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WILL CALL STRIKE ON HARRIMAN LINES

PRESIDENT OF LABOR UNION MAKES STATEMENT

Demands of Federation of Railway Employees Are Rejected

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 28.—A strike on all the Harriman lines, including the Illinois Central, will be called as soon as the president of the shipmen's unions involved fixes up the day and hour, according to J. W. Kline, president of the International Brotherhood of Shipmen and Helpers' Union to-day. The ultimatum sent to Mr. Kline in substance is that the Harriman lines recognize the federation of various unions of railroad employees in the same way that the railroads now deal with the individual unions.

Demands Rejected.
New York, Sept. 28.—Announcement was made by the officials of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads at noon to-day that they had rejected the demands of the federation of railway employees on their lines. An official statement giving the position of the roads in the matter is expected shortly.

Ready for Emergency.
Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 28.—More than 2,500 railroad shippers employed on the Southern Pacific, southern division, awaited to-day the strike order which their union chiefs declared was inevitable.

On the part of the railroad officials they announced that they were ready to cope with any situation. The shops are stocked, provisioned and provided with sleeping accommodations for men, who are said to be ready to take the places of the union employees in case of a strike.

Strikebreakers Arrive.
Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 28.—There has been little improvement in conditions restricting the local movement of freight resulting from the strike of the Illinois Central railroad clerks early to-day.

Switchmen refused to handle cars without routing orders and cars for other roads and belt lines are not being delivered. The clerks say that the warehouse tracks are blocked and the yards congested with all kinds of freight.

A carload of strike breakers arrived here yesterday from Chicago. One of the new arrivals decamped during the day and joined the union men. He said about 25 strikebreakers were in the party.

The local railroad officials, it is said, intimate that the federal restraining order issued yesterday was the opening wedge which will finally result in the defeat of the clerks.

More Men Idle.
New Orleans, La., Sept. 28.—Local No. 77 of the Brotherhood of Railway Freight Handlers joined the strike of the Illinois Central and Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroads' workmen here at noon to-day.

Awaiting Order.
Davenport, Ia., Sept. 28.—The call for a strike of machinists and allied trades unions on the Harriman lines may come to-night or to-morrow, according to James O'Connell of the Machinists' Union. The time for the walkout will be set for early next week, probably Monday or Tuesday, he said.

FARMERS' BANK CASE.
C. H. Smith, Arrested in Vancouver, Remanded Until Friday.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—Clark H. Smith, secretary of the first board of directors of the defunct Farmers' Bank, was brought back yesterday from Vancouver by Detective Geo. Guthrie. He appeared in the police court where the magistrate examined the warrant which brought Mr. Smith from Vancouver, and which showed he had been indicted in the other courts on a charge of conspiracy in connection with the promotion of the defunct bank. The prisoner was remanded until Friday.

LEGISLATION FOR ALASKA.

Juneau, Alaska, Sept. 28.—Governor Walter E. Clark of Alaska will confer with President Taft in Seattle on October 10, concerning legislation which Alaska needs. The governor will recommend the passage of six laws, as follows: A quarantine law, a sanitary code, a bank supervision law, and legislation for relief of the destitute, persons, restriction of vital statistics and compulsory school attendance. The outbreak of smallpox in Dawson last summer and the present prevalence of the disease in the Porcupine region emphasize the need of giving the Alaskan government quarantine power.

"THANK YOU."

Santa Rosa, Cal., Sept. 28.—"Thank you," said a local merchant yesterday to Frank Stewart, a baggage master at the local railway station, when the latter handed him a wallet containing a draft for \$10,000, tickets for Santa Rosa, to Italy, for the owner's entire family and a considerable amount of currency. And that is all he said, according to Stewart. The merchant and his family were aboard the train when Stewart found the wallet lying on a baggage truck.

DESTRUCTION OF BATTLESHIP.

French Minister of Marine Rejects Theory That Disaster Was Due to Decomposition of Powder.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The Paris Mide affirms to-day that absolute differences of opinion exist between Vice-admiral Belle and the minister of marine, M. Delcasse, as to the cause of the explosion that destroyed the Liberte. The admiral, who commands the fleet to which the battleship belonged, maintains that the disaster was due to the decomposition of the powder in her magazines. So far as he knows, the admiral says, there was no evidence of a fire except from the magazines.

M. Delcasse refuses to accept that explanation.

MAJORITY OF TWO.

Three Rivers, Que., Sept. 28.—The official returns of the recent election as announced by the returning officer, show a majority of two for Hon. Jacques Bureau. On the night of the election the announcement was to the effect that Mayor Normand had defeated the minister by a small majority. A judicial recount will be demanded.

Portage la Prairie, Sept. 28.—The returning officer for this constituency completed his returns last night, the total votes showing 3,267 for Meligen, Conservative, and 2,582 for Patterson.

WILL URGE CAMPAIGN.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—The fight against the Ne Temere decree is to be continued. A meeting of the executive committee of the Evangelical Alliance is to be held this week to complete plans for the carrying on of the propaganda. Rev. E. D. Sibson, secretary of the Evangelical Alliance, says that the arrangement in view contemplates the holding of a large mass meeting of protest at an early date in Massey hall. In addition to this canvass will be a general distribution of literature explaining the importance of the decree and its ultimate consequences.

HON. S. C. BIGGS DEAD.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—After a protracted illness, Hon. S. C. Biggs, K. C., a prominent Toronto lawyer, died here yesterday. He practiced law in Manitoba, removing there in 1875, and was minister of public works in the Northwest government, sitting as member for St. Paul's. He was the author of the act incorporating the Law Society of Manitoba, and was one of the founders of the University of Manitoba. He was born in Ancaster, Ont., in 1851.

IMPRISONED IN ELEVATOR SHAFT

Firemen Called Out to Rescue Twenty-Eight Passengers From Cage

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—An elevator cage loaded with 28 persons, of whom 22 were women, snapped its cables last night in the Odd Fellows' building and fell three and a half stories before the automatic clutches checked its descent. The cage came to a stop in the elevator pit where its panic-stricken passengers were imprisoned for more than an hour and firemen rescued them. It was necessary to cut away the top of the car and hoist the passengers to the ground floor.

The passengers for the most part were members of the American Chapter Eastern Star, which has lodge rooms in the building. At the close of last night's meeting they crowded into the elevator as many as the cage would hold. The car had descended but a few feet when the cables gave way and it plunged down more than three stories, falling with a crash and the screams of the others brought no help for many minutes as the car was in a cement pit and the cries could not be heard. One of the men in the car finally kicked a hole through a glass panel and his shouts attracted the rescuers.

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STAMPEDE TO NEW DIGGINGS

HUNDREDS OF MINERS JOIN IN THE RUSH

Tent City Has Been Established at Ruby, Where Outlook is Encouraging

Dawson, Y. T., Sept. 28.—In the face of the Yukon river's closing, one of the latest pushes in the history of Alaska or the Yukon is now under way to Ruby, below Gilibon. It is estimated that two or three thousand people will arrive there. The Northern Commercial Company has landed a barge with several hundred tons of supplies and some other traders have goods. Ruby is mostly a tent city, but hundreds of cabins will no doubt be started immediately. The recruits are mostly from Iditarod, which is being largely deserted by prospectors and laborers for the winter, because it is really only a summer camp.

The stampede is going by gasoline launches and steamers. It will be the greatest army of diggers in the north that will be tearing up the Ruby district this winter.

Comparatively little gold has been located there, which makes the magnitude of the stampede an anomaly. Few spots seem so encouraging, however, and old timers declare they are positive that the gold will be found on the benches or elsewhere. Eddie Lewin, a famous Klondiker, has 15 men outfitting in the Ruby hills for the winter and is staying there himself.

Several days ago at Ruby "Jew Bob" emptied to separate Gillespie and Hinkie, who were fighting. Gillespie stabbed Bob five times and it is feared he will die.

Mrs. Harry Crooks, a noted Klondiker pioneer woman, died of a complication of ailments and was buried here.

RAIN ON PRAIRIES.

Unthreshed Grain is Suffering From Excessive Moisture.

Winnipeg, Sept. 28.—Excessive moisture which caused so much damage to western crops during the ripening season is still making itself manifest. Local drizzles of rain have saturated Manitoba and portions of the other western provinces. Crops yet unthreshed are damaged by exposure and grades are being materially reduced.

WAGING WAR ON LUMBER TRUST

Another Action Has Been Instituted by United States Government

Denver, Colo., Sept. 27.—Sensational charges that the so-called lumber trust completely dominates the lumber trade of at least twenty states by maintaining a spy system, blacklists, divisions of territory and other illegal methods, conducted through a central agency in Chicago called the lumber secretary's bureau of information, are made in an anti-trust suit filed in the United States court here by the department of justice.

This is the government's fourth move in a nationwide fight against the lumber "trust," in addition to the criminal indictments already standing against the secretaries of fourteen separate lumbermen's associations, anti-trust suits under the Sherman law are now pending against the Michigan-Retail Lumber Dealers' Association and the Eastern States Retail Dealers' Association.

WALKS ACROSS CONTINENT.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—For the purpose of presenting a letter from Mayor Gaynor of New York, to Mayor McCarthy of this city, Bert Moyer, a nineteen-year-old youth, walked into the city hall to-day, ending a stroll that began at Comer, ending on May 2, Moyer's actual traveling time was 92 days, giving him an average of 33 miles a day.

ESCAPES FROM ASYLUM.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—George E. Neilson, who was confined in the Toronto asylum in December, 1909, where he had been committed for shooting Esther Hazel, who came between him and his sweetheart, escaped from that institution last night and is still at large. He had been tried for murder and was declared insane.

FIVE BURNED TO DEATH.

Mitchell, Ill., Sept. 28.—Mrs. Virgil Vandever and four of her children were burned to death at their home here early to-day. Her husband and Arthur Langford, 18 years old, Mrs. Vandever's son by a former marriage, saved themselves by jumping from a second-storey window.

MOROCCAN SITUATION.

French Semi-Official Note Says Germany's Reply Requires Serious Consideration.

Paris, Sept. 28.—A semi-official note issued to-day says that the observations presented by the German government on the last French proposals in the settlement of the Moroccan affair reached Paris this morning and that the reply includes new questions and maintains reservations which require serious examination.

DARING ROBBERY.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 28.—In sight of thousands of homeward bound shoppers and unattended, three burglars backed up a one-horse cart in front of No. 139 State street last evening and carried away furs, silks, laces, embroidery and gloves valued at \$3,000, from a store on the second floor. A janitor saw the men carrying out the goods, but they worked so nonchalantly that he did not suspect a robbery unless the loss was discovered later by a watchman employed by the store.

MAN SHOTS BROTHER THROUGH HEART

Convicted of Murder and Will Be Executed on November 13

Digby, N. S., Sept. 28.—Harry Wilson, who last Wednesday shot and killed his brother, George Wilson, in the presence of a neighbor, was found guilty of murder and sentenced to be hanged November 13.

Harry called at the house of Ralph Hooper, and asked for some one to accompany him to show fair play, that there was a stranger in his house whom he had knocked out. He then had blood on his arms.

James Buchanan, a boarder at Hooper's, accompanied him, and on their arrival at Harry Wilson's home, George, who was there, said: "If I have done anything wrong, shoot me," at the same time he pointed towards his heart, saying, "Put it there."

Harry thereupon grabbed a loaded shotgun, placed the barrel close to his brother's heart and fired, death being instantaneous.

Buchanan notified Chief of Police Bowles, who entered Wilson's house and found him standing with the other youngest baby in his arms, looking at the body.

He was conveyed to the jail. Search was made for Mrs. Wilson, wife of Harry Wilson. She was found in a half dazed condition, in a pile of straw in a neighboring barn, tightly clad. She said her husband and his brother had been drinking.

CHINESE SITUATION REPORTED IMPROVED

Danger Which Threatened Foreigners in Szechuan Believed to Have Passed

Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—Conditions in the disturbed Chinese province of Szechuan continue satisfactory as far as foreigners are concerned, in the opinion of the Rear Admiral Murdoch, commander of the American Asiatic fleet. Heabled the navy department yesterday announcing that the arrival of the New Orleans, his temporary flagship, at Shanghai from Hankow which went as far up the Yangtze river as it was able to go safely. He reported that the torpedo destroyers Tainbridge, Barry, Hale and Vulture, which it was thought might be required for service on the Yangtze if the trouble extended, also had arrived at Shanghai.

AUTOMOBILE PARTY NEARING HAZELTON

Seattleites Will Probably Complete Their Trip Within Week

Hazelton, B. C., Sept. 28.—P. E. Sands and party of four Seattleites in "Farthest North, first to Hazelton" auto, passed Burns Lake this morning. They have now traversed the most difficult stage of the trip between Fraser and Burns Lakes. Success is now assured, and barring accidents the party should reach Hazelton within a week. They should have little trouble in making the last lap of the long journey in record time. The weather is rainy, but the roads are in fairly good condition.

Navigation on the Skeena river is drawing to a close. All the boats are tied up to the banks waiting the last rise of water which it is expected the present rain will bring before the final close up.

JOHNSON-WELLS FIGHT OFF.

London, Sept. 28.—The Johnson-Wells championship fight, scheduled for October 2, was definitely abandoned to-day by the principals and promoters, owing to the opposition of the authorities and a large element of the public.

TWO CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 28.—In a huge rock slide in a quarry near Troutdale, George Gray, a crane-man, and John Kofski, a laborer, were killed and several others injured.

MANY MEASURES MAY BE DROPPED

RESULT OF CHANGE OF FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Several Bills Which Are Purely Departmental Likely to Be Passed

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—A great deal of proposed legislation will fall by the wayside or be amended as a result of the change of government. The bills left over include a proposal to guarantee bonds of the Canadian Northern for that section of its line from Edmonton to Brzeau coal fields at the rate of \$15,000 a mile for the first fifty miles and of \$25,000 a mile for the remaining hundred miles. Bills to amend the Chinese Immigration Act, to amend the Weights and Measures Act, to regulate the sale and manufacture of explosives, to amend the Companies Act, a bill respecting copyrights, to extend bank charters for another ten years, to prohibit the use of white phosphorous in the manufacture of matches, to amend the Telegraph Act, to amend the Dominion Lands Act, to amend the Juvenile Delinquents Act, to amend the Civil Service Act, a bill to authorize the creation of a commission to operate terminal elevators, and a bill to authorize the taking over of certain branch lines of railway in the Maritime provinces by the Intercolonial.

As far as the greater number of these measures are concerned they will have to be gone over by the incoming government and considered in council as matters of policy, but there are some of these bills which are purely departmental and others which are non-controversial, which may be taken up by the new government. Take the explosives bill and that regarding white phosphorous, for examples. The principles of these measures have been accepted by the Conservatives, and it would not be surprising to see them passed over on their way to a passage. The copyright bill may also come in the same category. But the terminal elevator measure and the branch lines proposal will certainly be redrafted, because they involve high questions of public policy. The bill to extend bank charters may possibly be adopted by the new finance minister, if having been well threshed out in committee two sessions ago, but some amendments may be made to suit the views of the new administration.

WOMAN ACCUSED OF POISONING SISTER

Prisoner Confesses She Administered Morphine, but Says It Was by Mistake

New Orleans, La., Sept. 28.—Accused of the murder of her sister Elsie, through administration of morphine in her food, Annie Crawford was arraigned in the city criminal court here this noon. She was held on the murder charge without bail. She started to make a statement, but the presiding judge cut her off, entered for her a formal plea of not guilty, and then remanded her to prison.

Members of the family furnished the information that the accused had insisted that she alone attend her parents and sisters when they fell ill, and that she alone administered all the medicine. It was said that when Elsie wanted her aunt to nurse her Annie would protest.

It was said that Elsie complained that the food given her by Annie was bitter. Mrs. Robert Crawford, an aunt, stated that whatever food others gave to Elsie was given without Annie's knowledge.

In her confession Annie said that she gave Elsie three half-grain morphine tablets in capsules, mistaking them for catenol. In explaining her dislike for her sister Elsie, she said:

"After my mother's death and we broke up housekeeping, my eldest sister took Gertrude, the youngest sister, and Elsie and I began boarding. Gertrude finally came here, but I was unable to take care of her. Elsie was always interfering, because when I would tell Gertrude to do this or that, Elsie would always tell me to mind my own business. She would go weeks at a time without speaking to me. But this is not why I gave her the morphine. It was a mistake."

NEWMARKET RACES.

Newmarket, Eng., Sept. 28.—The Jockey Club stakes, one of the few remaining races worth £10,000 to the winner and run over the last mile and three-quarters of the Carewitch course, was won to-day by Lord Derby's Steadfast, who ran second in the Two Thousand Guinea and Derby, but started at the liberal price of 12 to 1. Mr. Fairies' Lemberg finished second after being well backed at 9 to 4 and Lord Derby's Hair Trigger 11 to 1, was third.

CANADIAN GOLD COINS.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—The issue of Canadian gold coins, which will be made in course of a few weeks, will be marked with King George's head on one side and on the other the Canadian coat of arms. The dies are now on way from England and coining will be commenced soon as they arrive in the capital. The designs for \$5 and \$10 pieces are practically the same. The five will be generally known as a "George" and a ten as a "Double George."

SAN FRANCISCO'S NEW MAYOR.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—The final count of the election returns from Tuesday's primary election shows that James Rolph, Jr., was elected mayor by a majority over P. H. McCarthy of 23,533 votes. Rolph received 47,823 votes; McCarthy 24,290; and William McDewitt, the Socialist candidate, 3,855.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.
At Seattle—First inning: Tacoma 0, Seattle 0.
Batteries—Miller and Burns; Fullerton and Whaling.

At Spokane—First inning: Portland 0, Spokane 0.
Second inning: Portland 0, Spokane 1.
Batteries—Henkle and Moore; Bonner and Ostlick.

NATIONAL LEAGUE:
At Cincinnati—Cincinnati-Boston game postponed on account of rain.

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 4 7 0
Pittsburgh..... 0 5 1
Batteries—Moore and Cotton; O'Toole, Robinson, Lefield and Simon.

At Chicago—R. H. E.
New York..... 1 5 2
Chicago..... 2 7 0
Batteries—Mathewson and Myers; Cole and Archer.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.
Brooklyn..... 8 18 3
St. Louis..... 4 7 2
Batteries—Ragon and Wiggins; Zackart, Golden, Radabaugh and Wingo.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
At Washington—R. H. E.
Detroit..... 1 5 2
Washington..... 2 5 1
Batteries—Summers and Stange; Johnson and Street.

At Boston—R. H. E.
Chicago..... 3 3 3
Boston..... 6 12 2
Batteries—Lange and Mayer; O'Brien and Williams.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Cleveland..... 3 6 3
Philadelphia..... 9 10 2
Batteries—Kraap, Relele and Adams; Danforth and Thomas.

At New York—R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 12 10 5
New York..... 18 13 7
Batteries—Hamilton, Brown, Nelson and Stephens; Clark, Warhop, Quinn and Williams.

SUNDAY BASEBALL.

Victoria and Vancouver Teams Will Play at Everett.

Everett, Wash., Sept. 28.—Saturday and Sunday league ball will be offered Everett fans on the local grounds, for arrangements have been made whereby Vancouver and Victoria are expected to play the last two games of their official schedule here. Play will begin at 2 o'clock and is to be followed by another game between Moose of Everett and the Vancouver team.

MYSTERIOUS MURDER STIRS ONTARIO

Man Killed but So Far His Assassin Has Eluded the Police

Wlarton, Ont., Sept. 28.—The mystery in Alberman township concerning the manner in which James McCartney lost his life is becoming more intense. That it is a deliberate case of cold-blooded murder seems to have been proved beyond a doubt and the guilty party has had all kinds of chances to leave the country.

Jennie McCartney swore at the coroner's inquest that a man named Wesley Thompson had threatened McCartney's life. Thompson came to Wlarton and told his story to Police Magistrate Miller. He swore that he was at his own house on Saturday, on which day McCartney failed to return home, and that he had no ill will against the deceased. The magistrate believes Thompson is innocent. While he is satisfied that it is a case of murder, he suspects others and if his suspicions prove correct it will make the case one of the most revolting in Ontario.

The newly-appointed governor of Ontario, Lord Bessborough, is leaving today for his post on the transport Sham, which is also taking a cargo of war material to Tripoli.

The leading papers of the capital, while guarding their utterances, make it plain that they favor resistance to the Italian demands. Some of them attack the government for having placed too great reliance on the friendship of Germany.

A telegram from Tripoli, under yesterday's date, states that on the invitation of the local branch of the Banca Di Roma, many Italians passed the night on board the bank's steamer. The telegram adds: "The panic among the exodus of Italians are increasing, the attitude of the Turkish and Arab population and of the local authorities is exemplary. The proclamation of the Turkish grand vizier, enjoining the population to be calm and prudent, was publicly read."

Turkish circles are convinced that there is no warrant for the agitation in the Italian colony at Tripoli, and it is regarded as the outcome of a deliberate design to provoke a pretext for Italian intervention.

General Roblant, the Italian chief of the International Gendarmerie in Macedonia and the Italian officers in the Turkish service are leaving to-day for Italy.

Business at Standstill.
Paris, Sept. 28.—A special dispatch from Tripoli to-day says that the government is preserving order and that the city and outlying districts are quiet. The consular corps have confidence in the ability of the government to protect foreigners and keep down disorders. Nevertheless a panic prevails among a large number of the European and Jewish residents. Several hundred of these left by steamers yesterday for Malta. More than 200 Italians slept last night aboard the steamer Hercules, which has been detained here by order of the Italian consul. The rest of the Italian colony has been ordered aboard the steamer, which leaves to-day for Syracuse. The Banca Diroma has closed its books which have been deposited in the Italian consulate. Business is suspended, the merchants and shopkeepers having closed their establishments. Wealthy natives and other traders are disturbed by fears of the Bedouins flocking to the city for the purpose of looting, as they are in a desperate condition from famine, due to the loss of crops.

It is accepted in government quarters here that Italy has sent an ultimatum to Turkey, but has not set the time within which the demand must be met or rejected. Hence, from the document itself, it can not be determined itself, it can not be determined itself, it can not be determined itself.

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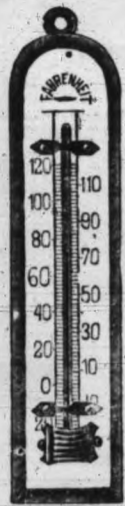
ITALY DEMANDS PROMPT REPLY

TURKEY IS GIVEN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS

Powers Decline to Intervene—The Porte May Make Concessions

Rome, Sept. 28.—A note addressed by the foreign office to the Italian chargé d'affaires at Constantinople recently peremptorily fixed 24 hours as the period within which the Turkish government must reply to the demands therein set forth.

In the note Italy announces her intention to occupy Tripoli and Cyrene. The minister of foreign affairs has sent the following telegram to the Italian legations at Athens, Belgrade, Constantinople, Sofia and Bucharest, and also to the Italian consul at Balkan:</



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BERESFORD AND SALE OF EGERIA

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Effect of Panama Canal on Progress of Coast—His Views of Reciprocity

The proceedings were most enthusiastic at the Canadian Club luncheon held yesterday in the Alexandra Club ballroom, when Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, M. P., and Viscount Castlereagh, M. P., were the guests. The president of the club, Lindley Crease, occupied the chair, and there was a large gathering of ladies in the balcony to hear the speeches. Every branch of political, civic, commercial and military life in the city was represented in the company, and among the invited guests were Lords Desborough and Newton, who are visiting at the present time on the coast. After the luncheon and before the

country benefited immensely in the direction of commercial enterprise, it must injure another country. They could depend upon it that the English-speaking nations would not be far behind in the advantages to be derived from the changed conditions. Might he suggest, in view of the future greatness of the Canadian nation and of British Columbia, that they should look ahead, and be ready for the problems when they arose. They hoped in Victoria to see great docks and wharves, and might he suggest that they saw to it that the docks were deep enough, and that the wharves long enough for the shipping which was to come. They would have in Esquimaux the great naval base of the Pacific. It had singular advantages for a base, and it was regrettable the Imperial government had abandoned it during an insane naval administration at home.

It was insane folly to have dismantled it, and if the British government were determined to abandon it they should have turned it over to the Canadian government as it was. It was an insult to have the best machinery sold for blacksmith's old iron. He believed it still would be best to put Esquimaux into the position of the principal naval base of the North Pacific. (Applause.)

Water-bound commodities will come here from the east, he continued, and landward from Canadian points, and for the shipping they must have a protected harbor where the mercantile marine could run for shelter in the event of war. People did not fight when they found their neighbors ready. Right at their door they had the coal, limestone, timber and ore, and therefore had all the material for effective fortifications. Therefore they should make the necessary preparations.

They heard a good deal of the Canadian navy. He was sorry to hear some friends laugh. Everything had to have a beginning and they had started very well. He would not attempt to dictate how it should be obtained, but simply point out how it might be done, because Canadians understood their affairs better than and other people. A gigantic mistake had been made by the British admiralty taking the cruisers off the trade routes, and putting nothing in their respect for lawyers—outside the services (laughter)—brought forward the Declaration of London. This declaration handed the British mercantile marine over to the armed merchant ships of other nations, which could be armed on the high seas and were really privateers, pirates he would call them. It was no use when too late

that the Dominion would much appreciate any facilities that the British government would grant to enable the Dominion to acquire Egeria." (Applause.) If the Admiralty had done this action deliberately it was one of the meanest things that the present admiralty board has been guilty of. They in the old country depended on their ocean-borne commodities and as warden of the seas it was recognised by every nation that Great Britain must build up to the standard of protection, then came the Dreadnoughts and the boast of superiority, as a result of which the other nations of the world had joined in the insane race of competing in armaments. Upon the navy depended the life and existence of Great Britain, and for years the naval programme had been based on what Germany was doing. Germany was quite right in protecting (Concluded on page 7.)



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Who addressed the Canadian Club yesterday afternoon, when there was one of the largest attendances in the history of the organization.

speeches, two recitations, "Admirals All" and "Drake's Drum," were excellently given by Miss Eugenie Fox. The chairman, in introducing Lord Charles Beresford, said it gave him great pleasure to introduce to the Canadian Club of Victoria their distinguished and noble guests from the Old Country. Lord Charles Beresford had shown himself a great patriot and a great sailor since the day when the signal was run up, "Well done, Condon." Lord Charles Beresford, who spoke for half an hour, had a great reception on rising. He was very pleased, he said, once more to find himself in Victoria, for he well remembered the many happy days he spent here as a midshipman, on and off between 1863 and 1867. The first thing that struck him on coming here again was the amazing progress of this great country. Where he remembered woods and gigantic forests were now thriving towns, cities and industries which had been instituted by the grand spirit of enterprise always associated with the Anglo-Saxon race. Here in Victoria they had perhaps greater chance of commercial development; certainly they had a duty which was placed upon them in regard to the best means of defence of this commercial development in the future. (Hear, hear.)

The opening of the Panama canal was going to create some of the greatest problems which they could conceive. These problems would alter the entire strategic position of the Pacific ocean, and there could be no alteration of the strategic position in one hemisphere without affecting the other. It would alter the trade routes of water-bound commodities in half the globe. Upon the settlement of these problems depended the future of the Dominion of Canada, not only because they were Canada's own problems, but because of the benefit to other communities, for it was

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EPIDEMIC IN CAMP.
 New Liskeard, Ont., Sept. 27.—The Ironsides Falls hospital is full of men from the T. & N. O. construction camp. The hospital accommodates twenty-eight, more are in temporary quarters in the town and four are still at the camp. Typhoid is suspected, but the cases present symptoms of ptomaine poisoning. Several inquiries are being made at the camp as to the cause of the sickness.

FOUR PERSONS DIE SUDDENLY

Woman Arrested After Deaths of Father, Mother and Two Sisters

New Orleans, La., Sept. 28.—Following the report of physicians that the stomach of Elsie Crawford, who died suddenly a few days ago, contained quantities of opium, Miss Annie Crawford, a sister, was arrested yesterday. Miss Elsie Crawford was the fourth member of the Crawford family to die suddenly and under mysterious circumstances within the last fourteen months. In the cases of the deaths of the father, mother, and another sister, there was no investigation.
 Miss Mary Agnes Crawford, one of the daughters, was the first of the family to die. Her death occurred June 25 last year. The father, Walter Crawford, died about two weeks later, and the death of Mrs. Crawford followed thirteen days after that of her husband. All the deaths followed brief illness. Miss Annie Crawford is a beneficiary of insurance policies on the life of her sister Elsie, and is said to have been named as the beneficiary in policies on the lives of her mother, father and the sister.

WATER POWER WILL BE DEVELOPED

British Capitalists Interested in Big Scheme in State of Oregon

Portland, Ore., Sept. 28.—It was officially announced yesterday by the projectors that \$9,000,000 of British capital will be available in Portland within 90 days for the development of the greatest water power project in the Pacific Northwest. The company will construct three dams on the Deschutes river bar which will be capable of developing a minimum of 75,000 horse-power, although its rights, held at the point selected for beginning the work carries a theoretical maximum of 140,000 horse-power. It is stated that the power will be used for irrigating vast tracts of land in the Deschutes country, but another object may be the developing of electrical power for railroad and illuminating purposes. This belief is strengthened by the fact that one of the prime movers in the project is Leroy Park, the former right hand man of John F. Stevens in the building of the Oregon Trunk railroad through Central Oregon.

THE McNAMARA TRIAL.
 Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 28.—Although the attorneys representing the McNamara brothers have not decided whether to ask that a jurist other than Judge Bordwell preside at the trial of the accused men, a statement made yesterday by Clarence S. Darrow, leading counsel for the defense, indicates that they probably would not take such action.
 "We have not determined whether to ask for a change of judges," said Darrow, "but no one is more anxious than we to get into the trial; it is too much of a strain. We want to try the case. The quicker the better. We shall try to be ready when the assizes are called on October 11."

THINKING THEMES
 BY DR. FRANK CRANE

I have passed through some humiliating experiences. I have been betrayed, deserted, sold out, lied to, mortified and laid low, by those who should have stood by me. The life, I suppose, has fallen most people who have lived any considerable length of time passing through the dark strips of life. I was utterly unable to understand them, and was inclined to rail at destiny, and wanted often to die, for such things make one sick of life.
 But I am beginning to see what it all meant. It was fate's purpose, by this process, to reveal to me my friends. Against each black episode of disappointment in my past, gleams the face of a friend, whose radiance is the more glorious for its dark background.
 To find diamonds men have to shovel over heaps and heaps of mud and sand and gravel. To get gold they dig out tons of worthless rock. So out of multitudes of people, indifferent, and not a few hostile, I have excavated a dozen friends or so. These are my jewels. I wear them in a little sack around my soul's neck. To feel rich I have only to take them out and count them over. They are mine, the richest of life.
 Why should I feel self-pity? All the Son of God could accumulate was a quite small group of friends.
 All life is a mine; we unearth and search through the mass of people, to find a few friends.
 All life is an Ocean; we fish our life long, to catch a friend or two.
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 The above rules are made for the benefit of readers of the Times, who insist upon the paper being delivered as early in the evening as possible.

AN EXPENSIVE DEFENCE.

There is a covert and somewhat sinister suggestiveness in the announcement made on Monday by the attorneys for the defence of the McNamara that the munificent fund contributed by Trades Unionists in the United States and Canada for the purpose of defence is all but exhausted. Only a paltry \$15,000 remains in the treasury and this sum is said to be wholly insufficient to carry out the "investigations" which it is necessary to make before the cases come up for trial. One may be pardoned if he becomes somewhat sarcastic in reference to the conduct of the attorneys in this remarkable procedure. The announcement made by Clarence Darrow is that "with scores of private detectives, stenographers and lawyers in their employ; engaged in running down evidence; the mere matter of \$15,000 is a negligible quantity. He does not say so in as many words but we are covertly permitted to infer that what is really needed is another \$500,000 to pay the "expenses" of the numerous witnesses, some of whom must be brought across the continent and "the small army of experts engaged to work on the scientific phases of the case." These experts will be needed to prove that the explosion, with complicity in which the McNamaras are charged, was caused by gas and not by dynamite. Their testimony will necessitate rebuttal testimony by other experts in the employ of the state and when all the expert testimony has been heard, judge and jury will know less about the facts of the case than before the trial begins.

There is something pathetic in the tone in which Clarence Darrow told the Associated Press that "if all the money that has been pledged by friends and sympathisers of the McNamaras throughout the country were paid in we would have ample funds." The reflection on the honor of the Trades Unionists and other sympathisers with the McNamaras might well be answered by the men who have paid their assessments with a question as to what has been done with the fortune that has been already collected for this defence. No more powerful appeal can be made than the ap-

peal to the class-consciousness of the wage earners and Trades Unionists the world over on behalf of a brother in distress. If money can deliver him that money is always forthcoming but the sympathiser who pays his hard earned money for the defence of a comrade in danger for his life never knows what becomes of his cash. He has no way of discovering whether an army of experts and stenographers is a necessity in the case or not and it is not flagrant breach of etiquette to suggest that his helplessness and honor, working together, make him an easy victim to the graft and design of unscrupulous lawyers and courts.

When the McNamara trial was first ordered the fear expressed by Clarence Darrow was that the money power of the capitalistic magnates would delay the trial and involve enormous expense. What he wanted was that the matter be hurried up. To his dismay he found himself immediately on the defensive in this regard and was almost the first to ask for a prolonged suspension of the trial, which postponement he has managed to keep going on one plea or another. Now he dreads the approach of October 11 because "he has no funds to go on with the defence."

We have no opinion as to the guilt or innocence of the McNamaras and our sympathies are with the men who are on trial for what appears as yet to be one of the most dastardly crimes ever perpetrated in a civilized country. We hope, for the credit of human nature that they will be found not guilty; not by the caprice of a jury but by the evidence of facts. We do know that should they be found guilty and sentenced Clarence Darrow will have a ready excuse to offer in the statement that he had not enough money to properly conduct their defence. Again the "boys" will produce not exactly because they want to but because they cannot help themselves without carrying the uncomfortable reflection that another dollar apiece might result in an acquittal. It is a cruel world.

A NAVAL REFERENDUM.

Mr. Borden has pledged himself in the most definite manner to repeal the legislation passed by the Laurier government creating the Canadian navy, and to do nothing in the way of a permanent alternative policy until such policy is first submitted to the people of Canada in a special referendum, and approved by them.

The Winnipeg Free Press, while not desiring to attempt the role of prophet, ventures to express the opinion that when the naval scheme that has to be evolved by the wisdom of Mr. Borden and his colleagues is brought forth into the public view, it will be found to be, in essence and in spirit, the Canadian navy policy of the Laurier government. It may be on a more expensive scale and, of course, there will be disguises which will be pointed to as making it a new and original policy.

But it will be the same policy in purpose, in method and in effect; and it will be ratified by the popular vote. No policy differing essentially from the Canadian navy policy of the Laurier government will obtain the approval of the people of Canada.

A BOOK REVIEW.

The Mystery of Ashton Hall (Austin Publishing Company, Rochester, N. Y.) has been received by the Times with a request that it be reviewed. It is a disappointment. It has none of the interest of well wrought fiction and is wholly lacking in scientific elucidation of the theories which it is written, obviously, to support. One has a right to expect in a new book either such genius, as wins the admiration of the reader for its brilliance as fiction or else a serious and rational discussion of scientific or philosophical subjects which come within the purview of the work. This book has neither. The Mystery of Ashton Hall is a murder mystery and psychics— from the cult theories of spiritualism—play the chief role in the development of the impossible circumstances which constitute the unravelling of the mystery. There are three things apparently aimed at in the attempt at book-writing which we have named. The most grievously faulty of these is the attempt made to explain away the miraculous resurrection of the body of Jesus of Nazareth by an effort to parallel it in the revival of the body of the murdered millionaire after it had been deposited in the grave, following the usual cold storage procrastination in fashionable funerals and the actual interment, grave robbing and ghoulish college dissecting room. The restoration of a corpse that had passed through all these laboriously described events would be much more miraculous than anything that is alleged by believers concerning the resurrection of Jesus. It is not necessary to out-miraculise a miracle in order to explain or demonstrate the possibility of miracle.

Either the resurrection of Jesus was a supreme miracle or the incidents alleged have been misunderstood and misrepresented. No half way measures can do justice to the circumstance. While several mythologies—older than the Christian religion by many centuries—uphold the theory of a Divine generation for their gods and heroes

none of these claimed a miraculous resurrection of the body. Christianity is sublime in that one, original claim, and that claim is either true or untrue. One does not need to be a galled Christian to consider the attempt to explain or parallel this event, as is done in the book named, little short of blasphemous. Had the book any evidence of genius in its plan or were it cleverly fictitious even such a plot and motif might be tolerated, but the effect must be revolting even to those who are simple enough to accept its thesis as an explanation of the resurrection.

There is nothing remarkable in the character of Mrs. Williams, the trance medium, who is the intended heroine of the story. The two or three incidents in her life which prepare the reader for the denouement are common enough in psychic experience and it is too far a cry from these to the remarkably impossible climax of her badly described miracle in raising the body of the murdered man. The various attempts to explain away the dogmas of Christian believers by Spiritualistic interpretation will not commend themselves to those who have delved even slightly into the problems of spiritual life. As for the affinities in the story, they are treated with, but the scantest courtesy and the very alphabet of the theory of affinities is evidently unknown to the author of the book. The argument that the personality or soul is mean and wicked only because of environment is not scientifically treated.

The opening chapters containing a report of the murder and the mysterious circumstances surrounding it are worthy the best sensational newspaper work and one is led to expect something quite exceptional in the development of the story, but after the fiftieth page the book will be laid aside as disappointing by the average reader.

"Will be interesting to watch the market reports during the next six months."

If any one offers you \$315,000 of new Bank of Montreal bills in making change for a pound of sugar, nab him. He's from New Westminster, B. C.—Winnipeg Tribune.

The Toronto Mail and Empire ran a seven-column headline on September 20 which read: After To-morrow Manufacturers Can Laugh at Laurier's Threats." It would seem so, but the consumers are not doing any laughing just now.

An American exchange commenting on the forces and methods at work to defeat reciprocity remarks that in order to defeat the Liberal government and reciprocity the Canadian Conservatives resorted to the stirring up of an intense anti-American feeling in the Dominion. While some of the Canadian people express the belief that this will speedily die away, there are others who are not so optimistic. To say the least, this was unfortunate. Two great English-speaking nations, related by all the ties of blood and friendship, can ill afford to have this feeling existing. We think that one result will be to materially check the flow of American money into Canada for its development. We should not be surprised at such a result.

The eastern Tory organs are frantically explaining how it came about that wheat rose sharply in value in the United States immediately upon the announcement that the reciprocity pact had failed of ratification in Canada. The Winnipeg Telegram accounts for the sharp rise by stating that the American millers had beaten down the price of wheat in order to buy cheaply from Canada after a favorably expected vote on reciprocity and that they have been compelled now to advance the price in order to supply their necessities. If the Tory press thinks this sort of piffle can deceive any one but those who wish to be deceived it is mistaken. If the millers could beat down the price of wheat in prospect of reciprocity they could beat it down without that prospect. In any case the whole argument goes to the winds in view of the circumstance that the most powerful American milling corporations were opposed to reciprocity. It is to such straits the Tory press is driven in order to cover up its campaign of deception and misrepresentation. On with the dance.



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This is the most remarkable offer that we have made this season. Had we not been exceptionally fortunate in making this special purchase we could not have sold these garments for less than \$25, and we consider that even at this price they would represent full value for your money. There are handsome costumes made of high grade tweed mixtures in the season's latest and most interesting styles and a very choice selection of models made up in navy blue and black Venetian cloths. In tweeds there are some very attractive plain tailored models, some with patch pockets and turn-back cuffs, lined throughout with good satin and neatly finished with double-stitched seams while in plain Venetian cloths there are some beautiful, many in plain tailored styles and others trimmed with pipings of contrasting colors and skirts finished with loose panels back and front. Had we purchased these costumes in the ordinary way not one of them would have been sold for less than \$25, but this lucky purchase enables us to sell them TO-MORROW AND SATURDAY at \$13.75

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This line is so large and varied that it is most difficult to give a detailed description of them all or give you a fair idea of the great saving that every garment represents to the purchaser. Choosing should be easy from this lot, unless the wide range proves confusing—almost every size and the season's smartest models may be found amongst this lot. You can have your choice from smart Ulsters, heavy Coats with military storm collars, large patch pockets and deep turnback cuffs suitable for travelling, etc., or from a wide range of more dressy models with round, pointed or square shawl collars; roll collars and large revers trimmed in a variety of attractive styles suitable for street wear. In the ordinary way these suits would sell at \$15, \$17.50 and \$20.00, but having made this purchase at a big discount we will dispose of them on Friday and Saturday at, each \$11.75

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-S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty, 'phone Inspector Russell, No. 1921.

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-No. 24 Company of the Imperial Veterans will hold an important meeting at eight o'clock to-night in the city hall.

-Students who intend to take the first or second year college work are asked to enroll at the High School tomorrow.

-The Daughters of Scotland will hold a social and dance at the Foresters' hall, Broad street, on Friday evening at eight o'clock.

-Next Sunday a service of praise will be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Special music will be rendered by the choir.

-All members of the Hod Carriers' and Building Laborers Union are requested to be present at a special meeting to-night at Labor hall.

-A meeting of the board of directors of the Victoria Horticultural Society will be held at eight o'clock this evening in the society's club room, Alexandra Club.

-Prof. Macdonald will give a free lecture to ladies only, to-morrow, Friday, at 2:30 o'clock, upon how to acquire health and keep young and augment beauty. At Unitarian hall, 1230 Government street. Evening talk for men.

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-Henry George, Jr., one of the foremost advocates of the single tax in America, will visit this city on October 11, and will deliver an address on the subject. The local branch of the Henry George Society is making arrangements.

-Building permits have been issued by the building inspector to George Jones for two dwellings to be erected on Chambers street, \$1,950 each; to Mrs. George Severs, dwelling on Seaview avenue, \$2,500; to W. C. Vanmunster, dwelling on Cambridge street, \$2,500.

-A word of reminder is being given to persons who intend to hunt in South Saanich by James Critchley, clerk of the municipality, who advertises that permits must be obtained from him and from the property owner or owners of the land on which the hunting is to be done. Application forms may be obtained at the municipal offices.

-The new manual-training centre at Victoria West will be open for work on Monday morning under the charge of L. A. Campbell. The George Jay manual training building will be completed in about a month's time. The opening of the centre at Victoria West makes a total of five manual training centres in operation in the city.

-Stroud L. Redgrave, former inspector of Victoria police, on the eve of his departure for California, where he intends to spend the winter of his years of retirement, was made the recipient of a handsome gold-headed cane, the gift of a number of his close and intimate friends. It is understood that Mr. Redgrave, accompanied by his family, will leave for the south next Wednesday.

FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily at 2:15 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 6:45 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Victoria at 11:45 p. m. daily, arriving Vancouver at 7:00 a. m. Prince George leaves Victoria on Thursdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Mondays at 10 a. m. Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2:30 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 6 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 p. m., arriving Seattle at 10 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 2 a. m., arriving at Victoria 1:15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Inoquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule. Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and the Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

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

VICTORIA LITERARY SOCIETY.

This long established and well known society held its annual general meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. L. H. Hardie, Oak Bay. A good attendance of members were present, who proceeded to elect their officers for the year, as follows: President—Ven. Archdeacon Scriven. First vice-president—Rev. J. H. S. Sweet. Second vice-president—Mrs. R. H. McMillin. Secretary—Mrs. J. D. Gordon.

These were elected by acclamation, but the members of the committee were balloted for in due form. The ballot resulted in the election of Mrs. Hardie, Mrs. W. J. Sutton, and Mrs. H. M. Dumbarton, who, with the officers given above, will form the executive of the society and transact all business connected therewith. Discussion of the coming season's work followed, and all members present gave signed suggestions of desirable lines of literary work to the secretary to aid the executive in its decisions.

The study of Shakespeare has always occupied one-half of the seasons, and this year there will be no departure from that excellent custom. "The Taming of the Shrew" was selected for study. The secret of success has certainly been found by the officers of this year, in their circle, for the interest in all its work is still unabated, and more applications for membership have been received than can possibly be accepted. As the society meets at the homes of members it is obvious that the membership must be limited.

WEATHER BULLETIN Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department. Victoria, Sept. 28—5 a. m.—Although the barometer remains high in this vicinity the weather is becoming unsettled and showery throughout this province. Showers are reported in Northern Alberta and west and rain in Manitoba.

Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity—Easterly and southerly winds, mostly cloudy and cool, with showers. Lower Mainland—Easterly and southerly winds, cloudy and cool, with showers.

Reports at 5 a. m. Victoria—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 45; minimum, 40; wind, calm; weather, part cloudy. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, 48; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 34; minimum, 32; wind, calm; rain, .21; weather, part cloudy. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear. Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 48; minimum, 47; wind, 8 miles S. E.; rain, .08; weather, rain. Edmonton—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 42; minimum, 42; wind, 6 miles W.; rain, .32; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 35; minimum, 30; wind, 5 miles S. E.; rain, .19; weather, rain. Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. Wednesday: Temperature. Highest 67. Lowest 49. Average 53. General state of weather, cloudy.

Notice to Union Men! The only amusement houses in the city employing union music are the following: Victoria Theatre, Romano management, two theatres, Majestic, Crystal and Bijou Theatres.

Y. M. C. A. OPENING FESTIVAL CONTINUES

Large Attendances at Ladies' Reception and Evening Display

The third day's arrangements in connection with the week's celebration of the opening of the fine new Y. M. C. A. premises in this city passed off very satisfactorily yesterday afternoon and evening. The buildings were crowded with visitors throughout the hours that the reception committee had fixed. The ladies were received in the afternoon, and an address was given by C. R. Sayer, travelling secretary of association work in Western Canada. In the evening an athletic programme was given, when demonstrations of swimming and gymnastics were the attraction. Physical Director Beale had charge of the gymnastic display, in which eleven men took part, and the aquatic events, in charge of Warron Leese, carried out by the large swimming tank below. The Fifth Regiment were beaten by the association team at water polo by four goals to nothing.

During the evening Mr. Sayer again spoke on Y. M. C. A. work in the western provinces of Canada, and congratulated Victoria in coming into line with the other western associations in a handsome new building. He drew attention to the fact that the association desired to cater to the interests of the industrial classes, and he hoped the workmen would take full advantage of the opportunities afforded. Alderman Gleason presided over the gathering. During the morning a conference of the officials of the local association and the city ministers was held, when the best methods of carrying on the association came under review. The physical director, H. G. Beale, presented a comprehensive programme of training, which he considered should combine clean sport and all round manhood at all times, and seek to produce a healthy mind in a healthy body.

The boys' secretary, R. C. Horne, took up his branch of the work, and was followed by the secretary of the Portland association, who spoke on the educational side of the work, and A. S. Allen, of the Seattle association, who dealt with the religious side. He said the association was avowedly religious in its foundation, and they must not lose sight of that fact. To-night there will be a union prayer meeting, at which Rev. F. W. Stevenson will preside, and a gymnastic and aquatic display will be given later in the evening.

NIGHT SCHOOLS.

City superintendent of schools E. E. Paul is preparing to present to the school board a plan for establishing in Victoria night schools similar to those in Vancouver and New Westminster and in many large cities in the east. The Provincial Public Schools Act provides for the founding of night schools, and the government is empowered to give to cities of the first class a grant for their maintenance, amounting to two-fifths of the salaries of the teachers employed. In Vancouver every class of subject is taught in the night schools, including electrician, plumbing, advanced drawing, domestic science, etc. The School Act provides that where special teachers cannot be engaged instructors from the regular staff may be employed on not more than four nights a week.

The schools would be under the direct supervision of the trustees, but the subjects taught would have to be approved by the council of public instruction. No pupil who could conveniently attend day classes would be admitted to the night schools. In most institutions of the kind no special fee is charged.

Mr. Paul is gathering all the information possible on important subjects and will at the earliest opportunity present it to the board.

An important business meeting of the W. C. T. U. is being held this afternoon at the men's mission, Stone street. This is the first meeting since the return of the president, Mrs. Wilcroft.

Satisfactory reports have been received from Dr. Wasson as to the health of the school children in Victoria. Since the beginning of the term only two infectious cases have been discovered.

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ENDEAVORERS HOLD SUCCESSFUL RALLY

Large Attendance in James Bay Church—Election of Officers

The regular quarterly rally of the local union of Christian Endeavor was held last evening in the James Bay Methodist church, the platform of which had been beautifully decorated. There was a large attendance of young people, the retiring president, Dr. William Russell, occupying the chair. After devotional exercises Ernest Petch rendered a vocal solo.

The secretary treasurer, R. J. C. Smith, presented his report, showing that the local union had had a satisfactory year, and the financial statement showed a small balance on the right side. A report of the recent provincial convention held in Vancouver was admirably given by Miss Beal, who was listened to with a great deal of interest. The speaker testified to the great impetus which had been given to the sessions by the presence of such well-known workers as Rev. Mr. Poling, of Ohio, and Rev. I. W. Williamson, Sunday school superintendent for British Columbia, whose enthusiasm, she described as simply beautiful. The biggest impression she had received of the convention was summed up in the statement made by Rev. Mr. Poling, who in answer to his own question—"Why I believe in Christian Endeavor?" had replied: "Because it is worth while." If they wanted to get spiritually she claimed that they must go ahead and use what they had got. It was only by doing so that they could ever expect to get more.

They all knew that in unity was strength, but they needed the purpose as well. They also needed enthusiasm, the kind that would stay with them throughout the year. They could have this by making Jesus Christ an active member of each union; by making Him a member of the executive and by bringing Him to every meeting. It was all worth while—how much they would never be able to tell this side of eternity.

Rev. Dr. Holtmann, field secretary of Christian Endeavor work for Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, gave a helpful address on "Opportunity," which he illustrated by examples of several young people, who in spite of difficulties, adverse circumstances and other drawbacks, had managed to do a big work in the world for Jesus Christ and the extension of His kingdom. One, a young, crippled girl of Ohio, although only able to get about in a wheeled chair, had founded three churches in the home mission field. Another, a young orphan boy, who had been placed in a family in Montreal, had grown up to do great things for the church, and yet another was a young girl of seventeen, who had thrown herself into personal service for Christ in the state of Kansas and had done much good work.

During the evening an offering was received, the larger part of which was turned over to the provincial union. The male quartette from the Welsh Glee Club was responsible for a delightful vocal contribution which added much to the evening's enjoyment.

The election of new officers resulted as follows: President, W. J. Shortt; vice-president, R. J. C. Smith; secretary, R. S. Clement; treasurer, R. T. McKay.

Ev. H. H. Rottman will give another talk on Friday evening in the Metropolitan Methodist church. It will be something entirely different to any entertainment as yet given here, taking the form of an illustrated picture song service. There will be no admission fee but a free-will offering for Christian Endeavor work will be received. The evening closed with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." Rev. A. N. Miller pronouncing the benediction.

NEW LODGE INSTITUTED.

Masonry in the city of Victoria was given an additional fillip on Monday evening in the Masonic Temple when a new lodge was formally instituted under the auspices of the Grand Lodge of B. C. The name of the new lodge is Cameron, and it was able to start out upon its career with the encouraging asset of over 20 members. At the formal inauguration there was a great array of prominent Masons present from all parts of the province.

Among those present were G. M. F. J. Burde, G. S. Van de Wolf, Smith; G. J. W. William Henderson; D. D. G. M. P. J. Riddell and W. M. Dimars of Cascade Lodge, Vancouver; Bro. Steve Jones represented the Victoria and Columbia Lodge No. 1; Bro. J. C. McNeill Vancouver and Quadra Lodge No. 2; and W. M. R. Von C. Bessonette represented United Service Lodge No. 24 of Esquimalt.

The following office bearers were installed: Worshipful master, J. H. Tomlinson; Senior Warden, F. Morrison; Junior Warden, George Pattison.

CITY HALL BY-LAW.

When the city council meets to-morrow night the consideration of by-laws is likely to occupy the major part of the session. It is understood that the by-law for the selection of a site for the new city hall and civic centre, on upper Pandora Avenue, will be ready for submission to the board, and that a number of others including the defeated parks and library measures, together with another for the purchase of motor apparatus for the fire department, a motor garbage collector and a street sprinkler, will also be considered and passed.

In regard to the parks and library measures, which have hung fire so long, it is claimed that the requisite number of signatures to the petition, reputed to be about 400, has been obtained, and that there can be no further obstacle in the way of submitting the by-laws.

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WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT. Victoria Meteorological Office. 24th to 29th September, 1911. Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshine, 42 hours and 54 minutes; rain, 2.8 inch; highest temperature, 63 on 25th; lowest, 38 on 25th. Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshine, 45 hours and 18 minutes; rain, .41 inch; highest temperature, 61 on 25th; lowest, 38 on 24th, 25th and 26th. New Westminster—Rain, .62 inch; highest temperature, 64 on 25th; lowest, 37 on 25th. Kamloops—Rain, .19 inch; highest temperature, 66 on 25th; lowest, 30 on 24th, 25th and 26th. Barkerville—Rain, .34 inch; highest temperature, 54 on 25th; lowest, 18 on 24th. Prince Rupert—Rain, .36 inch; highest temperature, 60 on 21st; lowest, 28 on 23rd. Atlin—Rain, .35 inch; highest temperature, 54 on 25th; lowest, 24 on 21st. Dawson—Snow, 1.6 inch; rain, .42 inch; highest temperature, 50 on 24th; lowest, 14 on 20th.

NORTH AND SOUTH SAANICH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY Friday and Saturday Sept. 29th and 30th HORSE RACING AND SPORTS V. & S. train leaves 1:30 p.m. Fare \$1.00, including admission. Children 50c. Lunch will be served by the Ladies' Guild of St. Mary's church.

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News of Sport

KLAUS CLAIMS THE MIDDLEWEIGHT BELT

Pittsburg Fighter's Claim Will Be Generally Recognized—Ready to Defend Title

Frank Klaus, the Pittsburg boxer, through his manager, George Engel, lays formal claim to the middleweight championship of the world and is prepared to defend the title against all comers. In setting forth Klaus' right to the championship Engel says: "Most claims of this sort are nothing more than idle talk, have very weak foundations or none at all, and are intended solely for self-advertising purposes, with the result that the public turns a deaf ear and treats them with the contempt they deserve. But the stand just taken by Pennsylvania's crack middleweight is one that cannot be placed in that category. It is one in the whole lot that has the right ring, possessing not only the virtues of sincerity but being made under con-

ditions which indicate that Klaus is claiming only what rightfully belongs to him. "The Pittsburg boy shows the spirit and the sportsmanship of a real fighter, for he is not taking the title" to ornament his letter heads or to boost a vaudeville turn, but backs up his action with a wad of real American money that shows his willingness to defend with newly claimed honors against any middleweight on earth. "Klaus takes this step as a result of the action of Papke in failing to cover his forfeit of \$1,000 that he can stop Papke in a twenty-round bout. Papke is the man whom the public has regarded as the champion in that class, although Thompson beat him. Since then Klaus gave Thompson a bad beating. Klaus is open to box any middleweight in the world who thinks he has a right to the title. He is also willing to give away a little weight and box Jim Flynn."

Since Papke's poor showing against Sailor Burke he has taken a big drop in the estimation of ring followers. The Eastern clubs are not anxious to secure Papke as a card and he is barred from competition in California because of an unsatisfactory performance there last year. Klaus, on the other hand, has won so much favor among New Yorkers that his claim will be generally recognized. He is a legitimate middleweight, for the reason

that he can make 158 pounds ringside and possesses fighting ability that has impressed a large majority of boxing critics. Looking over the field with Papke eliminated, it appears that Klaus' most dangerous rivals are Leo Houck and Hugo Kelly, with Jack (Twin) Sullivan also a formidable challenger. Cyclone Thompson has been passed up, while Sailor Burke and Willie Lewis are not in the same class with the Pittsburg man.

MOST USEFUL BIG LEAGUERS GET AUTOS

Misapprehension Regarding the Purpose and Method of Award of Chalmers Trophies

Considerable misapprehension exists regarding the purpose and method of award of the Chalmers trophies which are to be given to the so-called "best players" in each of the major leagues this fall. It is the general belief among patrons of the game, and some of those more intimately connected with it, that the prizes offered are for the same purposes as last year, when an automobile was donated the major league player who attained the highest batting average for the season. In other words, it is understood by many that the only difference between the contest of last year, which produced a near-scandal at the end of the season, and the contest this year lies in the fact that two automobiles, one for each major league, are being given instead of only one for both leagues.

The new Chalmers trophies are of an entirely different nature, the only resemblance being that they are motor cars. A high batting average will not entitle a player to the prize. In fact, it is wholly within the possibilities that the winner may have a low average with the bat. The plan of the donor, Hugh Chalmers of Detroit, was to broaden the scope of endeavor among ball players and to make practically every player in both major leagues feel that he had a chance to win the prize if he worked hard enough and to prevent absolutely the danger of favoritism, prejudice or any other factor "creeping into the award. It was decided to offer a prize for the player who proved himself of most value in all departments of the game to the team with which he plays during the season of 1911. For that pur-

pose identical trophies are donated to be awarded in the American and in the National League.

Batting averages, fielding averages, pitching records and the mechanical end of a player's performance are now incidental. The scope of the award has been made broad enough to include everything that a player does toward the success of his team, even to his conduct on and off the field. Frequent absences through accident or for other causes will militate against even star players under the new order of things, the sole object being to ascertain as nearly as any such thing can be ascertained what man in each major league has contributed most to the good of his team and of the game itself.

How to determine so elusive a question as that was a problem which finally was settled by appointing as chairman of the Chalmers trophy commission Ben Mulford, Jr., a former Cincinnati newspaper man who, during many years of connection with baseball, won the confidence of everyone in his conscientious efforts to give everyone a square deal. Mr. Mulford was asked to and did appoint a commission to award the trophies, choosing one veteran baseball scribe from in the two major leagues, represented in the two major leagues circuits.

Before the end of the season each member of this commission has been instructed to prepare a ballot containing the names of eight men who in his opinion have been of the greatest value to their respective teams during the year. These names are to be arranged in order from one to eight, so as to express each commissioner's preference. Members in cities like Boston, New York and Chicago, which have clubs in both major leagues, will prepare two ballots, one for each league.

Then the award is to be made on the basis of a point system, similar to that used in athletic meets and contests of that kind. The player whose name is at the top of a ballot will be credited with eight points, the player next in order on that ballot will be given seven points, and so on down to the eighth man, who will get one point. Then another ballot will be credited to the players in the same way, his points, and so on until all the ballots in a league have been credited. The player who receives the highest total number of points from the eight members voting on his league will be entitled to the trophy in his circuit. It will be possible therefore, for a player who does not lead any one of the eight ballots to win the prize, if he is so highly esteemed as to be given moderately high ranking by all the members of the commission.

It would be impossible for any eight men to meet and agree unanimously on the "best" player in a league, no matter how fairly and honestly they might attempt it, but by devising the point system of voting it is the belief of the donor that a way has been found to determine, as nearly as it ever can be determined, a question which has provoked endless discussion since baseball became baseball. The plan is to be tested through a period of five years, and only time will

tell whether it has faults that cannot be remedied or is a solution at last of one of the most difficult problems in a great sport.

ABOUT BASEBALL

The question arises when one contemplates the difference between the averages of the leading batsmen in the American and National Leagues. "What is the reason?" Cobb, of Detroit, heads the Americans with a standing of .418, Jackson leads the Nationals with .363. It is argued that there must be some explanation for this enormous difference between the crack batters of the two leagues. It is not within reason to say that the figures represent the true difference between the two men. Either the pitchers must be easier in the American League, or the fielding must be slower, according to many. Otherwise the batting figures of the leaders would be approximately the same.

"One thing that is overlooked a great deal," states the thin and taciturn Cornelius McGillicuddy, manager of the champion Athletics, apropos of the general discussion about things baseball. "Is the value of catchers to a club. The catcher can get you in bad about as often and as much as anybody, if he wants to, while on the other hand, a good backstop can hold up a wavering club a whole lot. In my mind now is a certain catcher who gave us a game recently because of his insufferable laziness. Anything to get away from hard work—that's his motto. He ought to be one of the best backstops in the business, and because he's so darn lazy he's one of the worst. We went into the ninth inning two runs to the bad. The other manager swapped pitchers and stuck in a left-hander. We had a man on base, two out and the batter had three and two on him. Now a fast one across the plate would have been the proper signal. But this catcher did not want to bother with one of those; it was easier to catch a curve. He signalled for a breaker and the man walked. The next fellow got to first on an error, and we had the sacks filled. A triple cleaned up and we made another run, putting us out in front two runs. That game was lost by the lazy catcher."

The Eastern League season closed last Sunday, Rochester, managed by John Gangel, for the third successive season won the pennant. Its percentage was .545. Baltimore was second with .521. Other teams finished in the following order: Toronto, Buffalo, Montreal, Jersey City, Newark and Providence.

The Philadelphia Athletics have won the American League pennant four times with Connie Mack at the helm. This year is the first time the Mackmen has copied the flag in successive seasons. They now have the right to defend the world's championship, which they won in the series with the Chicago Nationals last season.

CHAMPION TEAM MAY PLAY IN VICTORIA

Tecumseh and Vancouvers May Come Here After Minto Cup Games

Vancouver, Sept. 28.—It is possible that after the cup games arg over the Tecumseh and Vancouvers will go to Victoria to play an exhibition game. The Capital City has been off the lacrosse map so long that the Vancouver club officials think its about time it was on again, and they figure that an exhibition by Canada's two champion teams will be the best and most effective method of stimulating the dormant interest in the national game in Victoria.

Quietly confident, but by no means boastful, the Tecumseh of Toronto, champions of the National Lacrosse Union and challengers for the Minto cup, arrived in the city on Sunday morning in a special car attached to the Soo express. The Indians remained over in Chicago a day and that accounted for their arriving here a day later than expected. Several directors of the club accompanied the team, and the party numbers about twenty. They are making the Radmont hotel their headquarters while here. The Montreal and Nationals, both put up at this hotel, also and they went back empty-handed, but Manager Charlie Querrie is not superstitious.

"I have been managing teams in the National Lacrosse Union for six years," declared Manager Querrie when somebody asked him what he thought of his chances, "and I have never had as good a team as I have now. The boys play just as well away from home as they do in Toronto and that counts for a lot. We set a new record for the N. L. U. this summer by winning all our away from home engagements, something that had never been done before by any team, and the only defeats we suffered were at home when injuries to players compelled us to field weak teams. I have a better team now than when we played New Westminster in 1909 for the cup, and while I recognize that the teams out here have improved considerably since then, I think I have a cup team with me now. I know the calibre of the players on the Vancouver team and I would not have brought the Tecumseh team west if I did not think it could take back the cup."

It is probable that William Foran, of Ottawa, will be appointed Minto cup trustee in succession to E. D. Ross, who resigned last year. The other trustees, Premier McBride and Sir Edward Clouston, have decided to appoint the third member at once, and Mr. Foran, who is also a Stanley cup trustee, is regarded as the most probable choice. During 1910, 22,677 natives of Ireland emigrated—17,737 males and 14,720 females.

SPORT NOTES

A meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer Association will be held this evening in the Richardson & Wainstock poolroom, corner Broughton and Government streets. The order of business is the election of a president to take the place of A. Manson, who has resigned; the drawing up of the inter-mediate and Junior schedules, and a consideration of complaints made by various footballers concerning their ranking.

President Con. Jones has announced that he will present the members of the Vancouver lacrosse team with a bonus of \$1,000 should they win the series from the Tecumseh. The money will be divided equally amongst the players. The Vancouver are being literally showered with "the root of all evil." When they defeated the Salmon Bellies they received \$1,000 pieces of silver from their manager, who, by the way, has not separated himself from anything he cannot afford.

Both the Tecumseh and the Vancouver have been out for stiff practices this week. The Tecumseh get on the job early and are away before the fans get a chance to look them over, but a few railbirds beat them to it the other morning and watched the Querrie band perform. There is no question but that Tecumseh are a fast lot and will prove dangerous.

Major Bradshaw, of the Eleventh Hussars and one of the best known hunters of big game is expected to arrive shortly in British Columbia. He intends to go after sheep in the Lillooet district.

It is reported that grouse and pheasant are extremely plentiful on the lower mainland, and that when the season opens there on October 15 the districts contiguous to Vancouver will be a veritable happy hunting ground for sportsmen. The government has been especially careful in its importations of pheasants, according to Wm. Bryant, and as the wardens have been very strict in attending to their duties during the close season the birds have multiplied with great rapidity. In consequence there are probably more pheasants in British Columbia at the present time than in the whole of the rest of the North American continent. W. P. Ogilvie, of Vancouver, was elected president of the Pacific Northwest Association of the A. A. U. at the annual meeting held in Seattle recently and a new club, the 1914th Regiment of New Westminster, was admitted to membership. Vancouver will get the swimming championships this season. Edward Frank, of the Multhom Athletic Club of Portland, was named as vice-president, and T. Morris Dunn, of the same club, was re-elected as secretary-treasurer. The paid-up capital of Canada's chartered banks in June, 1909, was \$30,289,948. In March, 1911, it was \$7,441,852, a gain in forty-two years of 21 per cent.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

R. Marpole returned last evening to the Mainland.

A. de Blaquiere left yesterday on a visit to Ireland.

Miss Maud Nason is confined to her home with a sprained ankle.

Miss Lena Hughes has left for Montreal to resume her studies at McGill University.

Miss Monica Green has returned from an extended visit to friends in Prince Rupert.

W. F. Hansford, one of the leading lawyers in New Westminster, is a visitor to the city on business.

Mrs. E. Henderson, 3030 Quadra street, will receive on Friday and not again until the first Friday in November.

One of the most successful musicians in Vancouver, J. D. A. Tripp, is a visitor to the city and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Frank R. Willis, of Los Angeles, California, judge of the superior court, is a visitor to the city and is registered at the Dominion hotel.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Helen Peters, daughter of Fred Peters, K. C., Prince Rupert, and Mr. E. L. Dewdney, Roseland.

Among the passengers on the Pacific Coast S. S. City of Puebla for San Francisco yesterday were the following Victorians: D. Malone, Miss L. Paterson, Mrs. E. Rogers, Ernest Rogers, Miss E. Ross, Gordon Ross, Mrs. McDonald and Miss McDonald.

Mrs. John Dawson, Tacoma, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davis at the Willows for the past month, returned home yesterday. Mrs. Davis accompanied Mrs. Dawson and will be her guest for a few days, after which she will leave for California to spend the winter.

The wedding of Miss Annie Jane Scott and Mr. John Halkett was celebrated at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Mowat, 1114 Richardson street. Rev. W. L. Clay performed the ceremony, following which the large company of relatives and friends sat down to a sumptuous wedding breakfast.

A quiet wedding was solemnized yesterday at noon at the home of Mr. John Raymond, whose daughter, Miss Beatrice Pearl Raymond, was married to Mr. C. F. Dwyer by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay. Only close friends and relatives of the young couple were present at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Dwyer left by the afternoon boat on an extended trip to Europe.

The wedding of Miss Josephine Catherine Holmes, third daughter of Rev. and Mrs. D. Holmes, Holmesdale, Duncan, and Mr. Hugh Mallet Charter, only son of the late Lieut. Wm. Boileau Charter, R. N. and Mrs. Heath, Abbey House, Colchester, was celebrated at St. Peter's church, Quamichan, by Rev. Canon Looney. Mrs. Charter is a grand-daughter of the late Capt. J. Nagle, Victoria.

Rev. Dr. Gray, late headmaster of Bradford College, who is now acting as secretary to the Provincial Tax Commission, tells a curious story of boys' ideas, which is said to have amused the gallant admiral of whom it was spoken as much as anyone.

When Dr. Gray acting as one of the examining officers for cadet admissions to the Royal Naval College at Osborne in the summer of 1909 he asked one of the candidates who Lord Charles Beresford was, and the startling reply came that he was a great actor.

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Empress Theatre. Robert Fulgora was clad in part of a dress suit and around him lay men's and women's garments, some whole and some in part, for with Robert Fulgora all is not as it seems, and while he donned the thirteen different costumes in which he shortly afterwards went on the stage of the Empress theatre he recalled Victoria as it was in 1894, when the Victoria theatre was under the control of Bob Jamieson, afterwards manager of the Grand and now a prosperous Saanich farmer.

THE PASSING SHOW

Later the Fulgora Stars came here and five years ago Robert T. Fulgora made his first appearance in Victoria

as a performer, and this week is here for the fourth time.

"And now the same old question, Mr. Fulgora. You see great changes in our town since 1894, don't you?"

And he replied: "Sure, the lid is on. It was wide open and a good town then. But really, you don't seem to have gone ahead any. You have more buildings and new ones, but there are no more people here now than there were seventeen years ago. That's how it seems to me, but I don't suppose you'll publish it. I remember this theatre when it was the Savoy music hall. I was at the Victoria theatre then, and they put on an act here, 'Fulgura Outdone,' making all my changes instantly. They had all the characters dressed and they walked on one after the other. The whole act only took twelve seconds, and I take three complete seconds to change from the jockey into evening dress at the end of my act. One way to make three seconds seem a long time is to compare it with eleven, but try and change your Sox in that time and see if you can count your toes while doing it."

Manager Wisner has the Venetian four, a harpist and three violinists;

Niblo and Riley, black-face performers; Charles Bartholomew, imitator; and Rae Brosche & Company in a sketch.

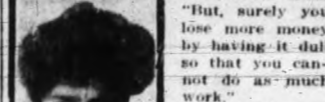
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Tickets are now on sale and it would be well to secure them early, as there is a brisk demand for them. Rehearsals are being held daily at 3.30 p. m. in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium and it is requested that all members of the cast attend regularly and punctually.

The Evening Chit-Chat By Ruth Cameron

If a carpenter should work for years with a dull tool, and offer as his only explanation that he could not afford to have it sharpened, you would think it a very funny thing.



"But, surely you lose more money by having it dull so that you cannot do as much work."

Wouldn't you? And yet, maybe you are doing the very same thing.

I know hundreds of people who are.

The dull tool is some foolish little habit, which daily hampers and hinders them in their work.

The effort it would cost them to overcome it cannot possibly be equal to the effort they have to make every day to overcome the difficulties and hindrances it causes them.

A newspaper man showed me his note-book the other day. It was a very neat affair, filled with carefully written, thoroughly legible notes. Having seen his notes on previous occasions, when they consisted of impossible scrawls on stray scraps of paper, I expressed my astonishment at the change and inquired how it came about.

"Well, you see, Miss Cameron," he explained, "I got tired of hauling out those scraps of paper and spending a lot of time trying to make out what I'd written and then throwing them away and writing my story from memory and making a dozen mistakes. I decided it didn't pay, and I've been keeping my notes, so I can read them the last few months, and you don't know how much time and trouble it saves."

There was a man who realized how much more it cost to use a dull foot than to have it sharpened.

"What's your dull tool?"

Perhaps it's a cluttered desk that costs you as much time every day hunting for something as it would take to clean up the whole desk.

Perhaps it's a slovenly habit of dress

or a carelessness about your finger nails that prejudices more people against you than you can win back by all your sterling worth of brain and character.

Perhaps it's an ill-arranged pantry and closets, that make you lose more time every day hunting and reaching for things than it would take you to set the whole place in logical and helpful order.

Perhaps it's a carelessness about your health—a habit of eating too rapidly, or not walking enough, or not drinking sufficient water—that costs you very disproportionately in efficiency and ability.

Perhaps you have none. But, if you are my old friend, the "average man or woman," I very much doubt it.

Ruth Cameron

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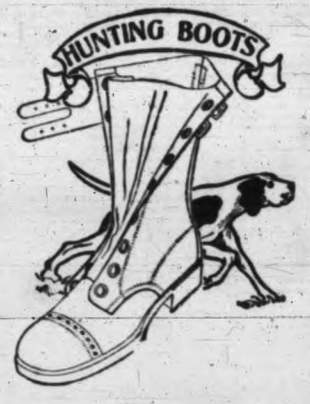
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OF PARTNERSHIP SALE

That this is no ordinary sale, but owing to a dissolution of partnership, there is of necessity many changes to be made—important extensions and additional sections to be added, and before the season advances it is our intention to execute these many changes.

There could be no better opportunity of securing the highest grade of goods at specially reduced prices. There is no old stock for disposal, but everything is new and of this season's production, so we suggest that ladies purchase their new Fall Suit, Millinery or anything that pertains to wearing apparel, while these most advantageous terms last.

The discounts on the regular stock range from 10 to 30 per cent, while clearing lines have been made with the idea of giving special inducements to secure the favor of a visit. Several tempting offers at half price will be included in this sale. We earnestly request that ladies shop early. The store will be open at 9 a.m. A large staff of clerks, fitters and alteration hands have been engaged.

EVERYTHING REDUCED

Throughout the store—this means a big money-saving event during these days of our Dissolution S.

Commencing Friday Morning, Sept. 29, at 9 o'Clock

Below we quote some of the specially priced goods which will be prominently displayed in the various sections. They indicate our intention of giving some of the best values ever offered in Victoria, but remember that, whatever the purchase, at least 10 per cent will be saved.



LADIES' DRESSES

Well cut Ladies' Dresses, in Panama, basket weaves, plain, also stripes, some perfectly plain tailored with Gibson tuck over shoulder, other braided design and lace yoke in navy, wisteria, reseda, black, brown and grey. Reg. \$18.50. Special **\$9.50**
A few beautiful Afternoon Dresses, in flowered wool dolaine, serges, cashmeres, also a few taffetas, in navy, reseda, tan, wisteria, navy and white check shot taffeta. Regular price \$20.00, \$30. Special price **\$17.50**
Several exquisite Lingerie Dresses, in mull, marquisette, beautifully trimmed insertions and lace, suitable for evening wear. Regular prices \$7.50 to \$40.00. Special, EXACTLY HALF.

UNDERSKIRTS

Six dozen black Moire Underskirts, rich and lustrous, deep frill in black and white, also all black. Regular price \$3.75. Special price **\$2.25**
85 Satin Messaline Underskirts, knife plaited, also accordion plaited flounce, in all colors. Regular prices \$7.50 to \$10.00. Special price **\$5.00**—also a few taffetas.

SUIT SECTION

Very special values in heavy Navy Serge Suits, men-tailored throughout, perfect fitting, black corded silk collar, also plain tailor-made, in navy and black hairline stripe, also some very smart Tweed Suits in stripes and plain effects, in Misses sizes. Regular price \$25, \$35. Special price **\$18.75**
Two Dozen Ladies' Tailored Suits in dark tweed mixtures, some plain collars, others velvet collar and cuffs, plain skirts with side plaits. Regular price \$30. Special price **\$22.50**

THE LOVELIEST OF MILLINERY

Special discount of 15 per cent on Untrimmed Shapes and Ready-to-Wear Hats.

HOSIERY

Special Line of Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hosiery, full fashioned, and splendid wearing. Regular 35c. Sale Price **25c**
Several Dozen Sample Hose in silk lisle, black and all colors; wide top, double feet. Regular price 60c to 85c. Sale Price **45c**
Exceptional Value in Black and Colored Lisle and Cotton Hose, plain, also embroidered, wide garter top, double heel and toe. Regular price 40c. Sale Price **25c**

HANDKERCHIEFS

Fancy Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, embroidered on fine Cambric. Regular price 15c. Sale Price **3 for 25c**
20 Dozen Plain Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, good quality sheer, also heavier linen. Special Price **3 for 25c**

BELTS

Elastic Belts, in plain and beaded effects in all colors, ranging from 50c to \$2.00. Sale Price **40c**
White and Wash Belts, in plain; also embroidered linen. Regular prices up to 75c. Sale Price **25c**
Fancy Dresden Belts in all colors, with buckles to match. Regular price 75c. Sale Price **40c**

LADIES' COAT SECTION

Several Ladies' Perfectly Tailored New Show-proof Tweed Coats, in grey, green, fawn and heather mixtures. Raglan sleeve, loose back, some plain sleeve with semi-fitting back, military collar, also a few novelty Tweed Coats in smartest effects. Regular price \$20 to \$25. Special price **\$16.75**
One dozen fashionable Ladies' Tweed Coats, tailor made, in grey and fawn stripe effect, trimmed buttons, with satin collar and revers. Regular price \$20. Special price **\$13.25**
Several superior quality Silk Rubber Coats, in plain taffeta and moire effects, shawl collar, semi-fitting, also some with military collar, loose back, positively the best style silk rubber coat that we have ever shown. Reg. price \$25. Special price **\$21.75**

BLOUSE SECTION

11 Pongee Silk Shirt Waists, Paisley design, in tones of blue, helio green and red. Originally \$4.50. Exactly half price at **\$2.25**
6 only Taffeta Silk Blouses in green, red and white, covered black chiffon trimmed, black messaline. Original price \$10.50 to \$13.75. All one price to clear **\$7.50**
6 only Heavy Silk Blouses, dark colors, in black and grey, and purple and black. Moire effect. Originally \$6.00. To clear at, each **\$3.50**
2 lovely Paisley Silk Blouses, covered tucked chiffon, and trimmed in satin. Original price \$5.50. Clearance price **\$3.50**
1 dozen White Marquisette Blouses, heavy lace trimming, Val. lace yoke, high neck, three-quarter sleeves. Original price \$4.50. To clear **\$3.00**
6 White Figured Net Blouses, trimmed lace insertion, piped in pale blue satin, finished buttons. Original price \$6.00. To clear **\$3.75**
25 Odd makes in Messaline, Taffeta Silk, Eru Net and White Marquisette. EXACTLY HALF PRICE.
6 White Tucked Net Waists, low neck, short sleeves, trimmed lace insertion and crochet buttons, lined with China silk. Regular \$6. Special price **\$4.50**
4 handsomely trimmed Crepe de Chene Blouses, in white and mauve only. Original prices \$11.50, \$14.00, \$16.00, \$17.75. Specially reduced 25 per cent.
12 White Swiss Muslin Blouses, high neck and long sleeves, also high neck and short sleeves, beautifully trimmed in embroidery and insertion. Regular price \$3.50. Sale **\$2.00**
2 dozen White Swiss Embroidered, Muslin Lingerie Shirt Waists, Regular \$2.50. Sale **\$1.75**
3 dozen White Muslin Lingerie Blouses, embroidered and trimmed in Valenciennes lace, high neck, three-quarter sleeves. Regular \$1.50. Sale **50c**
2 dozen Silk Mull Lingerie Waists, trimmed in lace and neatly tucked, low and high neck. Reg. \$4, \$4.50. Sale **\$2.75**

LADIES' DRESSES

A few Fancy Colored Wash Dresses, Originally \$3.50. Special price **\$1.25**

GLOVES

A few Dozen Heavy Ladies' Dogskin Gloves for street wear; tan and brown shades, Perrin's special make; a good winter glove with one or two buttons. Regular price \$1.50. Sale Price **\$1.00**
8 Dozen Fine French Kid Gloves in tans, browns, black and white. Regular price \$1.25. Sale Price **75c**
Best Quality French Kid Gloves, wide fancy stitchings; pearl domes in black, white and tan. Regular price \$1.50. Sale Price **\$1.00**
A few Dozen 6-Button Heavy Dogskin Driving Gloves—a hard wearing glove. Regular price \$1.75. Sale Price **\$1.25**

MARABOUT STOLES

3 Dozen Marabout Stoles in natural, white and black, six strands. Regular price \$10.00. Sale Price **\$7.50**
3 Dozen Marabout and Ostrich Stoles in brown and black only. Regular price \$9.50. Sale Price **\$7.00**
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SWEATER COATS

A few Finest Quality Wool Sweater Coats, medium length, perfect cut and fit in white only. Regular price \$7.90. Sale Price **\$5.00**

UMBRELLAS

We are offering a Special Line of Umbrellas: Gloria covers, directorio handles, plain, also mounted. Regular price \$2.50. Sale Price **\$1.75**

FURS

All Ties, Stoles and Muffs during the Sale 20 per cent. Discount.

UNDERWEAR

Peerless Natural and White Woolen Vests, long sleeves and high neck in wool, drawers to match. All sizes. Regular price 75c. Sale Price **50c**
Another Line in Better Quality Vests and Drawers to match. Regular price 85c. Sale Price **65c**

PURSES

All Purses, Velvets, Suedes, Silks and Leathers in the newest shapes and colors 15 per cent. off.

WHITEWEAR

3 1/2 Dozen Ladies' Drawers in white cotton, trimmed lace and embroidery. Regular price 35c. Special Price **25c**
6 Dozen Ladies' Drawers, open and closed, in white cotton, trimmed lace, also tucked. Regular price 35c and 40c. Special Price **25c**
A few only Fine White Cambric Drawers, lace trimmed, with insertions. Regular price \$2.00. Sale Price **\$1.50**
3 Dozen White-Lawn Drawers, trimmed and tucked, with deep flounce of embroidery. Regular price 85c. Sale Price **60c**
3 Dozen White Night Gowns in cambric, high neck and long sleeves, trimmed tuck and frill, same material. Regular price 85c. Sale Price **60c**
4 Dozen Night Gowns in white cambric, high neck and long sleeves, trimmed tuck and embroidery. Regular price \$1.25. Special Price **80c**
2 Dozen Night Gowns in long cloth, trimmed tucks and embroidery; others lace trimmed. Regular price \$1.25. Special Price **95c**
18 Fancy Corset Covers, in Swiss spotted muslin, lace insertions; also allover embroidered; others trimmed lace tucks. Regular prices \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50. Special Prices **\$1.60, \$2.50 and \$2.80**

WHITEWEAR

6 Dozen Corset Covers in white cotton, trimmed lace insertions; others plain tucks and ribbon. Regular price 35c and 40c. Special Price **25c**
2 Dozen White Underskirts, trimmed embroidery with embroidery flounce. Regular price \$2.00. Special Price **\$1.45**
A few Best Quality White Underskirts with deep double flounce of lace, trimmed ribbon insertion. Regular price \$5.50. Special Price **\$4.50**
A few Dozen Cream Flannelette Drawers, trimmed self material and tucks. Regular price 60c. Sale Price **45c**
4 Dozen Drawers in white, pink and blue flannelette, trimmed with deep flounce embroidery. Regular price 60c. Sale Price **50c**
3 Dozen Flannelette Night Gowns in white and blue trimmed tuck and embroidery; also insertion, high necks, long sleeves. Regular price \$1.75. Sale Price **\$1.35**
A few "P. D." Corsets in odd sizes in coutil, medium hip, high and low bust. Regular price \$4.00. Sale Price **\$3.00**
Several "P. D." Directorio Corsets in fine batiste, trimmed lace and ribbon. Regular price \$6.00. Sale Price **\$4.50**
1 Dozen Maternity Corsets, made with reinforced front. Regular price \$6.00. Sale Price **\$4.75**

CHILDREN'S SECTION

1 Dozen Infants' Cream Toddling Coats in cloth serge, trimmed silk braid and—embroidery. Regular price \$2.00. Sale Price **\$1.50**
1 Dozen Cream Cashmere Toddling Coats, trimmed silk embroidery and French knots. Regular price \$3.25. Sale Price **\$2.50**
6 Infants' Corduroy Coats, size 1 year, handsomely trimmed silk soutache and silk military braid. Regular price \$4.75. Sale Price **\$3.00**
4 Infants' Cream Serge Coats, size 6 months to 1 year, beautifully trimmed. Regular price \$3.75. Sale Price **\$3.00**
6 Children's Cream Estamere Serge Pelisses, lined flannelette, with silk, braid trimmings. Regular price \$5.50. Sale Price **\$4.75**
15 Boys' Buster Brown Chambray Dresses, white belts and embroidered collar. Regular price \$1.25. Sale Price **85c**
6 Boys' Buster Brown Dresses in white duck, navy and white sailor collars. Regular price \$1.50. Sale Price **\$1.10**
20 Children's Navy Kilted Skirts, sizes 1 to 6 years, waist attached. Regular price \$1.00. Sale Price **65c**
3 Dozen Children's Sailor Suits in navy serge, trimmed white braid, with kilted skirts. Sizes 1 to 8 years. Regular prices \$2.50, \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.50. Sale Prices **\$1.00, \$2.25, \$2.50, and \$3.75**
2 Girls' Sailor Suits in navy serge trimmed black silk braid and kilted skirt, sizes 6 to 8 years. Regular prices \$5.25, \$6.25. Sale Prices **\$3.75 and \$4.75**
1 Dozen Boys' Buster Brown Navy Serge Dresses, sizes 1 and 2 years, trimmed self color braid. Regular price \$2.50. Sale Price **\$1.75**
1 Dozen Girls' Natural Linen Dresses, white piping with belt. Regular price \$1.50. Sale Price **95c**
6 Girls' White Lawn Dresses, trimmed Valenciennes lace, finely tucked, Dutch neck and kimono sleeves. Regular prices \$2.25, \$2.50. Sale Prices **\$1.75 and \$2.50**

NECKWEAR

Linen Dutch Collars, plain, also embroidered designs. Sizes 12 1/2 to 14. Regular prices 35c to 50c. Sale Price **25c**
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SAANICH EXHIBITION STARTS IN NEW HALL

Fair Will Be Formally Opened by Lieut.-Governor on Saturday

Opening their forty-fourth annual exhibition in the new and commodious building recently erected at Saanichton, the North and South Saanich Agricultural Association anticipates having the most successful fair in its history. The show commences to-morrow, but will not be formally opened until Saturday afternoon, when Lieut.-Governor Paterson will be present to perform the ceremony. All arrangements have now been completed, and the committee are hoping to see one of the largest crowds in Saanichton that has ever passed in at the gates.

Owing to the dilapidated condition into which the old hall at Saanichton had fallen through age, the energetic committee of the association devised a plan last year for the erection of a new and larger building. A few months ago the contract was let, and now the association is in a far better position to hold a show than formerly. The old building can still be used in case of the other being overpowered with exhibits. The new hall is one of the finest that is possessed by any of the Vancouver Island smaller fair associations.

The prize list arranged by the directors of the show is a long and varied one, but the secretary reports that he has received entries for every event. The pick of the products of the Saanich peninsula will be shown, and the islands' agriculturalists have also entered in many of the classes. The judging of the exhibits will commence to-morrow, and all the awards will have been made by Saturday at noon.

FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS.

Many Charters Are Announced—Strathairne In With Cargo of Coal From Newcastle.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—The

ARRIVES FROM NORTH AFTER FOGGY VOYAGE

Princess May in Port With Many Passengers—Teas Also Arrives

After encountering considerable fog during her southbound trip, the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, arrived in port last night at 9:30 o'clock from Skagway and Prince Rupert. The fog experienced although dense at different periods did not delay the vessel in reaching port. Going north the officers state that the best of weather was met.

Coming south the May brought about one hundred passengers, the majority of whom joined the vessel at Skagway. Hundreds of people are now arriving in Skagway from inland Alaskan points by the river steamers and are making their way south for the winter months. Among the passengers who arrived here were Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, and H. S. Clements, M. P. for Comox-Atlin.

Shortly after the May had tied up last night another C. P. R. steamer came up to the docks, the Teas, Capt. Gilliam, from Holberg and other West coast points. She brought a large cargo, including fish and fire clay and also had a large passenger list. The Teas will sail for Clayoquot on Sunday night, while the Princess May is scheduled to get away to-morrow night for the north.

With a good passenger list and much cargo, the G. T. P. steamer Prince George, Capt. Frank Saunders, left port for Prince Rupert at 10 o'clock this morning. The local passengers were as follows: Thos. Stedman, A. W. Alder, Master Alder, Miss T. H. Alder, Miss F. Peterson, D. Whittier, E. W. Whyte, W. L. Swan, H. Young, Mrs. G. Sweder, E. Morrison and J. C. Portie.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Sept. 28 8 a.m. Point Grey—Cloudy; wind S.E. light; thick seaward; 30.65; 55; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Passing showers; wind S. E. light; thick seaward; 30.67; 52; sea moderate. Comox northbound at 7 a.m.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind east, 4 miles; 30.18; 50; sea moderate; out, steam-schooner, at 4.15 a.m. in a 4-masted schooner at 6 a.m.

Pachena—Clear; calm; 29.89; 51; light swell.

Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 29.74; 51; moderate sea; spoke Bellerophon at 8.30 a.m.; 50 miles from Estevan.

Triangle—Overcast; wind S. W., 5 miles; 29.51; 41; heavy southwest swell.

Ikedda—Cloudy; wind S. E. light; 29.79; 50; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Raining; wind S. E. light; 29.87; 50; sea smooth; out, Princess Beatrice at 7.45 a.m.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; sea smooth; Lillooet at Skidegate.

Noon.

Point Grey—Clear; wind S. E. light; 30.66; 50; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; wind S. E. strong; thick seaward; 30.10; 55; sea moderate; spoke Quadra off Sisters' light at 10.20 a.m.; Admiral Sampson near Lazo at noon northbound.

Tatoosh—Light rain; wind south, 11 miles; 30.18; 51; sea rough.

Pachena—Cloudy; wind S. E. light; 29.91; 55; sea smooth; spoke Bellerophon 46 miles from here at 11.30 a.m.

Estevan—Overcast; wind S. E. light; 29.72; 53; heavy swell.

Triangle—Clear; wind S. W., 6 miles; 29.39; 49; heavy southwest swell.

Ikedda—Passing showers; wind S. E. light; 29.77; 55; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Raining; wind S. E. light; 29.86; 50; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; wind east; light; sea smooth.

BLUE FUNNELLER AT QUARANTINE TO-NIGHT

Bellerophon at Outer Docks Early To-morrow Morning After Record Trip

According to wireless messages received here this morning, the big Blue Funnel liner Bellerophon, Capt. Collister, will reach the William Head Quarantine station to-night from Liverpool via Far Eastern ports. At 8:30 o'clock she was reported as being 50 miles from Estevan and her skipper stated that he would be at the Head just about 9 o'clock. The Holt steamship will come up to the Outer Dock first thing in the morning and after her Oriental passengers have disembarked she will proceed to Seattle to discharge her silk shipment.

The Bellerophon is making a speedy passage across the Pacific, being only slightly over twelve days. It is not known here what time the liner sailed from Yokohama and therefore it cannot be learned whether she has established a new trans-Pacific record for the Holt fleet or not. There is a great deal of rivalry existing between the Protelsius, which holds the record, and the Blue Funnel vessel now on her way here. On her last trip the former ship hung up a new record and it is believed that the Bellerophon is trying to beat it.

About half a million dollars worth of silk is in the holds of the Blue Funnel steamship, as well as a full cargo of general freight. For this port the liner has about two thousand tons, and will return here at the first of next week to discharge.

On Saturday the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama Maru, Capt. Muto, will leave the Outer Wharf for Yokohama, Hongkong and other Oriental ports. She will carry a capacity cargo, including a large shipment of flour and wheat. Many steerage passengers have been booked on her at this port and she will also have a number from the Sound.

MISSING LAUNCH LOCATED.

Found on Beach and Five Boys Will Have to Face Magistrate.

Vancouver, Sept. 28.—The \$2,000 power yacht Talisman, owned by Hudson Brothers, which has been missing from her moorings at the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club, was discovered yesterday afternoon on Kitsilano beach, showing signs of a hard trip under inexperienced hands. As a result five youths, only two of whom are over 16 years of age, have been arrested and will be dealt with in the police court.

The Talisman was taken from her moorings some time after September 22, and was not missed until September 26. Search was made for her along the waterfront and False Creek, but she seemed to have disappeared off the face of the waters until news was received yesterday afternoon that she was at Kitsilano beach.

According to the police inquiries five boys are charged with having taken her, and these young pirates spent a few days cruising up Howe Sound as far as Squamish. They did quite a lot of damage to the boat through lack of knowledge and inexperience and the Talisman will be in the ship-repairer's hands for some time. The case against the accused lads was down for hearing before Magistrate Shaw this morning but was adjourned.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

From the Orient. Suveric Oct. 4 Seattle Maru Oct. 5 Empress of Japan Oct. 6 Inaba Maru Oct. 7

From Liverpool. Zeealandia Oct. 17 Bellerophon Sept. 30

From Mexico. Lonsdale Sept. 31 Commodore Sept. 30

For the Orient. Panama Maru Sept. 30 Empress of India Oct. 4 Kamakura Maru Oct. 7

Lonsdale Oct. 15

For Liverpool. Oanfa Oct. 3

For Australia. Makura Oct. 4

COASTWISE STEAMERS.

From San Francisco. City of Puebla Oct. 5 Queen Oct. 12

From Northern B. C. Ports. Princess Beatrice Sept. 29 Prince Rupert Oct. 1 Vado Oct. 3

From Skagway. Princess Royal Oct. 1

From the West Coast. Teas Sept. 27 Queen Oct. 4 City of Puebla Oct. 12

For Skagway. Princess May Sept. 29

For Northern B. C. Ports. Prince Rupert Sept. 29 Vado Oct. 3 Princess Beatrice Oct. 7

For the West Coast. Teas Oct. 1 Princess Mary Oct. 3 Queen City Oct. 3

For Nanaimo. Princess Mary Oct. 3

For East Coast. Queen City Oct. 3

The value of machinery and apparatus manufactured for use in the generation and utilization of electricity increased 139 per cent. during the last decade. Figures for 1910 are \$24,967,000, as compared with \$106,822,000 for 1900.

Advices from Mexico indicate that three new banks are to be established in that country—one at Chihuahua, to be founded by French capital; another at Puebla, for which Spanish capital will be forthcoming; and a third bank backed by German capital.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Sept. 27. Yokohama—Arrived, previously; Sado Maru, Tacoma; Tenyo Maru, San Francisco.

Hongkong—Arrived: Mongolia, San Francisco. Sailed: Empress of Japan, Vancouver.

San Francisco—Arrived: Beaver, Portland; Coronado, Gray's Harbor; Strathairne, Newcastle; Maverick, Astoria. Sailed: Shinyo Maru, Hongkong; Klamath, Seattle.

Los Angeles—Arrived: Shasta, Rainier and Klamath; Doris, Gray's Harbor; Yellowstone, Portland. Sailed: Bessie Dollar, San Francisco and Puget Sound ports; Fort Bragg, Fort Bragg; Brandon, Coquille river.

BLACK SALMON RUNNING. Fishermen at Gray's Harbor Reaping Big Harvest—Silverides Run Soon.

Aberdeen, Wash., Sept. 28.—Fishermen in Gray's Harbor are reaping a harvest by the big run of black salmon which are now entering the harbor in large numbers. The catches have been large during the past few days and the canneries are able to run full time. Outside the bar thousands of silverides are sporting, but very few have entered the harbor.

Within a few days the black salmon run will be at an end, and the men will change over their gear for silverides. Many sturgeon, measuring from five to nine feet in length, are being caught in the traps and nets. The traps in the lower harbor are making large hauls and the catch from them is unusual at this time of the year.

NEW YORK STOCKS. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) New York, Oct. 28.

Table with columns: High, Low, Bid, Ask. Includes Amal. Copper, Anaconda, Am. Car. & Foundry, etc.

Found on Beach and Five Boys Will Have to Face Magistrate.

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According to the police inquiries five boys are charged with having taken her, and these young pirates spent a few days cruising up Howe Sound as far as Squamish.

They did quite a lot of damage to the boat through lack of knowledge and inexperience and the Talisman will be in the ship-repairer's hands for some time.

The case against the accused lads was down for hearing before Magistrate Shaw this morning but was adjourned.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) New York, Sept. 28.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Jan., Feb., March, etc.

TORONTO STOCKS. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Toronto, Sept. 28.

Table with columns: Bid, Ask. Includes B. C. Packers "A", Do. common, Bell Telephone, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, Sept. 28.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Includes Wheat, Corn, Oats, etc.

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PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION New Westminster, Oct. 3-7

Table with columns: Destination, One Way Fare. Includes Sidney Island (on flag), Fulford, Beaver Point, etc.

Purchasers of tickets will be furnished with a certificate which will be honored at Vancouver Depot or Wharf Ticket Office not later than October 6th for free return ticket, good via Victoria, or for passage on 7:00 a. m. steamer from Vancouver, on Friday, October 6th, for Mayne Island, Ganges Harbor, Hope Bay, Port Washington, Fulford or Sidney Island.

NOTE—Returning Steamer will leave New Westminster at daylight, October 3rd for Victoria via Portlier Pass and will call at Ladysmith, Chemalau, Vesuvius Bay, Crofton, Maple Bay, Burgoyne Bay, Musgrave, Cowichan, Sidney Island (on flag). Trip from Victoria to Ladysmith on Monday, October 2nd, will be cancelled.

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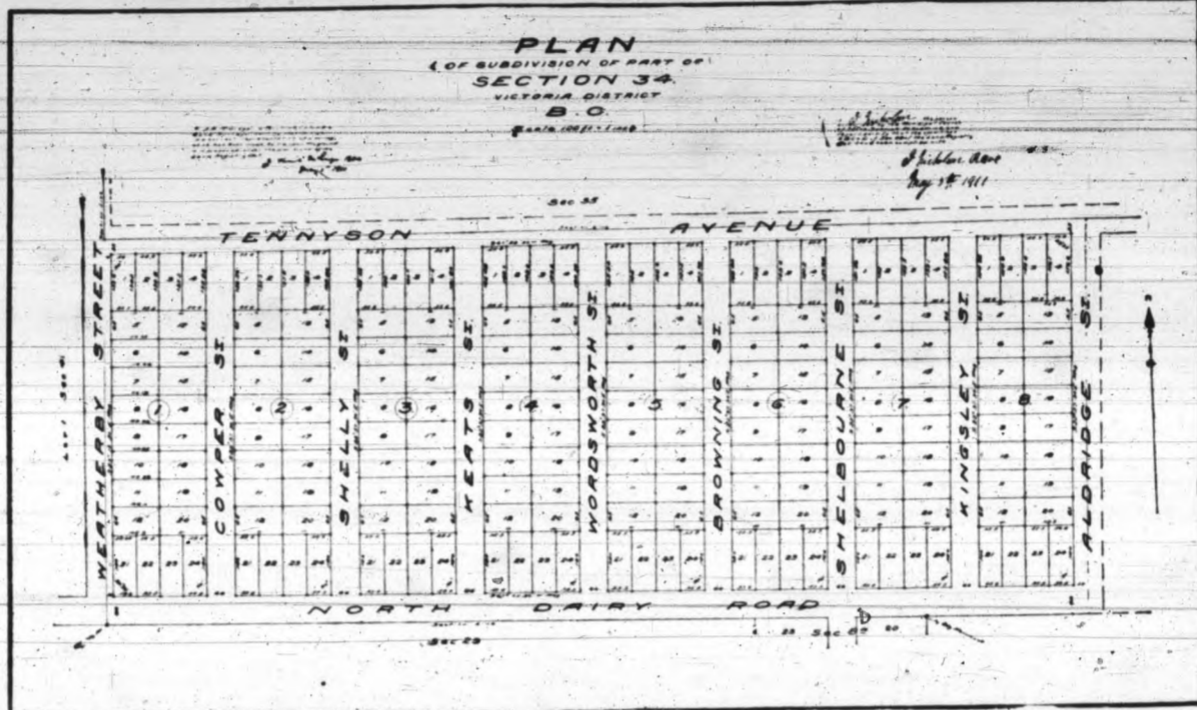
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Consignment From Newfoundland Reaches Edmonton Enroute to Fort Smith

Edmonton, Sept. 28.—Three carloads of Lapland reindeer from northern Newfoundland was the remarkable freight which arrived in Edmonton on Tuesday on the C. N. R. from the east. There were 43 reindeer in three cars, and the fourth car was stocked with reindeer food, moss and grass. The reindeer are the representatives of the species with which the department of the interior has planned in stock districts of Mackenzie, the animals to be used for carrying purposes in the long reaches of the north in place of dogs.

The consignment of reindeer left Newfoundland on September 8, and passed through Quebec on September 18, to reach Edmonton a week later. The reindeer will be taken by rail as far as Stoney Creek, 60 miles north of Edmonton, and from that point they will be taken overland to Athabasca Landing. Some that have been well broken will be led and others will be conveyed in wagon. At Athabasca Landing the animals will be placed in scows and floated down the Athabasca river to Fort Smith, which is their destination. They will have travelled fully 6,000 miles by the time they reach the end of the journey.

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The Advance Man

Carle's Surprise Party. At a banquet given in St. Louis a few months ago to Richard Carle, who was appearing in his latest musical success, "Jumping Jupiter," scheduled for presentation at the Victoria theatre this evening, he demonstrated a feat in memory that astounded everyone present and showed him to be the possessor of a remarkable brain. A chum of his, who had been entertaining him for several days, said: "Dick, will you come down to the club after the show to-night for a bit to eat?" "Why, with pleasure," responded Carle.

After the performance that night Carle, attired in a business suit, accompanied his host to a well-known club. Imagine his surprise to find an elaborate spread for 30 and everyone of the guests in immaculate evening garb. To say that Carle was astounded would be putting it mildly. His friend was delighted with Carle's embarrassment and introduced him to the guests, among whom were many politicians and men of affairs.

After he had been introduced all around, his host placed him at the head of the table and shouted, "Gentlemen, I have just introduced you to Richard Carle, a comedian. They say he is funny." Then turning to Carle he said, "Carle, be funny."

The comedian arose, his cheeks flushed with embarrassment, and said, "I have just been accused of being funny. If there is any truth in the accusation, my only satisfaction is that my managers charge money for my being funny. I did not come here to expose my funnyism. In fact, this is a genuine surprise party to me and I never try to be humorous at a surprise party for obvious reasons, but if you gentlemen will permit me, and to show you that I have been duly impressed with the galaxy of notables I have just had the pleasure of meeting, I shall proceed to call each one by name."

Carle then proceeded to name each gentleman present and also promised that upon his return next year if he had the pleasure of meeting any of them he would call them by name. There is no trick to this feat. It is just born in one and Carle has demonstrated it on numerous occasions.

"The Sweetest Girl in Paris."

Harry Askin employed the services of two expert stage-producers for "The Sweetest Girl in Paris," which ran for more than 200 performances at the La Salle opera house, Chicago, last season, and which will appear at the Victoria theatre on Monday evening next with the original cast and production headed by Trilxie Friganza.

The dramatic and humorous features of the book were entrusted to Frank Keenan, the noted actor, and for several seasons a prominent David Belasco star, while the song and dance numbers were put on by Gus Sobel, who in "The Sweetest Girl in Paris" has surpassed his own previous best work,

i. e., the "Yama Yama" dance and other numbers in "The Three Twins."

This very expensive and dual-producer-ship is believed to have not a little to do with the cyclonic success which the production registered in the Windy City, and now that the original cast has been sent on tour, an opportunity will be afforded many people to see for the first time a big metropolitan success precisely as it is presented in metropolitan centres.

"The Traveling Salesman."

"The Traveling Salesman," James Forbes' latest comedy, with a full line of plain and fancy laughs, will be presented at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday, October 3, for one night. In "The Traveling Salesman" the author has written a humorous exposition of the characteristics of the modern drummer. It is a story true to life, and among the thousand laughs the play contains, are bits of pathos which add variety to a most interesting performance.

The Russian Ballets. In St. Petersburg Russian playgoers still speak with almost bated breath of the now historical performance at the Imperial opera house, in which the four greatest male dancers in the world took part in a number which was called "The Quartette." The four dancers were Volinine, Mordkin, Theodore Kosloff and Nijinski. This was the one and only time that these four great dancers appeared together and by the Czar's command in Russia; at least they will never give the dance again.

The dance itself proved to be the acme of grace, and it had all the simplicity and charm of some exquisite pastoral. The great audience was driven into such a furor of enthusiasm that the performance was delayed half an hour. This delay made the Czar furious and at the close of the performance he ordered that the four dancers should never appear at the same time again.

Of these dancers Volinine and Kosloff are now appearing in Gertrude Hoffmann's "Salon des Ballets Russes." In the event of Mordkin and Nijinski coming to this country sometime this season, it is the intention of Miss Hoffmann's management, Morris Gest and R. Ray Comstock, to try and engage them "for one performance, in which "the quartette" would, of course, be the star feature. Miss Hoffmann's company appears at the Victoria theatre on Thursday, October 5.

"Baby Mine." The comedy success of two continents, which had New York in a delirium of laughter for one solid year at Daly's theatre, and is now in its second year, tickling the ribs of London at Sir Charles Wyndham's Criterion theatre, is announced to be given at the Victoria theatre on Friday evening, October 6.

Ashton Stevens, the able critic of the Chicago Examiner, openly declares that "Baby Mine" was the funniest play ever written, and Alan Dale, in the New York American, said: "Not a 'Baby Mine,' but an adult mine of fun." Other well known writers have vied with one another in an effort to do full justice to the exceeding cleverness of Margaret Mayo's laugh play. Indeed seldom has it occurred that newspaper

men have raved over the humor of any comedy as they have over "Baby Mine." There are four "Baby Mine" companies playing with undiminished success from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The one which Wm. A. Brady sends here is made up of the pick of the players identified with the long runs in New York and Chicago.

STRUGGLE FOR SUPREMACY

British Admiralty Will Outclass Every Nation in Submarine Equipment.

Heroic efforts are being made by the British admiralty to outclass any other power in the world in the number and efficiency of submarine vessels.

The most modern submarines now being built, known officially as the "E" class, displace 800 tons; they are in fact, though not in name, small cruisers, capable of traveling either on the surface or under the water. They are 176 feet long, with a maximum breadth of 23 feet. In the original type of submarine the speed, both on and under the water, was slow, but as a result of the co-operation of the admiralty with Messrs. Vicker, Sons & Maxim, who have been so largely responsible for many of the improvements in the design of British boats, speeds have been much increased.

The new "E" class will be able to travel on the surface at fifteen knots, as fast, in fact as our swiftest cruiser of a few decades ago—while beneath the surface the rate will be considerably higher than has hitherto been attained. The "E" boats are being given the most powerful engines ever yet put into submarines, and they are of a new type, using heavy oil under conditions of absolute safety. There can be no repetition of the disastrous gas explosions which occurred in the earlier vessels.

There are seventy-five British submarines built or building. The later ones are such good sea boats that they can make long voyages. One flotilla has recently been despatched to Malta, and the other has just arrived at Hongkong, a matter of nine thousand miles, after a stormy passage, during which the craft were not damaged and the daring crew suffered no injury.

The submarine is now a most valuable naval arm, for use not merely in coast defence, but for overseas operations. The success already achieved has given purpose and direction to the efforts to render these amphibious craft even more effective in their warlike qualities. Slowly a ship is being created, stage by stage, which will render destroyers of the old types obsolete.

The vessels of the "E" class mark the apotheosis of the submersible ship. They will have more torpedo tubes than the craft now in the service, and the torpedoes will be of far greater capacity—a higher speed and greater endurance allied with a far heavier explosive charge. The "E" craft will have decks somewhat resembling the decks of ordinary above water vessels; on the decks serviceable guns will be mounted so as not to interfere with the

facility of the vessel to travel beneath the surface, in the larger hull will be comparatively roomy quarters for the crews, with more ample provision of compressed air, so as to lengthen the maximum period of submergence; they will be equipped for wireless communication, and, above all, the new "E" vessel will be safe as no submarines have been before—safe from the danger of explosion, and with well-tried

apparatus to enable officers and men to escape in case of collision.

The "E" class marks a great advance on any vessel hitherto constructed, but no one who has followed the course of development since the first little ship was built to the design of the Holland Company, will doubt that the end of this chapter of naval evolution has not yet been reached. The displacement to-day is 800 tons; in a

few years' time it may and probably will, be doubled or trebled. We may in a comparatively short period see sizeable cruisers equipped so as to cruise submerged by day and on the surface by night.

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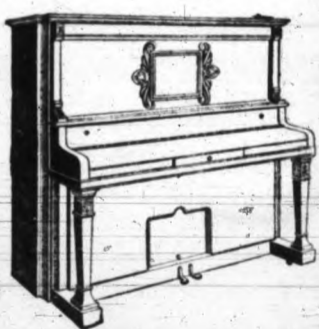
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CONVENTION OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Preparations Being Made for Meeting at Vancouver in November

Vancouver, Sept. 27.—If present plans and expectations do not go far astray, the eighth annual convention of the British Columbia Association of School Trustees, which is to be held here November 8, 9 and 10, inclusive, will be the largest and promises to be the most successful ever held by the association.

A meeting was held of school trustees and officials of this city and near by places, at which the plans were laid and the programme outlined for the convention. It is planned to bring the educators of every section of the province here for the purpose of exchanging thoughts and ideas concerning the most advanced methods of instructing the young. Men of prominence from all parts of Canada as well as nearby states will be asked to attend, and their services will be secured if possible for speeches in certain branches of the work with which they are familiar.

Premier McBride and Minister of Education Hon. Dr. Young will likely attend.

All of the teachers of the nearby cities and districts are invited to attend the evening sessions and, if time permits, to take part in the work.

Besides the premier of the province and the minister of education, Dr. J. McCall, superintendent of schools at Edmonton; W. J. Brotherton, past president of the Alberta Association of Wetaskiwin, are expected to attend.

Elaborate arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates are being made, and it is expected that many interesting and unlooked-for circumstances; the evening meeting will be by far the most pretentious and complete of any so far held.

The committee on entertainment is as follows: W. E. Flumerfelt, chairman; Dr. Brydson-Jack, George J. Dyke, A. G. Perry, North Vancouver; Mr. Siewers, of South Vancouver; Reeve McNaught, North Vancouver district; J. W. Fairhall, Point Grey, and Mr. Thornber, of New Westminster.

The finance committee appointed is as follows: W. E. Flumerfelt, chairman; Dr. Brydson-Jack and Messrs. T. J. Trapp, of New Westminster; Spencer Robinson, South Vancouver; W. F. Buckingham, Richmond; Thos. Mayne, Burnaby; A. R. Stacey, North Vancouver; Reeve McNaught, North Vancouver district, and Capt. W. J. Stewart, of Point Grey. Mr. Flumerfelt was elected permanent chairman of the finance and entertainment committees.

J. Douglas is secretary of the British Columbia Association.

The programme is outlined, and which will be followed in the main, is as follows:

Wednesday, Nov. 8—9:30 a.m., appointment of auditing, credentials and resolutions committees; address of welcome by the mayor, by the president of the board of trade and also by the president of the Women's Council. Executives of other prominent organizations will also be asked to address the convention.

11 a.m.—President's address.

11:30 a.m.—"The Needs of the Rural Schools," W. E. Buckingham, of Eburne, Discussion.

2 p.m.—"The Effect of Hand and Eye Training on Industry," John Kyle, of the Provincial Normal school, Discussion.

3 p.m.—"The Localization of Educational Work," J. McCall, superintendent of the Edmonton schools.

4 p.m.—"The School and Vocational Education," by Ben W. Johnson, of Seattle, Washington.

5 p.m.—Premier McBride's address.

Evening session—8 p.m., Maxwell Smith, Judge McInnes, J. McCall, B.A., and Ben W. Johnson, superintendent of the Edmonton schools. The last named speaker will illustrate his remarks with stereoscopic views showing the industrial work of the Seattle schools.

Thursday, November 9—9:30 a.m., "Modern Schools as I Have Seen Them in Canada and the United States," J. J. Douglas. This lecture will also be illustrated with stereoscopic views.

10:30 a.m.—"Physiological Development in Childhood," by Miss Alice Ravenhill.

11:30 a.m.—Address by W. P. Argue, superintendent of city schools.

Afternoon session—The following speakers, as well as many others, will take part in the programme that follows: Judge Howay, Rev. Fraser and Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education.

Friday, November 10—9:30 a.m., "Medical Inspection of Schools," Dr. F. W. Brydson-Jack.

10:30 a.m.—Reports of committees, election of officers, arrangements for the next place of meeting and unfinished business will conclude the convention.

SERVICES APPRECIATED.

Nanaimo, Sept. 27.—Robert Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, leaves Thursday morning for Toronto, to resume his studies in the law course of the Toronto University. Last evening he was tendered a surprise party at his home on Milton street by a large number of Liberals and presented with a gold watch and chain in appreciation of the services rendered by him during the recent election campaign. The presentation was made by William Neave in a few appropriate remarks. Robert making a suitable reply, after which refreshments were served and a pleasant social evening was spent.

DEATH DUE TO HEART FAILURE.

Vancouver, Sept. 27.—At the inquest into the death of C. P. Dolson the jury returned a verdict that the deceased died on September 24 in the 790 block on Granville street from heart failure. The body was found early on Sunday morning by J. K. Holden of 31 Fifteenth avenue west, lying in the middle of the road. Detectives O'Grady and Jewett arrived on the scene a few moments later, and on investigation found that life was extinct.

MAYOR MUST ALSO OBSERVE BY-LAWS

New Westminster Council Orders Enforcement—Isolation Hospital

New Westminster, Sept. 27.—That the mayor must obey the city by-laws was demonstrated at the meeting of the city council. Mayor Lee is away in the east, but the manager of his furniture emporium applied for permission to keep the trap doors in the sidewalk open for several hours daily. Extensive improvements are contemplated, including the addition of another storey to the building. The building inspector will be instructed to see that the by-laws are carried out, and an overhead protection will be required for a permit for the improvements is granted.

Intimation of another industry was given the council in the form of an application for the lease of water lots from Messrs. J. S. Gifford and H. Webb. They expressed their intention of erecting a new machine shop. The finance committee will report on the matter.

Messrs. Hyslop & Lightbody were given the contract for the erection of the new isolation hospital at a cost of \$5,200. Cement bricks will be used in the construction of the walls.

A petition asking the council to have Eighth avenue and Cumberland street opened up and sidewalks laid was referred to the board of works to report. A donation of \$100 was made toward the expenses of erecting the Simon Fraser memorial to be unveiled at Albert Crescent on Wednesday of last week. The balance of the fund necessary has already been subscribed.

The water committee reported on the discoloration of the water in the mains, and it was decided that the council should go in a body to Coquitlam lake to find out if possible the cause of the contamination. Alderman Bryson, who visited the dam last week, reported that at present there are 250 men working and logging around the dam and he was convinced that they were responsible for the condition of the water, which if it is true, is a most serious and dangerous offence.

MORE TRAINS RUNNING.

Prince Rupert, Sept. 27.—The railway company has started its new schedule of three trains a week, which is a gratifying evidence of the increase of business with the interior since the train service was opened.

Another change the company has made will help still further to increase the business. Hitherto passengers and their baggage were only booked to Hazelton and back, but they can now check their baggage and again buy tickets on the steamers, for which, in many cases, they had a tedious wait. This made it more convenient to take steamer direct.

Now both passengers and baggage are booked through to Hazelton and cars will be taken to have the steamers make close connections with every train. An arrangement to this effect has been entered into by the railway company with the Hudson Bay steamer Hazelton and the steamers of Foley, Welch & Stewart.

This cannot fail to expedite travel and increase both parcel and trade. Also the reduction in freight charges will prove a great stimulant. On first class freight the saving is only about \$10 per ton at present, but on general merchandise it amounts to fifty per cent.

Four carloads of lumber have been dispatched for the building of a fine hotel at Littleton.

ROBBERY AT LYTTON.

Lytton, Sept. 27.—A daring robbery took place on Sunday night in the general store of Mr. R. Robazzi, a pinner storekeeper, who has often acted as a banker for his countrymen and friends.

The thieves demolished the safe with powder and made off with gold, silver and bills amounting to \$1,000, though the full extent of their depredations has not yet been proved, but two gold watches and chains, a box of cigars, and numerous cheques went along with the money.

The cheques and a few ancient coins were, however, found hidden close to the C. P. R. station, so the booty must have been sorted in the daytime.

Numbers of residents were roused by the explosion and again buy tickets on the train come in just at that juncture took it to be a warning torpedo on the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Even people sleeping but a few feet away were under the same impression.

INJURED IN STABBING AFFRAY.

Vancouver, Sept. 27.—A stabbing affray, in which Frank Eluka, an Italian, received three wounds, two in the arm and one in the side, occurred at the corner of Dunlevy and Prior streets on Sunday afternoon. A telephone call was sent in for the ambulance, and on its arrival Eluka was conveyed to the general hospital, where his wounds were attended to. No arrests have as yet been made.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

New Westminster, Sept. 27.—"We find that William Wilson, a news vendor, came to his untimely death by an accident with no blame attached to anyone in the unfortunate affair."

Such was the verdict returned by the jury after viewing the mangled remains of the poor lad, Willie Wilson, of Sapperton, and listening to the evidence adduced.

SUCCUMBED TO INJURIES.

Vancouver, Sept. 27.—While working at Hogan's camp, Howe Sound, an Italian named Georgeson had his head so badly crushed that he succumbed to his injuries at the General hospital a few hours later. Georgeson was immediately brought to the city and taken to the hospital in the general ambulance, but the case was beyond medical assistance. An inquest will likely be held.

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Michigan Street, 2 lots, each 60x125. Price for the two\$3600
Hambinger Avenue, 50x150, for.....\$1900
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Business Corner, Victoria West, not far from Russell Station; very suitable for small store; 1-3 cash, balance easy. Price\$1200
Wildwood Ave., Hollywood Park, 50x116, close to car; open, good view; \$300 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price\$825

North Park Street, lot 50x110, between Quadra and Cook streets; north side. Terms. Price\$2,500
Elk Lake, 22 acres; 5 cleared and 5 slashed two small houses. Terms one-third cash. Per acre.....\$215
Blanchard Street, modern 3 roomed house with hardwood finish, full basement, furnace, cement floor. Terms. Price\$7,500

Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk's Office, September 19th, 1911.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

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

- To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the south side of Pakington street, between Vancouver street and Cook street (sidewalk 5 feet wide);
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And that all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement General By-Law, and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having prepared an estimate and schedule of real property to be benefited by the said work, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk's Office, September 19th, 1911.

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WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent City Hall, Sept. 28, 1911.

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All men of the city invited.

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For the HOME DRESSMAKER

SILK DRESSES FOR THE HOUSE OR STREET

French Fashion Notes

THE double role that the silk frock plays successfully this fall is extremely attractive to the woman with a practical kink in her mind. There is a decided vogue for charmous, by the way, and after seeing the soft dull silk in wonderful colorings it is not surprising that the majority of makers and wearers lean to this fabric.

Fashion has made up silk dresses so that they can be worn in the house or on the streets. There is a dignity in the line and decoration that is eminently suited to walking costumes. And who will deny the fact that a frock can never be too elegantly simple for the home?

In the group before you there are certain characteristics that show the trend of fashion. The crossed lines at the opening of the bodice is noticeable. The revers affect in modified forms is also here. Straight skirts with more comfortable width are decided features, and the tunic crossed at the front or side stands out as a new note.

Any one of these models can be worn by the American woman with grace and assurance that Parisian styles at their best are here.

Dark navy blue is enjoying a great vogue. There is a crossed line in front, with wide revers button trimmed. From the top of these there extends a black satin collar which is pointed at the back. The sleeves are slightly full above the cuffs, held in at the elbow by buttons. Turned-back satin cuffs fill them. A chemise of allover lace is worn with the bodice. In this, by the way, you can see shields and thus protect the kimono blouse. The straight skirt has a wide panel effect at the front buttoned at the side. Black satin edges the skirt.

Beside her is a fortunate possessor of a gray silk model made on extremely simple lines. There is a chemise of deep navy lace and a wide collar attached to the silk bodice. Stitching gives the finish on the bodice, cuffs and tunic. A soft, narrow girle defines the waist line.

Black charmeuse is used on the third model, showing one of the new double skirts. The blouse is the kimono pattern again, and a large square collar of sheer linen edged with heavy lace trims the top. Silk-covered buttons fasten the bodice and the upper skirt. They also trim the deep cuffs on the three-quarter sleeves.

Last is a bright blue charmeuse trimmed with deeper blue velvet. This edges the inner line of the bodice, forms the girle and edges the slashed tunic and the cuffs.

The sleeves are gathered in at the elbow. There are two wide plaits over the shoulders, giving a straight line at the shoulders. A single revers swings over at one side quite deep. The stitching gives a firm tailored finish that is always desirable.

Whether indoors or out, on the round of social calls or business duties, a silk frock made after one of these models will be one of your best friends. Try it and see.

Two Types of Hats

DIAMETRICALLY opposed in line, construction and material are two hats that are fall models of beauty.

One comes from Marie Crozet, and is a large, graceful chapeau of black velvet. Its crown is low and the trimming is of lace and ospreys. The ecru lace is folded into a rosette at the front and from the center is a yellow osprey, placed so that it rises straight and high above the crown.

The other model is a small, close bonnet of green velvet. Jeanne Lanvin has wound about this chapeau, which is all crown, a scarf of green silk covered with gold-embroidered chrysanthemums. There is nothing more. The richness of coloring is the important feature of the little bonnet.

From these different types you can make your choice.



PARIS
FOR the seashore or mountains Bechoff-David are showing a coat in white ratine, with coarse linen collar and cuffs in yellow. Large pearl buttons are used on the side fastening and as trimming for collar and cuffs. Another model in scarlet had white collar and cuffs and brass buttons.

The practical and stylish blue serge frock is very much favored by the Parisienne this fall. One smart model had a collar, very narrow at the front and very long and broad at the back. It was of hemstitched linen. Pearl buttons fastened the frock in front. The waist line was normal.

Silk negligees are being displayed by Paquin in unusual color combinations. A pale pink kimono has a strawberry pink lining. Pale blue is allied with violet, cerise with pale pink and tapestry blue is lined with rose.

Chic afternoon gowns are of charmeuse or mousseline de soie. Black and dark blue are combined, and many dressy costumes show draped skirts with bodices quite plain. Yokes are of tulle on many blouses and bodices. Crocheted buttons are much used.

A smart beige serge suit had crystal buttons to fasten the double skirt at the side. The jacket, which was three-quarter length, was trimmed with the buttons and pipings of black cord. Jabots are immense; they and blouses are almost inseparable.

A sleeve that is slightly fuller at the elbow is appearing in some of the taffeta suits and gowns. Large black velvet hats have trimmings of white tulle. These are worn with afternoon dresses. Fringe and aigrettes also are favored.

A beautiful prun-colored beaver was trimmed with an ornament of white soutache braid. The simplicity of trimming is a welcome and marked feature of autumn millinery.

Lace veils in white are worn with beaver hats.

For an afternoon dress, white mousseline de soie was trimmed with peacock blue taffeta and silver fringe.

Narrow bands of black velvet outline fichus of mousseline.

Girdles and sashes are decided features of the fall showings. The fichus are very generally used, and the vogue for veiled frocks seems not to be on the wane.

A new blouse of pleated tulle, seen in a very exclusive shop in the Place Vendôme, had bands of deep cream-colored lace three inches wide over the shoulders. A large jabot of lace and white mousseline de soie, hemstitched, finished the simple yet effective model.

Some charming little wraps in changeable taffeta, edged with fringe, are displayed. They are worn with white gowns, in cloth, and are one of the most favored of the accessories.

ELOISE.

Long Sleeves

FROM many modistes comes the edict that sleeves on afternoon costumes will be long. Martial & Armand, Francis and Drecol have shown this in their exquisite fall models of suits and gowns.

The long sleeve, fitted quite closely over the wrist and ending in a frill of lace over the hand, is the dernier cri, and especially welcome to the woman who does not rejoice in plump forearms.

The lace over the hand is frequently continued on the outer sleeve line four or five inches, and on some models almost to the elbows.

This outer line of the long sleeve is also defined, and emphasized by rows of tiny buttons or by braid in border designs. Sometimes the slashed lines will be held together by buttons and loops, with fine net or lace undersleeves showing through the openings.

Pipings of satin or velvet are used on the edges of the long cuffs. Wonderful handwork is seen on long lace sleeves. This takes the form of embroidered flowers, ribbon work, narrow quillings of frayed silk and narrow soutache effects worked over the design of lace.

Yes, in some cases it will be a charming change for the better, and if you could but see the models in the gorgeous showrooms over in Paris you would approve of the revival of the feature.

Seen at the little shop



BREAKFAST CAP OF LACE



THE SCARF VEIL



AN EMBROIDERED FICHU



A FABRIC BAG



THE WRAP WITH THE BAG

OVER in Paris it seems that the smaller the shop the more novelties are there in it; and you may be sure that the close association between the owner and the potential purchaser is assured and gives a satisfying personal element to all business deals. The "little shop" has grown to be a big feature in our country. It imports the very latest novelties, and here are some of them.

A scarf veil is a happy combination of these two accessories. On a large hat this figured mesh is placed and fastened

around the crown and tied under the chin, much as ribbon ties are. If you prefer the protection that a veil will give, the length is straightened out and adjusted as a veil, the ends tied around the neck.

Have you noticed the fabric bags? They are of linen for your linen frocks, tapestry, brocade, lace or figured silk. You can make one if you can cut out the material to represent a square bag with a pointed flap. A silk or cotton cord is used for the handle and the flap is fastened by either

at one side under a bunch of yellow wheat flowers. If you wish to use this long piece of buff lace as a scarf, it is wound

a patent clasp or a button and buttonhole. Many handbags are made of pieces that are left over from gowns. A bag for every dress is not beyond your reach.

Novel and yet practical is the evening bag attached to the wrap. You can make a single shirred bag of silk, covered with mousseline or chiffon and drawing up on a soft ribbon of the same shade. Attach the ends of the ribbon to the side of evening coat or afternoon wrap. It is decidedly convenient for carrying handkerchiefs, scarf, scent bottles and change. You can supplement any wrap that you own by this useful accessory.

The little cap of lace is very much favored just now. It takes the place of elaborate hairdressing, especially in the leisure hours before dressing, when woman must look her prettiest. Some persons call it the boudoir cap, others the breakfast cap;

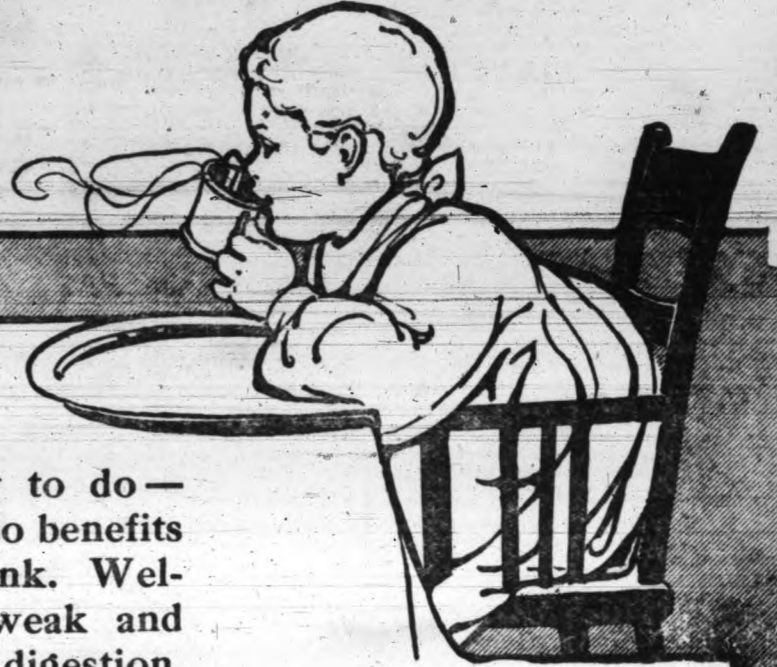
but in any case it is charming. Allover lace is used in this model. It is a circular piece, shirred in under a band of ribbon. At the front a flat bow of loops that are of ribbon and lace decorates the front.

Last is the separate embroidered fichu, that is made of fine batiste or linen and embroidered in a running

vine. It is laid in folds over the shoulders, and the long ends hang almost to the bottom of the lingerie dress with which it is worn. The newest velvet girle is worn with it. It is black and has two short ends ornamented with crocheted flowers in colored wool.

Here are some suggestions that come as refreshing little waves from the great sea of fashion. They are always interesting to womankind, and therefore important.

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HARRISON LAKE FISH HATCHERY

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Millions of Young Fish for the Replenishing of Rivers and Lakes

Five miles from Agassiz, British Columbia, the Harrison Lake cradles its forty-mile length in the arms of a range of snow-capped mountains, and carries on its own bosom islands that are the real offspring of those mountains, since they are their counterpart in miniature. Through the Harrison river—the lake empties into the Fraser river, and thus does its share toward keeping old Pacific well supplied with liquid," writes Ethel Cody Steadward in the Toronto Globe.

The shadows lay in such a wonderful panoramic effect on Harrison lake that we were averse to disturbing their beauty. Snow-clad mountains thirty-five miles away were reflected in the waters, while the nearby mountains transformed it into a great bowl painted with green trees and rocky ledges. And across this beauty we ploughed with an ultramontane gasoline engine that would insist on having the bow of the boat all to itself.

The Dominion government have reason to be proud of the Harrison Lake hatchery, because it is not only the largest of its kind in the world, but is said to be the finest. It sits on the "skirt" of the western mountain range that dip their toes in the lake, and is most ideally situated. Its outlook is toward the setting sun. From the calm brightness of a magnificent and undisturbed water and mountain scene we stepped into the building, whose interior seemed dim in comparison to the glory outside. Once inside the doors, our ears were assailed with the rush of many waters that were working hard for the government.

The caretaker, Mr. Robertson, watchful of his charges, promptly took us in hand, and thus prevented us from "going fishing." There were ten million fish in the building, which is 220 feet long and 40 feet wide. It contains 160 hatching troughs, each of which holds six baskets. These troughs average 50,000 fish apiece, and their bottoms were literally solid, inches deep, with fish. And such wee, wiggling, pretty

chaps they were. All stages could be seen, from the funny ones with only their wee bit of a tail thrust out of their egg-crads, and those more advanced, which carried their "bread-baskets" around with them, to the almost-ready-to-leave-home fish. And they were colored from the most exquisite and dainty coral pink of the newly-born to those of a lovely silver which were trying their wee fins and finding out that home was not just like it used to be. Anything more beautiful in coloring than thousands upon thousands of tiny pink fish with the sunlight aslant them is something difficult to find.

During September and October traps and nets are set in Morris creek, Trout and Silver creeks and the Harrison rapids; the great object being to secure the salmon as near spawning time as possible. When fish are found to be "ripe" the eggs of the female are expressed into a pan and the fertilizing

vented from rising by their "sac" a small bag of nourishment provided by nature, which is attached to their stomach. They live on the contents of this by the method of absorption for a period of time varying (according to temperature) from 30 to 90 days. It is only when the sac is used up that they are able to swim, and it is then that they begin to look for food. At this period the caretakers must be prepared to meet their needs and place them in little creeks and shallow coves to scramble for themselves. Their foster-mother, the hatchery, cannot supply their wants after that—in the lake waters they group themselves into schools, and in due time find their way out on the great highway of the Pacific ocean.

It is not the good fortune of every baby salmon to be born perfect. There are freaks in fish, as well as in other children of nature. Some will pop out of their egg with two heads, others will

spring salmon, while a few cohoes and dog salmon, much inferior breeds, were being hatched for exhibition purposes planned by the government.

An interesting fact is that there are 2,500 spring salmon eggs to an imperial quart measure. Of cohoes it takes 4,000, and of dog 5,000 to make the same measurement, while it requires 5,000 rapids sockeye and 7,000 Morris Creek sockeye to fill such a measure. A female spring salmon will average from 5,000 to 10,000 eggs, and a female sockeye 2,000 to 5,000.

Eggs are secured at different times, and of course hatch correspondingly. The fry never leave the trough in which they are born till they are sent out into the world to work for themselves. At this period they are from one and a half to two inches in length. Care is taken not to place them in deep water, and extensive shallow places are selected where they may become used to their swimming powers, and learn to seek their own food before testing life in wider waters.

The summer months at the hatchery are among the most busy of the year, since the building must then be put in readiness for the next incubation period, and any alterations or improvements must be done at that time.

The water for the hatchery comes from a little lake, situated 250 feet above Harrison lake, in the hollow of a big mountain. It rushes down through pipes and is distributed to each of the 160 troughs, through which it travels at great speed day and night. It is glacier water and is too cold to hold the hand in for any length of time, yet those tiny fish are born and live their baby days in it. They are thus very hardy and in first-class condition when let loose.

An electric alarm clock in the main water tank is so arranged that should the water supply in the lake, above be raised or lowered a bell rings in warning of what has happened. A cessation of running water for one hour would kill every fish in the place; they cannot exist in still water, so that elaborate precautions are necessary to avoid any such catastrophe.

When the fish are ready to be taken away, the baskets are placed in a specially constructed semi-submerged boat. This is towed to the "dressed" place, and when in proper position is allowed to sink below the water. The little fellows then swim out and the responsibilities of the hatchery men are over.

What a life! Born from an exquisite pale pink shell to wiggle around for awhile in a big basket through which glacier-fed waters rush night and day and test the staying powers of the fry; later to be let out into the broadest highway of the world, there to encounter all kinds of dangers and fight constantly for life; then after having "seen the world" to yearn for home, and with their mates start off for the waters that fostered them; to get caught in the nets or traps of some fisherman, be landed panting and gasping on a scow and towed to a canning factory, there to be carved, canned, cooked, sealed and labelled; then to be finally eaten by some greedy person in

a far-off land. That is what it means to be the average salmon, whether hatched by its own or a government-made mother.

BRITAIN FOR BRITONS.

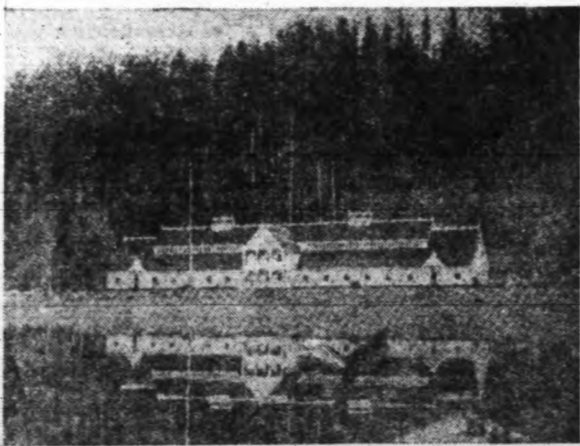
Movement in England to Keep Clerks-ships For Natives.

The need for the stirring exhortation, "Wake up, England!" which his present Majesty addressed to a Guildhall audience when he was Prince of Wales, is recalled by a statement in the Standard which will probably astonish even some of our pessimists, says the Pall Mall Gazette. It appears in an interview with the assistant secretary of the London Chamber of Commerce, and it runs as follows: "The Chamber gathered statistics some time ago which showed that the proportion of foreign to English clerks in London houses was 63 per cent." Such a condition of things in the heart of the Empire could, for obvious reasons, not continue if the full health and vigor of British commerce were also to be maintained. British trade was built up by British hands, and can be sustained by no others. It is gratifying, therefore, to

read to-day that this discreditable proportion has now been reduced by more than half, thanks to the organized endeavors lately made to equip English clerks with a knowledge of the foreign languages useful in commercial dealings, and to train them in other important respects. It is fashionable to make little of the life of a clerk, to exclaim at its dullness and the monotony of its routine. And yet a man who takes a real interest in the progress of the firm for which he is working will find his clerkship quite as agreeable a way of making a living as any other open to him; and the wise employers are those who encourage and stimulate this spirit of "pride in the business" among their employees. The patriarchal conception of a business, in which all the workers are, as it were, members of one great family, is still as practical as it is ideal; but, of course, it can only flourish where there is equal loyalty on both sides. Every business man still bears a good deal from his friends of the difficulty of getting men as employees who will display initiative, contribute ideas and devote themselves honestly and heartily to the interests of the firm which employs and pays them. It is this very difficulty which is

mainly responsible for the large number of women now engaged in clerk-ships and other positions of trust in London offices; they are proved to be quicker in intelligence and more capable of concentration than many of the men who have been tried in their places, and "found wanting." It is quite likely that this revelation of feminine capacity has been an element in improving the standard of our male clerks. Added to the eager competition of German and other foreign candidates, it may well have convinced a rather easy-going gentleman that if he did not "wake up" he would soon be out of work altogether. There is still a good deal to be done before we get back to the conditions of the good old days, when British firms employed none but British hands, and built up the mighty fabric of British trade. The movement, however, has evidently begun in earnest. Every patriot must wish it success.

"Now that I have given you something to eat," said the benevolent old lady, "will you not saw some wood for me?" "I regret to say," replied the weary wayfarer, "that I cannot saw wood without removing my coat, and, I trust, I am too much of a gentleman to appear before a lady in my shirt sleeves."



HARRISON LAKE SALMON HATCHERY

"milt" of the male thoroughly mixed with them. The eggs are then carried to the hatchery and placed in the baskets ready for them in the troughs.

The period of incubation is entirely determined by the temperature of the water. The warmer the water the quicker the eggs will hatch, and vice versa, though the fry are much stronger if hatched in water of low temperature. During incubation great care is exercised by the attendants to see that no "bad" eggs are allowed to decompose and so injure the neighboring good ones. When the eggs hatch, which may occur (according to temperature) in from 30 to 120 days, the little fish drop through the elongated meshes of the basket into the trough, where they lie on the bottom. They are pre-

pared two tails, with one nourishment sac between them, and a wild old time they have trying to go two ways at once, when a disturbing element like a visitor's approach. These freaks indicate a weakness and do not live long. They are never to be found among the strong fry, but are always by themselves in the uncovered part of the trough. A strong fish seeks the darkness, and so the troughs are kept constantly covered, all except a small portion, where the weak ones congregate, since they are unable to seek shelter.

When we visited the Harrison Lake hatchery there were seven million sockeye salmon eggs and fry in the building; these are the chief canning fish. The other three million were

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Measurements of the size of waves have now been made systematically for many years, but they relate chiefly to the waves of the open sea, where the depth of the water is so great that the friction of the sea bottom exercises no modifying effect.

A few months ago the North German Lloyd liner "Brandenburg" came into New York harbor with her crew's nest, fifty feet above the water line, stove in, and bearing many other marks of the damage wrought by a monster wave that broke over her bows about 1000 miles east of Sandy Hook. The officers estimated the height of the wave at 45 feet. This height is exceptional, but not unprecedented, for it must be remembered that the breaking of a wave against an obstacle throws the water to a far greater height than the unbroken wave could attain.

Unbroken waves due to the wind may in extreme cases reach a height from trough to crest of 40 to 50 feet. Much higher waves occasionally occur as a result of earthquakes or sea quakes. "Solitary" waves of this character have sometimes been encountered in otherwise tranquil weather, taking vessels by surprise and not infrequently sending them to the bottom.

According to Vaughan Cornish, who has probably devoted more attention to this subject than any other contemporary man of science, the average height of the waves encountered in a severe storm at sea is 20 feet, but the ordinary maximum height of the waves in the same storm will attain 30 feet. In a storm of very exceptional violence the average height may reach 50 feet, and the maximum height 45 feet. This is regarded as about the limit of the height of waves due to wind only. Cornish finds that in the open sea the height of a wave in feet is about one-half the velocity of the wind in miles per hour.

So much for the waves on the high seas. These waves, though they may race along at the speed of an express train, do not carry the surface water far with them; each particle of water describes a local circular orbit during the transit of the wave, so that what advances is rather the form than the substance.

The case is quite different when breaking waves occur on a beach, where the shoaling water produces a series of transverse ridges. These waves are relatively short and steep and break when they enter water the depth of which is equal to or a little exceeds their height from trough to crest. They approach the shore in a direction nearly at right angles to the general shore line, whatever the direction of the wind. This is explained by the fact that if the wave is at first directed at an acute angle to the shore when it reaches shallow water the side of the wave nearest the shore is first retarded, so that the wave tends to swing around until it faces the shore.

In planning harbor construction and the protection of coasts it is customary to consider the amount of exposure to which the coast is subject, i. e., the extent of open sea in a straight line at right angles to the shore. This is called technically the "fetch." The relation of the fetch to the possible height of the waves was announced by Stevenson in 1852. According to his formula the height of waves in a gale in feet is one and one-half times the square root of the length of the fetch in nautical miles.

The force of a great wave breaking against a sea-wall or other construction is so terrific as to tax the strength of the best planned work of the engineer. A marine dynamometer for measuring the force of impact of such waves was devised by Stevenson over half a century ago, and modifications of this instrument have since been introduced by several investigators. According to Stevenson the maximum force of an Atlantic wave is three tons per square foot. French engineers find that the force of the waves on the breakwater at Cherbourg may attain three and a half tons per square foot.

Some interesting examples of the height to which breaking waves may be thrown and the work they may do in moving heavy objects are given by Wheeler in his "Practical Manual of Tides and Waves."

Stevenson records a case in which water was thrown to a height of 100 feet at the Bell Rock light. At the Alderney breakwater it is said that water has been thrown upward of 200 feet. At Peterhead, where the "fetch" is 300 miles, waves of 30 feet in height and from 500 to 600 feet in length have been recorded; the water has struck the breakwater with such force as to be thrown upward 120 feet and blocks of concrete weighing 40 tons have been displaced at levels of 17 to 35 feet below low water.

At Wick two stones weighing eight and ten tons each were thrown over the parapet of the breakwater, the top of which was 21 feet above high water; while blocks of concrete weighing respectively 1,350 and 2,500 tons were displaced, though there is some doubt whether the latter movement was due entirely to wave action.

At the Bishop Rock lighthouse, which is exposed to the full force of the Atlantic waves, an iron column weighing over three tons was thrown up 30 feet and landed on top of a rock.

At the harbor works of Bilbao in 1894 a solid block of the breakwater weighing 1,700 tons was overturned from its place and dropped into the water.

At Ymuden breakwater a block of concrete weighing twenty tons, placed outside the harbor walls, was lifted by a wave to a height of 12 feet vertically and landed on top of the pier, which was five feet above high water.

The above cases illustrate the sheer force of the individual wave as an engine of destruction, but the imagination of mankind is more impressed by

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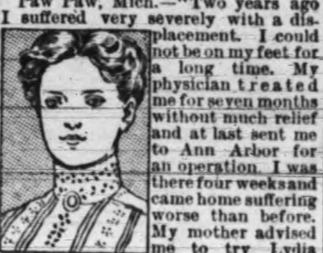
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the widespread effects wrought by the great storm waves that sometimes inundate low lying coasts. These waves are often misnamed "tidal waves" the only justification of the latter name being the fact that their effects are most pronounced when the wave propagated outward from a storm area happens to coincide with the occurrence of flood tide on the coast affected.

The precise mode of origin of the storm wave has been the subject of much discussion, and even now is not fully understood. Such waves attend every severe cyclonic storm at sea and as they travel much faster than the storm (i. e., the storm as a whole, not the wind revolving about the storm centre) they often occur on a coast when the weather is otherwise serene, and thus serve as a valuable prognostic of the storm's approach in case the coast happens to lie in the storm track.

It is well known that the barometric pressure is much lower at the centre than at the periphery of a storm—the difference sometimes amounting to two inches or more—and this difference of pressure must disturb the equilibrium of the water, causing it to become heaped up at the storm centre. This heaping of the water would amount, theoretically, to about one foot for each inch of barometric depression. However, although this process doubtless contributes to the production of the wave the violent winds at the vortex of the storm are probably a much more important factor.

The mechanism of storm waves was studied by a board appointed by the chief of the United States weather bureau for this purpose in 1901, and the reader is referred to the report of the board, published in the Monthly Weather Review of October, 1901, for further information on the subject.

We are concerned here chiefly with the effects of storm waves (which the newspapers and the public call "tidal waves") as persistently, and with as much reason, as they call tornadoes "cyclones." These are most severe when the wave moves toward a low lying coastal region, having a converging shore line; this convergence producing the same effect as seen in a tidal "bore."

The most disastrous storm waves have occurred along the coast of the Bay of Bengal, on the extensive flat island of the mouth of the Hugli, the Megna, etc. The storm wave of October 7, 1877, is said to have risen 40 feet in the Hugli, sweeping away 300,000 souls. In May, 1877, at Coringa, near the mouth of the Godavari, such a wave is said to have taken toll of 20,000 lives. The Calcutta cyclone of October 5, 1864, caused the inundation of the flats on both sides of the Hugli estuary, with a loss of about 45,000 human lives and the destruction of 100,000 head of cattle. The greatest disaster of recent times in this much afflicted region was the Backergunge hurricane of the night of October 31, November 1, 1874, which cost the lives of over 100,000 persons. In this storm the water rose from 30 to 40 feet in less than half an hour.

The islands of the Pacific are also subject to visitations of this character on a huge scale in connection with tropical hurricanes. The latest of these was the storm of March, 1910, which was especially remarkable for the vast area that it covered, its track extending some 2,500 miles from Fiji to New Caledonia, Norfolk Island, and the North Island of New Zealand. Statistics of the loss of life and property in this storm are not yet available.

Our own seaboard has repeatedly suffered from the effects of storm waves. In the Galveston hurricane of September, 1900, a series of waves inundated the city; 8,000 lives were lost and the destruction of property amounted to \$30,000,000. The damage was due to wind as well as water, but chiefly to the latter.—Scientific American.

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Secrets of the Snatcher's Art Laid Bare By One of the Craft.

It was outside a jeweller's shop in Fifth avenue, New York, where I first set eyes on the subject of this interview. He was a quietly-dressed youth, and I watched him "settle" near a "Johnnie." The latter was apparently lost in admiration of the sparkling gems that shone behind the plate-glass windows, and I began to tremble for his shakels.

By the reflection of the window I could see that the arm of his neighbor, the "quiet" young man, was from the elbow stretched horizontally across his body and that the fingers of his right hand were partly concealed by a colored silk handkerchief. Presently I saw the fingers of the youth "toy" with the watch guard of the unconscious "Johnnie." The time was ripe for action, I pressed suddenly forward between the two, and the pickpocket immediately released his hold of the chain, glared at me, and hurried up the street. In a moment I was after him.

"You can tell me a little about the art of pocket-picking," I said, tapping him on the arm. "You are undoubtedly aware of the fact that I saw you attempt to snatch that fellow's chronometer?"

"What do you mean?" he ejaculated. "Do you take me for a thief? Who are you?"

"A reporter," I replied. "If I had been a detective you wouldn't have got off so easily. I suppose pocket-picking is really an art?"

"It is," declared the youth, when he realized that I had no intention of introducing him to a policeman. "There is no class of artists who, in their calling, are so dexterous as pickpockets. Like poets, they are born, not made. Their nerves must be of iron, and yet as sensitive as instinct. Their hands, too, must be as strong as steel and as light as down, so to speak. Perhaps it would be difficult to find a society lady who looks after her hands so well as I do. Look at mine."

They were well cared for without a doubt, but what struck me was the fact that the two fore fingers were almost an equal length, while the thumb was longer than that of the average hand.

"What strange fingers and thumb you have," I said.

"Ah! They are qualifications with which the successful pickpocket, and the successful only—fornisher—in relieving a stranger of his property it is these two forefingers that do the work. How? For instance, supposing I want to pick the fob pocket of your coat. I should gently slide my two forefingers and thumb to the bottom of that pocket and gradually ease it to the outside. At the same time, never tugs at anything, however tight it might look. Clumsiness means failure and perhaps the loss of liberty."

"What is the most common method of pocket-picking?"

"That performed under 'cover' of a handkerchief, usually of dark silk. My father was a pickpocket—one of the best in the country, and he brought me up in the profession. He used to rely on a newspaper, and in crowded buses and trains he appropriated the contents of scores of ladies' handbags with the assistance of a copy of the World. On one horse show day he secured two watches, ten purses, and a load of odds and ends. That was a fine day's pocket-tapping, you must admit."

"The reckless fashion in which women expose their pockets means money to us. Only yesterday, while seated on top of a bus I spotted the gaping pocket of a smartly dressed lady sitting in front of me. I slipped my fingers therein and found, not a purse full of gold, but a purse holding three pawn tickets and a dirty handkerchief. I put it back again!"

"I suppose that diamond pins and brooches are not in your line?"

"Aren't they, though? And I have a nice little dodge to gain possession of 'shiners,' as we call diamond pins. The East Side is the happy hunting ground for jewels. In the height of the season I jump into a bus that runs through a fashionable thoroughfare, seating myself inside in a position which allows me a view of the people on the pavement. The moment a gentleman there shows a diamond in his tie I prepare to alight. Jumping in front of the vehicle in a clumsy fashion, I manage to collide with him. My right hand, which is put forward to protect myself in the collision, just touches the other where the diamond sparkles. With an apology I raise my hat and step out of the way—and the diamond is mine. The whole manoeuvre only occupies a second or so, and I have secured a good many valuable diamonds in this way, as well as many sham ones."

"At this moment the pocket-tapper evidently caught sight of some one he had no desire to meet, for he turned abruptly down a side street and hurried away without another word. A few minutes later I searched for my pipe and tobacco pouch, which I was in the habit of keeping in an outside pocket of my overcoat. The pocket-tapper had been there before me. The pouch and pipe had gone; so had a silk handkerchief; but I never felt them going.—Chicago Sunday Record-Herald.

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"FOUND DROWNED" VERDICT OF JURY

Evidence in Case of Hamlin Not Conclusive Enough to Prove It Suicide

After deliberating for not more than a minute the jury empaneled to inquire into the death of Frederick Hamlin, whose body was picked up in the water beneath the Point Ellice bridge on Tuesday morning, brought in a verdict of "Found Drowned."

The first witness, Dr. Rayner, stated that he had held a post mortem examination and found that death had been caused by drowning. He also stated that a French fisherman, and Constable McLellan testified to finding the body and having it removed to the B. C. Funeral Furnishing parlors. The evidence of John Jones, proprietor of the Fountain saloon, disclosed the fact that on the day of his disappearance, September 15, the deceased had acted in a peculiar manner and might possibly have been contemplating suicide. Jones, stated that Hamlin came into the barroom between 1 and 1.30 p. m., and said he had quit his job because his boss had roasted him for not delivering a rush parcel as quickly as he might have done. He also said that if he did not get work within three days he would leave Victoria forever. He then asked for a drink and Jones, thinking he looked sick, advised him to take brandy. After swallowing the liquor Hamlin turned to a third person in the room and offered him a dollar, saying, when the man rejected the money, that he had better take it then for it would be his last chance. Hamlin then left the barroom and Jones saw him shortly after wards walking towards the Hall Grocery Company's stables, where he had worked.

Charles Hall, of the Hall Grocery Company, told how the deceased came into the stable, which is only a short distance from the Fountain saloon, at about 1.30 on September 15, and bade him good-bye. Hamlin was drunk at the time and fell while walking through the yard. Hall advised him to lie down in the stable and have a sleep but Hamlin said he would not, muttering that he was drunk and drunk forever. He then walked out, going in the direction of Rock Bay.

The jury, thinking the evidence not conclusive enough, brought in an open verdict. The following acted as jurymen: H. C. Wright, foreman; John W. D. York, F. Hodgson, K. C. Anderson and E. Beane. Money to the amount of \$1.35 was found in his pockets upon recovery of the body. It was said that Hamlin had \$50 on him on the day before his disappearance, this being his wages from the Hall Grocery Company.

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THE NEW HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Members-elect of the new parliament include no less than 76 lawyers. Other callings will be represented as follows: Farmers, 35; merchants, 32; doctors, 21; manufacturers, 17; lumbermen, 10; journalists, 8; notaries; 7; law students, 1; labor men, 1; live stock exporters, 1; stock broker, 1. If Carrick is elected in Thunder Bay and Rainy River there will be one real estate agent in the House.

FAREWELL BANQUET TO EARL GREY

Governor-General on Future of Dominion—Will Revisit Canada

Ottawa, Sept. 28.—The announcement that Earl Grey has postponed the date of departure from Ottawa to October 12, in view of the political situation now existing at Ottawa, was met by the governor-general himself, last night, at a farewell banquet tendered him by the Canadian club of Ottawa.

The banquet was held in the restaurant of the House of Commons and was presided over by Judge McFavish, president of the club. It was attended by 300 club members and consuls general of various countries represented at Ottawa. R. L. Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier occupied positions to the right and left of the chairman and Earl Grey.

The health of Earl Grey was proposed by Sir Charles Fitzpatrick. Earl Grey, in responding, after personal references and after hearing testimony as to the affection with which he would regard Canada, announced his intention of disregarding the unwritten convention which forbids former governor-generals from revisiting Canada. He gave a sworn eulogy of the Canadian clubs, describing them as the church of civic and national righteousness.

Speaking in warm terms of the Empire, he referred with the utmost satisfaction to Canada's action during his term of office in taking over the garrisons at Halifax and Esquimaux. This, he said, was evidence of a new spirit, Canada was dependent for the maintenance of her political liberties on the supremacy of the British navy. Some might say that her liberties depended on the Monroe Doctrine, but the Monroe Doctrine like the independence of the Dominion, floated on the British navy. He did not know at what price the Monroe Doctrine would be valued if the British navy were swept from the seas. The time was coming when the people of Canada would demand to be admitted into fuller participation in the obligations and responsibilities of the Empire. The people of England, he added, were content to carry the burden single-handed until the people of the Dominion chose to come to their assistance.

In conclusion, Earl Grey spoke in high terms of the national service which could be made of the Hudson's Bay railway, and made a happy reference to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Borden, who had been premier and leader of the opposition during his term of office. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in responding to the toast of Canada, paid a graceful tribute to His Excellency, coupling with him the names of Lady Grey and his daughters. He noted the manner in which Lord Dufferin and Minto had passed from the governor-generalship of Canada to other high offices of state, and hoped a similar future would await Lord Grey. The wishes of the people of Canada would designate his Excellency to the Imperial government for other services. After declaring that Earl Grey had behaved with the utmost constitutional propriety, the outgoing prime minister made reference to his own political fortunes. His party had for 13 years been in the ascendancy, and it was now the will of the people of Canada to change their allegiance to the party presided over by Mr. Borden. While he could wish it otherwise, he had no fault to find, no complaint to make, and he accepted the verdict. Parties might come and go; but Canada would live forever.

After a humorous reference to the changed positions they would occupy, he concluded by suggesting that Mr. Borden invite Earl Grey to visit Canada on the completion of the National Transcontinental railway for the purpose of traveling on the first train to be run from Halifax to Prince Rupert. R. L. Borden, in his first public speech since election, opened with a cordial personal tribute to the splendid energy and vigor which Sir Wilfrid had displayed in the struggle just terminated. He spoke in eulogy of

Earl Grey's career in Canada, and agreed with Sir Wilfrid that there were laurels still to be won by him in the empire.

Turning from personal matters, he dwelt on the splendid way Canada had surmounted the difficulties in the past. These difficulties, he said, had been greater than those which had confronted the Empire in earlier periods of their career. The growth of Canada would proceed upon autonomous lines in the development of the empire. No Dominion would be called upon to surrender any powers of self government, but progress would be made in organization of trade and defence.

MEN JURORS ARE FORCED TO YIELD

Women Insist on Verdict of Acquittal and Finally Win the Day

Tacoma, Wash., Sept. 28.—The first clash between women and men jurors in Pierce county was recorded in the police court here, and, as usual, woman had her way. When the jury retired the men looked complacent and self-satisfied. They had an elder-brother air. Not so when they returned with their verdict. Three women and three men composed the jury that tried C. D. Watt, a street car conductor, for assault on Paul Christian, a passenger, whose head he is said to have used as a battery on one of his car windows. The prosecution had practically an open and shut case against the conductor, but the latter's attorney in his closing argument, rang in much sentiment. He wanted to know what would become of Watt's wife and children if he were found guilty. The jury retired.

On the first ballot the three men voted for conviction and the three women for acquittal. Here is what followed. Vigorous argument, lasting one hour. Men weaken but insist Watt be found guilty and fined \$50 and costs. Women stand firm.

Another long argument. Men weaken still more, and propose verdict of guilty with fine of \$25 and costs. Women smile coldly. Another argument. Men keep on weakening, and suggest verdict of guilty with a \$1 fine and costs. Women willing, if he can be taxed for half of the costs only. Informed this cannot be done legally, women fold their arms in a determined manner and settle back in their chairs.

Long silence. Men shuffle feet and look at each other. Elder-brother air all evaporated. Men surrender. All vote for acquittal. Watt returns to the home of his family while the women wear a smile of triumph.

TRIBE OF REGICIDES.

Strange Customs of Fishoda Natives With Divine Kings.

The Shilluk are a tribe of about 50,000 souls who live in old Fashoda, on the south-east of the White Nile, and who have the curious habit of worshipping their kings whilst they are alive and killing them before they grow old. Dr. C. S. Seligmann, who has worked amongst them, described some of their customs to the Anthropological Section. He had traced their origin to Nyakang, the semi-divine hero who, with a comparatively small band of followers, took possession of the present Shilluk territory and founded the Shilluk nation. The genealogy of the royal family showed that twenty kings belonging to twelve generations intervened between Nyakang and Kwaake, the first king to be killed by the Turks. The majority of the Shilluk think of Nyakang as having been human in form and in physical qualities, though, unlike his more recent successors, he did not die, but disappeared. But there are also legends of his descent from a crocodile maiden. The holiness of Nyakang is especially shown in his relation to Juok, performing the sacrifices to Nyakang that cause him to move Juok. Probably there were some four or five of the kings who miraculously disappeared, but it is Nyakang to whom this is solely attributed.

He manifests himself in certain animals, as do the spirits of the dead Shilluk kings, who, from one point of view, are considered identical with Nyakang, for they incarnate his divine spirit. This belief appears to have led to the ceremonial slaying of the king when he becomes ill or senile, lest with his diminished vigor the cattle should sicken and fail to bear their increase, the crops should rot in the fields, and man, stricken with disease, should die in ever increasing numbers.

The manner of killing the king in early days was peculiar; they simply walled him up with four virgins and left him. One king, however, more stalwart than usual, called from his living tomb that all the virgins were dead, and gave it as his last command that no king in future should be compelled to walk amongst the dead. The present method, therefore, is to strangle them. Until twenty years ago every man had a right, should he show desire, to kill the king at any time, but now this right is limited to a certain section who were descended from the brothers of Nyakang. As the king's retainers only defended him in the daytime, the custom grew of the king standing at arms all night and sleeping during the day, a custom still strictly kept. Dr. Seligmann declares that he always found the king, when he wished to see him, in a very sleep condition.

CRUCIFIED BY INDIANS.

Mexico City, Sept. 28.—Venecelao France, president of Acola, a small town in the state of Chiapas, was crucified by the rebellious Chamula Indians when they sacked that place last Saturday, according to a telegram received by El Imparcial from Tuxia Gutierrez, the state capital. The first steel works in India have recently been started at Sakhet, in the State of Nagpur. The government has practically taken the new industry under its wing and has agreed to purchase 3,000 tons of rail annually.

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