singled and Menser was allowed to run for him. Had judgment was showed here for Menser is a fast base-runner. Coltrin then drove the ball to right for one base, but it was as good as a three-bagger when Lake let it get through him. On this hit Menser scored. Garrett struck out and Mundorf was passed. Spies singled to left and Clementson threw in very poorly, allowing Mundorf, who was on first, to score as well as Coltrin, who was on third. Spies reached second. Stovall grounded around second for a scratch hit and Brennan's wild peg to first permitted Spies to score the fourth run. Williams grounded out, McCreery to Ward.

Stovall and Casey's double turning the trick.

The Islanders had been hitting Garrett off and on up to the seventh, but were unable to get more than one swat in any one frame.

In the seventh Clementson earned a generous round of applause by slamming out a homer with Ward on first and tying up the score.

Taking it all in all McCreery deserved to win his game despite the fact that Garrett allowed fewer hits. The fielding of the Pippins behind Garrett was of the kind that gladdens the heart of a pitcher and leaves him nothing to worry about but his own work, while the support accorded McCreery would tend to throw any slacker off his balance.

In fielding the Pippins certainly gave a fine exhibition yesterday. Coltrin was easily the star. The way he hopped the ball across was a revelation. He had nine chances in all and accepted every one of them without a flaw in the whole performance. Casey made an unassisted double in the sixth, taking a line ball off Goodman's bat and catching Millon between first and second.

Lake's hitting was one of the features of the locals' playing, but his error was another, so that you are just about quits "Doc." The score:

Victoria.		Portland.	
A. B. R.	H. P. O. A. E.	A. B. R.	H. P. O. A. E.
Brennan, R. S.	4 0 2 1 3 1	Mundorf, J. B.	4 1 1 0 2 0
Millon, J. B.	2 0 1 0 1 1	Spies, C. F.	4 2 2 1 1 0
Goodman, J. B.	3 0 0 0 3 0	Stovall, R. F.	5 1 3 1 0 0
Ward, J. B.	3 1 1 0 1 0	Williams, J. B.	4 0 1 1 0 0
Clementson, L. E.	4 1 1 1 0 0	Pettigrew, L. F.	4 0 0 1 0 0
Thoren, C. F.	4 0 0 2 0 0	Casey, J. B.	3 0 1 4 2 0
DeVogt, C.	3 0 12 2 0	Harris, C.	4 1 1 4 1 0
Lake, R. F.	3 0 2 2 0 1	Coltrin, S. S.	4 1 1 3 0 0
McCreery, P.	5 0 0 2 0 0	Garrett, P.	0 0 1 2 0 0
		Moore, C.	0 0 0 1 1 0
Totals	31 2 7 27 12 3	Totals	40 6 10 21 16 0

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ZACKERT'S WILDNESS LOST

Zackert's wildness in the fourth inning at Vancouver yesterday allowed the Beavers to score three runs and was responsible for Seattle's defeat. The score was three to nothing. The score:

Vancouver.		Seattle.	
A. B. R.	H. P. O. A. E.	A. B. R.	H. P. O. A. E.
Brinker, C. F.	5 0 2 1 0 0	Leard, J. B.	3 0 1 2 1 2
Bennett, J. B.	2 0 0 3 3 0	Cruikshank, C. F.	4 0 1 3 0 0
Brashear, J. B.	3 0 0 6 1 0	Householder, L. F.	2 0 0 0 0 1
Frisk, R. F.	3 1 1 1 0 0	Bues, J. B.	4 0 0 2 0 0
James, J. B.	2 1 0 2 3 0	West, R. F.	3 0 1 3 1 0
Swain, L. F.	2 1 0 1 0 0	Ort, J. B.	3 0 1 2 3 0
Scharnweber, S. S.	3 0 3 2 6 1	Raymond, S. S.	4 0 0 2 1 1
Lewis, C.	2 0 0 1 2 0	Shea, C.	4 0 1 8 4 0
Engle, P.	4 0 0 0 6 0	Zackert, P.	3 0 1 2 3 0
Totals	33 2 8 27 21 1	Totals	31 0 6 24 14 4

Score by Innings.

SACRIFICE HITS—James, Lewis, Sacrifice fly—Leard. Two base hit—Scharnweber. Bases on balls—Off Engle, 4; off Zackert, 5. Struck out—By Zackert, 6. Double play—Brashear to Scharnweber to Brashear. Scharnweber to Brashear, Engle to James to Br shear, Zackert to Shea to Bues. Left on bases—Vancouver, 10; Seattle, 7. Time—1:58. Umpire—Baumgarten.

TIGERS WON YESTERDAY

Asher, Tacoma's new recruit from the Three-I league, had things all his own way at Spokane yesterday and the Tigers had but little difficulty in batting out a victory over the Indians. Houck was ineffective with men on bases, but gave much promise. Bonner, who finished the game, was even less effective than Houck. The fielding of Morse, Cooney, and Nurdyke featured the game. The score:

Tacoma.		Spokane.	
A. B. R.	H. P. O. A. E.	A. B. R.	H. P. O. A. E.
Rassey, J. B.	5 0 2 2 3 1	Melchior, P. F.	4 0 2 1 0 0
Colman, J. B.	5 0 0 2 1 0	Kidder, C. F.	3 2 1 2 0 0
Kennedy, C. F.	3 2 0 4 0 0	Netal, J. B.	3 0 0 0 4 0
Abbott, R. F.	4 2 2 2 0 0	Cooney, S.	4 0 0 2 3 0
Burns, C.	4 0 1 4 1 0	Zimmerman, J. F.	4 0 0 2 1 0
Morse, S. S.	4 1 1 2 3 0	Cartwright, J. B.	2 0 0 6 2 0
Fisher, J. B.	2 1 1 2 1 0	Nurdyke, J. B.	4 0 0 10 2 0
Tauscher, J. B.	2 1 1 2 1 0	Ostliek, C.	1 0 0 4 0 1
Asher, P.	3 0 0 1 1 1	Houck, P.	2 0 0 0 1 0
Totals	32 8 8 27 9 2	Spiesman, P.	0 1 1 0 0 0

Score by Innings.

Cocash.....1 0 0 0 0 0
Whills.....1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals.....31 2 6 27 15 1

*Batted for Bonner in ninth.
Score by Innings.

Tacoma.....0 0 1 1 0 2 0 4 0-8
Spokane.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 1-2
Summary.

Two base hits—Abbott, Tauscher. Three base hit—Melchior. Sacrifice hits—Abbott, Burns, Cartwright, Stolen bases—Tauscher. Struck out—By Asher, 3; by Houck, 5. Bases on balls—Off Asher, 3; off Houck, 5; off Bonner, 2. Wild pitch—Asher. Hit by pitcher—Fisher by Bonner. Double play—Morse to Fisher. Left on bases—Tacoma, 6; Spokane, 7. Time—2:08. Umpire—McCarthy.

SPORT NOTES

To-morrow night the annual meeting of the local branch of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union will

be held in the Y. M. C. A. building, commencing at 8 o'clock. The yearly reports will be presented and election of officers for the ensuing year held. The chief order of business is the election of a secretary to succeed A. J. Brace, who will tender his resignation on account of departure shortly for the Orient.

Millon was caught napping yesterday. Ten forgot to cover second in the fourth, when Stovall hit to Goodman and Brennan covered Bill. The result was that Spies, who was on first, was easily safe on second.

President R. H. Lindsay, of the Northwestern ball league, announced last night that he had sent William Dashwood, former Seattle and Victoria catcher, to Vancouver to assist in umpiring the series between Vancouver and Seattle. If his services are satisfactory, Dashwood may get a regular berth as umpire.

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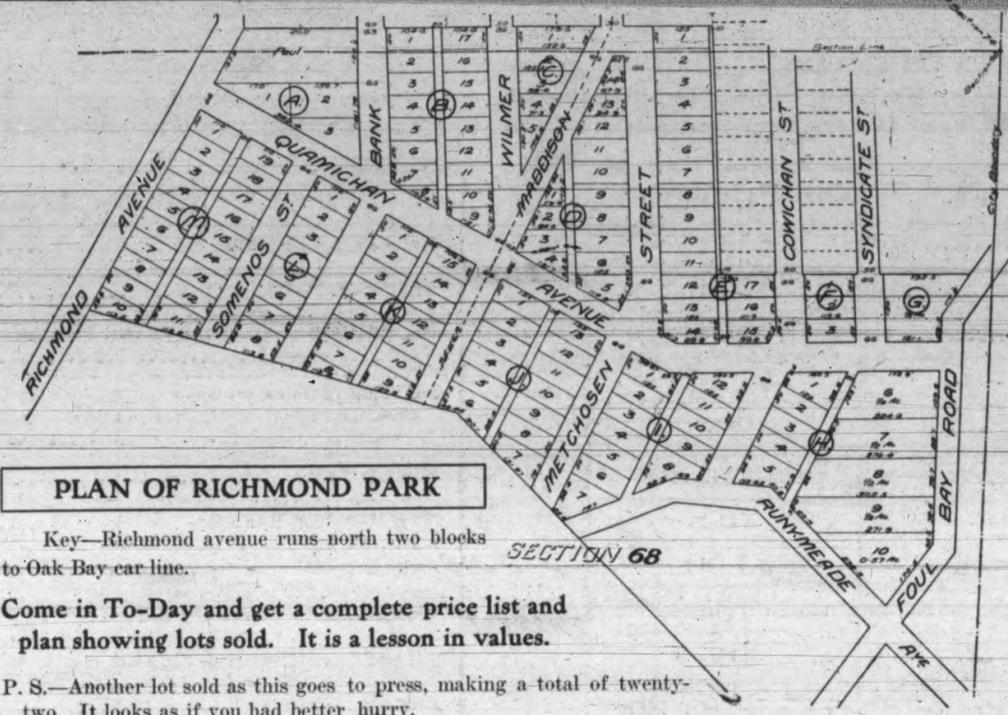
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As will be seen by the club standing, Saanich, Navy-Esquimalt and Seattle have made a tie. So they decided among themselves what they would like to submit to the committee, which will be their action.

The club series will begin to-day on the W. H. Crossfield grounds with Navy-Esquimalt vs. Seattle. Umpires for both days will be Q. M. S. Roberson and Gr. Needham.

Standing of the Clubs.

Division	Won	Lost	Points
Saanich	2	1	4
Navy-Esquimalt	2	1	4
Seattle	2	1	4
Garrison	0	3	0

Division B:

Victoria	3	0	6
Vancouver C. C.	1	1	2
Strawberry Vale	0	3	0

TO-MORROW'S GAMES.
Albion vs. Burrard, at Beacon Hill. Vancouver vs. Strawberry Vale, at Jubilee Hospital grounds.

UMPIRES FOR FRIDAY.
Work Point Barracks, Q. M. S. Roberson and Gr. Needham.
Beacon Hill grounds, Irwin and H. Humphreys.
Jubilee Hospital grounds, J. Cooper and D. Soffe.

P. C. C. A. MEETING.
Officers for the ensuing year are Alexis Martin, pres.; W. H. M. Roberson, vice-pres.; J. C. Barnacle, hon. sec.-treas.; L. B. Trimen and Chas. Thomas, committee.
The 1912 tournament will be held in Victoria.

VANCOUVER VS. VICTORIA.
How the clubs do gather for this game. There is a certain amount of bustle and anticipation in the air when they come together. Whatever is in down seems to be above the ordinary sports by making a game uphill fight. Here a good one, there a good one, applause from all sides. When a batter from York hit Birrell's wickets and the innings closed for 165-10-17 what a rousing reception both men received for the pluck. It was anybody's game until the match was half over then it was all Victoria. Even to the last it was a good game to watch. The score:

Victoria First Innings.

A. Martin b Peers	14
J. H. Gillespie b Crossfield	21
M. Kane c Peel b Peers	6
S. Gillespie run out	38
L. S. V. York c Payne b Crossfield	1
W. F. L. Pilkington b Peers	5
J. W. D. York c Peel b Peers	69
H. A. Collinson b Hodges b Shotton	21
P. Leaver c and b Armitage	29

catch missed still the runs are coming, and they did. Their good fielder, beaten by a beauty 61-3-21. Almost immediately Captain York succumbed to a graceful catch in the slips by Payne off Crossfield, 71-4-1. Shoto Gillespie was batting beautifully when playing a ball to cover-point he started on the run which caused his downfall. It was his call and Pilkington should be censured for breaking the rules of cricket, turning his back, remaining in his crease and allowing such a valuable man to run himself out. S. Gillespie's 38 looked to be forerunner of a big score. J. W. D. York opened his account with a 2 and another white ballington stopped the call from the clubhouse, having been in twenty minutes for six runs. Victoria stock was falling even faster than the wickets. Collinson and York, even though the fielding gave Vancouver heart disease, raised the hopes of Victoria and the score to 145 before Hodges electrified the crowd by a screaming boundary catch and dispatched Collinson for a useful 34. Leaver kept up his good work of the week and Will York was playing the best innings this season.

At home at all times and scoring when runs were needed in his good old form. Will and S. Gillespie certainly received the batting honors of Victoria's 229 score, the largest Victoria has made against Vancouver in a tournament. Leaver did his work nobly and well and has well earned his place on the team.

Victoria as a team have broken their fielding lethargy. She made Vancouver earn every run. Several difficult and two easy catches missed, but the fielding glistened. One wicket for three runs seemed bright. Payne and Armitage were not separated until reliable Martin caught Payne for 48-5-32. What a relief to the club-house to see such a stirring bat. But let's take Vancouver's side. Shotton caught and bowled Gallher. Pahaw! Now we are in for it. Good shot Army! The runs are coming. Up they rise until Collinson puts in a stinger, a change of pace, a semi-shooter. If it bowled Armitage it—but that's another story—94-4-24. Armitage took nearly two hours to make his most useful 21. Still hopes were high, but no, Peers is out 115-5-38. This is growing serious. Buck up, boys. Captain Hodges and Peel added 21. Not enough. Peel out! Crossfield gone and only 129. It is all up, boys. Another wicket, 149-9-0. Might as well pack up. But Murphy and Birrell caused not only excitement, but brought joy to the hearts of all true sports by making a game uphill fight. Here a good one, there a good one, applause from all sides. When a batter from York hit Birrell's wickets and the innings closed for 165-10-17 what a rousing reception both men received for the pluck. It was anybody's game until the match was half over then it was all Victoria. Even to the last it was a good game to watch. The score:

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G. L. Wright, run out	11
F. Gallher, not out	4
Extras	6
Total	229

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Crossfield	17	6	58	2
Payne	5	1	23	0
Peers	20	4	37	4
Hodges	5	0	23	0
Stoton	4	0	22	1
Armitage	4	0	20	1

Vancouver First Innings.

J. M. Armitage b Collinson	24
R. S. Clayton b Gallher	0
C. A. L. Payne c Martin b L. York	32
H. Shotton c and b Gallher	1
F. J. Peers c and b Collinson	35
G. C. Peel b S. Gillespie	23
W. E. Hodges c Martin b S. Gillespie	3
W. H. Crossfield b S. Gillespie	2
W. A. McAdam, run out	0
L. F. Murphy, not out	9
P. L. Birrell, b L. York	17
Extras	16

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gallher	19	5	44	2
L. York	19	1	58	2
H. A. Collinson	9	1	27	2
S. Gillespie	9	1	20	3

GARRISON VS. NAVY-ESQUIMALT.
The Garrison XI have to blame their work in the field for their defeat yesterday at the hands of Navy-Esquimalt, while on the other hand every chance offered, and gave a splendid exhibition of good all round cricket winning by a handsome majority.

Garrison Second Innings.

Q. M. S. Askey b Jinkin	33
A. E. Thomas b Jinkin	35
Gr. Needham b L. B. W. b Ishister	0
Q. M. S. Roberson b Ishister	12
Corp. Wyndham b Dark	10
Major Mills c Dark b Jinkin	3
Q. M. S. Williamson not out	6
Q. M. S. Macdonald not out	3
Extras	9

J. Creatorex not out	8
Extras	11
Total	189

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Askey	29	2	73	5
Stevens	14	2	39	2
Ingle	3	0	12	0
Foulkes	5	0	17	0
Wyndham	9	1	36	3

Garrison First Innings.

Q. M. S. Askey b Pooley	17
A. E. Thomas b Sparks	3
Capt. Foulkes b Sparks	0
Gr. Needham b Sparks	3
Q. M. S. Roberson, at Creatorex	12
b Pooley	12
Major Mills c Creatorex b Sparks	3
Q. M. S. Williamson c Dark b Sparks	1
Q. M. S. Macdonald, not out	1
Gr. Ingle b Pooley	5
Corp. Stevens, b Pooley	5
Extras	5

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pooley	11	2	24	5
Sparks	11	4	25	5

Burrard vs. Strawberry Vale.

Burrard First Inning.

D. Hood b McNamara	15
Russell not out	103
A. Collinson c McNamara b Schwengers	15
E. F. Smith stmp. Holmes b Thomas	49
J. R. Smith b Thomas	4
G. Stark b Thomas	77
R. Smith b McNamara	4
N. A. Griffin b McNamara	9
J. J. Jepson, not out	22
Extras	22

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Stark	10	4	20	0
Russell	12	5	16	4
J. R. Smith	3	1	7	0
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Newberry Jr.	4	2	11	0
Hood	8	4	12	2
Griffin	5	1	15	3

Strawberry Vale First Innings.

E. R. Lock b Russell	0
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G. Hobson run out	0
C. Schwengers stmp Killick, b Griffin	29
A. N. Sinclair c J. B. Smith, b Russell	9
C. Thomas c Collinson, b Russell	19
C. Clarence c Stark, b Russell	5
A. McNamara c Killick, b Hood	13
E. Duncan b Griffin	0
D. D. Goepel b Griffin	3
E. Chandler c Stark, b Hood	13
J. Holmes not out	0
Extras	12

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Thomas	22	1	120	3
McNamara	21	4	109	3
Schwengers	6	0	30	1
Sinclair	2	0	21	0

Strawberry Vale—Second Innings.

J. Holmes b Collinson	0
E. Duncan b Collinson	7
A. McNamara c Hood, b Collinson	14
C. Thomas lbw, b Killick	12
C. Schwengers not out	15
E. Chandler lbw, b Killick	2
G. Hobson not out	2
Extras	2

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lawrence	17	3	22	6
McKillop	4	1	13	3

Seattle—First Innings.

J. J. Churchley b Wilson	48
C. W. Lawrence lbw Barnett	23
H. Nicholson b Coton	16
V. A. McKillop lbw Wilson	16
C. S. Ridge c Barnett, b Parwell	1
L. G. Pattullo b Wilson	0
J. Adams b Wilson	14
B. Waddell b Wilson	11
S. M. Ruddle not out	29
W. P. Cameron b Wilson	1
N. Patullo b Coton	0
Extras	13

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Barnett	9	2	31	1
Wilson	17	2	58	6
Coton	11	3	24	2
Allen	6	0	16	0
Parwell	7	1	18	1

Saanich—Second Innings.

A. E. Parnwell c Nicholson, b Lawrence	17
H. Ackroyd c Waddell, b Lawrence	2
C. Daneshborough c Waddell, b Cameron	4
H. Hallen b Cameron	6
E. J. Horton not out	10
T. L. Nicholson b Adams	3
Extras	5

Total for 5 wickets	53
C. Clarence, E. R. Lock A. N. Sinclair and D. D. Goepel did not bat.	

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
R. Smith	5	2	8	0
Collinson	5	0	20	3
Killick	5	0	13	2
Jepson	4	2	5	0

SEATTLE VS. SAANICH.
At the Canteen grounds Seattle defeated Saanich with a margin of 90 runs to spare on the first innings score, thereby creating a very interesting condition in division A. Three clubs, Esquimalt, Saanich and Seattle, are tied for first honors and will have to play off for the privilege of contending with the victors in division B in the finals at the Jubilee hospital grounds on Saturday.

The Saanich skipper won the toss and decided to bat, sending in Ackroyd and Parnwell. The latter was quickly disposed of by Cameron, and Daneshborough filled the breach, who just made double figures when he fell a victim to a fast one from the same bowler. Allen came next and together with Ackroyd ran the score up to 62 before his stumps were disarranged by the doughty Cameron. From this time on there was a steady procession to and from the pavilion owing to the deadly work of Cameron and McKillop. All out for 78.

Seattle at once went to bat and knocked off the required runs in short order. Total 159. The score:

Saanich—First Innings.

H. Ackroyd b Cameron	24
A. C. Parnwell b Cameron	0
K. Daneshborough b Lawrence	11
H. Hallen b Cameron	6
E. J. Horton b McKillop	8
G. Wilson c Lawrence, b McKillop	0
H. E. Coton b Cameron	0
N. Wilkinson, c Ridge, b McKillop	6
W. H. Medd b Cameron	1
J. E. Barnett b Cameron	0
H. Little not out	0
Extras	4

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lawrence	7	2	20	2
Cameron	5	1	12	3
Adams	3	0	9	1



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All members of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club are cordially invited to participate in the cruise, and those desiring to enter are asked to communicate at once with the secretary-treasurer of the club, Capt. H. G. Jarvis, Brigman 1 building, city.

ANOTHER WIN FOR CORINTHIANS
Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 24.—The Corinthians, before a crowd of over 1500, the largest that ever attended a football game in this city, defeated the Saskatoon stars in easy fashion by 9 goals to 2.

The combination of the tourists was perfection and their control of the ball came as a revelation. At only one stage of the game did Saskatoon have any show, shortly after half time, when they obtained both their goals, one from a penalty. The score at half time was 5-0, the Corinthians fairly running round their opponents.

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WORKINGMEN AND RECIPROCITY PACT

(Continued from page 5.)

Replying to a question which has been made more than once in the last six months, to the effect that the removal of duty would only mean that the grocer and butcher would get that much more profit out of the consumer...

Another feature of the anti-reciprocity campaign was the claim made that if the cost of living goes down so will wages. In fact the morning paper had the effrontery to say that morning that there was no way of helping that; that when the cost of living fell earnings would go down, because the man who worked for others only got enough to live on.

That is right, said an auditor. The speaker went on to point out that on this argument the employer might pay Chinamen's wages and then say to his men: "Why don't you like Chinamen?" There was no fear that wages would fall; the workers themselves would see to that—but the purchasing power of a dollar would be immensely increased with reciprocity.

If you are getting paid for doing this kind of thing give some of the other fellows a chance to do something; don't you hog all the money. Mr. Baer admonished his would-be mentor. The audience howled at the discomfiture of the interrupter and a couple of sild-looking elderly English workmen who evidently did not relish having their employment of the speeches spoiled, audibly advised that he be thrown out.

The Machine at Work. The illustration showed how it was being dinned into a restaurant waiter's ears that he should vote against reciprocity. A government employee from over the Bay—"Pretty well-organized machine, eh? Got 'em all going everywhere, even at their luncheon counters"—had told him that reciprocity would bring his wages down. When the speaker admitted his notice by the speaker's calling them the same wages and living costs them less, and when asked why their wages did not bring the unions wages down he replied: "The unions attend to that."

"Why did he come over here?" asked another questioner at the back of the hall. "That idea that nobody but Tories must come to Victoria is played out," replied Mr. Baer, and there was a volley of laughter.

The waiter in question had also been told by a man working on civic street work that an alderman had stated to him that if reciprocity passed the city wage scale would come down. "I will have to be shown that," said Mr. Baer. "I think our aldermen have too much dignity to go around and hold threats over city workmen's heads that way. But if it should be found that any alderman is talking like that, when he next appears to you for your suffrages you know precisely what to do with him." (Applause.)

The speaker went on to prove how the purchasing power of wages would be increased by the reduction in the cost of living.

With this in view the right and proper thing to do was to endorse reciprocity, help Sir Wilfrid Laurier to ratify the agreement, return Mr. Templeman as cabinet minister for British Columbia, and they would never regret it.

Working on the Roads. The next speaker was J. S. Cowper, of Prince Rupert, who said he proposed briefly to deal with two aspects of reciprocity he had not as yet referred to in the speeches he had made in the city. Previous to doing so, however, he explained how it was that he was denied the opportunity of addressing the electors at the Conservative meeting at Alberni, after H. S. Clements, the Conservative candidate, had expressed a desire to meet a Liberal speaker on the platform.

He went to Alberni because he was given to understand that a large number of young men were really anxious to know all that could be said for and against the reciprocity agreement. Also he went as an elector of Comox-Atlin, as a man who had an interest in the constituency, and as a man who had no evil intent in his heart. When he got there he found that the candidate was suffering from an attack of "cold feet," and although he earnestly solicited him to give him ten minutes or allow him to talk at the end of his meeting both these small requests were denied. Therefore he had not the opportunity to debate the question at Fort Alberni. In this connection he would remind them that the Conservative party were so hard up there to find a candidate that they had been obliged to go out of the constituency to get one.

At Alberni he found that the working men, the business men, and the Conservative officials in many cases were lined up with the Liberal party to get reciprocity for Canada, and one of these gentlemen who was interested in a wood pipe company and also in the fish business, was a prominent member

of the Conservative party in Prince Rupert. The only claim the Conservative candidate had, was that he had lived in Prince Rupert for a few months as the representative of the Standard Oil Company, which did not operate the Imperial Oil Company. This was but one of the degrading uses of "imperial" and "imperialism" that was to be found in Canada; many others could be found among the Conservatives.

If there was anything, went on the speaker, which filled his soul with contempt, it was to see the way that word "imperial" was prostituted throughout Canada for purposes of the most grasping kind. Not only did the Standard Oil Company wave the "imperial" flag, but there were many others using it in the same manner, like the provincial premier, who might have made a splendid brakeman, he was so handy with the flag. (Laughter.)

After an appreciative reference to what he saw in the way of natural resources at Alberni, Mr. Cowper mentioned that he found there was a large number of men now at work there "on the roads." He had asked where the farmers were and he had been told that they were all out working on the roads at \$2.25 a day. It seemed to him that there was a very great amount of activity going on at present in the direction of the making of the roads. (Laughter.)

From this he went on to refer to the fish industry, and instances for one thing, the results which would occur when the large markets of the United States were thrown open to the fruit growers of Niagara. He also spoke as to the necessity which existed at Alberni for the provision of proper market facilities. He had asked the people there why they were not doing more with so much railway construction in progress. They told him that the construction work meant little to them; that the men employed on it were chiefly Hindus. He had inquired how this came and was told that it was a result of the defeat of H. C. Brewster's amendment to the C. N. R. contract. When he proposed to add to the fair wage clause that the rate payable to all workmen should not be less than the current rate of wage paid white workmen in the district the Conservative majority in the Legislature voted him down, and Premier McBride declared that white labor was adequately protected by fixing the standard as the "current rate of wages paid" to Hindu workmen. ("Strange?") That amendment was voted down in the British Columbia Legislature, and Hon. Mr. McBride declared that such a provision was ultra vires to the province.

He had also pointed out to the Alberni people that when reciprocity removed the tariff walls there would be opportunity for a navigation route which would enormously benefit their commerce and which would be more favorable to an inland port than any other market. The prosperity of their country depended on having men working on the farms, and the greatest necessity for a new country was good settlers to work on the land.

As to the taxes on food he would not say at that late hour anything more except that the whole idea of a tariff rested on an economic fallacy. The whole case against a tariff was embodied in the single sentence, "You cannot make yourself rich by taxing yourself," and as a man could not lift himself by his boot straps, neither could a nation.

Hits the Working Man. After recounting some of his own personal experiences, from which he candidly showed that he had been through the mill and was in no sense "a kid-gloved editor," he related one particular tragic incident which had come under his personal notice at Toronto, where a man of high intelligence (intelligent as we are and family were waiting to be sent for from Scotland, had been found in the streets dead from starvation. He claimed that there were many thousands of people in Canada to whom it mattered a very great deal how far a dollar would go—and over and over again he had seen instances where people were trying to make both ends meet. He hated every device which was attempted so that men might get rich at another man's expense. The plan of putting a tax upon another man's food must fall most harshly on the best class of citizens, the working men who were bringing in a family. (Applause.)

Other matters touching the subject were nothing more he would like to say, and while he was waiting for his boat he had thought he could spend his time to no better purpose than in talking to people about the subject he was interested in, so long as they were ready to hear him. (Applause.) He might fairly mention that both his grandfathers had died for Britain; that his elder brother had died in South Africa, and that two other brothers were serving their country. He thought therefore he had some claim to speak of the Union Jack, but he detested and abhorred that type of politician who tried to stamper the mind of the elector by such undignified methods as the waving of the Union Jack. (Applause.) He abhorred it, whoever did it.

Wanted the Pact. Some people might say that reciprocity was a Conservative doctrine, continued the speaker, who then went on to point out that on nine different occasions Conservative governments had endeavored to obtain a reciprocity treaty. In 1868 a standing offer was made. In 1878 the national policy contained the reciprocity doctrine. In 1879 Sir John A. Macdonald brought in a bill act containing a permanent offer of reciprocity. In 1888 Sir Charles Tupper made another offer, which was not only for reciprocity in fish, but which also offered that they would not alone make fish free to the United States, but that they would allow American fishermen to fish on the Canadian banks. In 1891 Sir John A. Macdonald went to the country on a mandate for reciprocity in natural products, and when George E. Foster—who now stood up and raised the "disloyalty" cry—was finance minister, he was in favor of it. It became these men, after all that had been done in 40 years of effort, to turn round and tell the people that if they supported reciprocity they would become traitors to the empire.

After a reference to the recent speech of Sir Charles J. Tupper at North Vancouver he mentioned that the gentleman had been very active in the flag waving, but he had said

in effect, that the reciprocity agreement was going to be a good thing for British Columbia. In further dealing with that speech he asked how could the people of the United States "rob our forests of our lumber" otherwise than by buying it? On such terms there was not a tradesman in the city of Victoria who would not allow the speaker to go into his place to-morrow and "rob" his whole store.

Greatness of Britain. As to the argument of a possible loss of Imperial sentiment by developing their trade from England to the United States he pointed out that during the administration of Sir Wilfrid Laurier that the Imperial spirit had been there. And as to the argument that, as imperialists, they owed it to the mother country to give her their trade it seemed to him that some people talked as if Great Britain was some poor decrepit old woman whose boys had to chip in with a dollar a week to keep her going. Why, Great Britain was the richest country in the world. (Cheers.) Last year she loaned \$940,000,000, and Canada took over \$200,000,000 of it. To talk as if it was necessary to keep all their trade for Great Britain was ridiculous. (Hear, hear.)

While the speaker, in continuing his argument, was proceeding to point out how largely Canada was dependent on the capital of Great Britain, and that practically they could do nothing without it, he was interrupted by the interjection "Unless you get cheap labor."

"Answer that," added the questioner. "You do not ask a question, you simply make a foolish statement," replied Mr. Cowper, at which retort there was loud laughter and applause. In conclusion the speaker referred to the period fourteen years ago, and to what Sir Wilfrid Laurier had found when he came into control of the affairs of the country. The lesson of history which had been written during the fourteen years which had elapsed was a history of increasing population, of the development of manufactures, of the fact that two nations now had sympathy for each other; of the fact that Canada was now a united nation, and a unit of the imperial family.

All that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had done had led to the strengthening of the bonds of peace and good-will. What an absurdity it would be to ever think that he would now do anything to create a touch of discord in the imperial family. (Applause.) Reciprocity was a bond which would unite in the greater imperialism the three great Anglo-Saxon families of the world. (Renewed cheers.)

The meeting concluded with the singing of the National Anthem.

THE OLD GAME.

To the Editor:—I see the Colonist is at its old game of misrepresentations. All who have resided here for the past few years are familiar with the unprincipled political methods of the said paper. I refer to the forged telegram, infamous photographs, etc., which the Colonist published on the eve of the election of Mr. Barnard. Now, sir, with regard to reciprocity, neither Mr. Barnard nor his colleagues are sincere. They know full well expansion of trade has given Great Britain an unparalleled position in the commercial world. Look at Japan in sixty years since her gates were blown open and she was compelled to trade with the world. Napoleon characterized us as a nation of shopkeepers, not trade like the military despot, as it will in this case annihilate our opponents.

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FIVE KILLED BY BLAST

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 24.—A special to the Herald from Pearson, Mexico, says that four Mexicans were instantly killed and three others injured to-day while blasting in construction work on the Mexico Northwest railroad. The accident resulted from the delayed explosion of a blasting charge. One of the injured died later.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Table of New York Stock Exchange prices for various commodities and stocks, including Amal. Copper, Ann. Beet Sugar, Ann. Can. pref., etc.

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FOR SALE. PRIOR STREET, close to Bay, 50x108. \$1,250. COOK STREET, corner Queen's, 102x116. \$5,000. QUEEN'S AVENUE, close to Cook, 100x120. \$4,000. COOK STREET, between Hilda and Oscar, 60x120. \$2,300. COLLINSON, between Cook and Trutch. \$2,500. EMPRESS, between Cook and Chambers, 50x124. \$1,350. HOWE STREET, near Dallas Road. \$1,400. McKENZIE STREET, near Cook, 40x127. \$1,200. OSCAR, between Linden and Moss, 50x141. \$1,450. PANDORA AVENUE, near Blanchard, with 3 storey brick 30 feet. \$26,000. PRINCESS AVENUE, partly-furnished 6 room house, \$5,250. DOUGLAS STREET, grocery. Price on application. WAREHOUSE SITES ON BLANCHARD, free truckage. Price on application.

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MAKES ONE THOUSAND TRIPS TO FAR NORTH SHIPPIING SUPPLIES INTO INLAND POINTS

Capt. Saunders, Master of Prince George, Has Most Distinguished Record

To make one thousand trips to the north without one serious mishap to any of his commands and having worked his way up from master of a tug boat until he now commands one of the finest vessels in the coastwise trade, is the proud record of Capt. Frank Saunders, of the G. T. G. steamer Prince George, which left this morning. Upon the return of the vessel to this port yesterday morning Capt. Saunders completed his one thousandth trip to the northern ports. Capt. Saunders is among the best known skippers of this port, having made many friends during his numerous visits. He came here twenty-six years ago in the old sailing ship Wylo and ever since has been plying up and down the coast. At first he was engaged with the Royal City Mail Tug Boats Company and later served in the E. J. White, where his navigation was considered then as a sort of feat that nobody could achieve. After being employed by different companies for several years, Capt. Saunders joined the Union Steamship Company in 1893 and remained in their service until last year, when he received a tempting offer from the G. T. P. and accepted it. When Capt. George Robertson was appointed agent of Marine and Fisheries here, Capt. Saunders was recommended for the position as skipper of the George, and the officials of the company placed the crack steamer in his hands. Having spent twenty-six years operating up and down the coast, the captain is familiar with all the treacherous parts of the trip and the fact that he has gone such a lengthy time without any serious accident is an example of his care and skill as a navigator. Capt. Saunders is still a young man and prospects are that he may complete his two thousandth trip before he retires from the sea. There is probably no other skipper on the coast who has gone north so many times as the master of the George. He remembers quite well what the City of Victoria looked like when he visited the place twenty-six years ago and is one of the men who believes that the Queen City of the West has a great future. In the days of his first trip here the captain thinks that he could have placed the whole population of the town aboard the Prince George. He doesn't think so now, however.

Prince George Gets Away for Rupert and Stewart—Much Freight Moving Northward

Laden with a large cargo of general supplies for inland points, together with a good complement of passengers, the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince George, Capt. Frank Saunders, left port early this morning for Prince Rupert and Stewart. This is the last time this season that the George will make the run from Prince Rupert to the Portland Canal city, the company having decided to withdraw her owing to the small amount of travel in that direction. As the winter season in the north will soon be setting in, the people who will rush into the inland towns are busy getting in their supplies. All the boats bound north carry capacity loads of freight, which is shipped inland immediately on the arrival of the steamers. The river boats and the G. T. P. trains are rushing foodstuffs into the Hazelton district and other nearby sections, while at Stewart the storekeepers are securing a big stock. Among the passengers who left on the Prince George this morning were: Mrs. M. J. Harlock, Miss D. Kuehbeck, H. T. Collinson, Miss A. N. Collinson, Miss M. Croft, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Strang, J. W. Wiseman, K. Wiseman, H. E. Ross, S. G. Daniels, Capt. Mosher and Mrs. Mosher, Miss J. Mercer, Miss McNaughton, J. T. Carran and A. Hemming. There was a good crowd booked at Seattle and the George will have a large list for this time of the year when she leaves Vancouver. The Boscowitz steamer Vado, Capt. LeBlanc, arrived here yesterday afternoon from northern British Columbia ports with a large shipment of salmon and considerable other freight. She is scheduled to sail again this evening for the north and will carry a number of passengers as well as much freight, including a consignment of lumber.

WIRELESS REPORTS

August 24, 8 a. m.
Point Grey—Clear; calm; 63.10; 69; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; wind N. W. light; 30.10; 70; sea smooth. Spoke Ramona at 7 p. m., northbound, off Cape Mudge; steamer, probably Camosun, northbound, at 6.30 a. m.
Tatoosh—Clear; wind south 8 miles; 30.19; 49; sea smooth. Out, U. S. S. Buick at 7.15 p. m.
Pachena—Clear; wind S. E., light; 29.93; 52; sea moderate.
Estevan—Clear; calm; 26.80; 54; sea smooth. Spoke Tees at Tofo at 7.30 a. m.
Triangle—Foggy; wind S. W. 16 miles; 29.65; 48; sea rough.
Ikeda—Misty; calm; 30.16; 58; sea smooth.
Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 30.25; 64; sea smooth.
Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; sea smooth; dense smoke seaward.

DIFFICULTIES OVERCOME

Wireless—Station at Bremerton Can. Now Talk With Tatoosh.

Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Aug. 23.—Within the last week, day communication has been opened between the navy wireless station at this yard, and that on Tatoosh island. For years it has been impossible to send messages over the Olympic barrier. The wireless masts of both stations were increased in height without avail. A new apparatus has just been installed here of the Telfonken type, 550 cycles. This supplies an apparatus of sixty cycles capacity. Day communication has been established with the new machine operated with direct current, but when the alternating current is obtained from the central power plant, it is believed the mountainous barrier will be conquered for all time.

FALL PROVES FATAL

Mount Vernon, Wash., Aug. 24.—Tom Anderson, 56 years old, a farm hand employed at the John Peth ranch, eight miles west of Mount Vernon, was killed this morning by a fall from a load of hay.

GLOBE RACING IS NOVELTY OF AGE

MEN ENGAGE IN LATEST SPORT WITH GREAT VIM

Empress of Japan Carries Another Trying to Break Record—Many Passengers

While aeroplanes, automobiles and other machines, which make the death-roll mount into high figures, have formed the popular means of amusement for thousands of people of late, an old crasis has been revived by residents of different countries, to see how fast they can make the trip around the globe. The fascinating novelty is appealing to the roaming spirits of many, and at frequent intervals men engaged on a maddening dash around the world drop into Victoria for a few minutes and are gone again.

As the white liners of the C. P. P. fleet can convey people across the Pacific several days faster than any of the other steamships, Victoria generally has the opportunity of having as her guest some of these globe trotters who are trying hard in this manner to make a name for themselves. Once it was around the world in eighty days, before the 1911 goalkeepers have cut the time in half and are still trying to reduce it more.

Only a few days ago on the arrival of the Empress of Japan from Yokohama, another of these men, to wit, Monsieur Jagersschmidt, was aboard. He had been engaged by a French newspaper to set round-the-world in 33 days. Just as the same steamer was waiting at her dock yesterday morning at Vancouver with her engines panting and a pilot on the bridge ready to sink out, "let go everything," another of these weird men galloped down to the dock and jumped aboard. Dr. D. D. Bidwell, from New York City, is the man who is now engaged in breaking the world's record for the round trip. He intends to write a book on his tour on his return to the eastern city, providing his nerves are not shattered by the strain of the trip. While this mania is the thing of the day, the steamship and railroad companies are reaping the benefits. On a trip of this nature, a person secures only a one-way ticket and therefore loses the rebate which comes when a return passage is made.

The Empress of Japan, Capt. Robinson, cleared for the Orient about six o'clock last night, with one of the largest passenger lists she has had for some time. She carried many returning missionaries who have been on furlough in Canada and the States. Among those who left were: J. E. Allan, of the well known Allan line, who is making a round trip of the world, but who is making it in easy stages instead of rushing at break-neck speed. For Yokohama, J. D. Gibson, Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Lee, Rev. S. P. Nichols, Mrs. A. Pincott, Miss A. Allen, Miss E. Dawson, Miss E. A. Strud, Miss M. Scott, H. C. Kampt for Shanghai, Miss G. A. Stewart, Miss K. E. Scott, Mrs. Berwick, Miss A. F. Gordon, Miss H. W. Hurd, P. L. Robbins, Mrs. E. W. Thomas, Miss K. Cook, Miss J. M. Ker, Masters A. and G. M. Ker, Messrs. W. T. and W. R. Ker, Mrs. W. R. Ker, C. Mares, Dr. J. C. Carr and Mrs. Carr, Miss J. H. Martin, Mrs. H. S. Cooke, A. G. Fletcher; for Kobe, Rev. C. S. Deming and Mrs. Deming, Rev. W. R. Reynolds and family, W. D. Reynolds, Stafford H. Man, Rev. A. L. Becker and Mrs. Becker, H. T. Thomas, Rev. A. F. Robb, Mrs. Robb and two children; for Hongkong, Mrs. W. H. Bolton, Miss E. Millard, Miss Millard, W. Shaw and Mr. Kestall.

As usual the Empress carried a good cargo of freight including a big shipment of silver bullion. She also had fish, cotton, lumber, machinery, and general merchandise.

FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS

Ships Chartered to Load Wheat and Lumber—Dartwood Reaches Golden Gate.
San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 24.—The barque Torridale has just been chartered to load wheat at Portland for the United Kingdom at 23s, by G. W. McNear. She is taking on ballast and will leave for the north next week.

The British barque Inverlogie, due at Callao, from Antwerp, has been chartered to load wheat at Portland or Tacoma for the United Kingdom at 23s 11d.

The Norwegian barque Catharina, a small vessel of 939 tons, has been chartered by Heatley & Company to load lumber on the Sound or the Columbia river for South Africa at 66s 2d, with the option of going to the United Kingdom at 42s 6d. She will come north from the west coast of South America.

The British steamer Silver Birch left Tuesday from Norfolk for the Puget Sound navy yard with coal for the government, making the eighth vessel so far chartered for that business by the government. Five out of the eight are already en route. The Silver Birch was formerly the British steamer Wearmouth.

The British ship Dartwood, which piles as a merchantman as well as a training ship, has arrived here after a passage of 84 days from Newcastle, Australia. She brought 1,700 tons of coal consigned to J. J. Moore & Co. Capt. McDonald reported 15 uneventful passages. On board the Dartwood are 34 boys who are learning things from the ground up in the seafaring game. The vessel is owned and its purpose maintained by the Union Steamship Company, which uses this method for perfecting young men in the art of navigation so that they will be eligible for positions on the 75 vessels comprising the Union fleet.

The British ship Pottaloo, at Newcastle, Australia, loading coal for this port, for account of Hind, Rolph & Co., has been chartered by J. J. Moore & Co., to load lumber on the Sound or

the Columbia river for direct port in South Africa at private terms. The British ship Dartwood, which arrived from Newcastle Saturday with coal, has been chartered by Davis & Felton to load lumber at Eureka for Sydney, also at private terms. The ship W. F. Babcock arrived from Newcastle Monday morning after a slow voyage of 103 days. She brought 2,065 tons of coal for Hind, Rolph & Co. The Babcock has no outward charter as yet. She is one of the two vessels left of the California Shipping Company's large fleet.

The British barque Calcutta of the Standard Oil fleet, arrived in ballast from Yokohama to load a return cargo of refined oil. The Kosmos liner Ostris arrived Monday from Hamburg and will continue on the Sound at the end of the week. The British steamer Bannockburn, here from Antwerp, is under charter to G. W. McNear to load lumber on the Sound for Sydney. On the way out she went ashore at Dover and considerable of her cargo was damaged, on which a general average will be necessary.

CODFISH RECORD

Schooner Reaches Anacortes With 204,000 Members of the Finny Tribe.

Anacortes, Wash., Aug. 24.—The schooner Joseph Russ, with Captain Foss and her crew of forty men, came into port yesterday, and she might have carried a broom at her masthead, for she now holds the codfishing record both for number of fish caught and for the shortness of the time required.

The Russ brought to the Robinson Fisheries Company 204,000 codfish. The "top line" of the crew, Samuel Austin, has 16,750 to his credit, and James Moore, his nearest competitor, 12,500. The average weight of the fish is six and three-quarter pounds.

The men all made money and feel rich.

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ANOTHER COMPANY IS BIDDING FOR TRADE

Dodwell & Co. Place Fulton in Service Between Victoria and Sound Points

Inaugurating a new service between Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria and Vancouver, in opposition to the Sound Packet line, the steamer Fulton arrived in port yesterday afternoon, making her initial appearance here. The new line is being operated by Dodwell & Co. and their vessel will call here twice a week, on Wednesdays and Saturdays. The fact that another steamship company believes that there is plenty of room in the freight business between these cities, shows that the traffic must be building up at a terrific pace. A short time ago the big steamers were able to handle all the freight, but recently the Edith commenced a semi-weekly service and now the Fulton has done likewise. Both vessels carry enormous cargoes each trip and it is expected that very short-larger boats or more of the smaller ones will be required. Both companies are ready to increase their fleet when necessary and no doubt there will be some rivalry between the two concerns.

The Fulton was formerly used on the Tacoma, Seattle and Vancouver route, but as so much freight is offered for shipment to this city, Dodwell & Co. decided to have their vessel call here. All shipping companies are beginning to look up to Victoria as a profitable port of call and she now has the best steamship services of any city on the coast.

TWELVE HORSES CREMATED

Cordova, Alaska, Aug. 24.—Fire destroyed a large portion of the ocean wharf last night, including two large warehouses, the property of the Alaska Steamship Company. It originated in a warehouse in which were thirty horses, just unloaded from the steamer Northwestern for the Ort Stage Company. All were cut loose, but 12 were overcome by smoke and burned to death before they could be driven out. The total loss is estimated at \$25,000.

SETTLERS FOR WEST

Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—Between four and five hundred immigrants, passengers of the steamers Ionian, Teutonic and Cassandra, arrived here yesterday. All are going west, either to British Columbia or Saskatchewan.

San Francisco and Southern California

Leaving Victoria, 5 p. m. AUG. 24, 5 a. m. AUG. 25, 8 a. m. AUG. 26, 8 a. m. AUG. 27, 8 a. m. AUG. 28, 8 a. m. AUG. 29, 8 a. m. AUG. 30, 8 a. m. AUG. 31, 8 a. m. SEP. 1, 8 a. m. SEP. 2, 8 a. m. SEP. 3, 8 a. m. SEP. 4, 8 a. m. SEP. 5, 8 a. m. SEP. 6, 8 a. m. SEP. 7, 8 a. m. SEP. 8, 8 a. m. SEP. 9, 8 a. m. SEP. 10, 8 a. m. SEP. 11, 8 a. m. SEP. 12, 8 a. m. SEP. 13, 8 a. m. SEP. 14, 8 a. m. SEP. 15, 8 a. m. SEP. 16, 8 a. m. SEP. 17, 8 a. m. SEP. 18, 8 a. m. SEP. 19, 8 a. m. SEP. 20, 8 a. m. SEP. 21, 8 a. m. SEP. 22, 8 a. m. SEP. 23, 8 a. m. SEP. 24, 8 a. m. SEP. 25, 8 a. m. SEP. 26, 8 a. m. SEP. 27, 8 a. m. SEP. 28, 8 a. m. SEP. 29, 8 a. m. SEP. 30, 8 a. m. SEP. 31, 8 a. m. OCT. 1, 8 a. m. OCT. 2, 8 a. m. OCT. 3, 8 a. m. OCT. 4, 8 a. m. OCT. 5, 8 a. m. OCT. 6, 8 a. m. OCT. 7, 8 a. m. OCT. 8, 8 a. m. OCT. 9, 8 a. m. OCT. 10, 8 a. m. OCT. 11, 8 a. m. OCT. 12, 8 a. m. OCT. 13, 8 a. m. OCT. 14, 8 a. m. OCT. 15, 8 a. m. OCT. 16, 8 a. m. OCT. 17, 8 a. m. OCT. 18, 8 a. m. OCT. 19, 8 a. m. 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LEEMING BROTHERS LIMITED 521 Fort Street. Phone 748 and 571. SALATOGA AVE.—5 fine wooded lots, Oliver to St. Patrick, \$2,250.

LUMBER COMPANY MAY BUILD RAILWAY Surveyors Seeking Route Between Jordan River and Sooke Harbor

OPEN TOURNAMENT OF TENNIS CLUB Results of Preliminary Rounds in Annual Competitions at Duncan

COUNCIL OPPOSED TO PRIZE FIGHT Resolution Adopted at Nanaimo—Boxing Contests Not Objected to

These For Sale Advertisements Will Bring About Some Real Estate Sales To-day

BUSINESS LOTS FOR BUSINESS MEN AT FORT GEORGE

The big money in real estate is made by those who buy business lots at the beginning of a city. Knowing what you do now, if you had the opportunity of buying at prices prevailing a few years ago, you would not hesitate to buy on Hastings or Granville streets, Vancouver.

Otter Point, Aug. 23.—Surveyors in the employ of the Michigan Pacific Lumber Company recently passed through this district, surveying a route for a railroad from Jordan River to Sooke Harbor, a distance of about twenty miles.

Nanaimo, Aug. 23.—At the regular meeting of the city council, Ald. Wilson asked on what business the engineer had been in Vancouver last week, and who gave him the authority to go.

Duncan, Aug. 23.—The following are the results of play at the annual tournament held under the auspices of the Duncan Tennis Club.

First round—Miss Cran beat Miss K. Robertson, 4-6, 6-1; Miss Lipscombe beat Mrs. Genge, 6-4, 6-4; Miss MacIvor beat Mrs. Newell, 6-2, 6-1; Miss Gillespie beat Miss Musgrave, 6-2, 6-3; Mrs. Leather beat Mrs. McKennie, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Rieckay beat Miss Hayward, 6-1, 6-2; Miss M. Bell beat Miss Gardner, 6-0, 6-1; Miss Kennedy beat Mrs. Musgrave, 6-0, 6-1.

Nanaimo, Aug. 23.—The city council met on record at its last meeting on Monday afternoon, at 7 o'clock, and during the discussion, the subject of prize fights was brought up.

The subject was brought up by Ald. Shepherd who remarked he had seen an article in Sunday's Herald to the effect a proposal was on foot to pull off a prize fight in Nanaimo and he also noticed his worship had refused to grant a permit for the same.

L. U. CONYERS & CO. 650 View Street. SOME CHOICE HOMES

Stanley Avenue, well built house, containing 3 rooms, all modern conveniences, basement, furnace, stable, etc. Large lot, close to cars and school. Reasonable terms can be arranged. Price \$4,200.

FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN MONEY TO LOAN

LEE & FRASER Real Estate and Insurance Agents. Money to Loan, Fire and Life Insurance

Steele Street—Two fine level lots for \$1550, or each \$775. Oliver Street—Fine building lot, 50x120, for \$735.

A. H. HARMAN 1317 Broad Street

BUY BEFORE THE RESERVE AUCTION AT OLD PRICE

SHAWINIGAN LAKE 3 1/2 Acres, choice waterfront. All at \$950.

J. STUART YATES 22 Bastion Street, Victoria. FOR SALE.

Two Valuable Water Lots on Victoria Harbor, at foot of Yates Street.

To Rent—Three-story Warehouse on Wharf Street.

BELL DEVELOPMENT CO., LD. Real Estate and Financial Agents

Six roomed thoroughly modern house in an ideal location, close in. Why not have a charming home? Terms \$1,000 cash, balance \$35 per month.

GRANT & LINEHAM Real Estate and Fire Insurance. Phone 664. 663 Yates Street

HOUSES

Princes Avenue, new 7-room house, dining room, bathroom and built-in sideboard, piped for furnace, 4 bedrooms, lot 50x120. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance to be arranged. Price \$4600.

LOTS

Corner of Graham and Topaz, 102x135. Terms, 1-3 cash, balance arranged. Price \$2500.

ACREAGE

We have the choicest acreage on the Saanich peninsula, and can sell you anything from an acre up.

S. A. BAIRD Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agent. 1216 DOUGLAS STREET.

North Park Street, lot 50x140, between Quadra and Cook streets; north side. Terms Price \$2500.

Blanchard Street, modern 8 roomed house with hardwood finish, full basement, furnace, cement floor. Terms Price \$7500.

THE B. C. LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY 922 GOVERNMENT ST.

LOTS \$200 Cash, the balance 6, 12 and 18 months, a lot 50x108, on Bowker Ave., near Willow. Price \$350.

HOMES

\$700 Cash and the balance easy terms. Buy a 4-room, modern cottage and lot, 52x157, on Faithful street, in Fairfield Estate. Price \$2800.

\$500 Cash, balance \$25 per month at 7 per cent, buys a new modern cottage in Fairfield Estate, close to car line, with a lot 50x120. Price \$2750.

Superior Street, close in, lot 60x120, with 7-room modern house; 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price \$4500.

Cambridge Street, lot 50x125, close to car; \$750 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 per cent. Price \$1550.

Suburban, 6 acres, close to pumping station, all under cultivation, and planted with 10-year-old fruit trees; small house and barns; 1-3 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Price \$9000.

Suburban, Pout Bay Road, 1 1/4 acres, south of Oak Bay Ave., well situated for building; 1-3 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price \$5000.

Business, 32 feet on Fort Street, just east of Blanchard, with 2-story brick building, producing revenue of \$236 per month; \$10,500 cash, balance at 7 per cent. Interest. Price \$37,500.

THE CITY BROKERAGE 1319 Douglas St. Phone Y2403

HOMES OUR SPECIALTY BEAUTIFUL NEW LITTLE HOMES FROM \$2,000 TO \$3,500

\$2,000 buys a 3 room little house, good basement, pantry and toilet, etc., and 2 good lots, or would sell for \$1,400 cottage and one lot. Terms arranged.

\$2,500 buys a new 5 room cottage, cement foundation, etc., garden and chicken run. Fine view. No rock. Terms arranged.

\$2,700, 5 room new cottage, cement foundation, hot and cold water in basement, paneled dining room, pressed brick fireplace; a splendidly built house and very pretty.

\$3,150 buys a new 5 room cottage, cement foundation, paneled hall and dining room, hard plaster, stained floors, woodwork throughout beautifully polished. The best inside finish of any house on our list. Easy terms.

\$3,200 buys a new 5 room cottage, good reception hall, cement foundation, etc. Easy terms.

\$3,500 buys a new 7 room house, just being built, cement foundation, etc., separate toilet. Terms arranged.

TENDERS FOR SEWER PIPE

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Friday, the 25th inst., for sewer pipe of all qualities, including glazed cement pipe, sand glazed pipe and vitrified pipe, as per specifications and quantities which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 23, 1911.

Tenders for Incinerator

Tenders will be received up to Friday, the 25th inst. at 4 p. m., for the building of a new incinerator plant on the city property at the foot of Herald street, in accordance with the plans, specifications and conditions, which can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 23, 1911.

University School VICTORIA, B. C. For Boys

Next term begins Wednesday, September 6. Fifteen Acres of Playing Fields. Accommodation for 150 Boarders. Organized Cadet Corps.

Musical Instruction. Football and Cricket. Gymnasium and Rifle Ranges. Recent Successes at McGill and R.M.C.

Rev. W. W. Bolton, M.A. (Cambridge). PRINCIPALS: R. V. Harvey, M.A. (Cambridge); J. C. Barnack, Esq. (Lond. Univ.), assisted by a resident staff of University men. For Prospectus apply to the Bursar.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

1. To construct a permanent sidewalk on the east side of Russell street, from Milne street to Esquimalt road;

2. To grade, drain and tar macadamize Dalton street, from Esquimalt road to Wilkes street, and to construct permanent sidewalks of concrete on both sides of said street, with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains;

3. To grade, drain and tar macadamize Suffolk street, from Dalton street westward to Bowley street, and to construct permanent sidewalks, with curbs and gutters, also lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains;

4. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement the lots to the west and east of the Victoria, B. C. Board of Trade Building, as shown on a map deposited in the Land Registry Office on the 5th of July, 1911, and numbered 219;

5. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete (5 ft. wide) on the west side of St. Charles street, from the Fairfield road southward to the sea;

6. To grade, drain and pave with an asphaltic pavement, with a concrete base, Richmond avenue, from Laramie road to Fairfield road, and construct permanent sidewalks, with curbs and gutters and lateral connections to sewers, surface drains and water mains, and move poles, if necessary;

7. To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Richardson street, between Vancouver street and Cook street.

And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement Gen-

DROWNED WHILE FISHING

Prince Rupert, Aug. 23.—Bert Buckingham, employed in the gravel pits at Kitsum as brakeman, lost his life while fishing. After his day's work he got his supper and went down to the river bank to fish. One of the men saw him step on the log, Buckingham was fixing his tackle when he fell, and that was the last seen of him.

Another man picked up a pole and rushed to his assistance, but failed to catch sight of him. The fatality occurred where the Kitsumkum river empties into the Skeena, and the current is very swift at the place.

MAKING BEER RESERVE

North Westminister, Aug. 22.—The formation of a beer reserve has been commenced in the forest about a mile north of the new asylum buildings at Mount Coquitlam. A gang of men are erecting a fence which will be nine feet high, when completed, and enclose an area of some 40 acres. The only interference with the primeval conditions of the forest contemplated is the clearing of a pathway through the sanctuary of the deer.

ACCIDENTAL DROWNING

North Vancouver, Aug. 21.—An Englishman named Wood, aged about 25, was drowned near Capilano reserve. He had been engaged fixing a log to a boom when he slipped and fell into the water. Two men in the vicinity tried to rescue him but failed. His body was recovered 20 minutes later.

—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, over Terry's Drug Store, Douglas Street.

Natural Resources Security Co., Limited

Advertisements Written and Placed for All Businesses

Suggestions from the Hardware Section



Colbert Plumbing and Heating Co. 725 Fort Street, Just Above Douglas

SWEEEPING VICTORY FOR RECIPROCIITY

LARGE ACCESSIONS FROM THE OPPOSITION

Scribe Writes Interestingly of Conversations With Canadian Voters

(E. W. Thompson, in Boston Transcript.)

Last Friday I left Ottawa, whose hotels were crowded with American tourists mostly delighted with the city and with their good-natured selves as "free-spenders." They were hiring Ottawa cabs and autocars, filling the tourist automobiles, rambling about Parliament Hill, thronging the noble public buildings and buying hats, jewelry, furs and other things they didn't much need, partly to take home something Canadian—if their infernal customs officials would let them—and partly to demonstrate to their hosts that international friendliness which President Taft has promoted, which both parties in both Houses of Congress have promoted, which Ambassador Bryce has promoted, which the statesmen of both British old country parties have long furthered handsomely, and to which the humble person now writing has sedulously tried to contribute as Canadian correspondent of the Boston Transcript during the past nine years.

In Montreal I found at the Windsor, the Place Viger, and the less famous hostelrys precisely similar conditions. The city was thronged with open-handed, kindly "Tankees," acting as "his native nature to when they are in good humor. On Tuesday morning I landed at the King Edward, in this bustling city, where the same phenomena are obvious in this house, in the good old Queen's and Rossin, in every other comfortable hotel on the streets, in the stores and places of horse and gasoline livery. Similar conditions prevail at this moment, they have persisted since mid-June, they will persist till late in September at Quebec, Halifax, St. John, Moncton, Charlottetown, Fredericton, at Hamilton, at London, at all the principal Ontario towns; at Fort William, Port Arthur, Winnipeg, Brandon, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton, Vancouver, Victoria and other important places too numerous to specify.

At least quarter a million free-handed American tourists must be in Canada at this moment. If anybody will liberally back an opinion that there are not more tourists in Canada than there are in the United States, he can find a ready-made ally in the railway and steamboat passenger traffic agents who certify in the premises. It is safe betting that there will be more of the same in Canada next year, more again in 1913, and so on indefinitely. It is not only to make the "fraternal" friendship of American editors and publishers convinced that Canadians in general do not wish for the friendship and travel of Americans, but for as little intercourse with them as is humanly possible to neighbors along 3,500 miles of boundary line. That fraternal cord in six months convinces the bulk of American tourists that they are not wanted in the Dominion, that their room is preferred to their company, that their money and liberal good-will do not secure them a real welcome.

The world does not contain a people more essentially sentimental than Americans, more disposed to amiability and generosity towards friends, more quick and steadfast in resenting proved dislikes. At least, that is the opinion of the present writer, who has been going forth and back between his native Ontario and various parts of the Republic ever since a boyhood which ended about forty-six years ago. Let the American editorial fraternity, who are a just and reasonable folk on the whole, once see just and undeniable reason to believe Canadians essentially embittered against, unfriendly, or even hostile to neighborly intercourse with Americans, and that fraternal will convince the American people of the fact "quicker than you could say 'trickles.'" At least the state of conviction would be put into them before the next season for summer touring began. Then that touring would stop, or become a mere dribble of the boldest sort, curious to see, realize, and, if possible, understand why Americans were so detested in a country of whose people they have long and justly been praised for energetic achievement, and of whom their public men have lately said nothing worse than "By Jingo, we wish we could get the bully Canucks to join our country instead of a raft of brown or copper-colored Filipinos, Porto Ricans and other such lazy dogs."

What does the tourist travel in Canada amount to in cold cash, in demand for local goods, but manufactured and imported from England, in prices for the best of chickens, eggs, vegetables, fruits and every other succulent and toothsome thing Canadians can raise, and do produce in first-class shape? If it does not amount to fifty million dollars a year, then good estimates are far wrong. It amounts, anyway, to that demand which puts the "just what's needed" into business, urban and rural. It is the "something extra" which makes all the difference between fish lines and crawling along the best you can by the mercy of creditors. There is, in my opinion, no greater loss than the notion that Canada has been and is so prosperous because our tariff has long enabled some of us, a small minority, to prevent the rest of us buying where we can buy cheapest, just as the United States and other admirable foreign tariffs have prevented us selling where we could get the most money for our produce. It has gone for a wide over Canada, from Prince Edward Island to Vancouver, B. C., three times during the past eight years, with eyes open and continual reflection on the real causes of the prosperity of my dearly beloved

native country. The cause of that prosperity is immigration. Immigration has been adding from two to five hundred thousand people, mostly able-bodied, and many of them with good, hard-earned, cold cash, to our population every year since 1890, when the real boom began. Had the tariff made us all flush before that time? No. The tariff could help us to wealth about as much as we can get to heaven by hoisting ourselves by the top of our boots, an effort which would rather impair our strength, even as tariffs do. The cause of Canadian prosperity is the ever-increasing demand for what things are produced by the men and women on the ground, in the cities, in the fishing boats, in the mines, in the forests. The immigrants, speedily as they get to work, can't produce fast enough to supply themselves and the next year's immigrants. All reasonable observers know what I am saying to be simply true.

But what has immigration got to do with tourist travel? Why, the latter is essentially immigration, and the very cream of immigration, for four months each year. The tourists are all good spenders; they go away, but their money stays; they have stimulated demand all summer; they do not enter into competition with our workers; they fetch in lots of United States money to support those workers and to raise their wages, profits and other earnings. Without them we certainly should all be distinctly worse off. They do not cost our governments—which are only the agents of our taxpayers—one red cent. They resemble the fertilizing waters of the Nile in overflowing the country annually, and leaving it a lot richer than it was before. What if the annual Nile flood stopped? Then the agriculture and the cities of Egypt would get along somehow, of course. But, Lord, how the people would pray for resumption of the good, old customary enriching flood!

Well, do Canadians in general imagine that nothing harmful is going to happen if they slap their good neighbors in the face at the elections of next September? I claim to know my fellow-countrymen as well as any other native-born, and therefore I believe that they will be bulldozed. Never. They have proved their staunchness to British connection and to our national idea of a separate and independent British country on this continent over and over again. The U. E. Loyallists (among whom I had two great-grandfathers, one of them no less a fighter than Parshall Terry of Butler's Rangers) proved that they meant the native-born of Canada to be forever British-born when they left all they had in the thirteen revolted colonies to live under their and our fathers' Crown—God bless the man who wears it. The next generation, among whom my grandfather, Colonel W. Thomson, and all his able-bodied relations fought in the war of 1812, proved that they stuck to the intentions of their fighting daddies. Many of the veterans of 1812 turned out like my maternal grandfather with their boys in 1837 to prove the same old sum, even on the bodies of fellow-countrymen who did not start meandering rebellion, but set out for nothing worse than reform and got too angry on the way. Twenty-nine years later, in 1846, the gringos and great-grandmothers, including the present writer, then of the Queen's Own Rifles, turned out, as in 1870, to hold off the Fenian invasion. The year 1885 saw eastern Canadians marching west against Riel and his humble, not ill-meaning, folk, who had been crazed by a governmental neglect that Sir John Macdonald, then getting old, never meant, and which he hastened to redress as soon as they took up arms. All the same, the Canadian march westward proved again the old intention that Canada should remain a part of the British Empire, and not in the Boer war. Anybody who does not think it sufficiently proven again by the Navy Act of two years ago is welcome to his opinion. No; Canadians can't be bulldozed, and common sense is not going to imagine that I am silly enough to think they can be when I have said what I have said, and in the chain of straight reasoning.

Will no harm happen if we slap our neighbors in the face on the 21st day of the coming September? Man alive, think of what has happened! Think of what our neighbors have done. Think of how we should feel if they flung back in our faces—a popular note a trade agreement which they had been asking us for during two generations, and which we had at last given them, more to show good-will than in any hope to gain money by it. Think how we'd feel if such an agreement had been often sought by them; if they had sworn never to ask us for it again; if they had at last gone to them, saying: "Let us talk about your old wish now." If they had consented to dicker; if the dicker had produced the very thing that all their public men had publicly desired for fifty years; if our men of good-will had passed it, as the result of long political struggle, and much of that in hot weather; if our Governor-General had had to sit over a refrigerator to supervise the struggle for amity; if the bargain had been slowly worked through our House of Commons; if it had passed our Senate with difficulty; if it had been signed by our Governor-General—think, I repeat, of how we should feel if our neighbors then kicked the whole thing into oblivion at the polls.

Would we not feel trapped, insulted, enraged, and mighty ready to be as nasty as possible to such deceitful and cantankerous neighbors? Put yourself in the place of the Yankee at this moment. He, his President, his House of Representatives, his Senate, his editors by an immense majority, have passed reciprocity, in spite of the most strenuous opposition of multitudinous American farming and other interests, because, in my certainly experienced judgment, the Yankees know that both our parties and all our Ottawa ministries asked for it for fifty years; because the Yankees always did feel kind of mean in refusing it; because they have been admiring Canadian courage and enterprise for ten years back, and because they simply wish to be neighborly now. To allege that they imagine reciprocity to be half as much to their commercial advantage as they do and know it will be to ours is as pure bosh as it is to allege that they think so contemptibly of the staunch-hearted Canadian people as to conceive that reciprocity will soothe them into a wish for political union. The truth is, as I know from much

intercourse with Americans, that they have got completely over their old, fond notion that we Canadians would "come in" if they persisted in refusing our farmers and other producers of "natural" free entrance to their markets. By forsaking that old delusion comes one of their friendly reasons for at last consenting to reciprocity. They have said in their hearts, "We have tested those industrious Canadians long enough. Took us more'n a hundred years to get it through our heads that they meant to stay British. Now we have got sure of that. All right. Let 'em stay out. That's no reason we shouldn't treat them neighborly. And, by gosh, we are aware of being ourselves now mighty well inclined to the old daddy of most of our daddies, John Bull. Here's my friendship with our blood-brother, Johnny (Cauck). And it won't be surprising if we show old John himself next, by some practical reciprocity of trade preference, that we ain't unamiable toward himself, not by any manner of means."

Hands all round among English-speaking peoples is a goal straight on the road forward, once we get reciprocity in actual products between the King's ever-faithful Dominion and the immensely powerful and rich English-speaking community alongside. Good-will produces good-will, which endlessly reproduces beneficent effects. Hate and jealousy produce also their devilish kind.

To get back to the tourist traffic which is enriching every Canadian town and country region at this moment of time. Is it going to last and grow or diminish? It is after the 21st of September? That depends. Now, I am writing under the judgment of a very experienced American, who knows both east and west, viz., the editor of the Boston Transcript. I say, with his approval, that it depends entirely on what American editors shall be made to feel, and to impart to their American readers, after the Canadian elections of September next, I assert positively that the American press—having a public duty to perform—the duty of informing their people of the meanings of public events—could not but know and state that a rejection of reciprocity by the popular vote of Canadians, who stand to gain enormously by the measure, could signify nothing short of a profound Canadian animosity against good neighbors, and a popular Canadian wish not only to reduce commercial intercourse with them, but to tell them so in as public and offensive a way as is humanly possible.

Surely that would be a very unwelcome proceeding on the part of Canadians, even if they felt so. The tourist traffic—profitable as it is, and much as future Canada, the Switzerland of the continent, ought to gain by it—is a bagatelle compared with the losses which might be inflicted by the neighbor whose border is continuous with ours for 3,500 miles, and with whose railways ours and their traffic in bond are intermingled—not so inextricably that the great neighbor, if wantonly insulted, could not disentangle them, with far worse loss to Canada than to himself. Enough said on that point. Especially as there is, in my judgment, the least reason to believe that Canadians will not joyfully take the neighborly extended hand instead of slapping it back in the American face.

If we wished to refuse the benefits of reciprocity, if our suspicion of our own hearts were such that we could not trust ourselves to sell Yankee bushels of onions where now we sell them a peck, if we feared that advancing them by four dollars' advance per ton would corrupt our devotion to King George—that true Monarch of the people, whose heart is with the workers and the farmer, despite the terrific threats of the moribund Peage—if we were like the wicked in Scripture who "flee when no man pursueth," still it would be insensate to throw out reciprocity by popular vote. Why? Because the agreement is one of concurrent legislation. We can if we choose continue taking fifty cents a barrel more for apples from the wicked Yankee than Father John Bull can afford to give us, throw out the reciprocity agreement any year, or any session of the Ottawa Parliament. We can amend it in such a way that the onus of closing the whole thing will be taken by Uncle Samuel. We can dicker with him for changes, and if he won't agree we can go ahead and make them and leave him to take it or leave it. This is all provided for in the agreement—so canny and foresighted were those innocent young Canadian babes, Messrs. Fielding, Patterson, in drawing the agreement up. Uncle Sam could not pretend a grievance, nor his editors—the least excuse for getting rampagous, if we did annual the thing cannyly instead of insultingly, as our supercilious but so rash Tories propose. In ratifying reciprocity, even as our neighbors have done, we shall give no sort of pledge of honor that we will adhere to it one hour after it may suit us to jettison the whole thing.

Now for a little prophesying, a favorite pastime of many more or less wise men in political campaigns. Reciprocity will not only be approved greatly at the September polls, but it will be most notably approved by the popular vote of Ontario. This is where the surprise of the Bordenites is coming in. Nobody of experience can doubt it, if he remember that Ontario never yet was otherwise than favorable to reciprocity in natural products, and if he goes about among Conservatives and listens to what they are saying now.

I have it straight from the lips of many of them—I had it in Norfolk on Tuesday from a prominent and sagacious life-long Conservative doctor whose extensive practice is largely among Conservative farmers—that Conservatives all over that region are saying that Mr. Borden has gone wrong on this vital matter, has back on the side of the old party, and that they will vote for reciprocity in September. I have had the same experience in eastern Ontario and in western Quebec. Such straws never yet failed to show how the wind is blowing.

The turnover in Ontario, as in every other province, is going to be but from the Ministerialist party, but

from the foes of reciprocity. That much-talked of "small percentage" which if it went one way would turn Laurier out in going the other way, and it will reduce the Opposition rank at Ottawa by at least ten, and probably twenty-five, seats. This will be partly an effect of so many canny Conservatives reasoning: "We will do our level best to make the majority for reciprocity big. That is the way to make our foolish misleaders stop clamoring against it. That is the way to make them own up that they were wrong, and have become willing to declare acceptance of the popular verdict. Once we get reciprocity established, then we can turn on Laurier at the next elections within a year hence. Then we can safely show him what we think about some things that are not up in this referendum election, simply because the first need of us all is that reciprocity shall be passed, and so given a chance, to show whether it will make good."

PASSING SHOW

Empress Theatre. Mabel Howard has given many years to the study of dancing—their stage dancing—and her time has been well spent for the pretty entertainer who appears at the Empress theatre this week. She is assisted by Shaw and Lee, a duo of dancers that know everything there is to know about their work.

Miss Howard in preparing for the big S. and C. circuit over which she is now travelling, compiled a wardrobe of great variety and expense. She is



MABEL HOWARD, SHAW AND LEE Dance trio at the Empress

accompanied by eleven stage trunks, much of the contents of which were seen during her appearance on the Empress stage. Russell and Smith's minstrels, a quintette of trained singers; Franz Meisel, the Austrian violinist; Lew Orth and Lillian Orth, the tourists in Egypt, and Weida and Serano hand-balancers are entertaining Manager Wisner's patrons and assisting in drawing full houses.

CLEARANCE ASSOCIATION

Reports Submitted by Shippers Show Last Year's Crop Was Under Estimated.

Winnipeg, Aug. 24.—Directors of the Lake Shippers' Clearance Association held their annual meeting here for the purpose of electing a new executive and hearing the financial report of the secretary. The association was organized two years ago for the purpose of facilitating the handling and shipping of grain from the head of the Great Lakes at Fort William. The head office of the association are in Winnipeg, with a branch at Fort William. The following board was elected: President, John Fleming; Secretary, A. C. Rutan; treasurer, A. K. Godfrey; directors, C. Tilt, H. N. Baird and F. W. Young.

The report shows that last year 82,065,629 bushels of grain were loaded, as against 74,440,421 the previous year, and of 711 cargoes loaded, 375 were loaded at one house, 17 at two houses, 120 at three and 40 simple cargoes. These figures demonstrate several things, one of which is that the crop of 1910 was very much under-estimated and also that the association has shown its ability to handle any kind of crop.

The statistical maniac calculates that there is one piano for every seven houses in the United Kingdom, and as each instrument costs on an average \$100, the enormous aggregate is \$700,000,000.

G. H. BARNARD ON CAMPAIGN ISSUES

Conservatives Hear Candidate and Speakers in Ward Three Rally at Broad Street Hall

Conservatives of Ward three heard the Conservative candidate for the Dominion election, G. H. Barnard, last night at the Broad street hall, where there was a gathering of forces, all the Conservative workers, and Victoria members in the provincial house, with the exception of the premier, taking seats on the platform. The hall bore the signs "Imperial Unity," "The Solid Seven," and a banner bearing the word "Which" between the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes. The hall was well filled and all the speakers got a good hearing. In addition to the candidate the others who spoke were Ald. Gleason, chairman of the meeting; W. H. Price, H. C. Hanington, Leonard Tait, and William Blakemore.

Mr. Barnard referred to a remark made by Mr. Price when the latter had said "there are too many Grits in Ward three." Mr. Barnard remarked that Ward three was always thought a Liberal stronghold, but he did not think so. He did not think there was a Liberal stronghold in any ward in Victoria. There were, however, as it stood, too many Grits in Ward three. He expressed serious concern at the illness which prevented J. L. Beckwith from being present—he said Mr. Beckwith's absence was the opportunity for them all to discover the sterling qualities as a chairman of Ald. Gleason, and that the meeting would close at 10:30 at the latest, but he did not believe the working men wanted to stay around listening to election speeches after that time.

Referring to a paragraph in the Times of Tuesday in which an illustration of the effect of reciprocity with the United States was given, Mr. Barnard remarked that the Times was at present running a funny column and that the story of William and the loaf was reciprocity exactly. "We are to give the Americans a slice," he said, "and if they like it then they can pass up their plates and we'll give them some more."

Referring to Mr. Cowper's statement upon the fishing industry, that there are 90,000,000 people south of the line with fish appetites and no fish, and plenty of fish north of the line and no appetite, Mr. Barnard said: "If there is only a few cents duty the Americans won't go hungry. They will steal the fish. They are doing that now."

Mr. McPherson, now postmaster at Vancouver, said, when in the House, that 31,000,000 pounds of halibut were stolen from Canadian waters. Mr. Sloan had complained of poachers on the Pacific Canadian waters, and he (Mr. Barnard) had added his protest on different occasions in the House of Commons, but it was all on deaf ears, for no effort had been made to stop the poaching.

Mr. Barnard then spoke on pulpwood. Regarding this he said the pulp wood industry had been fostered by the B. C. government and was beginning to show results at Swanson Bay and Powell River. One thousand men were now employed at the latter place, and when the mills were working there would be a thriving town there. "America is short of pulp wood," he said, "and \$5,000,000 is paid out annually by the American newspapers now for paper. That colossal sum will come into Canada in a few years if we keep up the barriers." Mr. Fielding could not give the Americans a free tariff on pulp wood because certain provincial governments had made tariff laws on that article of commerce, but Mr. Fielding had agreed, if the provincial governments could be induced to let paper out free, then the Dominion government would sanction it. Raw paper in Canada, said Mr. Barnard, pays the farmer who supplies the pulp wood \$7 per ton. One ton of paper in Canada is now worth \$40 and in the United States \$45 with the \$5 per ton duty. There are, he said, large quantities of American lands who can export to America under the reciprocity agreement while lessees of crown lands cannot do so. The United States will buy from the owners of the land competing against the lessees, and the latter will bring all pressure to bear on provincial governments to have the duty in the provinces where pulp is protected, removed. He claimed the Dominion government is coercing the provincial authorities and if reciprocity is resisted the paper industry alone would be responsible for the employment of thousands of Canadians and the upbuilding of towns. John Norris, chairman of the American Newspaper Association, reporting to the Congressional committee had said pressure must be brought to bear on the provincial governments of Canada to have the duty on pulp removed.

Referring to the naval policy of the Dominion government, Mr. Barnard said he voted against the naval bill and would do it again to-morrow. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had said he was not afraid of an invasion on the Atlantic but recognized danger on the Pacific, yet of the ten cruisers to be built, two were to be stationed on the Pacific and eight upon the Atlantic. This statement had been made by the minister of militia and defence; and the minister had said there was a larger population on the Atlantic and it should have the greater protection. It was votes, votes, votes. Mr. Barnard then complained that the vessels were not to be built on the Pacific and that it would be wise to build them here at greater expense, as there would then be a shipyard to look after the repairs of the vessels later on.

"Had Ralph Smith and Mr. Zerkman been alive to their duties," said Mr. Barnard, "they would have insisted upon a clause in the contract calling for the construction of the ships for the Pacific to be built upon the Pacific. The tenders do not provide this. The ships will be built in the east, back on their pledges, and I am satisfied that the Liberal government is doomed. Many an election fight had been lost because the other side had been too sure. There was one such fight lost when I was elected in 1905.

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What Reciprocity Means to the People of Canada

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For the Farmer	Onions.
Cattle.	Apples.
Horses and mules.	Pears.
Swine.	Peaches.
Sheep and lambs.	Grapes.
Poultry.	Butter.
Wheat.	Cheese.
Rye.	Fresh milk.
Oats.	Fresh cream.
Barley.	Eggs.
Beans.	Hay.
Potatoes.	Straw.
Corn.	
For the Fisherman	Cod.
Mackerel.	Oysters.
Herring.	Lobsters.
Halibut.	Salmon.
For the Lumberman	Timber, hewn, sawed or squared.
Sawed boards, planks, deals.	

Paving posts, railroad ties and poles. Wooden staves. Pickets and pelings. For the Miner. Feldspar. Salt. Mica. Asbestos. For the Consumer. Lower duties on a host of articles, such as: Meats, fresh or refrigerated. Bacon and hams. Beef and pork, salted. Canned meats and poultry. Lard. Tomatoes and other vegetables. Wheat flour and oatmeal. Prepared cereal food. Bran, middlings and other offals grain. Macaroni and vermicelli. Biscuits, wafers and cakes. Canned fruits. Agricultural implements. Cutlery. Paving stones. Clocks and Watches. Caneos. Motor vehicles. Laurier and the Larger Markets in the policy for Canada.

We are fighting now as we never fought before. We are fighting for the future of the country and for the British flag for all time to come." (Applause.)

Wm. Blakemore, who was cheered at the end of his speech, likened the present position of Canada to that of a stable business house in most prosperous circumstances. "Would," he asked, "such a business house reverse its business methods? Canada to-day is within parallel in the prosperous nations of the world and British Columbia is sharing in the prosperity for three reasons, because of a frugal and industrious people, of great natural resources being developed, and because of the sound financial basis on which Canadians have elected to conduct their business."

He referred to the great success that has attended the protective policy in the past, saying, "Give the credit to Canada, you will." He claimed the reciprocity pact to be an unbusinesslike proposal and instead of the U. S. becoming a market of 90,000,000 people it would become a competitive power. Mr. Blakemore ended the bonds holding the maintenance of the issue and said the issue was on broad lines, not what would benefit the few but what would benefit the Dominion and the Empire.

H. C. Hanington dealt with the United States as a market for B. C. produce. He did not think the B. C. people should be so dependent on the Americans. Canada America produces many of the same commodities as Canada in larger quantities. He said Mr. Taft's experts

had shown Congress the benefits to Americans to be had by the passage of the reciprocity pact, and he quoted many figures comparing the prices of cattle, etc., in Canada and America. The Canadian prices were the higher. The result, he said, would be that the Americans, with the tariff wall thrown down, would sell their cattle here cheaper than the price at which Canadian cattle, etc., is now being sold. He foresaw Canada in the grip of the produce trusts and said the end of the Canadian resources commercially. By the adoption of the reciprocity pact he said Canada would lose the English market she has gained. Concluding, he said: "With all these important things in sight it is wise to consider the few cents per pound we are to obtain? Reciprocity is merely a wedge to divide us from protection and it will become an economic annexation."

Laurier's brief report on the Conservative convention held yesterday at Duncan, where he said, 26 delegates were present, all of whom had brought special reports from their districts.

W. H. Price made some announcements regarding meetings and maintained that the price of labor would decrease with reciprocity in force. Ald. Gleason introduced the speakers and urged all to get to work for the candidate. The meeting dispersed at 10 o'clock.

Sundays and fixed holidays excepted, it is estimated that \$100,000 worth of fish is daily dragged out of the sea by British fishermen.

PARIS FASHIONS

SILK and Satin Summer Evening Wraps



Striped Voile de Soie Wrap
Maison Drcoll

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BY MRS. A. T. ASHMORE.

To be well provided with wraps of all kinds and descriptions is essential in these days when motors play such an important part in life. Going to and from any entertainment given in city or country necessitates an all-enveloping wrap, for a motor is the customary form of

they will look well on anybody regardless of size or shape. Even a slender, graceful figure will look bad in a too shapeless garment, while a stout figure is seen at its worst in a wrap that is badly cut and with bad lines and that has been chosen simply because of its large size.

Fashions More Practical.

The fashions of this season are more practical than is supposed, for it is possible to make one garment do duty for two or three different purposes. A smart wrap that is not too smart for a motor wrap to be worn when going to an afternoon entertainment can also be utilized for an evening coat, and although this concession of fashion is not to be imposed upon and made too general, it saves many pounces for the woman who has to count



Blue Linen Gown.

conveyance in city or country, and it stands to reason that the delicate gown must be thoroughly protected. And the newest fashions in all wraps are evidently designed with this purpose in view, for they are extremely practical while at the same time they are becoming and often smart. Unfortunately it cannot be truthfully said that the wraps shall have good lines and be built with some regard to the figure of the wearer. One of the greatest mistakes that is made in regard to loose garments is the idea that because they are loose

every one that she spends on her dress. The silk cloaks and wraps are very charming, with a certain old time picturesque-



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ness the coloring, light or dark, are most desired for these garments which are designed on most original lines. Pullings, shirtings, tucks, fine pleated ruffles of the same silk as the cloak, trimmed sometimes with narrow black velvet ribbon, recall the unglorious cloaks of many years ago. These were then the fashionable trimmings, but in

olden days there was not the same distinction and smart appearance, even the most devoted to old days must admit, without exception the smart wraps now so popular really are smart. Smart is a small word that conveys so much meaning to all lovers of dress that it has been universally adopted to describe any article of clothing that has marked individuality, is up to date, noticeable but not conspicuous, and also becoming to the

wearer, and the word implies a clear title to instant success. Light colored wraps are extremely fashionable this season in the changeable effects already alluded to, and also in plain colors. White in its many different shades and grades—gray, yellow and pale straw color—are most popular; blue, mauve and green, the latter in apple green or Nile green, are equally attractive. These wraps are not lined heavily;

a thin silk or satin separate lining is tacked in if extra warmth is required. But it is protection from dust rather than from cold that is demanded; furthermore, the silk itself is heavy enough to give some warmth. The loose coat and the wide cloak are both in fashion. The former is generally conceded to be the more practical, but the latter, if cut wide enough, can be made so that one side can be crossed over, giving warmth, and at the same time it is so easy to slip off a wrap of this description that for the evening, at the theatre, for instance, it is much the more comfortable.

The Eastern draped garments are copied now with approval. The Arabian burnous has proved a most practical model for the soft satin cloaks and wraps of all kinds, while there is an infinite variety of style in the draping. A most popular model of this order is made of black satin lined with a deep rose color crepe de Chine and so fashioned that it can be worn with either black or rose color on the outside. There are long kimono sleeves that are in reality part of the drapery, and the points are so cut that one can be crossed over the other, with the end thrown over the shoulder. Both points are finished with gold tassels and there are also tassels on the points of the sleeves. To the unobservant this wrap would appear to be quite shapeless and impossible for any one to wear, but



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its perfection of cut, while the more elaborate style has the pullings and shirings, they soften and please. And each will be fashionable. Incidentally it may be mentioned that the department stores this season have had and still have an assortment of wraps of most moderate price that are extremely smart and effective, so that it is as well to look carefully before attempting home dressmaking for the evening cloak of this season. This summer all the transparent fabrics are unusually fashionable and there are many styles of evening wraps made of them. Extremely effective and extremely expensive also are the brocade embroidered and lace coats and cloaks, and the lining may be chosen, this silk, or crepe. Fine shirring coats finished with several bands or one wide band of velvet or satin are made up in black, white or colors and are practical and smart; the material is plaited down the front, the wearer's look large, as might be thought, for the model gives long lines. Velveteen, moquette and all over lace and net of all kinds can be used for this model, while it can be enhanced by the addition of wide bands of fern or cream lace around the bottom of the coat, in a panel at the back and down the front. Another rendering of the fashion has a yoke and straight pieces down the front of the face and the rest of the coat is plain.

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A. C. Bennett, Honolulu, is at the Dominion hotel.

P. D. and Mrs. Francis, Chicago, are at the Empress.

Domitiek Burns, Vancouver, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. Justice Irving returned to town yesterday afternoon.

Capt. John Irving arrived yesterday afternoon from Seattle.

E. Taylor left on Tuesday for a short visit to Portland, Ore.

B. K. and Mrs. Morton, Sheffield, are guests at the Empress.

C. A. and Mrs. Macmillan, Winnipeg, are staying at the Empress.

J. W. and Mrs. Forbes, Winnipeg, have arrived at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sehl and family have left for Portland, Ore.

J. J. Shallcross returned last evening from a visit to the mainland.

Mrs. E. E. Blackwood is making a visit to friends in Vancouver.

Kenneth Raymer returned home yesterday from a vacation visit to Spokane.

Mrs. Thomas Hooper and Miss Taylor are leaving shortly on a trip to New York.

Mrs. Jennings and Miss Jennings were in town yesterday on their way to Alaska.

The Misses Geraldine and Helen Starr have returned from a week's vacation at Salt Spring Island.

Miss M. Hamilton is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. Hamilton, Bellingham, Wash., for a few days.

Mrs. R. W. Craig, Phoenix, Arizona, daughter of the late Dr. Davie, arrived here yesterday from Honolulu. She

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received the news of her father's death the day she sailed.

Dr. and Mrs. Wigglesworth left yesterday for Fernie, B. C., via the Great Northern railway.

Mrs. Lyrett left yesterday on a visit to the Old Country via the Chicago-Milwaukee railway and the Campana.

Sir Reginald McLeod, K.C.B., late under secretary for Scotland, is in Victoria in the course of a tour of Can-

ada and the United States and is staying at the Empress.

Miss Smith, Livingstone, Alberta, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Nash, Stanley avenue.

Mrs. Leonard and Mrs. Walker, Esquimalt road, have returned from a visit across the Sound.

Miss Viva Blackwood is spending a few days as the guest of Col. and Mrs. Prior at Shawnigan lake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. O'Leary and children are spending a holiday at the Riverside Inn, Cowichan.

A. Macle left yesterday for Glasgow, Scotland, via the Chicago-Milwaukee railway and the Campana.

Mrs. J. W. Elliott, Quadra street, will not receive to-day, nor again until the fourth Thursday in October.

Miss M. Wood, Wimpole street, London, is spending a month with Col. and Mrs. Prior at Shawnigan Lake.

Rev. M. Cohen left yesterday on his return to Lethbridge, Montana, via the Chicago-Milwaukee-Paget Sound railway.

George Jay, police magistrate, returned from a short holiday yesterday, during which he visited Prince Rupert and Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton and child leave on Tuesday for New York, via the C. P. R. and Grand Trunk railways, and Montreal.

Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Marrett, who have been making a visit at October Mansions, have returned to Cowichan.

Mrs. Smith Thompson and her daughter, Miss Margaret Thompson, St. Louis, are making a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jones, James Bay.

W. M. MacPherson, Quebec, president of the Montreal Bank, was here for a few hours yesterday afternoon. It is understood that the bank will open a branch here in the near future.

Mrs. Julius Schmidt, Virden, Man., accompanied by her friend, Mrs. Thomas Pearson, St. James street, whom she has been visiting, leave today to visit friends in Seattle and Tacoma.

Bishop Perrin and Archbishop Scriven left for Vancouver last evening to attend an important conference of representatives of the four Anglican dioceses in British Columbia in regard to the establishment of a theological college, and also the proposal to have the territory in Canada, west of the Rockies, created an ecclesiastical province.

On Saturday evening next a big fanned dance is to be held at the Strathcona hotel, Shawnigan Lake, that promises to be the foremost event of its kind held on the Island this summer. It is being held in honor of the tennis tournament that is being played on Strathcona courts Saturday and will no doubt attract a large crowd of Victoria pleasure-seekers. The music is to be supplied by the Royal Crescendo orchestra and will be most up-to-date. At midnight the home waltz will be played, following which a buffet supper will be served. Following is the programme for the evening: Waltz, The Balkan Princess; two-step, Chatterbox Rag; waltz, Chocolate Soldier; two-step, The Arcadians; barn, Lucy, Anna, Lou; waltz, Madame Sherry; two-step, The Chicken Reel; waltz, Visions of Solome; two-step, That Grizzly Bear; three-step, Pachhake; moonlight waltz, Where the River Shannon Flows; two-step, What's the Matter With Father; waltz, Dollar Princess; two-step, Temptation Rag; waltz, Good-night, Dear.

The following guests registered at the Shawnigan Lake hotel during the past week: R. L. Lemm, Victoria; Miss Hardy, Miss Marshall, Ronald McLeod, G. A. McBain and wife, North Vancouver; J. S. Rogers, Seattle; Mrs. H. A. Goran and family, Victoria; E. E. Stride, Vancouver; Geo. McCandless and wife, F. H. Mills, Victoria; G. D. Bell and wife, P. H. Murphy, Vancouver; C. P. Archibald, E. T. Beatty, Mrs. W. Forrest, Victoria; Mrs. F. A. Skitch, Toronto; Miss A. M. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Robertson, Mr. F. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Goggin, Victoria; A. M. Beattie, Kathleen Beattie, Irene Sharp, Olga Fee, Grace Fee, Miss H. E. Eaton, Vancouver; R. H. Hisecks, Mrs. J. A. McIntosh, J. A. Mitchell, Victoria; C. E. McDonald, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. C. E. Blener, London, Eng.; Mrs. M. Kinlock, Victoria; A. C. Bliss, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, H. W. Day, Mrs. R. W. Day, A. Harvey, Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Miss A. Wootton, Victoria; Archibald Nair, Vancouver; C. M. Snow, H. A. Goward, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Merritt, Mrs. S. Moore, Miss M. Merritt, Vancouver; E. G. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. R. Godacre, Miss Anna Godacre, J. W. Petch, P. B. Hallett, Miss Hill, Miss M. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Griffiths, J. A. Turner and wife, Victoria; Mrs. M. A. Dunning, Winnipeg; Mrs. S. H. Reynolds, Victoria; Mrs. P. G. Crawford, Winnipeg; Mrs. A. R. Graham, Victoria; Miss G. Grant, New York; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. H. Teakles, Mr. and Mrs. A. Brenchley and daughter, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bronchley, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bull, maid and two children, Vancouver; Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Griffiths, A. E. Starr and wife, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Squire, Miss Squire, Ewing Buchanan, Vancouver; Vernon King, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mullett, Vancouver; Alex. Vaughan, H. Houston, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. W. Webster and children, Vancouver; J. Kinloch, Victoria; Louis Erickson and wife, R. E. Walker, wife and child, Vancouver; E. Beard, Victoria.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

An unscrupulous magazine publisher has recently cheated me out of the pay for many months' faithful work. He has taken advantage of the fact that I am a woman and too far away to attend to the matter in person, to completely ignore all my written requests and demands for payment.

He is my first experience of a dishonorable business man, and a bitter one. I can't think of my transactions with him without being overwhelmed by a perfect fury at the injustice I suffered.

I was saying as much to another big business man the other day.

"Don't feel that way, Miss Cameron," he said. "It's foolish."

"Haven't I reason to?" I demanded.

"Yes," he admitted; "but more reason not to."

"Don't you see," he went on, "you are letting him do more harm than he has already done you. Every time you get in that fury you are letting him steal your peace of mind as well as your money. Fretting over anything like that I call 'futile piffle,' to quote Stalky. I'll tell you my rule about all such matters, Miss Cameron, and you can see for yourself if it isn't a good one: 'Never use up energy in a way in which you get no return.'"

I most emphatically think it is a good rule.

Don't you?

Not only about getting angry uselessly, but about many other things which are just as much "futile piffle."

Perpetually fretting because one cannot have as much as one's neighbor, for one instance.

Perpetually worrying about the future, for another.

Getting all worked up because someone else will not see things or do things the way you do yourself, for another.

I know a woman who can never see a certain child of her neighbor who, being named for his father, is usually called "Junior," without saying, frettedly, "I don't see why they will call that child 'Junior.' I think it's a shame not to call him by his own name."

These are all the instances of wasted energy that I can think of just now, but doubtless you can supply others from your own outlook on life.

"I don't see why they will call that child 'Junior.' I think it's a shame not to call him by his own name."

Doubtless we could all find ourselves

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RECIPROCITY FROM AN INDEPENDENT POINT OF VIEW

To the Editor—Of all the economic questions with which a nation has to deal, none presents so many difficulties to a calm and reasonable discussion as the matter of international trade. Much of this confusion grows out of the deep-seated error that when two nations enter into a pact for the interchange of commodities, one of them must necessarily get a better bargain than the other; that is a treaty which provides for the interchange of commodities free of duty cannot be of like advantage to both parties. Never was this error more acutely accentuated than in the present discussion going on in the United States and in Canada touching the merits of the trade pact between the two countries.

If an advocate of reciprocity in the United States undertakes to show to the people of that commonwealth that it will be of great advantage to them, his language is instantly caught up by opponents in Canada to show that it must be a very bad thing for the latter country, and so in the United States, the fact that the most prominent statesmen of Canada favor the pact is used to show that Canada must be getting the better of the bargain, otherwise her statesmen would not favor it.

If a Canadian wheat grower cannot send his wheat to an American mill and receive in return American flour, both wheat and flour passing free of duty, without receiving financial injury under the arrangement, in what manner is the evil cured by requiring both parties to pay duty on the stuff he receives? If two nations cannot trade without the aid of the other, getting the better of the bargain, the same rule must apply also to individuals; for nations are but aggregations of individuals. If it be true that in all trades one party must be the gainer and the other the loser, then a trading between individuals ought, in the interest of fair play, to cease; for no prudent man wants to be cheated, and no honest man wants to cheat his neighbor.

But is it true? May not two nations or two individuals trade by swapping commodities and that to the interest of both?

One man, who does not like horse-back riding, but prefers to drive, has a fine saddle horse; his neighbor who likes horse-back riding, but does not like to drive, has a fine carriage horse; they enter into an agreement of exchange—a reciprocity pact—and both are benefited.

I am not a free-trader; on the contrary I am a Republican protectionist. But I believe in that theory of tariff protection announced by President Garfield when he said that all tariff duties ought to be laid on lines tending ultimately to free trade. The environments of a country, especially a new country, may be such as to render it proper, if not necessary, to promote new or infant industries by shutting out foreign competition; but it is an injustice to the consumer of which he ought to be relieved just as soon as it is possible to do so.

The natural right of every man is to sell where he can sell highest, and to buy where he can buy cheapest; a tariff violates this natural right. I concede that governments have a political right, or power rather, to violate this natural right. They may convert customs houses, erected for the purpose of collecting import duties, into forts for the purpose of keeping out all foreign goods; but I believe that it is now conceded by the wisest statesmen of all commercial countries that in view of the rapidly increasing facilities for international communication, resulting in the great ease with which commodities, especially between neighboring countries, tariff restrictions ought to be done away with, except under very peculiar circumstances.

The tariff tax is the oldest known to commerce and is civilization. It is the customary tribute paid by one people for the privilege of trading with another, hence it is called "custom," and establishments erected for the convenience of collecting this tax are called "custom houses." We read in the New Testament of persons or officers who sat at the receipt of "custom." Christ himself made a very near little protection speech which will be found recorded in the twenty-fourth verse of the seventeenth chapter of St. Matthew, as follows:

"And when he was come into the house, Jesus arrested him, saying, 'What sayest thou, Simon? The kings of the earth, of whom do they receive tribute, or custom? Of their own children, or of strangers?' And he said, of strangers. Jesus said unto him, then the children are free."

To my mind, the only thing which can be said in that which can be alleged against any policy, which is that it may be invoked where it is not needed; or if needed in the first instance, it may be abused by being carried too far.

It is all well enough to protect "infant" industries, but when that "infant" grows to be a giant like, for illustration, the American Steel Trust, that can pay duty and freight and send its products into Canada and compete successfully with English manufacturers by selling its products cheaper than it sells them at home, to the very people whose protective policy it has been enabled to corral the steel industry of the world, then the tariff wall of protection should be torn down in order that the masses of the people may have that "protection" which can be offered alone by free trade.

I do not believe in adhering to a doctrine too closely simply because it is old. Times, conditions and circumstances change, and intelligent men and women change with them; the Bourbon only, who "ledns nothing, and nothing forgets," never changes. The ancients carried their grist to mill by placing the corn in one end of the sack and a stone in the other, thus balancing it on the back of the ass. Now, while we have changed all, this is the fight of all former Christians against naked secularism and utter in-

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Suitable illustrations accompany the text, emphasizing the story that is told. The booklet has been executed in a standard style, maintaining the high quality of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway. Particularly attractive is the color scheme, from the delicate tints on the cover to the harmonious modulations inside.

Travelers receiving this little treatise will certainly want to make their next trip between the Pacific Northwest and Chicago on this sumptuous train, which cannot help but please the most fastidious traveler, and has so fittingly been titled, "The Olympian—Fit for the Gods."

The book is a splendid piece of work and takes the eye at once. Intending transcontinental travelers will do well to secure a copy of it at the office of the local agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & Puget Sound Railway, Claude A. Solly, 1219 Douglas street.

SUNDAY IN ENGLAND.

Proper Observance of Lord's Day a Wide Problem.

Further opinions, from opposite points of view, of the complex question of Sunday observance, which has again been raised in an acute form by the action of South Coast towns, have been gained by one of our representatives, says the London Standard.

Canon H. Bickersteth Otley, one of the chief authorities in the country on his own side of the case, and hon. secretary of the Imperial Sunday Alliance, holds that while there is nothing intrinsically wrong in music and such simple amusements on Sundays, there is great objection to all activities which tend to extend commercialism and compulsory labor into the seventh day.

"We are fighting for the unhappy workers who are forced to labor the week through without rest," he said. "We are not kill-joys. The real kill-joys are those capitalists who destroy the souls of their employees by forcing them to continuous labor. The danger is that the workers have to be busy on the seventh day, and they get no compensating day off. You take away a man's dignity and independence if you take away his Sunday. He feels that he is not a man, but a machine. Our fight is the fight of all former Christians against naked secularism and utter in-

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**RADIUM INSTITUTE
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City of Montreal Opens Doors to New Treatment of Invalids

Monday, August 14th, 1911, if ever there was one, was a red letter day in the annals of medical history, says the Montreal Herald. Yet no cannon boomed or bonfires blazed to mark the achievement but it was the opening day of the Radium Institute in London—the culmination of the most advanced scientific movement in the treatment of disease that has been inaugurated in the history of the world.

The Radium Institute was one of the most cherished schemes of the late King Edward, and its realization was made possible by the splendid generosity of Viscount Iveagh and Sir Ernest Cassel. It may well be doubted whether any portion of the millions of pounds sterling that have been made available for the purpose will be put to better purpose.

The institute begins its history under the most remarkable circumstances. Never surely was an establishment opened with so slender a stock-in-trade of the principle article of its commerce. It makes a start with a single gramme of radium. In December last Mr. W. Leeston Alton, who is the director of the Cavendish-Physical Laboratory of the institute, bought from the Austrian ministry of public works one gramme of radium for \$75,000.

Half of this was to be sent to the institute at the time, and the other half in the spring. This gramme of radium, to which additions have since been made, constitutes the chief stock-in-trade of the institute. The medical superintendent (Mr. A. E. Hayward Pinch, F.R.C.S.), is secretive in divulging the exact weight of radium which is at his disposal. It may, however, be said, without fear of contradiction, that no institution in the world possesses so large a quantity, and that the strong room in the basement, where it is locked up at night, contains a unique treasure.

Most of it has already been prepared for the work in the institute. Mr. Pinch hands you a small varnished disc, which looks as if it might be worth \$d., and blandly informs you that under the varnish is concealed \$4,000 worth of radium. It is with these discs that the treatment will be carried out. To dogmatize on the possibilities of radium at the present moment would be fatuous, and one of the main objects of the institute is research. But it is now known that the emanations emitted by radium are of three kinds, called by scientists, alpha, beta, and gamma rays. It is possible, by the use of metal screens—aluminum, silver and lead—to cut off all parts of these rays, and thus varying degrees of penetrative power may be obtained.

"It must not be supposed that we are going to work miracles here," said Sir Malcolm Morris, K.C.V.O., to a party who were privileged to inspect the equipment of the institute. "But the knowledge that we already possess of the effect of radium on certain growth is an enormous encouragement for further investigation."

Sir Malcolm added a tribute to Dr. Wickham, of Paris, who was the pioneer in this form of treatment, and who initiated the use of the metal screen, without which radium would be dangerous to use. It is already beyond question that some skin affections can be cured by radium rays. For example, birthmarks, pigmented moles and hairy warts yield very readily to treatment by radium, and in many forms of chronic eczema, for which the most varied forms of treatment have been applied, a rapid cure has been effected.

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MISLEADING STORY ABOUT A LIBERAL

Robert Dinsdale Vindicates Himself From Press Misrepresentation

"I think British Columbia stands to benefit more by the effects of reciprocity than any of the other provinces of the Dominion of Canada."

So says Robert Dinsdale, contractor in the city of Victoria, who has just returned from an extended visit to the old country, and who has been quoted, or rather misquoted, as an anti-reciprocity advocate.

Mr. Dinsdale, who is a well-known citizen as well as a well-known Liberal, had the questionable distinction of being interviewed recently by a contemporary, and from the written account of the conversation it would appear that Mr. Dinsdale had adopted an attitude unfavorable to reciprocity when, as a matter of fact, the words which have been associated with him personally were no more than the statements of what he understood to be the prevailing opinion of the people he had met in the places he had visited during his visit to the land and also on his way back west.

And, as he notes, he did not meet with the farming sentiment in his necessarily short stays in manufacturing centres like Montreal and Toronto—nor did he have time to get any knowledge of the consumer's sentiment among the workers of those cities.

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STRIKERS WILL BE REINSTATED

Liverpool Municipal Street Railway Committee Decides to Grant Demands

London, Aug. 24.—The municipal street railway committee at Liverpool decided today to reinstate the strikers, thus ending the labor troubles in that city. It took the committee nearly three hours to determine to yield to the demands of the strike committee that no discrimination be shown against the strikers returning to work.

Sixty-eight thousand men are still on strike at Liverpool, awaiting today's decision on the part of the street railway company to return to work. There has been considerable tension in Liverpool throughout the day and several attempts were made by rowdies to interfere with the street car service. The disturbers were easily routed by the police.

The settlement will afford intense relief to the business men generally, though the shipowners' committee is fearful it will only influence further demands on the part of the strikers. Many trans-Atlantic liners will be released at the end of this week as the shipping employees return to work.

SIX MEN PERISH IN NEVADA MINE

Lose Lives While Trying to Escape From Fire in Shaft—Four Others May Die

Ely, Nev., Aug. 24.—Of the ten men who were working at the 1,400-foot level of the new five-compartment shaft of the Giroux Consolidated Mines, when it caught fire last night from some cause unknown, six are dead and four lie at the point of death, after passing through the flames to reach the surface. The dead: Daniel Drea, secretary of local miners' union; T. J. Gilmore, shift boss; John Wilhelm, Thomas Odolovich, Edward Walsh and John McNulty.

Seriously injured: Clarence Gates, Michael Poley, Edward Knox and Peter Harrington.

The men, who were working on the 1,400-foot level, hearing a noise which they thought had been caused by an explosion, looked upward and saw the shaft in flames. They at once boarded the cage and started for the mouth of the shaft, but stopped at the 1,300-foot level, where Wilhelm and four other men left the cage and started to walk to the old Alpha shaft, 700 feet away, through which they hoped to climb out of the mine. The five men remaining in the cage gave the signal to hoist and were pulled through the blazing shaft. One was heard when the top was reached and the other four were taken to a hospital.

The work of rescuing the five men remaining in the mine was made through the Alpha shaft. At the 400-foot level Wilhelm was found dead; Gilmore's body was recovered at the 600-foot level, face downward at the boilerhouse, and Odolovich lay dead, but Walsh and McNulty were not found, and still are in the burning mine.

It is the same mine in which three and a half years ago two men were killed and four others entombed for 46 days on the 1,000-foot level of the Alpha shaft.

PERSONAL.

Dr. F. Proctor is going East for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dowell are leaving tonight for a visit to the Eastern cities.

Mr. J. W. Elliott will not be at home today, as he again until the fourth of October.

B. Hal Brown, Montreal, a leading man in both athletic and insurance circles, is at the Empress.

F. W. Peters, assistant to Sir William Whyte, vice-president of the C. P. E. Winnipeg, is expected in the city tonight.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, August 16th to 22nd, 1911.

Victoria—Bright sunshine, 61 hours; highest temperature, 77 on 22nd; lowest, 61 on 16th; rain, .64 inch.

Vancouver—Bright sunshine, 63 hours; highest temperature, 80 on 22nd; lowest, 48 on 16th, 21st; rain, .86 inch.

New Westminster—Highest temperature, 82 on 22nd; lowest, 47 on 21st; rain, .75 inch.

Kamloops—Highest temperature, 80 on 18th; lowest, 59 on 22nd; rain, .86 inch.

Barkeville—Highest temperature, 66 on 17th, 18th, 19th; lowest, 38 on 16th, 17th, 22nd; rain, 1.35 inches.

Prince Rupert—Highest temperature, 80 on 22nd; lowest, 46 on 17th, 21st; rain, .49 inch.

Atlin—Highest temperature, 68 on 22nd; lowest, 37 on 18th; rain, .33 inch.

Dawson—Highest temperature, 74 on 21st, 22nd; lowest, 39 on 19th; rain, .24 inch.

TEN PERSONS MAY HAVE LOST LIVES

It is Feared Tug Went Down in Georgian Bay When Barge Foundered

Byng Inlet, Ont., Aug. 24.—The barge Albatross, of Midland, Capt. Dean, founded in the Georgian Bay, on the French River on Monday night, and it is feared that the tug C. C. Martin, of Midland, Capt. Vent, which had the barge in tow, has gone to the bottom also. The tug carried besides the captain and his wife, a crew of eight.

Those on board the barge reached Byng Inlet this morning. The shipwrecked party included Captain Dean, his wife, his niece, Mrs. Alex. Buchanan, of Mooslaw, her two children, Miss Clementine Labelle, of Ottawa, and one sailor named Joseph St. Peter. The barge sprang a leak and was fast sinking when all on board managed to pile into the small yawl before the vessel sank. She was in tow of the tug as she settled and this circumstance leads Capt. Dean to believe that in foundering she drew the tug down with her. No word has been received of the tug.

POLLING IN KOOTENAY.

Steps Taken to Avoid Deferred Election in That Constituency.

Ottawa, Aug. 24.—In order to avoid a deferred election in Kootenay, nomination day has been fixed for September 4 instead of September 14, and polling will be on the 21st. Returning officers in other constituencies where deferred elections are usually held, namely, Yale, Comox-Atlin, Prince Albert, Chicoutim, and Gaspe, have not yet notified the secretary of state if it will be necessary to postpone polling a week as usual. Some arrangement may be made in these constituencies as in Kootenay. All voters' lists will be printed by the end of next week with the exception of the Winnipeg, Brandon and New Ontario lists. It may be found necessary to use typewritten lists since revision may not be finished in time for printing.

HOMESTEADER IS ACCUSED OF MURDER

Believed to Have Killed Neighbor While in Fit of Temporary Insanity

Calgary, Alta., Aug. 24.—A dispatch from Castor says: "While suffering from what is believed to have been a fit of temporary insanity, a young homesteader named A. Carlson, residing near Hamilton lake, thirty miles southeast of Castor, is supposed to have slain a neighbor named R. Merritt by striking him on the head with an axe as he lay sleeping in his bunk in the early morning. Constable Coventry went out from Castor yesterday and brought back Carlson, who did not make any attempt to escape, but is said to have told the police plainly about what he had done. He is held here in jail pending preliminary investigation next Friday. They were companions and were not known to have quarrelled."

London, Aug. 24.—Canon Brooks who although possessed considerable private fortune spent his life amongst poor Kennington, has by his will made himself responsible for the salaries and expenses of clergy and others who are about to proceed to Queen's, British Columbia, as missionaries of the Church of England in connection with the parish of St. John the Divine, Kennington. He wills that such responsibility shall last for five years from July 1, 1911.

DIED.

BORDE—At 68 John street, Antoinette Borde, a native of Lyons, France, aged 69 years and 2 months.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son, Mr. A. Borde, 218 Rock Bay avenue, on Thursday at 8.30 a. m., and 9 o'clock from the Roman Catholic cathedral.

ROOM FOR RENT—Suitable for light housekeeping or with board if desired. 95 George road.

NEAR CAR AND CLOSE IN—New 3 room cottage, all modern, on a good lot, price \$2,700, easy terms; will take lot as part payment. The Home Finestra, 520 Johnson street.

LOT—On Talmie avenue, high, good view of city, close to Douglas car line, price only \$800, on terms; size 50x125. Dunford & Son, 222-223 Pemberton Block.

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FOUL BAY—I have the only water front lots for sale on Foul Bay at prices from \$50 to \$150, on terms of 1 cash and balance 1, 2 and 3 years. This will be one of Victoria's beauty spots; high-class residences on each side right to the spot, which is only 5 minutes from the end of Foul Bay car line. J. O. Stinson, 1121 Fairfield road.

WANTED—To rent, small house. Apply Box 28, Times.

COMFORTABLE ROOM AND BOARD, suitable for two gentlemen. Apply 118 Pandora street.

NOTICE TO REAL ESTATE MEN—Joseph H. List & Co. is taking over the market. Skull Johnson.

REWARD offered for information leading to conviction of parties setting fire and burning fruit and vegetable stand, located at end of bridge at George Park, between 1 and 2 o'clock, Aug. 22nd. Aris N. Sibley.

LOT—On Talmie avenue, high, good view of city, close to Douglas car line, price only \$800, on terms; size 50x125. Dunford & Son, 222-223 Pemberton Block.

LARGE DOUBLE CORNER—Ferrywood road and Bay street, 10x125, price only \$2,700; this is a splendid corner for a store. Dunford & Son, 222-223 Pemberton Block.

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ROOM FOR RENT—Suitable for light housekeeping or with board if desired. 95 George road.

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PERNWOOD ROAD SNAP—Fine 6 room house, bath and pantry, basement, 2 bedrooms, lot 50x125, this week at \$2,500, easy terms. See Allen & Son.

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WANTED—Horse, suitable for lady to drive. 622 Garbally road.

WANTED—Girl to wait on table in restaurant. 612 Pandora street.

TO REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Lots 4 and 7, block 2, Burdett, sold. E. G. Campbell, 1111 Douglas street.

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I HAVE had 3 years' experience in ditch and sewer work; capable of handling men; can speak and write English. Joe Tallo, 255 Johnson street.

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Electrical Installation
Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. Friday, Sept. 1st, for the installation of Cluster Lighting on Fort Street from Douglas Street to School Street.—Plans and specifications can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOOT,
City Hall, Purchasing Agent,
August 24, 1911.

CRICKET BALL
Ball given in honor of the Frankford Cricket Club, of Philadelphia, will take place at the Alexandra Club on

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TICKETS—Gentlemen, \$3; ladies, \$2.
Tickets can be obtained at Messrs. Ch

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL



VIEW OF A CONSERVATIVE "WAIF"

To the Editor:—I have been always a consistent Conservative and a stickler for party through thick and thin in the Mother Country and here until it was disgraced at the elections of 1908.

But now, drifting between the two parties, I am a voluntary outcast and waif; described by Nuttall as "one who wanders about and has no home."

At the last election I made the fatal mistake of believing that Mr. Barnard (or any other man above the social position of a jail-bird) would have resigned and indignantly spurned the assistance of felons, as a standing blot upon the fair fame of Victoria and the Conservative Party.

No, sir, he did not think of resigning, as he owed such a debt of gratitude to the Colonist and others, who, if they rot their deserts, would not be in a position to record their votes at the coming elections.

As a "moving picture," could anything be more amusing?—degrading than the appearance of the M. P. for Victoria hobnobbing in parliament at Ottawa between a vulgar criminal and his coadjutor the white sepulchre, who then in fear and trembling went whining to the confessional to "save their bacon" instead of their souls?

A vote is worth having, and upon second thoughts, Mr. Barnard is welcome to mine, for such acquaintance make, if in the Times, the Colonist or on the platform, he shows clearly the least contrition for his collusion with the person (still at large) who stole and forged the memorable telegram in 1908. Meantime I remain only

"A WAIF."

THE BREAKWATER.

To the Editor:—The question of the formation of a breakwater off the mouth of the harbor, from Holland Point to Brodie's Ledge, has been before the public in a spasmodic kind of way, for more than twenty-five years. What is the object sought to be obtained and who is seeking it? The storms experienced off the mouth of the harbor occur possibly twice or three times in a year during the winter; they spring up from the S. E. and blow heavily, veer to the south and die out in the southwest, usually within twenty-four hours. The heavy seas pass away clear of the outer wharf and break over the rocks around McLaughlin Point and Work Island. The large steamers, like the Blue Funnel line, tied up on the northwest side of the old outer wharf lie quietly in the roughest sea (outside); but, being high out of the water, they feel the full force of the gale. Still, by putting out every bit of string on board, they keep themselves at home. A large vessel lying on the southeast side of the wharf might damage itself by pounding against the wharf, but staunch vessels, like tugs, are not damaged in the least. We may accept it as a fact that vessels lying at the outer wharf are perfectly safe from the heaviest gale. There is no record of anything to the contrary. As a breakwater at Brodie's Ledge would be no protection from the gale, it would be of little advantage to the shipping lying at the outer wharf or entering the harbor. Its object must be sought elsewhere.

As the wind veers to the south the sea breaks over Coffin, Colville and Polly Islands and the contiguous shore; and if there were wharves running east and west vessels would lie there uselessly, but vessels lying at indented docks would be safe.

Supposing, for argument's sake, that a breakwater is in any way needed for the safety of shipping lying at the outer wharves or entering the harbor, the proper place for the breakwater would be from Brodie's Ledge outward and westward. This would secure quiet water over the whole mouth of the harbor. I do not, however, remember to have heard of any vessel in peril entering the harbor, therefore fall to see the need of a breakwater, as such, and for that purpose as a work of public utility.

The promoters of the breakwater scheme are seeking to exploit the frontage along the Dallas road (where the sea wall is now under construction); with a view to the formation of an outer harbor with wharves and warehouses at right angles to the road; a very excellent project.

Such a breakwater, or sea-wall, with a mole continued northwesterly (more or less parallel with the road) would form a most valuable water reservation that might be developed most advantageously to meet the possible expansion of trade. Whether this would be government, or a commercial, or a municipal proposition, is open to consideration. It might possibly be a private enterprise, with sufficient claim upon the government for assistance, in some proportion to the paid up stock.

But, with your permission, I will refer to this matter more in detail later.

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MAKE GREAT HEADWAY WITH STREET PAVING

Yates Street Surface Gives Critics a Hard Time—Speed Methods in Force

Rapid progress is being made by the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company on the paving of Yates street, and it is expected that this important section of the street will be completed by the end of the week. Needless to say the work is being closely watched by interested citizens as well as officials, and it is gratifying to be able to report that the consensus of opinion gives the paving contractors the utmost credit for the nature of the work being done.

Already several blocks have been paved, and the critics and experts have had time to exercise their faculties in searching for breaks and flaws, and falling in this futile chase they have even been known to waste a few hours looking for seams and joints which, however, are so elusive as to be completely unnoticeable without the guidance of the inspector.

In order to preserve the centre of the street from seams it has been arranged that the dump carts shall travel to and from the asphalt plants at Spratt's wharf in couples, as experience has discovered the fact that the quantity thus unloaded is just suitable for the gang to make the best highway right across the thoroughfare. One load of asphalt means about four feet of pavement when spread across the street so that with the carts running in couples eight feet can be laid with every arrival.

On Yates street the patent seamless "apparatus" is to be found in use at the street ends. It consists of a heavy rope roll, which when rolled along with the pavement to the desired level preserves the end from any raggedness and at the same time lends itself to easy adjustment when further progress in that direction has to be made.

In the present-day competition of producing managers of things theatrical, the average musical comedy costs a small fortune before it is given over to the public for acceptance or condemnation. It is a venture at all times, and there are none exceptions where any degree of assured confidence is felt as to the success of the play until it has been given a public performance. One thing, however, has become a fixed rule in the staging of musical comedies. "Girls gorgeously gowned" must predominate, and it has long ago been learned that girls and gowns cover a multitude of short-comings in musical plays.

When LeComte and Fisher, who have been associated for eighteen years, entered the musical comedy field of amusement, they recognized the girl rule, and the public may rest assured that they will always see a pretty-girl settling for their plays. They have gone further than ever in this way in their production of "The Flower of the Ranch," Joseph E. Howard's greatest musical comedy success, coming to the Victoria theatre for Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, August 22-23.

"Miss Nobody."

The big musical revue, "Miss Nobody from Starland," coming direct here after its triumphant run of 300 consecutive performances at the Princess theatre, New York, will be the attraction offered by manager Denham at the Victoria theatre on Thursday, August 31. "Miss Nobody from Starland," with Olive Vail, is a mixture of musical revue and comedy. Many novel features and incidents which are innovations in the show world are introduced in this piece. The dress rehearsal scene, in which the entire audience is taken back of the scenes, is a scream and in the first act, when the big trans-Atlantic liner comes into New York harbor, the entire company land and circulate among the audience.

MAY CALL STRIKE

Paducah, Ky., Aug. 24.—About eighty per cent. of the votes of the federation of Illinois Central employees have been received by the federation in session here and 75 per cent. favor a strike if the Illinois Central will not recognize the federation. The federation officials will report the vote to the Illinois Central next week. If recognition is refused the advisory board says it will immediately take up the matter of calling a strike.

SUGAR GOES UP

New York, Aug. 24.—All grades of refined sugar were advanced ten-cents a hundred pounds yesterday.

MISSED BY MEDICOS OVER WIDE DOMINION

The Great Cook, of McGill's Medical Faculty, Dies at Advanced Age

James Cook, otherwise "King" Cook, of McGill University, Montreal, died in the Royal Victoria hospital in that city on Tuesday last.

The news will cause a pang of regret in the academic hearts of many a learned professor, in the heart of many a prominent citizen, and most of all in the hearts of students, young and old, scattered throughout this wide Dominion.

As a matter of fact, the reputation of "King" Cook, and the esteem in which he was held, was second only to that of the institution of which he was so proud to be a part.

The fact that he was janitor of the Medical Faculty itself conveyed little idea of the importance of his position. It was "the thing," in all matters pertaining to that department of the university, and when he talked of retiring, and the then Dean Roddick said to him: "My dear Cook, it's ridiculous, we simply couldn't get along without you," "King" Cook modestly admitted that the Dean knew what he was talking about.

"King" Cook was the great landmark in the history of the institution. He was there before any man now connected with the university knew of such a place as McGill. It was only a modest little faculty in a modest little building when he took up the janitorship, but the Dean said to him, so Cook used to relate: "This is going to be a big thing for you some day," and many a time in later years has Cook said, "sure enough, it is a big thing."

These later days were the days when he had the responsibility for the good conduct and the personal prestige of many scores of leading young medical students resting upon his shoulders. It will be seen that he had grown to be something more than a janitor. He made it a matter of personal pride that every student placed under his supervision—and he looked upon all the medical students as being thus placed—should be brilliant and manly, and he never hesitated to give fatherly advice on all matters, from love to pathology, to precept and students alike.

Even on the Dean—or rather, the successive deans, who were mere boys compared with him—King Cook would press his fatherly advice, and it was always taken as it was meant, for King Cook had absorbed learning and wisdom by his long years of attachment to the halls of academic erudition.

He had one hobby—a gruesome hobby—over which he chuckled, and over which deans and professors shivered. He collected the professional door plates of deceased doctors, and he looked on every doctor who became a professor with the institution as a coming contributor to his collection.

One of the first things he would do when a new professor was appointed was to ask him to bestow his doorplate on him when he died—for he had lived so long and through so many evaluations at McGill that he had come to look on himself as being the only part of the institution which remained unchanged and irremovable.

And now he is gone—died after a few days' illness, from old age. He would have been 85 years of age this coming November.

It was away back some time in the last century when he emigrated from England to Canada. He was a London boy, but had seen something of life before he came out to Montreal.

He joined McGill at the outset, and as the decades passed, and deans and professors came and went, Mr. Cook became "King" Cook, the only abiding thing in the Faculty, the golden thread, at it were, that linked together the successive generations in continuity of policy and prestige.

He knew the value of his services, did "King" Cook, and the respect that was due to his position, and his lofty manner with freshmen, and the cruel and biting things he said to students becoming puffed up with a little frothy learning, were part of the very wholesome education of every medical student at McGill.

He had a kind heart beneath his lofty exterior, and though he frowned on pranks, he secretly sympathized with them, and as a matter of fact often boasted about "my young devils of students." He had thrilling stories to tell of body-ratching in the golden time—and of how he—with a frozen corpse in his arms, from time to time evaded the raids of the police in the watches of the stilly night. And all for the students. There was nothing Cook would stop at to save them, or to see that their education was made as complete as possible.

A long time ago an annual institution grew up around Cook. That was at the close of the term every spring, when a collection of money would be made for him, and he presented with it in one of the public squares of the city, after a triumphal procession through the streets. The money was always diluted—mixed into a barrel of treacle or set in bars of plaster of paris or treated in some such manner, and it kept Cook busy for weeks delving for his coins and cleaning them. But it always meant at least fifty dollars—and the ear-cracking and jaw-breaking oration that Cook always delivered in response was well worth the money.

KILLED IN HOTEL FIRE

Parkersburg, W. Va., Aug. 24.—One person is dead, two are fatally hurt, and the Chancellor hotel is damaged to the extent of \$50,000 as the result of a fire which started on the seventh floor of the hotel here and spread so rapidly that, for a time the entire business section was endangered. Joseph Hall, a colored boy, was killed and Mrs. Hall, his colored wife, and Roy Dewey, aged 12, were fatally hurt by falling walls.

There are 10,300 persons in the United Kingdom with incomes over £5,000 a year. Their total incomes are £120,000,000, or an average of £12,500 each.

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Columbia Double-Disc Records For September

The new Columbia Double Disc Records for September are now on sale. This month there will be found some excellent selections—but space forbids us printing a full list. A few taken at random are:

- A1027—"Widmung" and "Bid Me to Live," sung by Cecil Fanning, the distinguished American baritone, who is now singing exclusively for the Columbia. A5308—"A Perfect Day" and "Der Trumpeter von Sackingen," sung by Cecil Fanning. A1028—"Red Rose Rag" and "My Hula Hula Love," contralto solos, sung by Dolly Connolly. A1031—"Folies Bergerie," baritone solo and chorus; "Red Pepper," by Prince's Band. A5307—"The Pink Lady," waltz song, Grace Kerns and chorus; "The Pink Lady" (selections) Prince's Orchestra. A5310—"Evening Song" and "Le Secret D'Amour," Kaitinborn string quartette.

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