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BUILDING FOR CANADIAN FAIR

TO PLACE EXHIBITS IN FORT CAMOSUN

Development League May Commence Making Arrangements for 1912.

A big building for Vancouver Island at the World's Fair at Winnipeg in 1912 is the latest move on the part of the Vancouver Island Development League.

It is pointed out that this is the time to get to work to prepare for work of the kind.

Those who have visited the Seattle fair and have seen the Victoria exhibit realize that it does not attract the attention which it should on account of not being in a building of its own.

The suggestion for a Vancouver Island building is carried out will be possible to have sections of timber twelve feet in diameter instead of six; blocks of coal weighing 1,000 lbs. instead of 500 lbs.; immense blocks of ore from the metalliferous mines; and marble, fire clay, cement, and all the other products of the island.

The sort of building to be erected will have to be decided upon later. It has been suggested that it might be a good plan to reproduce old Fort Camosun. This would be unique in design and attractive in appearance.

The exhibit could be placed in one of the Indian houses made of split cedar. No matter what the design as long as it is original and commands the attention of everyone who visits the fair.

The Winnipeg fair promises to be one of the great Canadian events, in that it will be the first World's Fair ever held in the country.

It is to be hoped that the Development League will set to work at once to prepare for this great event.

By that time the population of Vancouver Island will be much larger than it is to-day.

The products of the island are unique and they deserve a separate setting.

SHOOT CAR CONDUCTOR.

Muncie, Ind., Aug. 6.—Dr. Nelson B. Ross, a physician of this city, shot and killed Daniel Lindner, conductor of an interurban car.

Eight persons lose their lives. Four perish when punt sinks—four others drown in launch wreck.

Charlotte, P.E.I., Aug. 6.—Four men were drowned in attempting to reach land from a sailboat at Rocky Point yesterday afternoon.

Baltimore, Md., Aug. 6.—Four members of a party of twenty persons were drowned when a gasoline launch was wrecked yesterday afternoon.

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TROLLEY CAR WRECKED BY RAILWAY TRAIN

Motorman Killed and Several Passengers May Succumb to Injuries.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Motorman O. P. Best is dead and four or five passengers may die as a result of a collision between a trolley car and a Pennsylvania railroad suburban train at a grade crossing here last night.

The motorman before he lapsed into unconsciousness, said the accident was caused by the brakes on his car refusing to work.

The passenger train, running at a speed of forty miles an hour, threw the street car into a ditch fifteen feet away.

HAWAIIAN STRIKE OVER. Called Off by Japanese Plantation Laborers Who Have Been Idle Two Months.

Honolulu, Aug. 6.—The strike of more than 5,000 Japanese plantation laborers, which has been in progress for two months, and which has caused much loss to the planters, was declared off yesterday by the Japanese.

The attitude of the planters is firmly refusing to make any concessions caused the collapse of the strike.

STRIKERS AND TROOPS CLASH RIOTING IN THE STREETS OF STOCKHOLM

Labor Situation in Sweden is Daily Becoming More Serious.

Stockholm, Aug. 6.—Several clashes between the strikers and the troops to-day have caused much alarm.

So far there has been no bloodshed, however. This is attributed to the fact that liquor has been withheld and there is no drunkenness in the city.

The streets of the city are littered with garbage, and there is a general lack of sanitation owing to the refusal of all men employed in keeping the city clean to turn a hand.

COMMANDERS COMPLAIN TO NAVY DEPARTMENT

Object to the Manner in Which Repairs to Cruisers Have Been Carried Out.

Vallejo, Cal., Aug. 6.—A decision is expected soon from the board of inquiry at Mare Island, which has been investigating the complaints made by the commanders of the cruisers California, West Virginia, South Dakota and Maryland to the navy department against the manner in which certain repairs had been made to their respective ships.

When the board convened, Commander Clarence Carr, of the engineering department, and Edward Kavanaugh, foreman of the boiler repair department, were called before the board and asked to explain.

California was working poorly, and that the work had been passed and the vessel declared seaworthy.

The board was still in session at noon behind closed doors.

It is not known how far the investigation into the charges of inefficiency in the boilermaking department has gone.

CHINESE LOVER. Actress is slain by Chinese lover.

Berlin, Aug. 6.—The tables are turned to-day on the German press, which so bitterly criticized a woman for "unnatural relations with men of other races" during the agitation which followed the murder of Elsie Sigel by a Chinese in New York recently.

When the news came to-day from Frankfurt that a variety actress named Hoffman, had been killed by a Chinese lover who then committed suicide, the editors as well as the entire city received a severe shock.

Those intimate with conditions state that the trouble is the result of friction that has been experienced since the consolidation of the two papers.

PORTLAND HOLD-UP. Portland, Ore., Aug. 6.—Hop growers of the Pacific coast are expecting an increased wave of prosperity owing to the reports received to-day and yesterday from European growers that the foreign hop crop had not improved because of continued bad weather.

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THANKFUL FOR SMALL RELIEF

CHICAGO PAPERS ON NEW TARIFF LAW

Regard Measure as Material Improvement Over Dingley Bill.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The local morning papers, after exhaustive reviews of the tariff measures, are unanimous to-day in the belief that the new law does not give the consumer what he should have, though they look upon it as a material improvement over the Dingley bill.

The new law has manifest defects and would have had more but for the forced interposition of the president.

The Dingley law was the high water mark of ultra-protection. This year's legislation is significant in that it indicates that the tide has turned.

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ANOTHER RISING AT BARCELONA FEARED

Trouble Expected if Prisoners Now in Fortress Are Not Released.

Paris, Aug. 6.—The Barcelona correspondent of the Matin says the situation in the Spanish city is uncertain. He says that if the prisoners now in the fortress are not released a further rising, far exceeding in horror the first, is inevitable.

THE INVENTORS HON. GEORGE E. FOSTER—"Look at the distance that Frenchman's flown and the years we've spent fixin' up a riggerin' to float us out of here."

DETERRMINED TO BUILD RAILWAY

JAPAN FAILS TO REACH AGREEMENT WITH CHINA

Will Now Proceed With the Construction of Antung-Mukden Line.

Tokio, Aug. 6.—Japan handed in her ultimatum to the Chinese government to-day regarding her position on the Antung-Mukden railway.

It is reported that Japan will not postpone the reconstruction of the railway but will begin work within a few days.

LOS ANGELES FAMILIES THREATENED WITH DEATH

Will Be Killed if They Refuse to Comply With Demands for Money.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 6.—Efforts are being made by the police here to-day to discover the author of numerous letters which have been received by three prominent families, threatening the lives of the members and the destruction of their property unless demands for money were complied with.

THEFTS CONFESS. Montreal, Aug. 6.—Arthur Bouchard, Albert Lacombe, Theophile Guay, and Charles Pasquier, pleaded guilty yesterday to the charge of theft of a quantity of iron and steel from the Angus shops of the C. P. R. They were remanded for preliminary hearing next Wednesday.

OBJECT TO PAYING FREIGHT RATES FOR SNOW

Railways Will Accept Coast Weights on Forest Products.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 6.—After a controversy covering several years over the question of weights on forest products shipped from the coast to eastern destinations, the traffic departments of all the railroads serving coast lumbermen have signified a willingness to accept coast weights on all shipments of forest products as final and official.

CHURCH DAMAGED BY LIGHTNING. Pittsburg, Aug. 6.—The St. Paul and St. Peter German Catholic church was struck by lightning and damaged to the extent of \$25,000 by subsequent fire.

WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH. Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Mrs. Judson Tompkins, 72 years of age, was burned to death at her home here yesterday while burning sulphur to exterminate insects in the house.

SHOCKS IN FRANCE. Paris, Aug. 6.—Two earthquake shocks were felt in France to-day. Neither did any damage, though one of them lasted ten seconds.

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TRANSACTIONING BUSINESS WHILE IN PRISON Sheriff, However, Refuses to Permit Millionaire to Have Telephone in Cell.

ALBANIANS MAY CAUSE TROUBLE OF CRETE BY GREEKS

Send Message to Government Threatening to Make War on Greece.

Constantinople, Aug. 6.—Serious agitation has broken out in Albania against the intention of Greece to annex Crete.

PORTLAND WOMAN WILL BE TRIED FOR MURDER

Physicians Declare Mrs. Collins, Who Shot Her Husband, is Sane.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 6.—Although local physicians, after many hours of examination, have decided that Mrs. Kate Collins, who shot and killed her husband, Dr. Roy A. Collins, is now sane, it developed to-day that the unhappy woman frequently expressed a wish to kill herself.

DISCIPLINED BY CANNON

Spencer Ignores Insurgents in Appointment of Chairmen of U. S. House Committees.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 6.—Speaker Cannon yesterday announced the appointment of committees for the sixty-first congress.

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PREPARING FOR CARMEN'S STRIKE

PRESIDENTS OF UNIONS TO CONFER AT CHICAGO

Trouble Between the Elevated Employees and Company Not Settled.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Convinced that the vote of the employees of the surface street car lines is overwhelmingly in favor of a strike, a meeting of four presidents of the four local divisions of the union was called for this afternoon to take steps toward immediate preparation for a crisis.

The tellers were busily engaged all morning counting the votes. The balloting was completed at 4 o'clock this morning, when it was stated that nearly every member of the union had voted.

At a conference this afternoon the presidents of the divisions will appoint a general strike committee with full power to control and conduct a strike if one is called.

The union officials to-day denied that settlements had been reached between the elevated railway employees and the company.

These denials were issued in order to meet a report that the possibility of the elevated employees joining the strike has been eliminated.

It is claimed that the elevated men are in sympathy with the surface line employees. The union officials said it had not been decided whether International President Mahon would be summoned here.

This question will be decided at the meeting this afternoon. It has been made clear that if Mahon comes he will have no direct voice in the conduct of the strike.

Vote Favors Strike. Chicago, Aug. 6.—(Latter.) It was announced that the vote on the question of empowering the executive committee of the union to call a strike of all surface railway employees in this city, showed 8,655 in favor of a strike and only 183 against it.

Active preparations for a general strike are being made by both sides this afternoon.

L. H. Parks, president of the Elevated Railway Employees' Union, in an official statement to-day said: "If the surface men strike, a walk-out of the elevated men can hardly be averted. We have a complete understanding with the surface employees to stand or fall together."

A mass meeting of the elevated men will be held to-morrow night, simultaneously with a meeting of the surface men. It then will be decided definitely whether the "L" employees will go out.

Parks said that the elevated men were better satisfied with the present wages and conditions than the surface men are. He evidently was of the opinion that the elevated men would strike.

NELSON GUN CLUB SHOOT PROVES SUCCESS

T. C. Riehel, of Tacoma, is High Professional in First Day's Shooting.

(Special to the Times.) Nelson, B. C., Aug. 6.—In the Nelson Gun Club shoot, an international event, T. C. Riehel, of Tacoma, was high professional to-day, making a score of 142 out of a possible 150.

H. E. Poston, San Francisco, was second professional, breaking 138 birds. L. R. Barkley, Seattle, third, with 121.

R. H. Miller, Seattle, was high amateur, with 125; C. J. Chengren, Spokane, coming second with 120. Archie Bishop, Nelson, led the local amateurs with 119, one point behind Spokane.

Chengren, Spokane, won the most money, while R. H. Miller, Seattle, won the special handicap event of the day. The initial event of the new grounds was a great success, the weather perfect and the shooting average above the usual mark.

To-morrow, the second day of the shoot, may develop surprises, both British Columbia and Washington men being confident of breaking most of the day.

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- CALGARY RISING SUN BREAD FLOUR, per sack \$1.75
- NICE EVAPORATED PEACHES, per lb 10c
- FRESH DAIRY BUTTER, per lb 25c
- ALBERTA CREAMERY BUTTER, per lb 30c
- C. & Y. INDEPENDENT CREAMERY BUTTER, 35c per lb, or 3 lbs. for \$1.00
- ANTI-COMBINE TEA, in lead packets, 35c per lb, or 3 lbs. \$1

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Two Dozen Sweet Oranges for Twenty-five Cents

- SUNLIGHT SOAP, 11 bars for 50c
- NICE ISLAND POTATOES, 14 lbs. for \$1.50
- PEARL TAPIOCA OR SAGO, 4 lbs. for 50c
- Or 9 lbs. for 25c
- JELLO, 3 packets for 25c
- PURE BLACK PEPPER, per lb 25c
- NICE LARGE ONIONS, 8 lbs. for 25c
- LARGE PINEAPPLES, each 20c
- ANTI-COMBINE LAUNDRY SOAP, 7 full weight bars 25c

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HARRY THAW'S MOTHER RECALLED TO STAND

Breaks Down Under Cross-Examination of District Attorney Jerome.

(Times Leased Wire.)
White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Roger O'Mara, former chief of detectives of Pittsburg, but for several years in the employ of the Thaw family, testified at the Thaw sanity inquiry to-day that Stanford White attacked a girl, who is now married, and is one of the leading stars of the American stage.

O'Mara, on cross-examination, declared that he had ever heard stories of Thaw whipping young girls.
Mrs. Mary Thaw, mother of Harry Thaw, was recalled to the stand. She said that O'Mara's interest in the case was the result of friendship for the family. Mrs. Thaw produced a chart showing 205 members of the Thaw family, with only two showing signs of mental disorders. One of these suffered from brain fever and the other from senile dementia. Two members of her branch of the family suffered from epilepsy. She charged that a number of so-called irrational actions on the part of Harry Thaw were the result of the "combination" to prevent his release.

As Jerome relentlessly asked her and her son questions, the gray-haired woman wept. As she described the shocking mania who she said went about the corridors of the asylum at Matteawan, she cried so that she was forced to leave the stand to recover her composure. After her affidavit reviewing the history of the Thaw family was received she was excused.

Dr. B. B. Evans, of "brainstorm" fame, then was recalled. He declared that Thaw never was a paranoiac. When Jerome took his old enemy for cross-examination, he and Dr. Evans engaged in a lively tilt, in which the "inventor of the brainstorm" fared comparatively well.

ANXIOUS TO SECURE LAND ON RESERVATIONS

Nearly Three Thousand Registrations Filed in Montana and Washington.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Spokane, Wash., Aug. 6.—More land-seekers are registered to-day for the opening of the Flathead, Washington and Idaho lands by the government than ever before recorded in the history of land openings in the United States. The Flathead Indian lands in Montana, the Spokane and Coeur d'Alene lands have been long sought as prizes of the white man, and every effort has been made in the last generation to have them thrown open. That they are eagerly sought is shown by the fact that a total of 274,529 registrations are in.

The official figures up to midnight last night were: Total from Coeur d'Alene to date 104,418; total from Spokane \$6,822. It is believed that fully 20,000 more applications are in the mails to-day, and that the total registration will reach 290,000 or more.

Platforms from which the drawings will be made have been erected, and are now ready. Fifty steel pens which contain the applications are guarded by a picked force of deputies and United States marshals.

On Monday Miss Helen Hamilton, niece of Mayor Hamilton, of Coeur d'Alene, will pick the winning list of 1,500 numbers, and on Tuesday will pick a substitute list of 2,000. This latter list will be used to draw from in case any in the first 1,500 do not file upon their land.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday the drawing on the Flathead reservation will be continued at Coeur d'Alene and on Monday, August 16th, the Spokane reservation lands will be drawn for at Coeur d'Alene.

STEAMER TITAN IS IN PORT

TRAVELLER TELLS OF CONDITION OF INDIA

Terrible Railway Wreck in Interior in Neighborhood of Delhi.

Blue Funnel liner Titan arrived from the Orient this morning with 578 Chinese, the majority of whom were returning from visiting their native land. Over one hundred will probably have to pay the tax.

On the way from Yokohama, a few days out to sea, a death occurred on the steamer, when a Chinaman who was addicted to opium smoking succumbed to consumption brought on by the habit. He was not buried at sea, but will be placed in the Chinese cemetery until the funeral of time they are ready to return to be laid alongside those of his fathers.

The steamer had a large cargo, about seven thousand tons in all being aboard, two-thirds of which came from the United Kingdom, the remainder from the Orient. There was one thousand tons for this port, six hundred being for the other ports.

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CAVE-BROWN-CAVE—At the Jubilee hospital, on August 6th, 1909, Charlotte Cave-Brown-Cave, relict of the late Rev. Jordan Cave-Brown-Cave, formerly rector of Saanich.

GABRIEL—On the 5th inst. at St. Joseph's hospital, after a lingering illness, Margaret Elizabeth, relict of the late Edward Gabriel, aged 59 years, a native of Manchester, Eng.

The funeral will take place on Saturday, the 7th inst., from the residence of her son-in-law, T. Redding, Esq., 219 Cathedral street, Victoria West, at 2.30 p. m. Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

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REMAINS OF THREE OF CREW OF MAORI FOUND

Warships Unable to Find Any Trace of the Missing Ship Waratah

(Times Leased Wire.)
Capetown, Cape Colony, Aug. 6.—Though two warships have been searching the sea since yesterday in the hope of discovering the steamer Waratah, which carried 300 passengers bound for this port, no sign of the vessel has been seen and the fear that the steamer has sunk and her passengers drowned is growing into a feeling of certainty. In the city and surrounding settlements deep gloom prevails as many persons on board the steamer were residents of the colony and were homeward bound.

In addition to the warships, searching the sea, beach patrols have been dispatched to examine the coast line and ascertain if the vessel was beached or any wreckage washed ashore.

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 3. Mr. Horse.
- Time, 1:01 4-5.

THE SUTTON INQUIRY.
Annapolis, Md., Aug. 6.—The second day of the examination into the death of Lieut. James M. Sutton, started with Lieut. Harold Utley still on the stand. Utley was present when Sutton was killed.
From the first Attorney Davis, representing Mrs. Sutton in the case, attempted to get Utley to throw some light upon the mystery surrounding the identity of the man who gave Sergeant Dehart the revolver on the night of the tragedy. He did not succeed. He led up to the question a score of times. Each time Utley replied: "I have no recollection of such a thing."
In relating the instances leading up to the death of young Sutton, Utley testified that he was at Sutton's head and was trying to catch hold of Sutton's hand which was pinned under his breast, when Sutton raised his hand and fired.
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MORE MINERS MAY GO OUT ON STRIKE

Men Employed at Springhill, N. S., Likely to Quit Work.

Glouce Bay, N. S., Aug. 6.—The judgment reserved by Judge Finlayson in the first eviction cases was delivered yesterday in favor of the tenants. The judge held that the men could not be dispossessed without thirty days' notice. Some of the remaining 26 may be tried, but they are the same as the first cases tried, and will probably be withdrawn.

Vice-president McCulloch, of the U. M. W., has arrived from Springhill. He says there is nothing more likely to happen at Springhill than a strike, and he says there was never a case where men had a more just reason to strike. The men want to strike at once, and are only waiting the endorsement of the executive of the U. M. W.

"You can say," Mr. McCulloch remarked, "that when the men go out, it will not be in sympathy with the Cape Breton miners, but for the good and sufficient cause existing at the Springhill mines. The manager refused to see a committee of the men, and he refused to meet me."

Mr. McCulloch stated also that if the Sydney miners interfered in the Dominion Coal Company's strike they would receive immediate attention.

EXPERT TO LECTURE ON FRUIT GROWING

Prof. Craig Says Production Does Not Keep Pace With Demand.

Montreal, Aug. 6.—John Craig, professor of horticulture at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., a former Montrealer and for ten years horticulturist at the Dominion experimental farm, Ottawa, is in the city. He is about to make a tour across the Dominion, and in particular to visit the fruit-growing districts of British Columbia, where, at the instance of the Dominion Deputy Minister of Agriculture O'Halloran, he will deliver eight or ten lectures on fruit growing.

In an interview Prof. Craig said he had not been in British Columbia for ten years, and he was anxious to witness the progress that was being made there, especially after seeing the very fine display of British Columbia fruit at the national apple show in Spokane last fall, at which he was a judge. The production of fruit upon this continent did not keep pace with the demand, said Prof. Craig, and that the steadily increasing prices. The reason was that fruit growing is beset by more difficulties than it used to be. For that reason the battle is now to the strong.

The great mass of fruit growers are still inert. They plant, but do not cultivate, the consequence is that every year they find it increasingly difficult to make a living. Those who study scientific and commercial fruit growing are the only ones who can succeed in the future.

WILL SCATTER WOMAN'S ASHES OVER WATERS

Friends to Carry Out Her Wish That Grave Be Near Her Husband's.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Remarkable funeral rites will take place to-morrow morning when the ashes of Mrs. Rosa Peyton will be scattered to the four winds in mid-lake. Her husband, Dr. S. L. Peyton, 29 years ago was lost with 25 other victims in the wreck of the Alplina, an excursion steamer, in Lake Michigan.

Hoping against hope during the years since she last saw her husband alive that by some chance he might return to her, Mrs. Peyton at every opportunity crossed Lake Michigan on excursion steamers. Often she carried flowers with her and scattered them in mid-lake, the only known grave of her husband. To her friends she often expressed the wish that her ashes, like the flowers, would be scattered over the waters. Her last and only wish was that her grave would be near his.

THE WELLMAN EXPEDITION.

Tromsøe, Norway, Aug. 6.—Members of the Walter Wellman polar expedition have arrived here from Spitzbergen. They say that Mr. Wellman will probably start in his balloon for the pole next week.

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RECLAMATION WORK IN UNITED STATES

Demands Presented by Engineers Will Aggregate \$11,000,000.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 6.—Apportionment of the reclamation fund among the various government irrigation projects for the year 1910 will not be determined until after the return of R. A. Ballinger, secretary of the interior, to Washington. Mr. Ballinger has returned to Seattle from Portland, where he has been attending a conference with the officials of the reclamation service. There were present the supervising engineers of the six divisions into which the entire reclamation field is divided. There is to be apportioned for these projects about \$11,000,000, but for funds fully doubles the aggregate of the amount available.

"The conference was only preliminary and no decision has been reached in regard to the apportionment of the fund," said Mr. Ballinger. "The various supervising engineers presented their demands for funds with which to carry on the work undertaken by the government during the ensuing year. These requests will be given further consideration before an apportionment will be decided upon. On account of the fact that the demands for money far exceed the amount available I find that it will be a difficult job to decide on apportionment that will satisfy all concerned."

Mr. Ballinger said that the department was desirous of going on with the projects already undertaken until they should become self-sustaining. He said that of the thirty-one projects now maintained by the government only a small number have been completed. He said that the prospects were not bright for the inauguration of additional projects under government direction during the coming year.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS

VISIT ALBERNI

Arrangements Completed Regarding Right of Way for Extension.

(Special Correspondence.)

Alberni, Aug. 5.—During the week R. Marpole, vice-president of the E. & N. railway; H. E. Beasley, superintendent; H. J. Cambie, chief engineer; R. H. Bainbridge, division engineer; Maciver Campbell, of the land department, and Col. Holmes of Victoria, were in town and were guests at the Arlington hotel. While here Mr. Beasley made arrangements for a settlement with those whose property the right-of-way for the railway crossed, and things look better generally as a result. There is a more hopeful feeling abroad now that the railway will be pushed to an early completion.

J. G. Brown of Victoria, assistant superintendent of government telegraphs, arrived in town on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Hall and R. Morrison. Mr. Brown is on his annual tour of inspection of the government telegraph line.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of trade was held in the court house on Monday night. Only routine business was transacted.

Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was in town last Saturday on a regular tour of inspection.

D. E. Kerr and family, of Victoria, arrived in town last week and will be here during the greater part of this month.

Mrs. John and Mrs. James Redford returned from Vancouver on Thursday.

A baseball match was played last week between the new and old towns, and resulted in a win for the latter by the score of 2 to 2.

Miss Annie Miles returned on the steamer from a visit to the Seattle fair.

WORK BEING RUSHED ON U. S. CRUISERS

About 1,750 Workmen Are Now Employed at Bremerton Navy Yard.

Navy Yard, Puget Sound, Aug. 6.—In an effort to complete work on the four cruisers of the Pacific fleet at this yard by the 15th of this month, the employers of this yard are working overtime, night and Sunday. The work has been increased as rapidly as possible during the past few months so that the number of tradesmen and laborers now totals about 1,750. This is nearly 700 more than the number working here prior to the arrival of the cruisers' Tennessee, Washington, Pennsylvania and Colorado last June. Despite the manner in which work is being rushed, the ships will leave here in about two weeks with much work remaining to be done. The material for the work will be placed aboard ship and the repairs will be completed by the ships' crews.

SUSPENDED FOR SEASON.

Montreal, Aug. 6.—Frederick (Mickey) Ions, the Tecumseh lacrosse player who kicked Kalls, a member of the Toronto team on the face in the recent work in being rushed, the ships will leave here in about two weeks with much work remaining to be done. The material for the work will be placed aboard ship and the repairs will be completed by the ships' crews.

CEAR SAILS FOR KIEL.

Cowes, Aug. 6.—Emperor Nicholas concluded his visit to King Edward yesterday afternoon, and on board the Imperial yacht Standart he left here for Kiel, escorted by Russian and British cruisers.



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- LACE STOCKS, embroidered turnovers, bows and linen colors. Regular price up to 25c. Sale price 05
- WHITE EMB. JABOTS, lace trimmed. Regular 25c. Sale price 15
- ECRU LACE STOCKS, Lot of 6 doz. Regular 25c. Sale price 15
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- The CUPS AND SAUCERS separate in the dozen 95c
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- WASH BASINS, reg. 25c, now 15c
- PAILS, DISHPANS, TEA KETTLES, regular \$1, now 65c
- TIN WASH BOILERS, reg. \$1.50, now 95c
- TIN WASH BOILERS, copper bottoms, regular \$2.25, now \$1.45
- ALL COPPER WASH BOILERS, regular \$5, now \$3.65
- LARGE TIN BUCKETS, reg. 50c, now 25c
- DINNER PAILS, reg. 40c, now 20c
- Pails, Bread Pans, Milk Pans, Sauce Pans, Wash Basins, Dippers, reg. 20c, all going for 10c
- CUSPIDORS, the regular 25c, now 15c
- TIN CHAMBER PAILS, reg. 75c, now 45c
- SCRUB BRUSHES, reg. 25c, now 15c
- SHOE BRUSHES, reg. 25c, now 15c
- STOVE BRUSHES, reg. 25c, now 15c
- CLOTHES BRUSHES, reg. 40c, now 25c
- BANNISTER BRUSHES, reg. 40c, now 20c
- WASH BOARDS, reg. 30c, now 20c
- WASH BOARDS, reg. 35c, now 25c
- WHITEWASH BRUSHES, 40c, now 25c
- Large assortment of CAMP STOVES, ranging in price from \$1.25 to \$1.95
- WATER GLASSES, reg. 75c dozen, going for 45c
- HEAVY TAPER GLASSES, reg. \$1 dozen, going for 50c
- Genuine English Razors, reg. \$2 value, only 95c
- Heavy nickel plated TABLE KNIVES, reg. \$3.50 dozen, going at \$1.95
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TWO KILLED ON CROSSING.

Runaway Horse Dashes Into Train Near Mathew, Man.

Wanawassa, Man., Aug. 6.—Mrs. F. H. Grainger, aged 37, of Monosomin, and Mrs. F. H. Grainger, her sister-in-law, aged 30, of Wanawassa, were killed last night when the horse they were driving became frightened and crashed into a train running between Souris and Winnipeg. The accident happened at a crossing two miles east of Methven. The two women were returning to the home of Mrs. F. H. Grainger, from Wanawassa, where they had been shopping and the rig was filled with parcels, the result of their purchases.

TRAVELS 217 MILES.

Berlin, Aug. 6.—The military dirigible balloon, Gross II, after an endurance flight of fifteen hours and forty minutes, came to earth yesterday afternoon. The ship made its way to Halle and returned a total distance of 217 miles.

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INCREASING CANADA'S BREADTH.

The Times is indebted to the Interior Department of the Dominion government for a copy of a pamphlet which proves how little they know of Canada who only Old Canada know. It is a report of an exploration of the Northland of Saskatchewan undertaken by Mr. Frank Crean, C. E., under instructions from the Minister of the Interior, Hon. Frank Oliver, during the year 1908. Mr. Crean in the course of the season mentioned explored that portion of the province north of Prince Albert as far as the Churchill River and extending from Montreal Lake and Lac la Ronge on the east to Green Lake and connecting waters as far north as Portage la Hoche on the west.

Information about this portion of the Canadian West north of existing surveys has hitherto been difficult to obtain, says the report. The increasing pressure on the available surveyed lands in the Western Provinces has, however, created a demand for all possible information about the agricultural and other resources of the undeveloped north of Western Canada, and on account of the reported mineral discoveries at Lac la Ronge and in the country north of it the publication of this report at this time giving information as to the means of access meets a public want. A number of excellent cuts of growing crops and natural features, from photographs taken by the explorer, are scattered through the document.

An up-to-date map, which covers the country explored and for a considerable distance north of it—about 350 miles in all north of Prince Albert—accompanies the report.

A prevalent impression that in this portion of Western Canada there is to be found little land of agricultural value will be found on perusal of the report to be quite erroneous and while the difficulty of access will retard settlement at present there is evidence that a large area is suitable for mixed farming as soon as made accessible by roads and the area of available fertile land can be considerably more than doubled by a system of drainage which can be carried out at moderate cost.

The opinion of Prof. John Macoun, Naturalist of the Geological Survey, than whom there is no better authority, is given prominently on the cover of the report as follows:

"There can be no question about the value of the land north of the Saskatchewan and settlers going in there are assured of three essentials—wood, water and hay for cattle."

The information in the report is divided conveniently under the following headings: Access, Soil, Topographical Features, Climate, Ranching, Hay, Animal life, Fish, Timber Minerals and Water powers.

THE MOTOR CAR HOODLUM.

The motor car whose driver is subject to brainstorms is an ever-present cause of trouble and comment. There is not a civilized country in the world that is not struggling in a futile effort to either tame it or reduce it to a state of reason and sanity. If one reads the London newspapers he finds the problem engaging the attention of staid Britons in all parts of the kingdom as a result of an accident of some kind in which the occupants of the machine have either driven to their own earthly undoing or to the death of something else which drew the breath of life. Similar conditions prevail in the United States, according to the evidence of the New York newspapers. The only difference is that in

the States they deal with the mad thing more unceremoniously. The latest decree is that policemen shall be given authority to shoot off the tires of the machines when their drivers refuse to stop when ordered to do so. We do things differently in Victoria. Here the police ride in the cars alongside of the jolly chauffeur and appear to enjoy the sensation they create as the wheels of their chariots tear over and rip up the thoroughfares. Far be it from us to say that all car owners or drivers in Victoria break the laws and cause common people to explode in wrath. It is the few here, as elsewhere, who create the trouble and call forth protests. The comments of the Toronto Star on the conditions in Ontario fit the situation here to a dot. It says: "A few men, driving recklessly, keep automobiles in disfavor with the rural population. The average man with his car gives less offence than formerly on country roads; he does not scorch as he used to, and he slows down when meeting vehicles. But here and there among motorists one is found who seems to find pleasure in causing as much annoyance as possible wherever he goes. He seems to enjoy the excitement he stirs up when a Clyde-dale, large enough to know better attempts to climb a tree or paw his way up a telegraph pole. The hoodlum cannot be suppressed. He will ride bicycles, he will rip his way across country in his auto; he will be among the first to use flying machines. The only way to deal with him is to greet him everywhere with a prompt and cheerful system of arrests and fines."

THE PROTECTIONIST HORSE LEECH.

President Taft has signed the Aldrich-Payne tariff bill. Two pens were used in the historical act, and they have passed into the hands of Senators and Congressmen as mementoes of a most important event in the fiscal affairs of the year. They will be treasured by their possessors and become heirlooms, possibly, in the families of two great statesmen. Mr. Taft avers, apologetically, that the bill is an honest attempt to redeem the pledges of himself and other leaders of the Republican party to revise the tariff downwards. At the same time there are two or three vessels on their way across the Atlantic laden with goods from foreign countries. If these steamers had arrived before the president affixed his signature to the measure, we are told the importers interested would have been saved several hundreds of thousands of dollars in duties. That fact does not indicate that the tariff has really been revised downwards, but rather that it is a dishonest and successful attempt of Mr. Taft and the Republican party to dodge the pledges they made during the late presidential election. It will not avail the apologetic president or any of his party colleagues to say the importers will have to pay the additional duties. The people might have been fooled at one time by such sophistry. They cannot be fooled all the time by "arguments" of that kind. They know now, if they never did before, that the added duties will come out of their pockets. And that is the point, not the possible effect of the new tariff upon their trade relations with the United States, that is of interest to Canadians. It is none of our business the manner in which the people of the United States choose to conduct their fiscal affairs. The lesson for us is to be vigilant, watchful and jealous lest the beneficiaries of the tariffs in our country gain control of governments and legislatures. The experience of the United States teaches that there never yet was a tariff framed high enough to satisfy them. They always will be on the alert to see what advantages they may gain at the expense of the consumers. They will never cease from complaining that they are in danger of being ruined by the competition of cheap foreign importations. At one time their influence was paramount in the councils of one Canadian political party, which party on their behalf insisted as far as it had the power to insist that the tariff of the Dominion should be raised to correspond with the tariff of the United States—that it should be hung as "high as Haman's gallow" if necessary. All the country now sees what the ultimate outcome must be should we become partners in any such competition. The fiscal tendency in the United States is upward, always upward, and always will be upward as long as the trusts and monopolies are in control of the legislature and the class which pays the piper remains apathetic and indifferent. Nor is Canada the only country which is likely to learn a salutary lesson from the experience of the United States. The burlesque which has been on the boards in Congress for several months will strengthen the hands of the people in Great Britain who are at the present time engaged in a strenuous battle for fiscal freedom—who are striving to circumvent the designs of the classes who are clamoring for the adoption of a system which will "broaden the basis of taxation," which being interpreted means a shifting of taxation from the shoulders of those best able to bear it to the shoulders of those whose life is a continuous struggle to earn the necessities and ordinary comforts of life.

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HSU PING-CHEN AND FAMILY IN VICTORIA

Consul-General at San Francisco Comes to Open New School.

Chinatown is en fete to-day for the visit of His Excellency Hsu Ping-Chen, consul-general of the Flowery Kingdom at San Francisco. The whole city indeed is honored by the presence of such an eminent diplomat and distinguished man. The yellow dragon flag of China is floating high over many of the Chinese residences and places of business.

Hsu Ping-Chen is one of the leading members of the Progressive party, and a personal friend of Prince Ching, viceroy of China, and of Yu Ting Fang. He has rendered his country good service in several important diplomatic missions, and his appointment to the position of consul-general at San Francisco, second in rank on this continent only to the Chinese ambassador at Washington, is a recognition of the value of his services. This trip is the first an official of this rank has ever made from the city of his residence during his term of office, and is in itself significant of the changed conditions under a progressive government.

The party arrived on the Princess Victoria, and were met by Lee Mong Kow, chairman of the Chinese school board; Lee Dye, president of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association; Seto More, Gim Fook Yuen, Lim Dat, Lim Bang and several other prominent Chinese merchants. His Excellency shook hands heartily with each one. The party were driven in carriages to the residence of Lee Mong Kow, Elsgard street. During their stay they will be the guests of him and other leading merchants.

In the party are Madame Hsu, their daughter; Chi T. Hsu, their son; Goon Dip, vice-consul at Seattle; B. W. Moyson, of the vice-consul at Portland, and members of their retinue, some in native attire and some in European. His Excellency was dressed in the plain black silk suit and cap of a Chinese gentleman, but the ruby sparkling in the front of his cap betokened him an official of the highest rank. He has an exceedingly pleasant manner. Madame Hsu and her daughter wore beautiful bows of pale blue silk, the skirts being richly and artistically embroidered. They wore gold ornaments and jewels in their hair.

Chi T. Hsu, son of the consul-general, is a bright young man, yet under 20, and talks perfect English. He is a student at the University of California, is quite American in attire, and as interpreter for his father is of great assistance to him. Hsu Ping-Chen speaks English a little, but prefers to have his son interpret for him. "It is the desire of China to be on terms of peace and friendship with this country and with the United States," said the consul-general through his son. "We appreciate the friendship of our English-speaking brothers, and believe the time is coming when we will work together as brothers."

Hsu Ping-Chen will be the principal figure in the opening of the Imperial Chinese school to-morrow.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK PASSENGER TRAIN

Accident Averted Through the Derailing of Freight Train.

(Times Local Wire.)

Everett, Wash., Aug. 6.—It was learned to-day that on the same night that the many incendiary fires occurred which threatened the destruction of the city, an attempt was made to wreck the Great Northern "Day" train at the point of Everett, B.C. The train was on a switch had been opened with a key that fitted it, and a terrible disaster was probably averted when a freight train, backing into the open switch, was derailed. Had it not been for this the heavy passenger train, running at high speed, would have crashed through the switch and many persons would undoubtedly have been killed in the wreck. Railroad officials who have investigated think that revenge may have been the motive for the act.

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A resolution of thanks was voted to Mr. McDonald, who kindly placed at the disposal of the boys' department his grounds at Sidney on which they camped. A resolution of thanks was also passed to A. E. McNeill, who gave \$500. in addition to his other subscription, as the commission on the sale of the site for the new building. A committee was also appointed to plan for the annual excursion to be held on Labor Day.

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There passed away last evening at St. Joseph's Hospital Mrs. Charlotte Cave-Brown-Cave, a sister of Hon. Edgar Dewdney. She was the widow of Rev. Jordan Cave-Brown-Cave, who many years ago was a resident of British Columbia. He was curate of New Westminster over fifty years ago, and subsequently took charge of Saanich parish.

In the sixties Mr. and Mrs. Cave-Brown-Cave returned to England, where he was curate of Windsor for some time previous to his death.

His widow returned to British Columbia about five or six years ago. For several years she has been an invalid and for weeks she has hung between life and death at the hospital.

SILVER CURRENCY IS BEING RENEWED

United States Coins Being Reported and Worn Ones Replaced.

The silver currency of the Dominion is undergoing a general renovation. The banks are retaining all the American silver that comes into their hands for the purpose of depositing it, apparently on an understanding with the Dominion authorities.

Canadian silver coins which have worn smooth are also being redeemed and brand new ones issued in their stead. Mutilated silver is being redeemed also at 75 per cent. of its value; so that in a short time the coinage of the country should be fairly free from foreign silver, and should also be bright and clean.

MAKE YOUR TRIP TO SEATTLE by the fast S. S. Iroquois, leaving daily at 9 a. m.

TEN DAYS' SALE OF HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES.
English sheeting, 72 inches wide, sale price 25c a yard; 50 inches wide, 25c a yard. All towels, bed quilts, sheets, pillow slips, lace curtains, table cloths and linens reduced for this sale. Robinson's Cash Store 642 Yates street.

During the year 1908, 423,563 tons of fish were landed in Scotland (exclusive of shellfish), the value being \$2,152,162.

BICYCLE RACES

Don't forget the BICYCLE ROAD RACE to Sidney, in conjunction with Grocers' Picnic, August 12th.

TWO RACES SEVEN PRIZES

Call at our store for full particulars and entry blanks.

Thos. Pilmley
CENTRAL CYCLE DEPOT,
1110 GOVERNMENT ST.
Opposite Spencer's.

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GROCERIES, HARDWARE, DAIRY PRODUCE.

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Jersey Cream
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FINAL CLEARANCE
To make room for our new Fall Clothing

Saturday Only

YOUR ABSOLUTE CHOICE OF OUR

\$20 and \$25 SUITS \$12.50

This is the greatest suit value ever offered. All this season's fine English Worsteds and Scotch Tweeds.

Plain Blues and Blacks not included.

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Finch & Finch
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Our Name Behind Our Clothing Is an Important Asset. It's Your Protection. Our Name Behind Our Furnishings Is Worth a Good Deal to You.

For a Wooden Wedding

A birthday gift or an ordinary-present few things would give more delight than one of our new models in

MISSION CLOCKS
Prices Range From \$3.50 to \$15.00

We are showing an exceptionally fine line, some Clocks in the dull Mission or Early English style, others Colonial style, in highly polished golden oak. These are all splendid timekeepers and beautiful ornaments for library, den, bedroom or parlor.

Note our windows—a good index to the up-to-date store within.

W. H. Wilkerson
The Jeweler
915 GOVERNMENT ST.
Tel. 1466.

CREOSOTE SUPPLY IS BEING RECEIVED

Temporary Shipments From Chicago Much Cheaper Than Seattle Price.

The city has already received part of the shipment of five hundred barrels of creosote which was ordered from Chicago, and this will keep the plant working for some time. It became necessary to secure a temporary supply until a shipment arrives from England, but the price asked for creosote in Seattle was too high. The city engineer was able to arrange for some from either Montreal or Chicago, and the latter was chosen on account of lower freight rates. Laid down here the shipment is costing about ten cents a gallon, whereas it would have cost 25c. or 30c. a gallon to bring a supply over from Seattle. A tank is to be erected at the outer wharf, in which a surplus stock will be kept hereafter, and thus the difficulties caused by delays in shipments from England will be avoided.

BURNS-JOHNSON FIGHT.

Victorians Will Have Opportunity of Seeing Championship Contest Next Week.

On all sides, in all lands, it is admitted that the battle for the world's heavyweight championship, which took place at Sydney, Australia, on December 26th, 1908, between Tommy Burns, of Canada, and Jack Johnson, of Texas, was the greatest event in pugilistic history. The moving pictures of this remarkable contest, taken at the ring-side, under the clear Australian noon-day sun, will be shown here on Monday and Tuesday at the Victoria theatre.

Although being fought in Sydney, ten thousand miles from the great centres of the world's population, no previous contest ever attracted so much attention in England and America. The films themselves, reproducing every detail of the contest, will furnish a very substantial evening's entertainment, but they will be reinforced by other pictures showing the training camps of both contestants, and interesting scenes of everyday life in the Antipodes. The pictures are now being shown simultaneously at the first-class theatres in New York, Chicago, Boston, Philadelphia, and all the leading cities of the United States and Canada, and the best people of every city are crowding the theatres to witness a faithful reproduction of the most talked-of contest in recent years.

Do you drink? Lemonade sets, \$1.00 to \$2.00. Imitation cut glass water pitchers, 50c, 65c, 70c and 90c. Tumblers, 60c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per doz. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

The funeral of the late Glen Stanley Woods took place yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock from the residence, 44 San Juan avenue, where services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Reid. There were a number of floral offerings presented and many friends of the family were in attendance.

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PROPOSALS FOR GRADING
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to Alberni (23 miles), according to plans
and specifications to be seen on and after
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R. MARPOLE,
Vice-President.
Vancouver, B. C., July 30th, 1909.

Fifth Regiment, C. G. A.
TO BOARDING HOUSE PRO-
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In view of the necessity
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owner of which may be out of
town or unknown, will communi-
cate name and address by postcard
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the Drill Hall, who will send for same.

W. RIDGWAY WILSON,
Adjutant Major

City Electric Lighting
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following electrical equipment:
50 Series Arc Lamps.
50 Absolute Hangers Cut Outs.
50 Light Regulating Transformer.
Switch Board Equipment, etc.
As per specification which can be seen at
the office of the undersigned.
Tenders are to be signed, sealed and de-
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The lowest or any tender not neces-
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W. M. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, July 31st, 1909.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

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W. M. W. NORTHCOTT,
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City Hall, Victoria.
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TWO RACES EACH
TO TWO STABLES

CLOSE FINISHES AT
WILLOWS YESTERDAY

Jockey Cup Next Week—Two
Mile Race Closing
Day.

J. Humbrecht, owner of Irma Lee
and Monvina, yesterday carried off two
purses at the Willows with the pair,
while the Clear Lake stable, C. C. Ed-
mett, trainer, put two long shots across
the board in Maud McG. and Col. Rip-
per.

One of the closest finishes of the
meeting was run in the second race
between La Rose and Long Ball. The
judge's decision went to La Rose by a
nose, with Long Ball and Ten Row
in the places. Many on the plank
thought the order of the first two
should have been reversed but in so
close a finish it was an impossibility
for anyone to distinguish who was not
directly on the line. La Rose had the
running, but Ten Row came with a big
finish and gathered in space almost
twice as fast as the winner. Another
strife would have altered the positions
without doubt.

Monvina, winning the six furlongs
from Redondo and Lord of the Forest,
equalled Roatta's track record of
1:14.2-5. The mare was easily the best
in the five, although Redondo came
close to a finish. Monvina took the
lead coming into the straight, and was
challenged by Redondo. Archibald,
however, called on the mare which
gaily responded, and held the opposi-
tion horse out a head past the post.
Lord of the Forest, after his game
race against Barney Oldfield, was
made a favorite in the race, but could
not get better than third.

J. Humbrecht has the honor of send-
ing to the post the shortest priced
horse this meeting in Irma Lee, win-
ner only by a head of the five furlongs,
and starting 1 to 3. Regina Arvi, sec-
ond favorite, took the place with Third
Chance third.

Col. Bronston beat a good field at a
long price with Frieze and My Bou-
quet, the money over a mile, and De
Grammont was the only horse in the
last race over a similar distance. Get-
ting the lead he went straight ahead
and was a six-lengths winner, with
Dr. White and Ripper in the money.
The favorite, Ozanne, was not in the
class.

The farewell stake is to be run Sat-
urday and as is apparent will be the
last of the stake purses. For a feature
event of the last Saturday of the
meeting, Aug. 14th, R. F. Leighton is now
receiving entries for a two mile race.
He wants five starters and there is
every chance that the entry will fill.
A substantial purse of about \$400 will
be hung up. The race should be the
biggest attraction of all the meet, bar,
of course, the classic Derby. R. F.
Leighton has offered a handsome silver
cup which will be on exhibit at Red-
fern's jewelry store, for the jockey get-
ting the best percentage next week.

Wins will count three points, seconds
two and thirds one. The boy with the
highest points takes the cup after the
last race of closing day.

The stewards had ruled El Paso off
the track for the rest of the meeting
as the horse is held to be too danger-
ous to start in big fields. El Paso is
a bad actor and has always given more
or less trouble. Details of yesterday's
races are:

First race—Five furlongs. Purse.
Two-year-olds fillies. Value to first
\$150.
Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl.
Irma Lee, Archibald (115) 1-2 9-20
Regina Arvi, Gaule (115) 2-7 2
Third Chance, Keogh (110) 5 12
Tribuna, Brooks (110) 10 25
Alarmed, Lycurgus (110) 6 15
Time, 1:02 2-5.

Second race—Four and a half fur-
longs. Selling. Four-year-olds and
upward. Value to first \$150.
Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl.
La Rose, Lycurgus (107) 3 3
Long Ball, Brooks (114) 6 6
Ten Row, Keogh (109) 10 7
Anna Karchina, McEwen (107) 6 15
Julia C. W. Kelly (112) 5 10
Water Thrush, J. King (107) 15 30
Alice F., Archibald (107) 2 9-5
Gyrcs, Gaule (109) 8 12
Time, 1:06 3-5.

Third race—Six furlongs. Selling.
Three-year-olds and upward. Value to
first \$150.
Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl.
Maud McG., W. Powers (108) 5 10
Beautiful and Best, Leeds (112) 3 10
Irish Mall, McEwen (109) 4 9-2
Lord Rossington, Lycurgus
(109) 6 6
Ornate, Keogh (106) 4 9
Semprole, Gaule (108) 10 15
Blameless, Archibald (107) 3 5
Incentive, Roberts (109) 20 50
Time, 1:15 3-5.

Fourth race—Six furlongs. Purse.
Three-year-olds and upward. Value
to first \$150.
Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl.
Monvina, Archibald (112) 2 8-5
Redondo, Brooks (114) 2 11-5
Lord of the Forest, Lycurgus
(105) 2 17-10
Marwood, W. Powers (112) 20 40
Col. Brady, J. King (105) 40 50
Time, 1:14 2-5.

Fifth race—One mile. Selling. Three-
year-olds and upward. Value to first
\$150.
Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl.
Col. Bronston, Callahan (101) 10 20
Frieze, Keogh (107) 3 3
My Bouquet, Archibald (109) 2 9-5
Flavigny, McEwen (105) 10 16
My Pal, Lycurgus (106) 5 12
Alchibades, Cole (109) 50 100
Christine A., Shale (109) 6 15
Be Brief, Jahnson (99) 10 20
Time, 1:45.

Sixth race—One mile. Selling. Three-
year-olds and upward. Value to first
\$150.
Horse and Jockey. Op. Cl.
Dr. Grammont, Lycurgus (114) 2 3
Dr. White, Leeds (114) 5 5
Ripper, J. King (114) 6 15
Margaret Randolph, Gaule
(110) 8 10
Santee, Brooks (117) 12 12
Melar, Jahnson (107) 6 25
Ozanne, Archibald (114) 2 12-10
Time, 1:12 3-5.

TYLER AND RHODES
DEFEATED IN DOUBLES

Go Down Before Breeze and
Gorill in Game at
Tacoma.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 4.—Several
surprises marked the fourth day's play
in the Pacific Northwest tennis tour-
nament here yesterday. W. S. Fitz, of
Seattle, regarded as a probable candi-
date for final honors, was easily put
out of the running by A. Gorill, of
Oakland. In the men's doubles, Tyler
and Rhodes, who were believed strong
enough to win the championship, were
eliminated by Grez and Gorill in one
of the prettiest matches of the
tournament. The play has now reach-
ed the semi-finals. To-day the doubles
championship will be decided between
Fitz and Russell, the Seattle pair, and
Breeze and Gorill.

The results yesterday were:
Men's singles—Gorill (Oakland) beat
W. S. Fitz (Seattle), 6-0, 6-3; Tyler
(Spokane) beat Breeze (Bellingham),
6-1, 7-5; Russell (Seattle) beat Ar-
strong (Tacoma), 6-2, 2-6, 4-4; Fitz
(Spokane) beat Shannon (Seattle), 6-3,
6-2; Shannon (Seattle) beat Bowen
(Keweenaw), 6-2, 7-5.

Men's doubles—Tyler and Rhodes
beat Pulford and Pulford (Tacoma),
6-4, 6-0; Gorill and Breeze beat Tyler
and Rhodes, 8-6, 6-2; Gorill and Breeze
beat Hewitt and Vazth (semi-final),
6-4, 6-4; Fitz and Russell (semi-final),
7-5, 6-3.

Mixed doubles—Miss Ryan and Tyler
beat Miss Vaeth and S. Pulford, 6-1,
6-0; Miss Lowell and Rhodes beat Miss
Skeewis and Claghorn, 6-1, 6-3; Miss
McFadon and Doriba beat Miss Wool-
sey and Lyon, 6-2, 6-0.

Women's singles—Miss Ryan beat Miss
Southern, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Kershaw beat
Miss Lowell, 6-2, 5-4, 6-2; Miss Hotch-
kiss beat Miss Skeewis, 6-0, 6-0; Miss
McFadden won from Miss Woolsey
by default.

Women's doubles—Miss Hotchkiss
and Miss Ryan beat Miss Kershaw
and Miss Keown, 6-2, 6-1; Miss Mc-
Fadon and Miss E. Ballie beat Miss
Lowell and Mrs. Southern, 6-4, 6-3.

BICYCLE RACES FOR
GROCERS' PICNIC

Entry Blanks Now Out for the
Handicap and Scratch
Events.

Thursday next being the grocers'
picnic at Sidney, where a long sports
programme has been arranged, a special
event for the day has been ar-
ranged. Two bicycle races will be
run, one a handicap and the other a
scratch event. Both will start from
Victoria, and gold, silver and bronze
medals are put up for the winners of
each.

The races have been promoted by
the New Departure brake manufactur-
ers, and all riders who ride in these
handicap must have one of these
brakes on their machines. A start
will be made from Yates and Douglas
streets, and the riders go by Douglas
street then out Tolmie avenue. The
scratch event is open to all.

Entry blanks can be obtained from
any of the sporting goods houses in
the city, and each entry must be ac-
companied by \$1.00. Prizes will be post-
ed at all turns to avoid competitors
missing the way. A large entry is an-
ticipated.

THE RING.
RINGSIDE GOSSIP.
San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 6.—Monte
Atell has executed an about-face and
if he whips Jimmy Reagan in Oakland
on August 11th he will have the privi-
lege of meeting Percy Cove before the
Mission Club on August 20th. If Re-
agan whips Atell he will be Cove's op-
ponent.

Johnny Frayne and Dick Hyland,
who fight before the Mission Club two
weeks from to-night, have begun to put
in their hardest licks and from now
until the day of battle they will make
things hum at the training quarters.
Both boys are in good shape to stand
the hard grind. This will be the most
important battle of Frayne's career
and as he is ambitious to meet Mc-
Farland, Nelson or any other top-notch-
er, he is not leaving anything undone
to get himself into the best of shape.

THE GUN.
TRAP SHOOTING.
Ottawa, Aug. 6.—In the Dominion
Trap shooting association meeting at
Rockcliffe yesterday the leading pro-
fessional shot was A. G. Thompson,
with a score of 187. The best amateur
score was 182, by R. Lewis, of Mon-
treal.

ISLAND ATHLETES
IN COMPETITION

Annual Championships Run
To-morrow Afternoon at
Oak Bay.

The Vancouver Island championships
for 1909 will be decided to-morrow af-
ternoon at Oak Bay, where all the best
athletes will assemble for the annual
contests. The meeting is being held
under the auspices of the local branch
of the B. C. amateur union, and will
feature the deciding point as to which
athletes are to represent the island in
the B. C. championships to be run at
Vancouver on August 28th. To-mor-
row's winners will have the chance to
go to the mainland events.

Harry Beasley, who won handsomely
at Winnipeg in the Canadian cham-
pionships, will be seen here publicly for
the first time to-morrow since his
eastern successes. This young runner
is sure to attract a lot of attention at
the meeting.

The relay race between the Y.M.C.A.
and the J.B.A.A., which will close the
programme, is another big draw of the
card. These two athletic organizations
have been in strong competition all this
year, and will both have strong teams
out to-morrow.

All the other events are well filled
with entries, and the programme con-
tains some of the best contests ever
held here. The athletic fraternity of the
city will witness one of the best meets
and fast time should be made, as the
track has been paced in perfect con-
dition.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN
NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

(Times Leased Wire.)
NATIONAL

Chicago, July 5.—Scores were as fol-
low:
First Game. R. H. E.
Chicago 2 5 0
Boston 1 6 1
Batteries—Brown and Archer; Richie
and Smith.

Second Game. R. H. E.
Chicago 4 2 2
Boston 0 4 1
Batteries—Pfeister and Archer; Brown
and Graham.

Pittsburg, Aug. 5.—Scores were as fol-
low:
R. H. E.
Pittsburg 1 5 1
Brooklyn 0 5 8
Batteries—Pfeister and Archer; Brown
and Graham.

St. Louis, Aug. 5.—Scores were as fol-
low:
R. H. E.
St. Louis 2 4 0
Philadelphia 1 5 6
Batteries—Backman and Phelps; Mc-
Quillen, Moran and Doolin.

Cincinnati, Aug. 5.—Scores were as fol-
low:
R. H. E.
Cincinnati 5 9 0
New York 4 12 3
Batteries—Ewing and McLean; Ray-
mond, Crandall and Schell.

AMERICAN.
New York, Aug. 5.—Scores were as fol-
low:
First Game. R. H. E.
New York 0 2 1
New York 4 12 3
Batteries—Pety, Waddell and Stephens;
Warhop and Kleinow.

Second Game. R. H. E.
New York 0 3 5
New York 0 3 5
Batteries—Graham and Criger; Wilson,
Hughes and Kleinow.

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STEAMERS LOSE RACE AGAINST NEW TARIFF Importers Who Have Merchandise on Ocean Will Pay Extra Duty. (Times Leased Wire.) New York, Aug. 6.—Importers who have merchandise on the twenty trans-Atlantic steamships which have been steaming at top speed in response to orders by wireless to reach port before the new tariff law went into effect...

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San Francisco Markets (Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Aug. 6.—Wheat—New crop, California Club, \$1.50; Australia, \$2.00; Sonora, \$1.50; new crop, Northern, Sept. delivery, \$1.50; Turkey, \$1.50; red, \$1.50; off, \$1.50; choice, \$1.50; common to fair, \$1.50; fancy, \$1.50; Chevalier, nominal. Eggs—Per dozen, including cases, 23c; firsts, 22c; seconds, 21c; thirds, 20c. Butter—Per pound, California fresh, extra, 22c; firsts, 21c; seconds, 20c; pack, 19c. New Cheese—Per pound, California flats, fancy, 15c; firsts, 14c; seconds, 13c; California Young America, fancy, 14c; firsts, 13c; seconds, 12c; Young America, 12c. Potatoes—New crop, per cental, 6c; 9c in sacks, and 6c in boxes; sweet potatoes, in crates, 4c per pound. Oranges—Per box, Valencia, \$2.25.

GRAIN MARKET (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Open High Low Close Wheat—Sept. 99 100 99 99, Dec. 98 99 98 98, May 97 98 97 97. Corn—Sept. 62 63 62 62, Dec. 61 62 61 61, May 60 61 60 60. Oats—Sept. 35 36 35 35, Dec. 34 35 34 34, May 33 34 33 33. Pork—Sept. 16.37 16.50 16.37 16.47, Jan. 16.37 16.50 16.37 16.47. Lard—Sept. 11.22 11.22 11.22 11.22, Oct. 11.22 11.22 11.22 11.22, Short Rib—Sept. 11.05 11.12 11.02 11.07, Oct. 10.75 10.80 10.70 10.87.

Vancouver Stock Exchange (Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Vancouver, Aug. 6. Listed Stocks. Bid. Asked. Alberta Canadian Oil, Alberta Coal & Coke, Burton Saw Works, International Coal, Portland Canal, Western Coal & Coke, Great West Permanent, Unlisted Stocks. American Canadian Oil, B. C. Copper Co., B. C. Packers, B. C. Permanent, B. C. Pulp & Paper, Can. Con. S. & R., Canadian Northwest Oil, Cariboo Camp McKinney, Diamond Vale C. & L., Northern Crown Bank, R. C. Scrip, Royal Collieries, Van. Ice & C. S., Verip.

MINING STOCKS (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Spokane, Aug. 6. Bid. Asked. Alameda, Copper King, Gertie, Humming Bird, Lucky Calumet, Missoula Copper, Monitor, North Franklin, Rex, Snowshoe, Snowstorm, Stewart, Tamarack, Wonder, International Coal, Idora, Idaho S. & K.

SEVERE ELECTRICAL STORM. San Diego, Cal., Aug. 6.—One of the severest electrical storms experienced in this section in years swept the ocean southwest of this city during the early hours of this morning. Serious injury to the government wireless station at Point Loma was avoided by grounding the aerial wire. The plant was reported to be slightly damaged. No vessels from this port or from Coronado were supposed to have been at sea, and it is believed that no damage was done to ships.

SHARP ADVANCE IN PRICES OF STOCK Union Pacific Touches New High Record—Only Leaders Are Active. (Times Leased Wire.) New York, Aug. 6.—Big earnings by Westinghouse Electric and the steel shares caused a sharp upturn in stocks to-day, ending with an unexpected advance of 3/4 points to 89 in the electric shares and forcing Union Pacific to its new high record of 2.03 and the Northern Crown Bank to its greatest price at 7 1/4. Activity in the stock market to-day was shown only in the leaders, which kept the trading guessing for so long a period. Trade was one of these, and its gain to-day was 1 1/4 points. Union Pacific closed with an advance of 1 point while steel common went two points higher than yesterday's closing. Copper and smelting shares were firm and active. Amalgamated went 1 1/2 points above yesterday and American smelters common 2 points. Erie was quite active and closed a point higher, while New York Central had a gain of 1 1/4. Southern Pacific gained 1/4, Great Northern 1/4, and a similar amount for Atchison.

High Low Bid. Amer. Copper, Amer. Car & Foundry, Amer. Col. Oil, Amer. Ice, Amer. Loco., Amer. Smelting, Amer. Sugar, Anaconda, Atlantic Coast, Atchison, B. & O., B. N. T., C. P. R., C. & O., C. & G. W., C. M. & St. P., Central Leather, C. F. & I., Colo. Sph., Con. Gas, D. & R. G., Do., pref., Do., 2nd pref., G. N. Ore cts., G. N. pref., Ill. Cen., Int. Paper, Do., pref., L. & N., M. St. P. & S. S. M., Mo. K. T., Mo. Pac., Nat. Lead, N. Y. O. & W., N. & W., N. Y. C. & H. R. R., Penn., People's Gas, Pressed Steel, Reading, Rock Island, Do., pref., Rock Island, Do., pref., Sloss Steel, St. P., Tenn. Copper, Texas Pac., Third Ave., U. S. Paper, Do., pref., Va. Car. Chem., Wabash, W. & A. R. R., Western Union, Westinghouse, U. S. Rubber, Do., 1st pref., Northern Ry., Beet Sugar, Money on call, 1/2 per cent. Total sales, \$21,500 shares.

HOTEL ARRIVALS DOMINION. Mrs. T. Pook, Selkirk; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Brunje, Miss Corday, New York; Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Alexander and wife, Barber, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Mercer, Vancouver; Mrs. M. S. Lamy, Miss Rumball, Brown, Long Beach, Cal.; A. L. Rumball, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stevenson, Toronto; W. T. Houlihan, Seattle; Mrs. Wigmore and daughter, London; Mr. and Mrs. C. Pulp & Paper, McKenzie, McLean, Mrs. F. L. Denman, Tacoma; Mrs. B. F. Chandler, Los Angeles; R. G. Anderson, Tacoma; W. Jacobson, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. Hodge, Spokane; Daisy Pratt, Dominion Trust Co., Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morris, Calgary; J. Maylo, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Held, Freeport, Ill.; Mrs. J. T. Frankland, Walla Walla; H. E. Schramm, Winnipeg; Mr. H. E. Plase, Mrs. Wm. Bettis, Rockland, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Hayes, Portland; Robt. Bentill, Bay City, Mich.; F. C. Cooke, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bates, Kamloops; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Waters, Eddyville, Neb.; J. B. Armstrong, Ganage. EMPRESS. D. Drawer, Seattle; F. H. Hogan, Duncan; W. H. Götter, New York; F. E. Hering, Seattle; D. B. Ruggles, Boston; E. Embiel and wife, D. L. James and wife, Vancouver; G. Schramm, Winnipeg; Mr. J. E. Horton, Seattle; M. A. Harrington, P. J. Nelson and wife, Idaho; H. H. Patterson and wife, Philadelphia; J. W. Zallons and wife, El Paso; J. M. Archibald, Fort Vancouver; J. M. Anderson; L. B. Bailey, New York; B. Wilson, Vancouver; C. S. Strang, Winnipeg; J. H. Easterton, R. T. Wilson and wife, Baltimore; R. M. Honnings and wife, Seattle; J. F. Burns, Vancouver; J. F. Corke and wife, Miss E. Corke, Honolulu; F. C. Curtis and wife, Albany; M. F. Soper, L. Helmut, Brooklyn; A. M. Booth, Toronto; W. J. McAlpine and wife, Seattle; J. L. Lawson, Dr. W. Couthard and wife, R. M. Atwater, A. Perry and wife, Vancouver; J. Turner, A. Gould, Toronto; E. C. Gibson, Vancouver; H. J. Clarke, L. F. Sherrin, Winnipeg; J. W. Carter and wife, Racine, Wis.; E. H. Howes and wife, Los Angeles; M. L. Mottenthal, Montreal; T. M. Darlington, Seattle. DRIARD. W. E. Hedges, Vancouver; James Grant, M. D. Victoria Road, Ont.; H. T. Manner, Mansfield, O.; H. A. Woodhoff and wife, Douglas, Ariz.; J. D. Munro, Edmonton; R. R. Brown, and wife, Seattle; Mrs. E. Fox, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Falmer, Sackville, N. B.

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GOLD BRICKS SENT BY REGISTERED MAIL (Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Aug. 6.—Gold bricks weighing 3,400 pounds and worth more than half a million dollars were handled by the clerks in the Seattle post office yesterday. They reached the local post office from Alaska on Wednesday afternoon, but so much secrecy was observed by the postal authorities that it was not until to-day that the story leaked out. A mere intimation of the existence of the government knew of and none who handled it in transit had any idea of its value. The gold was collected as dust and nuggets at Fairbanks by the Fairbanks Banking Company and the First National Bank in the regular course of business. After being melted it was consigned to the Seattle assay office, on route to the mint for coinage. The cargo was in 33 inner sacks, twenty being in a sack, and nearly four pounds to a brick. It came down from Fair-

banks by steamer to Vancouver and from there to Seattle by the Great Northern railroad. It was handled as ordinary registered mail matter, no special precautions being taken to guard it, secrecy being depended upon largely as the element of safety.

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PASSENGERS INDIGNANT AT JEBSEN COMPANY

Sudden Sailing Date Inconveniences Those Going to San Francisco.

Steamer Ella was expected to leave here to-day but inquiry at the office of the agent elicits the information that she will not sail until the 20th. The word to that effect was received, last night, but the local agency is very reticent in the matter.

Complaints have been made by passengers who were going to San Francisco on the steamer that they had made all arrangements to go on her and that they were not notified of the change in good time. At least one or two came over from Seattle to join her here, armed with tickets from that port. After arrival here they were told that the vessel would not sail, and some of the people are short of cash. This has made it very awkward for them.

The Jebesen Company avoid the United States coasting laws by sending the passengers to this port to embark. The passengers were told up to the last minute before leaving that the vessel would sail on time. Now they are much disappointed and cannot say anything but enough about the people who have deceived them. They have missed the opportunity of going on the steamer Queen and there is not another steamer until next week.

NO EXTRA CHARGE.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 4.—The extra charge that was imposed by the harbor board upon the big freight shippers on freight that had remained on the wharf longer than 24 hours was removed yesterday. Hereafter only the regular rental will be charged. The excess charge was placed on freight in order to get the wharves cleared quickly.

APRICOTS ARRIVE FROM SAN FRANCISCO

Few Peaches Turned Back—199 Passengers Aboard Steamer.

A large consignment of fruit arrived from San Francisco this morning on the steamer City of Puebla, apricots being the most important. The fruit was in better condition than some former shipments, and most of it was allowed to pass by Inspector Wilkerson. There were about 80 boxes of peaches affected with peach worm. These were sent back. The peach worm attacks plums as well as peaches, and is a dangerous pest.

There were 199 passengers on the steamer, but only sixteen embarked at this port as follows: Mrs. J. E. Christian, E. Goddard, Miss R. Mahlenberg, G. J. Gooding and wife, W. G. Melville and wife, Edwin Barnwell and seven second-class. The Puebla left for Puget Sound soon after 8 a.m.

THREE CHARTERS.

Arranmore, Lovernbank and Englehorn to Carry Nitrates.

Three new charters are announced, two of which are well-known at this port. Capt. Montgomery of the British ship Arranmore, which loaded lumber at Tacoma this spring for Callao, writes that his vessel has been chartered to load nitrate for the United Kingdom, and will leave for home August 10th. He expects to finish discharging his lumber cargo by July 10th.

The British barque Lovernbank, Capt. Turner, is loading nitrates at Iquique for Bilbao, Spain.

Capt. Olsen, of the British barque Englehorn, sends word that he is loading nitrates at Mejillones for the United Kingdom and expects to get away about the middle of August.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.)

Point Grey, Aug. 6, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar., 30.05; temp., 62; in, St. Denis 7.30 a.m.
Cape Lazo, Aug. 6, 8 a.m.—Clear; northwest breeze; bar., 30.10; temp., 56; sea moderate.
Tatoosh, Aug. 6, 8 a.m.—Clear; north-east wind, 14 miles; bar., 30.11; temp., 53; sea moderate; out, U. S. S. Supply; in, Puebla, midnight; out, Virginia, 4 a.m.; out, steamer Thor, 4.15 a.m.; in, Titan, 4.15 a.m.
Pachena, Aug. 6, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar., 30.06; temp., 62; sea moderate.
Estevan, Aug. 6, 8 a.m.—Clear; calm; bar., 30.16; temp., 55; sea moderate; fishing schooner northbound, 8 a.m.
Cape Lazo, Aug. 6, noon.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar., 30.11; temp., 64; sea moderate; spoke Quadra north-bound in Seymour Narrows at 8.10 a.m.; spoke Humboldt at 8.20; she passed Cape Lazo north bound at 11.45.
Point Grey, Aug. 6, noon.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar., 30.02; temp., 67.
Tatoosh, Aug. 6, noon.—Clear; wind N. E., 12 miles; bar., 30.11; temp., 54; sea moderate; passed in barge Charger, towing, at 9.10 a.m.; at 10 a.m. U.S.S. Supply reported 30 miles off Grey's harbor; wind N. W., 12 miles; sea smooth; no fog; weather clear.
Estevan, Aug. 6, noon.—Clear; calm; bar., 30.16; temp., 62; sea smooth.
Pachena, Aug. 6, noon.—Clear; wind W.; bar., 30.09; temp., 59; sea smooth.

MARINE NOTES

Steamer Princess Ena has gone north with 1,300 tons of freight for Skagway, consisting of stores for the winter bound through to Dawson.
Capt. Townsend, formerly master of the steamer Tees, but later of the Princess Ena, has had to undergo an operation at the hospital Vancouver. He is still seriously ill.

FERTILIZER AND OIL FROM WEST COAST

Salt Going to Creameries Near Kamloops—Whales Numerous Still.

Yesterday morning the steamer Otter arrived from Kyquoot with the biggest cargo of whale products she has ever carried. This included 168 barrels of whale oil and 1,815 sacks of fertilizer. While the steamer was there the whales were still being caught, four being cut up the day of her arrival and one the day following. Each station now has considerably over 200 for the season.

The Otter loaded a cargo of salt and other freight at the outer dock this morning for Vancouver. The salt is a large shipment which is going inland to the neighborhood of Kamloops for use in the creameries.
When the Otter has delivered the freight at Vancouver she will go to Ladysmith for coal and fill up with barrels here, all of which will be taken to the whaling stations on the west coast and another cargo of fertilizer brought here.

MAYOR ARRESTED.

Charged With Attempting to Extort Money From Railway President.

Philadelphia, Aug. 6.—A. C. Eby, mayor of Burkville, Va., was arrested here yesterday charged with attempting to extort money from President McCrea, of the Pennsylvania railroad. Eby in a recent letter is alleged to have demanded \$45,000 from the railway under threat of blowing up the railroad property with dynamite. He was decoyed to this city under pretence that the money would be paid, and was promptly arrested. He was held in \$10,000 bail.

WIRELESS STATION BIGGER THAN ANY

United States Navy to Erect Tower at Washington, D. C.

The United States navy has placed with a Pittsburgh firm a contract for the machinery necessary to generate sufficient power to send wireless messages three thousand miles. The machinery is now all ready for installation, but as yet there is no place to install it nor a tower high enough on which to place the equipment for sending messages so great a distance. It was suggested by one of the officials of the navy department that the Washington monument be used for the purpose, but the proposition was met with such a storm of protest from the public, that the idea was quickly abandoned. And now the government is to build a special tower for the purpose.

This tower will have a base of fifty feet in diameter, tapering to eight feet at the top, at which point it will be just six hundred feet from the ground level. When completed it will be in a class all by itself, no other wireless station ever having been built to such proportions. This tall chimney-like structure will be built of steel and concrete. On account of the recent development of the efficiency of concrete, it was decided to use this character of material. The tower, of course, will be in Rock Creek park, and the top will be reached by a spiral stairway.

The whole scheme for building this gigantic wireless station was brought about through the navy department, because of its desire to reach its ships at sea. The machinery for operating the station is guaranteed to deliver to all instruments keyed to receive it within a radius of 3,000 miles. To-day wireless can be depended on to reach no farther than 1,000 miles, and the delivery even at this distance is uncertain. The cost of the installation of the new station will be \$300,000.

TO-MORROW'S RACE ENTRIES.

Entries for to-morrow's races at the Willows track follow:
First race—5 furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up.
460 Prosper 102
467 Hattie Dodson 102
468 Incentive 102
467 Alcibades 109
496 Col. Brady 104
498 Dandy Pipe 104
479 Bold 109
4883 Ben Stone 109
498 Cliff Rogers 102
Second race—5 furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up.
(487) Bellsnickel 109
488 Novogrod 102
489 Marvel P. 107
485 Blamless 104
487 All Alone 109
487 Bestman 102
4883 Zack Abrams 109
478 Wamboro 102
489 Storma 107
Third race—6 furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up.
494 Lady's Beauty 117
490 Mike Hennessy 122
492 Golden Wine 117
494 Long Ball 112
494 Ten Row 117
493 Barmen 117
491 Abbey 117
494 Pacifico 119
Fourth race—1 mile; Farewell handicap; 2-year-olds and up; value \$500.
486 Johnstown 106
492 Pastoral 114
486 Emma G. 106
(492) Barney Oldfield 112
482 Edwin T. Fryer 106
492 Rosalee 114
4869 Monville 111
Fifth race—5 furlongs; Carboos handicap; all ages; purse \$300.
491 L.A. (73) Mauretania 103
493 Marwood 112
(493) Burleigh 103
491 Illusion 103
(492) Father Stafford 106
495 Galinda 101
Sixth race—5 furlongs; purse; 2-year-olds and up.
488 Edie Graney 112
(496) Lewiston 111
497 Tom O'Malley 107
(478) Naps Nick 114
(487) Miss Heidi 111
486 Redem 106

STRIKE SETTLED.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 6.—A street car strike which has been in progress here for 69 days was settled to-day. The men lifted their boycott against merchants who had supported the company. The terms of the settlement were not announced.

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Boston and return 110.50
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VICTORIA PLEASD WOMEN DELEGATES

Writer Tells of the Reception They Received in This City.

The delegates to the congress of the International Council of Women have completed their tour of Canada and the United States with a few exceptions, and have started for their homes in various parts of the world. An Ottawa citizen staff writer describing the trip has the following to say of Victoria:

"A boat trip to Victoria on a beautifully clear afternoon revealed again the beauties of the mountains and for miles the snow-capped hills were seen and their wonders remarked. Mt. Baker showed up high and clear for many hours."
"If there is one place where the work of the Women's Council is appreciated more than another it is in Vancouver and Victoria. A large audience awaited the steamer at the last named place and prominent among the members of the reception committee was noticed Bishop Perrin of Columbia, who was the first to welcome the visitors on board as they landed. The bishop is firmly convinced that the women are working in the right direction, and will uphold them in the object of uplifting and protecting women and children, which all agree can be better done by women than men, although their earnest assistance is also required. A magnificent banquet at the Empress hotel, a drive, and then the party left for Seattle."

NEW GRAND THEATRE.

A first class show is running at the New Grand theatre this week, having for its head liner Vera De Bassini, the Italian Nightingale, whose charming voice has delighted hundreds here. Her singing is most attractive, and her selection and the "The Last Rose of Summer." Her performance closes with a splendid voice imitation of violin music with orchestral accompaniment. Tom Bateman, the English sailor and hornpipe dancer, gets the applause at every appearance. His dancing is a revelation to many. He is step perfect, and could compete with many of the best hornpipe dancers of the world. He also sings acceptably.

The brothers Wood present a splendid aerial ring act that never fails to draw. The double somersault in the air while swinging to and fro on the suspended rings is quite a feat and most cleverly executed. The two Ahlbergs have a comic and clever hand balancing performance that shows great ability. They are the principal comic turn of the show. Harvard and Cornelia, the actress and the duke, and Thomas J. Price with an illustration of song, and the laughable motion pictures, are the other turns. The show runs through this week three times per day. Tom and Stasia Moore, the favorites of the continent, will be at the Grand next week.

PANTAGES THEATRE.

Advance notices for next week's bill at Pantages theatre reveals the delightful news that John Hedger and his wonderful wrestling ponies, "Madison" and "Banner," is to be on the bill. This attraction in conjunction with Leon Morris' circus of animal acts, which is also booked here for next week, appeared in Victoria two seasons ago and smashed all records for attendance. The exceptionally high class show this week with its delightful concert of music, Chinese comedy and big novelty features, continues to attract the crowds to Johnson street.

TIMELY RECIPES.

Rice Cakes.—Four eggs, two oz. butter, four oz. castor sugar, two or three oz. currants, one-half gill cream, four oz. rice flour, four oz. Vienna flour. Beat up the eggs and sugar with a whisk for fifteen minutes. Sift both flours, and stir into the beaten eggs. Melt the butter and add also lastly the currants and the cream. Have ready some buttered party paper or small cake tins; fill these with the mixture, and bake from twenty-five to thirty minutes in a moderately heated oven.

Lobster Soup.—Put the body bones of two lobsters and one pound of fresh fish bones in a saucepan; add half a carrot, cut in slices, small onion in which three cloves have been pressed; two stalks of celery or a teaspoonful of celery seed, and three quarts of water over the fire. Let simmer two hours, then strain through a sieve and afterwards through a cheese cloth. Melt one-fourth a cup of butter; in it cook half a cup of flour, half a teaspoonful of paprika, and one teaspoonful of salt; add a little of the broth (cooled to lukewarm), and stir until boiling; add the rest of the broth and let simmer ten minutes. Finish with the yolks of three eggs, beaten and diluted with half a cup, each, of milk and cream. Stir constantly, but without boiling. Put the egg in set.

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Miss Mary Burge, a popular young lady from Walford, England, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burge, of that place, who are well and favorably known, was married to Mr. E. Sidney Woodward, the popular and prosperous proprietor of the Victoria West supply stores, at Christ Church cathedral yesterday by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin. Rev. Dr. Spencer gave the bride away for her father. Miss Burge arrived from England last week for the purpose of being married. Mrs. Woodward will be an acquisition and make for herself, as her husband has many friends in Victoria. The bridal party was entertained at the Balmoral after the ceremony, from where they left on their honeymoon with the good wishes of many.

TURKISH TEA PARTY.

When a Turkish lady gives a chaine, or tea party, her husband is perforce excluded from the harem while the strange women are in the house. These guests begin to arrive toward six, accompanied by their maidservants and negroes, carrying lanterns and bringing their children with them. The closely muted, they divest themselves of their burmouses and babouches in an ante-room, and put on delicate satin slippers, which they have brought with them in bags. The reception-rooms are brilliantly lighted up with pink wax candles and scented with fragrant pastilles.

There is no kissing or handshaking between the hostess and her guests, but each lady, as she comes in, raises her hand graciously to her heart, her lips, and her brows, which means, "I am devoted to you, with heart, mouth, and mind." This mode of salutation, when smilingly performed, is very pretty.

The greetings being ended, the company seat themselves on chairs, if there are any foreign ladies present; if not, they betake themselves to the divans and carpets, while the children go off all together to be regaled and to romp in some other room.

Cigarettes, coffee and sweetmeats are handed around, says the Travel Magazine, and while these things are being discussed, the ladies are bound to pay one another compliments about their respective dresses, which are sure to be most sumptuous, and, indeed, are sometimes worth a fortune.

The evening costume of a Turkish lady consists of a long tunic with open flaps and a wide pair of trousers, and when these articles are of costly stuffs, embroidered, laced and covered with jewels, they produce a rare effect.

After the coffee, dancing girls are introduced, and at this stage of the proceedings the elderly ladies generally settle down to cards and back-gammon. In some houses a woman pianist rattles off waltzes and operatic music to amuse the company, but this does not exclude the performance of the native dances by girls, whose gyrations and fantastic music with tambourines and castanets are much appreciated.

When the evening has been more or less agreeably spent amid these pastimes and conversation, it is the lady of the house who gives the signal for the guests to retire. This she does by clapping her hands and exclaiming "Cha! cha! ye!" (Bring in the cake.) At once the maidservants hurry off to fetch the delicacies, and soon a very aromatic, creamy and spongy pudding is produced, and this having been honored as it deserves, silver basins full of rosewater are carried in for the guests to wash their hands with, and then the party is at an end. A very quaint form of salutation speeds the parting guest. As each lady comes up to express her thanks for the hospitality she has enjoyed the hostess answers sweetly, "How happy I am that girl is all over!" which means "I am that girl is all over!" which means "How happy I am that no accident has befallen any of us during the delightful evening!"

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. Morris, of Calgary, arrived in town yesterday.

Mrs. S. Newberry is spending a few days in Vancouver with friends.

Mrs. A. E. Starr is entertaining Mrs. Fred A. Galbraith of Vancouver.

Mrs. Lenning, Beacon Hill, is entertaining Mrs. J. W. Jowett of Macleod.

Mrs. A. E. Lewis, of Chemainus, is listed among the Island visitors to the city.

Miss Kathleen McQuarrie is visiting friends in New Westminster and Vancouver.

Mr. H. Dalby will be the host of a card party this evening at his camp at Foul Bay.

Mrs. H. F. Shade, Third avenue, is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Rourke, of Brandon, Man.

Miss Lottie Davis of this city, is the guest of Mrs. J. Towle, Mount Pleasant, Vancouver.

Mrs. Borman and Miss Borman have returned to town after a pleasant stay at Salt Spring Island.

Mme. Koche has returned to town after a pleasant holiday with friends in Vancouver and Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jay have returned to town after a holiday in Banff and other points in the interior.

Mrs. Rismiller and the Misses Gaudin are visiting the A.-Y.-P. Miss B. Gaudin will join them for the weekend.

A Brandon party, who are in Vancouver at present and will visit Victoria shortly, consists of Mrs. Todd, her son Gordon Todd, and Miss Hollinger.

A party from Philadelphia, who are staying at the Empress, includes Mrs. Wm. Verleden, Miss Ely Verleden, Miss Ruth Verleden and Miss May Verleden.

Mrs. Francis Masson, of Portland, Oregon, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred N. Steen, at 387 Fort street, Mrs. Masson formerly resided at Fergus, Ontario.

Mrs. Bamfylde Daniell has been busily painting through the holiday season, and will have an exhibition of her canvases early in the fall. At present she is doing a lovely pastel portrait of Miss Olive Bryden, which is sure to be very much admired. Most of Mrs. Daniell's landscapes of the past season have been painted in the picturesque districts surrounding Metchoin, and during the year, besides the large canvas showing Mt. Baker from Oak Bay, which was purchased by Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir, Mrs. Daniell has disposed of ten others most advantageously to friends and patrons in England, who are charmed with the coast scenery.

The Messrs. Herridge and their sister, Mrs. Baer, entertained about forty of their friends very delightfully last evening in their new home, 491 Vancouver street. The engagement was announced by Mr. Wallace Herridge to Miss Margaret W. Crowe, of Los Angeles, who is spending some time in town, the guest of Mrs. Baer. The well-known and always popular vocalists, were present and contributed much to the enjoyment of their fellow-guests by rendering a number of solos in their usual happy manner.



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Many times women call on their family physicians, suffering as they imagine, one from dyspepsia, another from heart disease, another from liver or kidney disease, another from nervous prostration, another with pain here and there, and in this way they present alike to themselves and their easy-going or over-busy doctor, separate diseases, for which he, assuming them to be such, prescribes his pills and potions. In reality they are all only symptoms caused by some weakness or derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. The physician, ignorant of the cause of suffering, keeps up his treatment until large bills are made. The suffering patient gets no better by reason of the wrong treatment, but probably worse. A proper medicine like Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, directed to the cause would have entirely removed the disease, thereby dispelling all those distressing symptoms, and instituting comfort instead of prolonged misery. It has been well said, that "a disease known is half cured."

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BUILDING ACTIVE IN ROYAL CITY Many Structures Are Now in the Course of Erection. New Westminster, Aug. 5.—Including several business blocks, about \$200,000 worth of buildings has been started.

DROWNED IN SALMON RIVER. Vancouver, Aug. 5.—William C. Welborn was accidentally drowned last Sunday evening at Salmon River. He was on the wharf fishing and fell overboard.

STEAMER BEACHED. Saalt Ste. Marie, Ont., Aug. 6.—The steamer Garretson, owned by Ganley Bros., struck something at Sallors' Encampment yesterday and began to sink. She had to be beached.

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TWO MEN SHOT. New York, Aug. 4.—A dispute over a \$23 bar bill, which furnished drinks for 200 persons at a Coney Island hall yesterday afternoon ended with a shooting affray in which Chas. Stinch, a Brooklyn machinist, received a bullet wound from which he will probably die.

AUGUST BUSY MAN'S. The August issue of Busy Man's Magazine is an educational number. The rapidly passing mid-summer vacation reminds parent and child, teacher and taught, that school days are again not far off.

THE BISLEY TEAM. Montreal, Aug. 6.—A wireless message received here last night from the captain of the steamship 'Fusionian,' due here to-night, gives the following members of the Bisley team as being on board: Mercer, Jones, Gougeon, Russell, Morris, Stock, Bayles, Mortimer, Blackburn and Bloomfield.

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- GENUINE GERMAN DUSSELDORF MUSTARD, per jar..... 35c
- GENUINE GERMAN SARDELES, per tin..... 35c
- GENUINE GERMAN FILETS OF ANCHOVIES, per tin..... 25c
- GENUINE GERMAN PAPRIKA, sweet pepper, per tin 25c and..... 50c
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There is no other establishment in the city offers such a choice of real, good refrigerators—refrigerators so constructed as to preserve the foodstuffs and at the same time be economical on the ice consumption. The first cost isn't the only cost when buying refrigerators—not by any means. That's why you should see these ice SAVERS. Priced from..... \$12

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Body, red, varnished. Upholstered sides and mattress cushion. Lace parasol. Gear is all steel, four 14-inch rubber tire wheels. Whitney anti-friction wheel fastener. Whitney patent foot brake. Green enamel finish. Enamelled push bar.

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Body, red, varnished. Upholstered sides and mattress cushion. Lined chambray parasol. Gear is all steel, four 12-inch rubber tire wheels. Patent wheel fastener. Foot brake. Patent folding cross reach. Dark green enamel finish. Enamelled push bar.

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Body is wood, painted dark green or carmine and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth lined and reversible and removable, brass joints. Gear is English strap, 16-22-inch cushion rubber tire wheels. Whitney patent anti-friction wheel fastener, foot brake, enamel finish to match body. Enamelled push bar.

SEE THESE BUFFETS

WE would greatly appreciate an opportunity to show you these recent arrivals in buffets—buffet styles suitable for your dining room. These round out a showing of buffets not equalled elsewhere in the city and if you are at all interested in dining room furniture you should see these offerings. Pleased to show you through the entire stock and there's not the slightest obligation to purchase either.

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BABBAGE GOES TO HIGH COURT

SENT UP FOR TRIAL FOR STEALING MAIL

Preliminary Hearing of the Charges Against Alleged Letter Stealer.

Frederick Babbage, on remand, was committed for trial in the police court this morning, having elected through J. A. Alkman, his attorney, for trial by the higher court, on a charge of stealing from His Majesty's mail a mailed packet containing a small jewel.

Evidence of his employment in the postoffice having been given by Postmaster Shakespeare, B. F. Sheppard, in charge of the night staff at the postoffice, said he noticed Babbage acting suspiciously Saturday night, and set Mr. Lowry to watch him. He saw accused with a package and told him to go on duty at 7 o'clock. Babbage offered to stay and covered the package with newspapers.

"I told him to go again, and he moved to the Matchless mail bag and pulled a packet wrapper from it, at the same time taking a jewelry box from his pocket with the other hand. The box contained a letter from J. Anderson addressed to "My dear Emil," and a watch chain. The packet covering was addressed to Emil Ewart, Roseland, B. C. Babbage muttered something about it being a put up job when I grabbed both articles. I sent for the postmaster. Shortly after Babbage made a dash for liberty. He was brought back by two employees of the office."

J. H. Lowry, night register clerk in the postoffice, said he saw Babbage with something white, wrapping it up. He took Babbage to the postmaster's room on instructions from Mr. Sheppard. He identified the package in court. The package bore no postoffice stamp or postage stamp. Babbage complained of faintness and a window was opened. He then jumped through the window, but was brought back.

James Anderson, bank inspector, identified the package in court as that containing a Masonic jewel he owned and had given it to a messenger to mail.

In cross-examination he said he knew letters should not be enclosed in packets unless letter-rate was paid. The packet, however, was sealed and required letter-rate.

The bank messenger testified to having mailed the packet on Saturday night.

On a second charge of stealing eight letters, accused also elected to take his trial before the higher court. The evidence in this case was similar to that of the former, with the exception that evidence was given that while being detained in the postoffice Babbage had taken the letters from his pocket and thrown them on the floor. Some of the letters had been tampered with.

An arrangement was made between the parties and the court that the contents of the letters in court should be enclosed in other envelopes and mailed and the original covers be retained as exhibits in the case.

Detective H. J. O'Leary testified as to finding 125 letters in a drawer at the house of accused. Accused had told Detective O'Leary that anything that should not be at his house would be found in a certain drawer, where he recovered the letters.

MOTORING DISTANCES.

The following shows the distances from Victoria of different points on Vancouver Island:

| | Miles. |
|------------|--------|
| Alberni | 113 |
| Cowichan | 8 |
| Cowichan | 36 |
| Crematinus | 52 |
| Duncan | 40 |
| Goldstream | 31 |
| Ladysmith | 29 |
| Nanaimo | 72 |
| Shawnigan | 27 |
| Saanichton | 14 |
| Sidney | 15 |

PECULIAR BOMB AT MACHINERY DEPOT

Discovery is Made Before Any Explosion Took Place.

An accidental discovery of a bomb was made yesterday afternoon at the Victoria Machinery Depot in a tool chest by an employee who had occasion to go to the chest for tools. No clue as to the maker of the bomb or the reason of its being placed there has yet been obtained. The police are working on the matter and making enquiries.

The bomb was in an old tin in the chest. The workman picked the tin up to see what was in it, and had the explosive worked, as probably intended, he would have been blown to pieces. The bomb was made of a quantity of powder, metal filings and shot, all tightly packed with matches stuck into the tin and the mixture. The maker evidently believed that the person picking it up and handling it carelessly would ignite the matches and explode the bomb. It is held by the police that no one, as far as the management knows, had any reason to lay the blame in the way of the employees, the bomb may have been placed there by some one with the object of commencing a fire in the works. If so, its discovery yesterday prevented such an occurrence. The police will continue to prosecute enquiries.

CHINESE SCHOOL TO BE OPENED TO-MORROW

Splendid Building on Fisguard Street Ready for Occupation.

All aglow with electric lights, from basement to spire, was the new Imperial Chinese school on Fisguard street last night, and the interior was also aglow. Prominently placed in the vestibule is a large Union Jack. The splendid building showed up well under the lights. The official opening takes place to-morrow. In order to avoid a crush it has been decided by the executive of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association to divide the ceremony in half. In the forenoon at eleven there will be an opening ceremony for the Chinese residents, and at 2 o'clock there will be a ceremony in English, to which the mayor and aldermen, members of the school board and many prominent citizens have been invited. Seto More, secretary of the association, will preside and addresses will be delivered by leading Chinese residents and English-speaking citizens. The chief speaker will be His Excellency Hsu Ping-Chun, Imperial Chinese consul-general at San Francisco, who has come up to attend the ceremonies. The building is being decorated inside for the occasion and will present a striking appearance to-morrow.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

San Francisco, Aug. 5.—A. m.—Fine summer weather conditions prevail over the greater portion of the North Pacific states and British Columbia. Barkerville being the only station where rain has fallen in the past 24 hours. The low area remains central in Manitoba, rain has fallen in Alberta, and at Winnipeg a thunderstorm occurred causing a phenomenal rainfall of nearly three inches during the past 24 hours.

Forecasts. For 24 hours ending 7 p. m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds; fair and warm today and Saturday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fair and warm today and Saturday.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, 65; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, clear.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 64; minimum, 45; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 68; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 60; minimum, 40; wind, calm; rain, 2; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, .02; weather, cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, 64; minimum, 60; wind, 4 miles N.; rain, 2.52; weather, cloudy.

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VICTORIA OLD-TIMER DIES IN SEATTLE

Wm. P. Godfrey Had Iron Works Here Thirty-five Years Ago.

A former resident of Victoria who is still remembered by old-timers, William P. Godfrey, died at his home in Seattle on Wednesday.

Born in Ireland, in 1840, Mr. Godfrey, attracted by the boundless opportunities in the new world, started for the west when a young man of twenty. He fought through the civil war, and then, traveling by way of the Isthmus of Panama and San Francisco by easy stages, arrived in the little settlement called Seattle in 1869. His first venture was a boiler shop. Later by removing his works to Victoria and carried them on in a shop near the gas works. He married here in 1874 and a year later returned to Seattle, living ever since at 515 Cherry street in the home he then built. His hobby was working with mechanical instruments and tools. Only recently he patented an improvement on the Stilson wrench. He was well known and liked among the pioneers of the Sound city. Mr. Godfrey is survived by a widow, three sons and two daughters. William Godfrey and Philip Godfrey are near Valdez, in Alaska, and the other son, James J. Godfrey, is an attorney in Seattle. The daughters, Miss Julia and Miss Mary, live at home.

INQUEST IS TO BE HELD TO-MORROW

Miss Agnes Thomas Wants Inquiry Into Death of James Ainger.

Miss Agnes Thomas, who recently came to Victoria to be married, and whose intended husband, James Ainger, died last Monday at a Blanchard street boarding house, yesterday asked police assistance in enquiring into the death of her lover, as she believes he has been poisoned. She felt there were suspicious circumstances in the matter. The police sent her to Dr. Robertson, who had been called shortly after death. Dr. Robertson has reported the matter to the coroner and an inquest will be held to-morrow.

Miss Thomas claims that the man she was to have married had considerable money, and that after his death but 90 cents was found among his effects. Later, however, when a detective went to the house the landlady produced a watch and chain and \$100 in bills, which she said she had found in a pocket of clothes belonging to him. The deceased, she says, complained to her of feeling ill and said he thought he had been poisoned. This was some days before his death.

The funeral of the late James Ainger will not be held this afternoon, but is postponed until to-morrow afternoon.

PERSONAL

W. J. Moresby will go to Vancouver tonight to referee to-morrow's game between Vancouver and New Westminster. He received a wire from President Grey, of New Westminster, last night asking him to officiate and wired an acceptance.

Bishop McDonald has returned from his first visit to the Christie Industrial school at Alberni.

The fire loss for July amounted to but \$299 according to the report of Fire Chief Davis to the fire wardens at the monthly meeting yesterday afternoon.