

POLITICS CAUSE OF WAR TALK

OKUMA DISCUSSES EMIGRATION TROUBLES

Says That Americans Misunderstood the Japanese--Emperor Bestows Titles on Heroes of Battle

Tokio, Oct. 14.--Count Okuma, who in the first stage of the emigration troubles in America had disapproved of the government's pacific attitude, now practically admits that the radical utterances of both sides were largely prompted by politics.

In an interview yesterday Count Okuma said that the Americans misunderstood the Japanese, who are assailed at the utterances of the whole newspaper. Reports of American hostility of war he said, have always emanated in the United States and very naturally are copied by the newspapers of the Japanese. While he believes that the Americans are over-sensitive on the subject of Japanese emigration, he holds the opinion that the whole discussion is largely due to the fact that the United States is to have a presidential campaign next year.

It is not likely that the emigration question will be seriously discussed, or even become an issue at the coming session of the diet. The Japanese government believes that the entire question will be solved by the present discouragement of emigration and the strict observance of the laws.

Japanese War Heroes.

The Emperor of Japan held the final ceremony in the distribution of war rewards, when he personally bestowed titles in the peerage. The chief promotions--there are 102 in all--in rank are as follows: Princes--Marquis Ito, Marquis Yamagata, Marquis Oyama. Marquises--Count Inouye, Count Matsukata, General Nodzu. Counts--Admiral Togo, Admiral Ito, Admiral Yamamoto, General Kuroki, General Oku, General Nogai, Baron Komura (Ambassador to Great Britain), Admiral Togo's promotion to the rank of count is considered to be very noteworthy, as usually a viscountcy is the highest peerage for admirals.

DEATH WHILE HUNTING.

Member of Real Estate Firm Is Victim of Accident in Alberta.

Edmonton, Oct. 14.--By the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of one of his comrades, Geo. Gouin, member of the real estate firm of Gouin, Palmer & McIntyre, met with instant death while duck shooting with a party of friends on Cooking lake, 20 miles east of here.

For 25 years Gouin has been in the west, living for some time at Calgary, and later at Dawson, in the Yukon. He was about 45 years of age, having been born at Three Rivers, Quebec.

MONARCHS TO MEET.

King Edward and the Czar of Russia Will Have Interview at Copenhagen.

Copenhagen, Oct. 14.--A meeting between King Edward and the Czar has been arranged to take place here, according to the correspondent of the Politicians.

FALLS IN LOVE WITH A PICTURE

Mexican Senor Enamored of a Photo, Dies, and Leaves Original \$400,000.

Chicago, Oct. 14.--A dispatch from Milwaukee, Wis., says: Miss Lydia Paeschke, of this city, has been left a fortune of \$400,000 by Senor Juan Joe Manna, of Mexico.

The Senor saw a photograph of Miss Paeschke, and fell in love with it. He wrote a letter to the young woman, ardently expressing his love, but she did not respond. Soon afterwards he died, and when his will was opened, it was found that his entire fortune was left to the woman of the picture, whom he had never seen.

Inasmuch as there are no heirs at law, and as the will is legally drawn, Miss Paeschke will get the money as soon as the estate is administered. She was until recently Mrs. Paul Rosenthal, of West End, Wis., but was granted a divorce, the custody of her daughter, two years old, and the privilege of retaining her maiden name.

The Canadian-Mexican liner Georgia is due from ports on the Mexican west coast.

There was a meeting of the Melchior Farmers' Institute on Friday, when F. W. Kydd, J. A. Anderson, Miss Rose and Mrs. Fitzhugh were present and gave addresses. Mr. Kydd talked on Small Fruit, and Miss Rose chose for her subject "One Eye on the Country and the Other on the Town." The speeches were much enjoyed and elicited frequent applause.

STRANGE HALLUCINATION.

American Naval Commander Suddenly Becomes Insane--Believed He Is Persecuted.

Paris, Oct. 14.--Commander Briggs, of the United States navy, was picked up yesterday by the police and placed in an asylum for the insane. Subsequently he was turned over to the naval attaches at the American embassy, who placed him under medical treatment. Commander Briggs' actions caused alarm here. He seemed to be suffering from the hallucination that he was being persecuted.

BECOMES BRITISH CITIZEN.

Lord Fairfax, Once an American, Now Entitled to Sit in House of Lords.

London, Oct. 14.--Lord Fairfax has taken out papers as a British citizen, and now will be entitled to sit in the House of Lords. He has resided in England almost continuously since he came here to attend the King's coronation. Commander Albert Kirby Fairfax, twelfth Baron Fairfax, of Cameron, in the Peerage of Scotland, was born in Maryland in 1830. He is the son of John Conroy Fairfax, M. P., and Mary's daughter Fairfax, daughter of Col. Edmund Kirby, of the United States army.

CAR SHORTAGE ON CROW'S NEST LINE

EXPERT REPORTS TO RAILWAY COMMISSION

Equipment Was Tied up During Early Summer Months--Conditions Have Improved

Ottawa, Oct. 14.--A. F. Dillinger, assistant to the chief traffic expert of the railway commission, has made a report to that body regarding the shortage of cars for fuel on the Crow's Nest branch of the C. P. R. He visited Lethbridge, and Frank, Lillie, Hillcrest, Bellevue, Blainmore, Coleman and Fernie, and found there was a shortage of cars to some extent during the months of April, May, June and July.

Owing to a severe winter extending well into spring, the equipment was tied up to some extent in April and May. The strike in the mines, accidents on the line, and the fact that its railway company was directing its energies towards moving the previous season's grain before the new crop came in, accounted for the shortage in June and July, but at the time Dillinger was there about August 20th there were more cars on hand than were required.

Since July the cars for Canadian coal on the Crow's Nest line were plentiful, and likely to continue so. The mines shipping domestic coal had not been short of cars since July, but the mines shipping to the United States had been short at times. Owing to the scarcity of men, few of the mines were working to full capacity, but with 20,000 cars in continuous service throughout the Crow's Nest district, he thinks that there is not likely to be any shortage of cars for hauling all the coal the mines can supply.

ACQUITTED TO-DAY.

Money Paid to Arthur Wheeler Was Found to Have Gone Into Treasury.

Arthur Wheeler was this morning honorably acquitted of the charge of misappropriating \$4,000 obtained from John C. Ross, a Tanana mining man. The case was postponed from Friday last in order to allow the auditor of the Canadian Mine Smelter Supply Company to attend and give evidence.

In the course of a long and rather complicated examination it was shown that Arthur Wheeler had paid the four thousand dollars into the general fund of the company, and that because the president was away in the upper country, one thousand dollars had been placed to the account of Arthur Wheeler, Jr. as secretary of the company.

This was done on the advice of the manager of the Imperial bank as the best means of bringing the money into use at once as if paid into the account of the company, the checks would have to be signed by the president.

Mr. Higgins, counsel for Mr. Ross, followed up the history of the \$1,000 endeavoring to show that the \$1,000 never went into the funds of the company. This brought from the auditor, the statement that every cent of the \$4,000 was to his satisfaction paid into the company. The amounts that Wheeler had taken out for himself from the \$1,000 were only money that was due to him as commissions.

Auditor Wilson further stated that the company was perfectly solvent, having from two to three thousand dollars to the good. They had also purchased some property in Vancouver, although it was not all paid for. The machinery was being moved from the factory in Victoria to the property on False Creek. The company owned no real estate in Victoria, but had rented property and owned the machinery there. He was perfectly satisfied that no money had been paid to Wheeler except such as was coming to him.

In giving his decision, Magistrate Jay said that the evidence of both Smith and Wilson showed that the money all went into the company, although \$1,000 was placed to private account of Arthur Wheeler, that was considered the best way of carrying on the business of the company in the absence of the president.

LIBERALS EQUIP FOR CAMPAIGN

CONVENTIONS CALLED IN WESTERN CANADA

Calgary Forms a "Moral Reform League"--Dominion Government and Winnipeg Locks.

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.--The western Liberals are preparing their organization for the Dominion election, and the following conventions are called for Saskatchewan constituencies: Moose Jaw, November 4th; Yorkton, November 6th; Assinabola (at Estevan), November 8th.

It is expected that other conventions will be called in the near future, and that most of the candidates will be in the field before the end of the year.

In Alberta, preparatory to calling the conventions, there is to be an executive organized for the province to take charge of the Dominion campaign.

Dominion Rushing Work.

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.--The Dominion government has decided to prosecute the work on the St. Andrew's locks, north of the city, all the winter, and will allow contractors \$10,000 extra, the latter guaranteeing to complete the work one year from next April.

Premier Goes to Halifax.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.--Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. Wm. Pugsley have gone to Halifax to attend the Field banquet on Tuesday night.

Army for High River.

High River, Oct. 14.--The government will build a \$10,000 armory here if the town will give a free site. Several have already been offered.

Eludes Bench Warrant.

Quebec, Oct. 14.--The Prevost-Asseilin case has been postponed until Saturday owing to the failure of Asselin to appear in spite of bench warrants issued on Friday. In the meantime the judge will decide on what course to pursue, and it is likely that drastic measures will be taken to have Asselin appear.

Moral Reform.

Calgary, Alb., Oct. 14.--A Moral Reform League has been organized for the purpose of assisting Alderman Sams in his efforts to drive irreputable houses from the city limits. The mounted police have closed some houses on the outskirts, and the inmates are coming into Calgary. Most of the alderman are not opposed to the segregation of evil in the east end. The reform league says it will place candidates in the field at the municipal election.

Ontario Judge Dies.

Kingston, Oct. 14.--Judge J. A. Macdonald died this morning. He was a son of the late Senator John Hamilton Macdonald.

Baptist Minister Dead.

Montreal, Oct. 14.--Rev. Theo. La Four, one of the best known ministers of the Baptist church in eastern Canada, died aged 87 years.

Death of Kenora Pioneer.

Kenora, Oct. 14.--One of the pioneers of the town, Frank Marshall, died yesterday in hospital from typhoid. He had great farming interests in Canada, and always took an active part in agriculture.

EMBLEMATIC OF BRITAIN'S POWER

Home Fleet Assembles in the North Sea for Autumn Manoeuvres

London, Oct. 14.--There is now assembling in the North Sea and the English Channel for manoeuvres, under the command of Admiral Lord Charles Bessborough, a fleet of British warships representing an aggregation of naval power surpassing all the immediate available resources of any two countries of Europe, and yet not a single ship of this fleet has been drawn either from the reserves, the Mediterranean fleet, or the Devonshire or Portsmouth divisions.

The home fleet which is now assembling, consists merely of those ships maintained in the vicinity of the British isles, and which throughout the year have been engaged in training.

The anniversary services of the Centennial Methodist church yesterday were largely attended, the sermons by Rev. G. K. B. Adams in the morning, and the pastor, S. J. Thompson, in the evening, were much appreciated by the congregations. The offerings were liberal and the music by the choir first class. Solos were given by Miss Kayton, R. Morrison and Mrs. Gideon Hicks in the morning and by Mr. and Mrs. Hicks in the evening, all of which were of a devotional character and were well rendered. The choir, under the leadership of Sydney Rogers, also acquitted themselves well. The decorations by the ladies of the T. P. S. under the direction of Miss Bertha Desville, were artistic and chaste and reflected much credit on the taste and artistic ability of the ladies in question.

AN INSPECTION OF GOLDSTREAM

CONDITIONS AFTER SEASON'S CONSUMPTION

Citizens Paid a Visit to the Esquimault Company's Water Supply on Saturday

About a score of city representatives, officials and citizens visited on Saturday the Goldstream watershed and inspected the holdings of the Esquimault Waterworks Company at that point. The trip had a direct bearing on the proposed extension of the city's holdings for the purpose of water supply, being designed to give the visitors an idea of the extent and value of the property which Mr. Lubber's company has offered to the city for the sum of \$1,382,000. It will be remembered that in his report Expert Adams placed the commercial value of the Esquimault system to the city of Victoria at about \$400,000.

The trip was made via the E. & N. to the water tank above Goldstream station, where rigs awaited the party, transporting them up the Summit to the lakes, which were reached about 11.15. Part of the party rowed across the lake, while the remainder walked round the shores to a point where the creek from No. 2 lake flows into No. 1. From this point a good wagon road leads to lake No. 2, about half a mile distant. Thence another wagon road, about a mile and a half in length, leads to the uppermost of the chain, No. 3 lake.

It should be explained that these "lakes" were evidently, originally, very inferior bodies of water, being catch basins between the surrounding hills, into which the surface water ran, thence finding its way by natural channels down to Goldstream river. The company has immensely enlarged the capacity of each by building across the outlets large retaining dams of rock and gravel. These dams are very substantial, and in each case they alone seem to serve to retain the water, which falls in the winter rains, when precipitation is very heavy. In a few instances some supplementary work has been done at other points on the shore to further increase the area of the basin. The trees below high water mark have all been cut away, although the stumps remain, being alternately dry or submerged, according to the season of the year. The general character of the lake beds is good, the country rock being overlaid to a slight depth by soil. The single exception to this is the upper lake, which is now dry, and where there seems to be a deep deposit of peat below the level of the outlet.

The lakes are marked by an almost complete absence of the water weeds which have been such a source of trouble in Elk lake, although small patches can be seen at different points. The absence of weed is possibly accounted for by the great fluctuation in the level of the water which falling to such a low level in the fall would cause the death of such vegetation as finds its roots in water in Elk lake twelve months in the year.

Owing to the extreme dryness of the season, the lakes were found at extremely low level. In fact the two upper lakes Nos. 2 and 3 are practically dry. The main lake of about two hundred acres (No. 1) still has from six to ten feet of water in it at its deepest point, but the submerged area is now becoming so limited that this will be rapidly run out unless heavy rains follow in the next few days. In fact in one week No. 1 has fallen two or three feet and the rate will increase daily till the rains come.

A comparison with Elk lake as a source of water supply is extremely difficult because the two supplies are drawn on for different purposes and to a greatly different extent. The B. C. Electric Company have been all summer drawing for power purposes about 75,000,000 gallons daily which is, of course, greatly in excess of 2,000,000, or 2,500,000 taken daily from Elk lake for domestic consumption. In addition the water from the Goldstream lake could be used after passing the power house, for the domestic system of the city, as after leaving lake No. 1 it passes down to Cabins Pond, and thence to the power house from which it flows into the channel of Goldstream. The latter pond is 470 feet above sea level, so that it is still ample for city use, exclusive of Thetis lake, from which the company now pumps water into the mains of Victoria West.

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SMALLPOX AT PHOENIX.

Town and Mining Camp Placed Under Quarantine--Four Cases Are Reported.

Grand Forks, Oct. 14.--The town and mining camp of Phoenix, B. C., has been placed under a strict quarantine against the smallpox. Four cases have already been found in Phoenix. Dr. Pagan, provincial health officer, does not think it necessary to place quarantine on the other towns of the Boundary district, as he is of the opinion that the scourge is now well under control.

COMMENDS COURSE OF IRISH LEADER

John Dillon Returns to Political Activity--Is Thoroughly in Sympathy With Hibernian Leader

Dublin, Oct. 14.--John Dillon, member of parliament for East Mayo, has returned to political activity and in a letter addressed to the South Tyrone Nationalists, he declares himself thoroughly in sympathy with John Redmond and his party. He declared the criticism of Redmond was without foundation and said that Redmond acted with the greatest possible independence, courage, and judgment, and that the Irish cause had made more progress in the last two years than in any two years during the thirty years of his political life.

When the facts about the council bill became fully known he declared that Redmond and his party will be triumphantly vindicated.

MECHANICAL TYPEWRITER

Automatic Machine Run by Compressed Air Invented by an American.

New York, Oct. 14.--Typewriting girls may find their occupation gone if what is said of a new invention turns out to be true. It is exhibited at the business show now in progress in Madison Square Garden, and is an automatic typewriter run by compressed air, and capable, it is said, of writing from 300 to 3,000 words an hour for twenty-four hours. The inventor is A. McCall, of Columbus, Ohio.

A COSTLY BLAZE.

Fire in Iron Works Wreaks Damage Amounting to \$300,000.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 14.--A fire today at the Pencoyd Iron Works of the American Bridge Company caused damage of about \$300,000. The fire is believed to have been started by a tramp.

NO REASON FOR SUICIDE.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 14.--Jag. Sutton, father of Lieut. Jas. Sutton, who died at Annapolis yesterday of a gunshot wound, said tonight that he has unquestionable information from Annapolis to the effect that his son came to his death by an accident. Mr. Sutton says he knows that his son had no reason for taking his own life.

DUAL TRAGEDY IN MANITOBA

BODIES OF MISSING BOYS WASHED ASHORE

Two Meet Death by Train Accidents--Hunter Has Desperate Encounter With a Wolf.

Winnipeg, Oct. 4.--The bodies of two young Norwood boys, Roy Thornto and Carl Graham, who were lost a few weeks ago, have been found 3 miles and a half from Oak Point. They had been washed ashore, and were badly decomposed.

Whether the discovery of the bodies is the work of Lacy, the Regina clairvoyant, or not, is not known, as only a brief wire was sent announcing the discovery.

Topped to Death.

Bridgeburg, Ont., Oct. 14.--A heavy freight train crashed into the sidewalk of the freight yards here yesterday. Samuel Hodgins, a car repairer, was clinging to the side of a car which tumbled over, and was killed. The engineer and fireman on the incoming train jumped and escaped with a few scratches.

Killed by a Train.

St. Thomas, Ont., Oct. 14.--James Burden, a trackman 50 years old and died one hour later.

Constables Injured.

Calgary, Oct. 12.--Constables Dickson and Tait, of the R. N. W. M. P., were seriously injured yesterday. A team which they were driving ran away and collided with a telegraph pole. Tait had his right arm mangled and Dickson was injured internally. Both are expected to recover.

Fight With a Wolf.

Lansdown, Oct. 14.--Wm. Blackwell, a well-known travelling man of Toronto, while out hunting three miles from here had an exciting experience with a wolf. He was returning to his hotel along the railway track when the wolf came behind him. He fired his only remaining shot at the animal, but missed. The wolf came towards him at a rapid pace; he stood still and when the beast came near he used the butt end of his gun on the animal. After a hard struggle, in which Blackwell received severe wounds from the wolf's claws, he finally succeeded in killing the beast.

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PLACER GOLD IN NORTHWEST.

Discovery Made by Miners on Findlay River--Reported to Go \$100 to the Pan.

(Special to the Times).

Vancouver, Oct. 14.--Inspector Macdonell of the Northwest Mounted Police, arrived here to-day with the first news of a great placer gold discovery northwest of Edmonton, on the Findlay river. Four miners who had been in the district for two years have just made the strike. They claimed they had got one hundred dollars in coarse gold to the pan, and the mounted police officer afterwards verified these claims.

INSPECTOR MACDONELL ALSO REPORTS A FOOD FAMINE AT HAZELTON.

NEW C. P. R. SCHEDULE.

Princess Victoria, Withdrawn From Triangular Route--Beatrice on Seattle Run.

The new C. P. R. coast schedule goes into effect to-morrow when the steamer Princess Victoria will be withdrawn from the triangular run and will make the daily sailing at 1 a. m. to Vancouver returning, leaving Vancouver at 1:30 p. m. The Charmier will make the 1 p. m. run, leaving Vancouver at 1:30 p. m. each day except Sunday, on which day she will lay over.

The Princess Beatrice will not go north again this season and will take the place of the Princess Victoria on the Seattle run leaving daily, except Sunday, at 8:30 a. m. for Seattle, and leaving the latter port at 1:30 p. m. for Victoria. The Amur which has been overhauled on the ways of the Victoria machinery depot, leaves at 11 a. m. tomorrow for northern British Columbia ports, taking the place of the Princess Beatrice.

IRONY OF FATE.

Diver in Full Uniform After Poising for His Photograph Is Drowned.

Newbury Port, Mass., Oct. 14.--Edwin Dwyer, a deep sea diver, of Portland, Maine, was drowned yesterday by the capsizing of a boat. Dwyer has been at work in the harbor here, on a sunken schooner, and with John Christian moved to the city to have photographs taken. Dwyer was clad in his diving suit, minus the helmet. After posing, the two men started to row back to the vessel and their boat capsized. Dwyer in his diving suit went to the bottom like a shot, but Christian swam ashore.

BULLET PASSES THROUGH BODY.

After Severely Wounding One Lad It Narrowly Misses Another.

Brandon, Oct. 14.--A shooting accident occurred near Charter on Saturday afternoon in which three Brandon lads who were out hunting geese with a .22 rifle were concerned.

The boys were walking in Indian file when a rifle was discharged. The bullet passed through one of them, named Noble's, body, entering into his back and emerging above the left hip, and passing between the legs of one of the others, named Lewis, entered the ground.

NEW CHANNEL FOR LAKE TRAFFIC

WATERWAY CUT THROUGH SOLID ROCK

Great Engineering Feat in the St. Mary's River Costs Upwards of \$3,000,000.

S. S. Marie, Oct. 14.--The water was turned into the new channel of the St. Mary's river at West Neeshish yesterday, marking the completion of one of the biggest projects undertaken on the great lakes since the building of the Poe lock.

The new channel is over two miles in length, 3,000 feet of which is cut through solid rock. The channel is three hundred feet in width with a depth at a minimum stage of water of twenty-two feet.

It is located 18 miles below the Soo, and lies to the west of Neeshish island, the present channel being to the east of the old channel. This channel will hereafter be used solely for up-bound boats, the heavily laden down-bound craft using the new water-way which has none of the sharp turns which are embarrassing to the modern 600-foot freighters.

The new channel will not be formally opened to navigation until the spring. The project has cost upwards of three million dollars.

MAGILL MURDER TRIAL.

State Expects to Prove That Letters Found on Body Were Forgeries.

Chicago, Oct. 14.--A dispatch from Decatur, Ill., says: The Magill murder trial enters its most important stage to-day when the heavy guns of the state will be turned on Fred H. Magill and his wife, and the question of their guilt or innocence will be largely determined. State Attorney Miller sent a telegram to Miss Ida Gandy, of Dayton, Ohio, yesterday, saying that important developments required her presence here at once.

Miss Gandy is a sister of Mrs. Pete Magill, the first wife of Magill, whom he is accused of murdering in order to marry Fay E. Graham, a girl friend. With Miss Gandy's testimony, supplemented by that of others who knew Mrs. Magill's handwriting, the state expects to prove the letters found on Mrs. Magill's dead body were forgeries.

LONDON ATTRACTS A CROWDED AUDIENCE AT YALE UNIVERSITY--Faith, Conscience, and Moral's

New Haven, Oct. 14.--Many people were turned away from Wolsey hall, Yale University, at service yesterday, usually held in the chapel when Rev. Rutherford Wainwright Ingram, Lord Bishop of London, preached. The auditorium was filled to its capacity when the faculty and under-graduates had taken seats.

The bishop preached earnestly taking his text from James. In opening he said he brought a greeting to Yale from the older universities of Oxford and Cambridge. The text he divided into three parts, faith, conscience, morals, and dwelt upon personal cleanliness and stewardship. He urged the college men to go into the college settlement work and praise the various religious bodies which aim at bringing young men together.

LIQUOR DEALERS' CRUSADE.

Photos of Those Who Imbibe "Hot Whisky" Must Be Shown in Chicago Bars.

Chicago, Oct. 14.--The Hyde Park liquor dealers' association, as a matter of self-protection, has started a crusade against those who over imbibe. Notices have been sent out by the secretary of the association requesting each bar-tender to ask for the photograph of every drunkard from his wife or family in case that a complaint of selling liquor to him is made.

The pictures thus are to be sent to the secretary of the association, and in turn he is to have copies made and sent to every member of the association. These pictures are to be posted on the mirror behind the bar and the dispensing of drinks may see at a glance if he is selling to a drunkard. Members of the association have been prosecuted by the liquor laws for having sold drink to their husbands.

SMELTERS ARE GETTING COKE

NO FUEL SHORTAGE IS FELT AT PRESENT

A. J. McMillan, Manager of Le Roi, Is in City--The Copper Situation.

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SIDNEY MILLS

CHANGE HANDS

LATE ARRIVALS IN CITY MAKE PURCHASE

W. Carlin and J. Billing Will Take Over Works To-Morrow--Industry Will be Extended

The Gulf Lumber Company's mills at Sidney have again changed hands.

Mr. Carlin has been making a number of investments on Vancouver Island since he disposed of his interests in the lumber business in the Kootenays some months ago.

Mr. Billing is a practical mill man. He was formerly identified with the Yale-Columbia Milling Company.

The new proprietors will take formal possession to-morrow.

The purchase of the mills does not carry with it any timber limits.

The mills turn out lumber and lath.

BALLOON BREAKS OVERSEA RECORD

British Air Vehicle Crosses the North Sea From London to Scandinavia.

Gothenburg, Sweden, Oct. 14.—The Daily Graphic mammoth balloon which left the Crystal Palace, London on Saturday night, has succeeded in its attempt to break the overseas record.

The balloon crossed the North Sea to Denmark and travelled over Scandinavia at a great speed.

Four days prior to the opening of the Victoria exhibition a young man left a happy home in Minneapolis to seek his fortune in the Far West.

He landed in Seattle, and posing as the speculative prospect of the true American, he saw the road to wealth opened for him in the show.

With \$160 or thereabouts in his possession he crossed the straits to Victoria, bent on doubling or trebling his pile at the race track.

During the Victoria exhibition there was some successful and some unsuccessful attempts at pocket picking on the grounds and in the city.

A citizen was conscious of a sensation as of a hand being slipped into his pocket. He felt his pocket and discovered that his money, consisting of a five and one dollar bill, was gone.

At the exhibition grounds later the citizen recognized the young man and accused him of taking his money, and the young man thereupon returned the money which he had taken.

There is a being heard before Judge Lammman to-day. The police theory is that the young man is an experienced pickpocket. The accused contends that it is a case of injured innocence.

Mr. John Young, head cruiser of the Graham Island Lumber Company, after a year's absence on Queen Charlotte Islands, is again in the city.

The death occurred early on Sunday morning at the family residence, Florence road, Victoria West, of James Tudor, the four months' old son of Capt. W. D. Owen, the well-known naval pilot.

Mr. Owen's place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence above to Ross Bay cemetery. Rev. C. E. Cooper will officiate.

About 9 o'clock Saturday night an old man named Casper was taken with a violent turn and collapsed on Johnson street. Dr. Robertson, who was called, ordered him to be taken to the Jubilee hospital.

The searchlight of the British Dreadnought has a new feature in that it projects beams at the same time in opposite directions to facilitate signalling.

ALARMED OVER

AGED EMPEROR

HAGUE DIPLOMATS FEAR THE WORSE

Results of Probable Demise Is Discussed by Peace Delegates ---Condition Unchanged

Vienna, Oct. 14.—Emperor Francis Joseph is resting easier this morning, the inflammation continues, and symptoms generally were not changed.

The Hague, Oct. 14.—The news concerning the condition of Emperor Francis Joseph's health is seriously preoccupying the diplomats gathered here, especially the Europeans, but more particularly those belonging to the triple alliance.

A cipher telegram from Vienna received by a leading diplomat here to-day says that the optimistic reports of the condition of the Emperor are issued purposefully, so as not to alarm the people, but that in reality the doctors are anxious, fearing the growing weakness of the patient, which is due chiefly to insufficient nourishment and lack of rest and sleep.

The gravest danger, the dispatch says, which is not mentioned in the official communication, comes from the heart, which may be too weak to withstand the general depression.

Naturally the conversation of the delegates to the peace conference is almost entirely on the question of what would happen in case of the death of the old monarch, who next day would celebrate the 60th anniversary of his accession to the throne.

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The Hudson's Bay Company is calling for tenders for a new river steamer to take the place of the Mount Royal. It will be along the general lines of the Mount Royal, with slight alterations in the way of improvements which have been found by experience to be advisable.

The steamer is expected to be ready for trade next summer.

OPINES THAT BIG RANCHERS MUST GO

P. Burns of Calgary Says Their Place will be taken by Stock Farmers.

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—P. Burns, of Calgary, returning from a ten days' visit to the east, asked as to the conditions in the cattle country, said: "Good stuff is worth good money, but there is no market for young, thin and unfinished cattle."

There was a great abundance of hay in the west this season, but owing to somewhat wet weather not as large a percentage was cut as should have been.

There seems to be a bad arrangement somewhere in regard to cattle, for while in Toronto I saw bunches of two year old steers that had been bought in the west and taken down there to be fed.

MARTHA TUFT WRECKED

Schooner Runs Ashore at Catala River in Severe Storm—Crew Saved.

Valdez, Oct. 13.—Arrivals from Catala report that the schooner Martha Tuft was wrecked by being carried ashore on the sandpit at the mouth of the Catala river during a severe storm the night of October 11th.

The crew was saved by being taken from the rigging in boats from Catala.

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The searchlight of the British Dreadnought has a new feature in that it projects beams at the same time in opposite directions to facilitate signalling.

GRAIN RECEIPTS

ON C. P. R. LINES

THREE HUNDRED CARS DAILY IN NORTHWEST

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Directors of Railway Company Coming to Victoria.

(Special to the Times). Vancouver, Oct. 14.—The C. P. R. grain receipts now amount to 300 cars per day on the various lines in the Northwest, which is more than receipts at this time last year, and the company is rushing the grain to Fort William in order to get as much as possible out before the close of navigation.

Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and Directors E. B. Oeler, R. B. Angus and W. D. Matthews with W. Whyte made up the party of railway officials.

Sir Thomas refused to be interviewed until after returning from Victoria.

His party left this afternoon for Victoria where to-morrow will be spent. He will leave Victoria at midnight to-morrow of his return to Vancouver.

HAZELTON LEAVING IN THE MORNING

Hudson's Bay Steamer Will Carry Full Complement of Supplies up Skeena River.

The Hudson's Bay Company's steamer Hazelton expects to leave Port Eslington for Hazelton to-morrow morning.

According to the information received at the headquarters of the company in Victoria, the Skeena river is in good condition for navigation again, and the Hazelton will therefore make the trip right through to the head of navigation.

The Hudson's Bay steamer will carry every pound of freight that can be placed on her so that the situation at Hazelton, as far as food and other supplies are concerned, will be materially relieved, and no further anxiety may be felt for the winter.

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CRUSHED TO DEATH

Frank Stephenson Loses His Life Pinned Between a Wagon and a Store.

Saskatoon, Oct. 14.—Word of a most regrettable occurrence in which young Frank Stephenson lost his life on Tuesday evening of this week, was brought to town this morning by Constable Plemley, of the R. N. W. M. P.

He was walking behind the team and it is supposed that when approaching the building the oxen passed so closely that the wagon caught the corner. Seeing this, he ran to turn the animals, but in passing between the building and the wagon he was caught and received a fatal squeeze.

UNDEGOES OPERATION

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth Suffering From Deafness—Unable to Speak at Bye-Elections.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—On account of an operation for deafness, the Hon. A. B. Aylesworth has had to cancel his engagements to speak at Halifax at the fledging demonstration on Tuesday, and also at the bye-elections at Wellington and Northumberland.

BLOWS TOP OF HEAD OFF

Railway Employee Commits Suicide—Due to Despondency.

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—Wm. Olsen, a Swedish employee at the G. T. P. railway camp, nine miles from Rennie, committed suicide on Friday by blowing the top off his head with a gun.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Casaville, O., Oct. 14.—The general store of Smallman & Vass was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is \$10,000 covered with insurance to the extent of \$9,000.

GEO. McCORMACK DEAD

(Special to the Times). Vancouver, Oct. 14.—George McCormack, manager of the Canadian Pacific Lumber Company formerly M. P. of Fanny Sound, Ont., died last night from appendicitis.

IF IT'S CORRECT, "CHRISTIE HAS IT" MY MECHANIC SHOES ARE BETTER They are made to wear out of Solid Leather. Prices \$2.00, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00 and up. CHRISTIE'S, CORNER GOVERNMENT and JOHNSON STREETS.

APPEALED TO SUPREME COURT

Third Trial of Philip vs Bauer Is Now Being Heard at Ottawa.

(Special to the Times). Ottawa, Oct. 14.—The appeal of Philip vs. Bauer, from the Supreme court of British Columbia, is being heard in the Supreme court here to-day.

The appellant sued the respondent for his commission as a real estate broker for the purchase of property in Vancouver.

Upon his introduction at the trial Justice Morrison found in his favor and entered judgment for \$1,000.

The full court reversed the judgment, and now an appeal is being made to the Supreme court of Canada.

The British steamer Holt Hill is due to sail to-morrow from Seattle for Cork, loaded with wheat.

The steamer Princess May arrived in port from Skagway and way points shortly after two o'clock this afternoon.

Among the guests at the Oak Bay hotel are: Mrs. Scott-Griffin, Miss McKensie and Miss Kerr. They are members of the party of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, who, with the other officials of the C. P. R., are to reach Victoria to-night.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE—Mare and covered buggy and harness, price \$100. Apply Box 56, this office.

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VOX POPULI
C. P. R. Telegraph Company Again Sends Associated Press Dispatches to Nelson Daily News.

On Wednesday evening last at 5 o'clock the Nelson Daily News received a dispatch from the Vancouver office of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company, asking: "Will you accept Associated Press report to-night?"

The reply sent was: "Yes, subject to approval of proprietor of the Daily News, who is now at Regina." The A. P. report was therefore sent to the Nelson News office for the first time since its abrupt withdrawal on October 1st.

A STRANGE RULING.
Missionary Board Accepts Grant From Rockefeller, But Wants No More From Same Source.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 12.—Thomas W. Phillips, a wealthy oil and gas magnate, and former member of congress for Western Pennsylvania, to-day made an unsuccessful attempt to have the Foreign Christian Missionary Board of America connected with the "Disciples of Christ," return \$25,000 given by John D. Rockefeller, on the ground that it was "tainted" money. The money was accepted with a clause providing that no more be solicited from the same source.

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PRISONER MAY GET PAROLE

WAS IMPRISONED FOR BUTLER WRECK

Kenora Citizens Petition for Release of C. P. R. Engineer—Methodist Missionary Work.

Kenora, Oct. 12.—A petition is being circulated here by a number of the most prominent citizens, asking that George Wright, the engineer who was sent up for three months' imprisonment because of his connection with the Butler wreck of June last, be allowed out on parole.

Wright was given three months on October 1st, because of his neglect in running against train orders, causing the wreck, in which several Chinamen were killed. In the petition it is pointed out that Wright was a cautious engineer, sober, industrious and one of the best on the division. He was not alone in mistaking the orders, which resulted so disastrously. He has a wife and children depending on him, and the citizens feel that the ends of justice would be fully met if the parole is granted.

At the trial the strongest recommendation for mercy was made. Though the petition was only started to-day, it already has over two hundred signatures, including the mayor and council and most of the prominent men of the city. It will be forwarded to Ottawa as soon as possible.

For Missionary Work.
Winnipeg, Oct. 12.—Dr. Woodworth, superintendent of western missions of the Methodist church, arrived in the city after attending the annual meeting of the board of missions of the church in Toronto. Dr. Woodworth stated that at the meeting appropriations had been passed amounting to half a million, the same being for the work of the current year for foreign and domestic missions.

The band of 33 missionaries who are to arrive in the city shortly from England for work in the west are now on the Atlantic, but will arrive here in 10 days or so. They will be at once sent to the fields in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, most of the assignments having been already made.

AT REVOLVER'S POINT.

Well Known Englishman Relieved of \$700 in Vancouver City.

Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 12.—No less a person than the court registrar of the city of Birmingham, England, was yesterday held up at the point of a revolver and relieved of \$700 worth of diamonds. This occurred in the Douglas house, a hotel in Vancouver.

Mr. Stevens is on a round-the-world trip. He had been in Vancouver but two days, when he was met by a former convict, John Schultz. The latter invited him to a party in the Douglas house, and there at the point of a very large revolver Stevens was forced against the wall and reluctantly gave up his jewelry. Then he was knocked unconscious by Schultz and an accomplice, who fled.

Both the accused men have been arrested, but Stevens has lost much time lost another \$200 by missing his passage on the steamer Moana for Australia.

WILL NOT MAKE TERMS.

Western Union Telegraph Company Unswerving in Its Attitude Towards Operators.

New York, Oct. 12.—Charles P. Nell, United States commissioner of labor, conferred with the officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company on Saturday in a final effort to ascertain if there was any chance to make terms for the operators still out on strike. He was assured that the position of the company would not be changed under any circumstances. Mr. Nell's effort to-day was due to the receipt of several petitions resulting from the resolutions of intervention councils asking for his intervention.

FALL FAIR JUDGE THRASHED.

Horseman Disatisfied With His Rulings Admits a Beating.

A man who figured as judge at the Kamloops and Victoria races meets his false teeth dislocated last week in the billiard room of one of the leading hotels at Vernon. He had just arrived on the morning train, and was met by a well-known and popular horseman found in the hotel corridor. The horse owner invited the "judge" into the billiard room, and there proceeded to administer a thrashing to him. Friends of the horseman interposed and the men were separated, but not until the "judge" had his false teeth scattered over the floor.

The outsider did not show much fight, but left owing that he would have the horseman ruled off the B. C. tracks.

NATURE'S BENEFICENCE.

Phenomenal Specimens of Vegetables Grown in Grand Forks District.

As a practical proof of the phenomenal growth of all kinds of vegetables in the Grand Forks section it has just been learned that on the Covert estate, four miles west of Grand Forks, this summer, cucumbers have grown six feet in length, white potatoes weigh as much as five pounds each, parsnips can be found in abundance four feet in length and fourteen inches in circumference, while the average crop of onions is fourteen tons to the acre.

The strawberry crop was also very abundant this year, many strawberries having been found over nine inches in circumference. The tropical growth of all kinds of vegetables and fruits is solely due to the good soil, together with a systematic form of irrigation, with an ideal climate to promote the varied forms of growth.

Another historic London tavern, Barnard's Inn, in Holborn, has closed its doors. The house was the Red Lamp of "Barnaby Rudge."

DAWSON WANTS RAIL CONNECTION

MATTER TO BE LAID BEFORE PARLIAMENT

Dr. Thompson Leaves for Ottawa—Will Urge Subsidy for Proposed White Horse Smelter

Dawson, Oct. 12.—Dr. Alfred Thompson, member of parliament from Yukon territory, left yesterday for Ottawa via Seattle, where he will confer with the exposition officials regarding the Yukon exhibit. Dr. Thompson says the minister of finance of Canada has assured him of a grant of \$100,000.

Among the matters to be urged at Ottawa for the Yukon are: Assistance for a railway to connect Dawson with some transcontinental line; an early completion of the topographical and geological map of the territory; codification of Yukon quartz laws; abolition of royalty; opening of fraudulent concessions; pure food examiner for the Yukon; lower mining fees; severalf improvements in the placer code; large federal grant for building wagon road to connect Dawson with the copper fields at the head of the White River; subsidy for proposed White Horse smelter; subsidy for aid in prospecting for opening of new mining fields; postal reforms; improved postal service, and the holding of surveyors' examinations in the Yukon.

YORK LOAN CLAIMS.

Ex-Employees Want Over \$100,000 for Wages and Bonuses From Company in Liquidation.

Toronto, Oct. 11.—Damage claims from the thousand or more ex-employees of the York County Loan and Savings Company, who were suddenly thrown out of employment when the company went into liquidation on December 16th, 1905, is the latest bomb to be thrown among the "ordinary" shareholders, who were anxiously waiting to know what percentage of their hard-earned money they are to get out of the assets.

W. J. Tremear, counsel for the employees, gave a hint of this big claim to-day, during the proceedings before Referee George Kappeler, who is trying to straighten out the tangled skein of the company's affairs. Mr. Tremear also presented a list of bonuses special and commissions due agents, superintendents, inspectors, clerks and other employees of the company, amounting in all to \$18,389.20.

Mr. Tremear also presented a list of wages due office employees and amounts contributed by them to the salary contingent fund to December 16th, 1905, amounting to \$91,266.

BROTHER KILLS BROTHER.

Sad Accident is Aftermath of Hunting Expedition in Saskatchewan.

North Battleford, Sask., Oct. 12.—A tragedy marred the hunting season, when Bert Hunter, aged 15, accidentally shot and killed his brother Frank, 12 years old.

The boys lived with their parents about ten miles north of this town. Frank and Bert had been out hunting chickens, and were returning home when the accident happened.

They were walking down a steep grade close to their home. Bert ahead carrying the gun over his arm, his brother following closely. Suddenly, for some cause not yet learned, the gun went off. The full charge struck Frank in the forehead, terribly mauling him. Ben looked around and at the terrible sight, ran screaming to the house of Mr. York, a neighbor. Meanwhile, the boy's father, hearing the screams, ran to the spot.

He picked up the dead body of his son and carried it to the house.

THE TELEGRAPH STRIKE.

Dissatisfied Officers of the Western Union Company Said to Be Returning to Work.

New York, Oct. 11.—Officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company to-day that their force had been largely augmented within recent days by personal applications of strikers to return to work, and that a large number had been taken back in various parts of the country. Nine applications to return to work, it is stated, were made in New York yesterday. The applications are being considered on their individual merits, but quite a number have not been favorably acted upon.

As a result of this movement it is said that the desirable places are rapidly being filled, and that comparatively few vacancies remain. There is a report circulated to-day that Colonel Clowery, president and general manager of the Western Union, had resigned.

ADMITS FORGERY.

Hanlon Carried Out Swindling Operations in Guelph Under Name of Wealthy Farmer.

Orangeville, Ont., Oct. 12.—William Hanlon, arrested a week ago at Schomberg, and brought here for trial on charges of obtaining money by forgery and false pretenses, pleaded guilty before Magistrate Pattullo yesterday afternoon and was remanded for sentence until October 19th.

The charges were of obtaining \$100 and \$200 from the Orangeville branches of the Sterling bank and the Bank of Commerce respectively, but the managers of the Metropolitan bank and the Bank of Commerce at Guelph charged him with swindling their branches in that town out of about \$1,200 by forging cheques.

Hanlon operated in Guelph under the name of John Gilles, a wealthy farmer residing about three miles out of Orangeville.

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NEW ARRIVALS

To illustrate our meaning we will mention a few recent arrivals, unpacked during the past few days, in addition to many cases of new coats and costumes.

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LUMBER MILLS CLOSED DOWN **Overcoat Value**

Tightness in Money Market Affects Kootenay Company--Cranbrook May Suffer From Depression

Winnipeg, Oct. 12.—A. Letch, a pioneer of lumbering in the Cranbrook district, and managing director of the East Kootenay Lumber Company, is in Winnipeg. He says: "Only one of the company's three mills is running, the other two having been closed. We are operating the mill at Cranbrook. Seventy-five per cent of the mills in the district are not working, and not more than 25 per cent of the logging done last winter will be done this. Wages are getting easier, and unless labor is absorbed in some other direction they will inevitably fall. Many men have obtained employment at railway work. Cranbrook is not yet suffering very much, but, as it depends, in a measure, on the lumber industry, it will, of course, experience some slight depression."

"I look forward to a revival of trade next spring," he continued. "The mills have large stocks, and they don't want to increase them. But when the crop is marketed and money moves freely again there will be more work for the lumber industry."

This year's output of the famous Tokay wine has been entirely lost in consequence of an unexpected outbreak of phylloxera. Tokay is made from grapes grown in the vineyards belonging to the Emperor Francis Joseph, at Hegyalla, Hungary, and it is now used chiefly for presents to other crowned heads.



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CANADA AND THE TREATY MAKING POWER.

Some of the truly loyal Conservative newspapers of Canada affect to be intensely horrified by the remarks of the Canadian Premier at the banquet of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association held in Toronto.

EUROPEAN BARBARIANS.

Is it not a remarkable thing that almost in the centre of Europe, surrounded by civilizing influences, society still remains in a state, according to reliable authorities, which would almost have brought a blush to the cheek of a painted Indian a century ago?

FURNITURE FROM SAWDUST.

An ingenious inhabitant of Devonport, Tasmania, claims to have discovered a means by which sawdust can be made into articles of commercial value and domestic utility.

AUSTRALIAN MURDER.

Tracking Down the Alleged Perpetrator—Robbery Motive Top Crime.

plain language intimated what his opinions were. The Canadian Courier of Toronto, delving into history, brought forth the following: "Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remarks at the banquet of the Manufacturers' Association, summarizing the 'sufferings' of Canada from British diplomacy, have excited some critical comment in Britain—

These are indeed trying times for the housewife, if we believe all we read in the newspapers of the East and of Europe and incline a sympathetic ear to the plaint of British Columbia.

PREPARING A JEHAD.

Disquieting Position in Northern Nigeria.

PROZEN TO DEATH.

Survivor of Tragedy of Alps Tells Tale of His Terrible Experience.

TRUCKING DOWN THE ALLEGED PERPETRATOR.

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dead. Palok, his companion, remonstrated, but the assassin merely said that he was testing his gun's accuracy. Was it not better, he asked, to test it that way instead of waiting till face to face with an enemy? Murder is hardly a crime in Albania, for life is cheap—very cheap!

These agitators projected the establishment of a new Jemal at the sacred hill of "Bima" in Bancah province, but prompt steps were taken by the authorities to check the movement.

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According to the latest mail advices from Lagos, the attitude of the natives in Northern Nigeria is causing much uneasiness in official circles.

The situation along the French frontier towards Lake Chad is very unsatisfactory, and in view of the frequent reports from French into British territory representing the Mambils and Okpoto countries, the patrols are furnished with Maxim guns.

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On Tuesday evening in the Y. M. C. A. rooms a meeting will be held with the object of instituting a class in phonology. Two years ago a class of this nature was formed and proved very successful. Those who are interested in the study of this science are requested to be present.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

—Harvest home dance will be held in Colwood hall, Wednesday night.

—Men's Tie Bargain—Men's four-in-hands of stylish silk brocade in up-to-date and dressy patterns. Regular price 35c. Special price 25c. Robinson's Cash Store, 86 Yates street.

—To induce you to get your photos early, the price of Corona portraits in covers, have been reduced from \$7 to \$5.50 per doz. at the Skene Lowe Studio. This is for October only.

—The little tug Queen is being overhauled on the Victoria machinery depot ways.

—The annual masquerade ball of the Sons and Daughters of St. George will be held on November 12th. This was decided upon at a committee meeting on Saturday night.

—The service of Rev. William Duncan in the mission fields of the north was celebrated recently at Ketchikan. The reverend gentleman has been laboring in these fields for fifty years.

—The curtain of the Victoria theatre will be wrung up at 8.15 o'clock this evening on account of the boat for Vancouver leaving at 12.30 o'clock.

—The sergeant's mess of the Fifth Regiment will hold a meeting after parade on Tuesday. This parade will be the first of the present season.

—A social dance will be held by the members and friends of Court Victoria, A. O. U. E., at the close of their meeting to be held on Wednesday, October 16th, in the Sir William Wallace hall, Broad street.

—S. B. Netherby, formerly of the South Park school teaching staff, resigned his position on Friday last. His place has been taken by S. L. Gray, M. A., who has been in the province for some time. Mr. Gray commenced his new duties this morning.

—After five months among the timber limits of Cariboo, where he located a number of claims for his company, H. C. H. Sprague, of Winnipeg, who passed through the city five months ago en route to the north, is back in Victoria. Mr. Sprague represents the Sprague Lumber Company, of Manitoba.

—The Esperanto enthusiasts in the Y. M. C. A. have organized a class under the directorship of J. Leslie Foster, which will meet every evening for the study of this new language. Dr. Gedon of California, who, by his interesting lectures has given a great impetus to Esperanto in the city, will leave shortly for the south.

—Word has been received that Cuthbert Holmes, a student of Victoria college, has been successful in passing the matriculation examination for London University. While preparing for the examination Mr. Holmes was also taking the first year in arts. Mr. Holmes is a grandson of Henry Dupleton of this city, and son of Mr. W. Holmes, late of the Indian civil service.

—On Wednesday evening a meeting will be held in the board room of the Y. M. C. A. for the purpose of organizing a literary society. The proposed institution will take the form of a mock parliament and a debating society. It is intended to study parliamentary usage and it is hoped that all who are interested will be present.

—For the purpose of organizing a boys' social under the auspices of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A., a meeting will be held in the association rooms on Wednesday night. Upwards of a hundred boys have been invited to attend and R. W. Clarke, the chairman of the boys' department, is taking an active interest in the movement. An appropriate programme will be given.

—The annual school for training militiamen for promotion will commence at the Drill hall this evening. Sergt.-Major Macdonald, of the Royal Canadian Artillery, has been engaged as special instructor. A recent militia order signifies that all N. C. O.'s have to qualify themselves before they are entitled to draw N. C. O.'s pay. There is a special significance attaching, therefore, to the work of the school this year. Instruction will be given two nights a week during the next two months.

—Mr. W. Thomas, manager of the Vancouver Gas Works Company, has just received a United States patent on a split sleeve designed for repairing or for making branch pipe connections to gas or water mains and the improvement has been directed to the provision of interlocking and embracing lips on the adjacent edges of the sleeve joint that will effectively resist the severe bursting strain imposed in canking the joint. The patent was obtained through the agency of Rowland Brittain, patent attorney, of Vancouver.

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Pope Stationery Co.'s Closing-Out Sale will continue To-day and Tomorrow.

The anniversary supper of Centennial Methodist church will be held tomorrow night in the school-room. Admission 50c.

The ladies' aid of St. Paul's church, Victoria West, will spare no effort in making the 16th anniversary concert and social in the church this evening at 8 o'clock an occasion of special interest and pleasure. There will be no admission charge, but a collection will be taken in aid of the funds of the society.

The concert and dance to be given by the St. Andrew's Society to-morrow will be held in the A. O. U. hall upstairs, commencing at 8 o'clock. There is a good programme of vocal and instrumental music, at the close of which the hall will be cleared and dancing will be engaged in. To-night the regular meeting of the society will be held in Sir William Wallace hall.

LADY AT REST.
Funeral of Mrs. Wriglesworth Yesterday Afternoon Was Largely Attended.

An eloquent tribute to the memory of the late Sarah Elizabeth Wriglesworth was paid at the funeral yesterday afternoon, which took place from "Kimbolton," the residence of W. Fernie, Oak Bay. A great number of mourners assembled at the house, where Rev. A. J. Stanley Ard conducted the services. Scores of floral tributes were sent by friends and sympathizers.

The funeral was one of the largest ever witnessed in this city, the popularity of the deceased and the general recognition of her qualities in life drawing great crowds to pay their last tribute of respect to her memory. The officers of Court Vancouver, No. 575, A. O. F., attended, and the following acted as pallbearers: J. A. Virtue, F. Burrell, S. Wilson, T. Shotbolt, C. R. Stewart and W. H. Huxtable.

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HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Occupants of a Rowboat Were Turned Over by Princess Victoria.
Clinging to their overturned rowboat which was being dashed about in the swell from the steamer Princess Victoria, five persons had narrow escapes from drowning at the mouth of the inner harbor, near the Brackman & Ker wharf on Saturday night.
A small boat, belonging to Mason's boat house, was being pulled into the harbor by Mr. Milligan, the other occupants being Mrs. Ellard, her son, E. Wootton, son of R. E. Wootton, and Mr. Milligan's sister, aged 16, when the Princess Victoria swung round the B. & K. wharf on her way out. The small boat had no light at its prow, and the officers of the steamer were unable to discern in the dark. Mr. Milligan was rowing, and, becoming excited at the rapid approaching of the Princess, he rowed wildly and lost an oar. The steamer struck the stern of the rowboat, overturning it and precipitating the occupants into the water, where, screaming with fright, they all contrived to gain a hold on their boat. As soon as the screams were heard Capt. Griffin, of the Princess Victoria, brought the steamer to a stop and ordered three boats away, the searchlight being turned upon the water.
The drowning people, however, were saved in a most commendable way by J. Temple, an experienced boatman, who, from his boat nearby, heard their cries. Jumping into a rowboat he quickly pulled to the scene, just in time to save Miss Milligan, a girl about 16 years of age, from sinking for the last time. He pulled Miss Milligan into the boat and then picked up the boy, Master Ellard, who was almost drowned. Then turning his boat Mr. Temple assisted the others to keep afloat until a boat from the tug Forager arrived, off the scene, together with another rowed by C. C. Temple. The Forager's boat picked up the other three, and Mr. Temple took the overturned boat in tow.
The three boats from the Princess were all in the water within a few minutes, but through the speediness of the rescuers were not required.
The accident, which came very near resulting fatally, was caused through a miscalculation of the part of those in the boat, who were deceived by the Princess heading out from the corner of B. & K. wharf before turning in on the deep water channel. As it was quite dark those on the steamer were quite unable to see the small boat, and were only aware of its presence when the cries of the unfortunate were heard.
The quintette are little the worse for their immersion, although the two ladies are suffering slightly from the exposure.

The Art Dome

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PANTAGES THEATRE.

This Week's Offering to the Public is Pronounced to Be a Good One.
For this week the Johnson street house has a good list of attractions. Ralph E. Cummings, supported by Miss Walcott and Miss Bell in the comedy, "A Seal Skin Sacque," is one that is far above the average of one act comedies, and is said to have made a big hit wherever presented. The Musical Monarchs have a new and original musical act. Dan O'Neil is a comedian of ability and reputation. Wells & Sells, the acrobats, are said to be clever and introduce their wonderful trick cottage. Tommy LaRose, song illustrator, and the Pantageoscope in new pictures, will make up a good programme and one that will no doubt please the patrons of this popular place of amusement.

NEW CHURCH OPENED.

Rev. W. Leslie Clay Officiated at Formal Dedication Yesterday.
The new St. Andrew's Presbyterian church was opened at Dunceon yesterday, when Rev. W. Leslie Clay preached at each service. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered at the close of the morning service. Both services were very well attended, and the future of the Presbyterian congregation is an assured success.

On Saturday evening there was a concert in the Knights of Pythias hall for the purpose of defraying the expenses connected with the furnishing of the interior of the church. The programme was provided by local talent, and was of a very high order. There was a good attendance, and quite a large sum added to the furnishing fund. Rev. Leslie Clay returned home on the noon train to-day.

The Oak Bay council this evening will be occupied with the question of expenditure on the roads and streets.

PERSONAL.
D. C. Welch, a prominent lumberman from McAlester, Indian Territory, having spent some weeks investigating the conditions of timber on the Island, is passing the day in the city on his return south, a guest at the Dominion hotel.
Mrs. C. Spencer and her daughter, Miss Norma Spencer, after visiting in Vancouver last week, have gone on a visit to Sardis, where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wells.
A. J. Brown, the secretary of the local branch, Y. M. C. A., goes to Nanaimo tomorrow morning, where he will lecture on South Africa.
S. D. Chubb, connected in newspaper circles in New York city, is in the city on a business trip, a guest at the Dominion hotel.
Mrs. J. York, after several weeks spent in California, returned to the city last evening by the steamer Governor.
Mrs. George Thompson, of this city, is visiting in Nanaimo, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. K. Leighton.
Miss May Yoh, who is the great attraction at the New Grand this week, is registered at the Detroit.
S. Kirby, a hotel proprietor of Quilchena, B. C., is in the city, a guest at the Dominion hotel.
W. T. Bryant, from Hankow, China, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.
C. Van Houten and wife, of Nanaimo, spent yesterday at the Detroit.
Mrs. R. J. Burde, of Alberni, is in the city, a guest of Mrs. T. R. Cusack.

At the residence of her parents, 1509 North Pembroke street, last evening, the death occurred of Elsie, the eldest daughter of Daniel and Alice Cross, at the tender age of 6 years. The funeral has been arranged for Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 from the residence and 2.45 at St. Barnabas' church, with Rev. Mr. Miller officiating.
You will soon need blankets and comforters? But men now while prices are lowest. White wool blankets \$2.00, \$2.25 up to \$10.00. Grey wool blankets \$1.75, \$2.25 up to \$3.50. Well-filled comforters \$1.50, \$2.75 up to \$6.00. Robinson's Cash Store, 86 Yates street.

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MARINE AND SHIPPING.

FOG KING REIGNS.

A heavy fog enveloped Victoria and the vicinity from an early hour this morning until 9 o'clock, clearing away at that hour from the city itself but still lying over the mouth of the harbor and the Straits of Juan de Fuca.

This morning the steamer Princess Victoria came up to the outer wharf half-an-hour late. Capt. Griffin not deeming it advisable to take his vessel into the inner harbor in view of the heavy fog-bank that obscured the entrance.

The steamer Arizonan of the Hawaiian-American line, reached Seattle from San Francisco on Saturday and reported that fog had been encountered from the time the steamer left the Golden Gate until she docked at the Sound port.

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The number coming north on the Pacific Coast Steamship Company steamers. While the Governor had only 165 passengers from the city, the City of Puebla, a much smaller steamer, carried 343 passengers south on Saturday.

The Nome City, which left San Francisco with a large list of passengers for Seattle on Saturday, was obliged this morning to put back to that port because of her crippled condition due to damage to her propeller.

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The Holt liner Titan reached port from the Sound on Saturday night and is discharging 750 tons of cargo at the outer wharf.

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CONVICT CAPTURED.

Man May Be Kelly Who Recently Escaped From Royal City Penitentiary. A man wearing penitentiary shoes and bearing other signs of having been a convict of the big New Westminster stone building was captured on Friday as he was about to put out from Steveston in a small boat.

The hydroplane with which M. Santos Dumont expects to be able to cover sixty miles an hour is approaching completion at Paris. A trial of the strange looking craft was made in the lake in the Bois de Boulogne, in order to test its stability.

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"BRAVO, ANGLAIS!" English Major's Fine Rescue of a Swiss From the Rapids. Major Herbert Campbell Helman, D. S. O., of the Indian army, one Sunday recently saved the life of a Swiss by an act of great gallantry.

FOR IVORY ISLAND. The steamer Maude arrived in port on Saturday night after taking supplies to the Sandheads lighthouse and installing a bell buoy at Portler Bass. The Maude is now taking on materials for the construction of a fog alarm station at Ivory Island, Millbank Sound, and will probably leave to-morrow.

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DUMONT'S LATEST.

Motor Raft to Skim Over the Water at Sixty Miles an Hour. The hydroplane with which M. Santos Dumont expects to be able to cover sixty miles an hour is approaching completion at Paris.

The steamer R. P. Rithet arrived from New Westminster on Saturday night, and discharged several hundred tons of freight yesterday. She is taking on cargo to-day and will leave again to-morrow morning.

The Pacific Coast Steamship steamer City of Puebla, which sailed for San Francisco on Saturday night, carried 200 tons of fertilizer and 50 tons of hides, tar and general freight from the outer wharf.

The N. Y. K. steamer Aki Maru, which left Yokohama on the 2nd inst., is due here to-morrow. For Victoria the steamer has 369 tons of freight and 113 passengers, including 30 Chinese.

The steamer City of Nanaimo arrived from Comox on Saturday night, bringing 180 packages of goods. She will leave at six o'clock to-morrow morning.

The steamer Tees is a day late returning from the west coast. She is expected to reach port this evening, and will leave again to-morrow night.

The Kumeric has arrived at Manila and the Suvetic has left that port for Newcastle, where she will take a cargo of coal for San Francisco.

The steamer Petrel returned on Saturday evening after a ten days' cruise around the island, calling at the various stations and lighthouses.

The N. Y. K. steamer Tango Maru sails from Seattle to-morrow morning for the Orient, and will call here to load cargo to-morrow afternoon.

The steamer Grace Dollar is having a new tail-shaft fitted at San Francisco and will undergo other repairs before going to sea again.

The Holt liner Titan reached port from the Sound on Saturday night and is discharging 750 tons of cargo at the outer wharf.

The steamer Princess May arrived at Vancouver from Skagway yesterday, and is due in port this afternoon.

The steamer Queen City is due from Rivers Inlet and way ports on the east coast.

"BRAVO, ANGLAIS!" English Major's Fine Rescue of a Swiss From the Rapids. Major Herbert Campbell Helman, D. S. O., of the Indian army, one Sunday recently saved the life of a Swiss by an act of great gallantry.

FOR IVORY ISLAND. The steamer Maude arrived in port on Saturday night after taking supplies to the Sandheads lighthouse and installing a bell buoy at Portler Bass. The Maude is now taking on materials for the construction of a fog alarm station at Ivory Island, Millbank Sound, and will probably leave to-morrow.

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NOTICE. MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1908. TO HOUSEHOLDERS AND LICENSE HOLDERS OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

The attention of the Householders and License Holders is respectfully directed to the necessity of lodging a Statutory Declaration claiming the right to vote at the forthcoming Municipal Election, during the month of October.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., Sept. 28th, 1907.

VICTORIA WATER WORKS. Tenders sealed, endorsed and addressed to W. W. Northcott, purchasing agent, will be received up to 4 p.m. on Monday, the 14th October, 1907, for the supplying of Valves, Lead Pipe and Brass Goods, as per specification, copies of which may be obtained at this office.

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The chairmen of the committees for the respective provinces have been selected and are as follows: British Columbia: E. H. Russell, Victoria, B. C.; Alberta: Howard Stutchbury, Edmonton, Alta.; Saskatchewan: A. F. Angus, Bank of Montreal, Regina, Sask.; Manitoba: Major Devine, B. S. O., Osborne Place, Winnipeg, Man.; Ontario: A. MacLean Macdonell, Traders' Bank



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GAMES PLAYED ON SATURDAY

J. B. A. A. AT HEAD OF THE CITY LEAGUE

Y. M. C. A. and Esquimalt Each Win Victory at Association Football --Other Sporting News.

The game between the J. B. A. A. and the Victoria United did not bring out any very brilliant play, although there were some good features. The poor combination of the Victoria United was perhaps the weakest part of all but the individual play of some of the men was excellent. Meredith played splendid football throughout, but he was best in his position at back. His kicking is a wonder.

Throughout the early part of the game the Bays had the best of it and right along until within a quarter of an hour of the end when the Victorians seemed to come to themselves. Three goals were made in the first half, the first being a very fine kick from some distance back by Sam Lorimer who played well throughout and did much better work than any of the other defence men. Todd and Peden followed with fairly clever shots, raising the score to three to nil in favor of the Bays when the half time whistle blew.

Two more goals were put to the credit of the J. B. A. A. by Winsby and Dakers, respectively, before the Victoria United broke through, the play of the former man being of a very high order. The credit for the score of Dakers is largely due to Winsby for he passed the ball in from the left wing, dropping it just in the right place for Dakers to do the trick. McQuade put the ball between the posts, Letch getting his very soon after, and on several occasions the Victorians pressed their opponents very close in the effort to redeem somewhat their lost prestige. The effort was unavailing, and at the time the whistle blew the scores stood five to two in favor of the Bays.

The forward line of the Bay's team did splendid work, and if they were supported well they would be a strong combination. Dakers, who played centre forward, was certainly in the right place, his play being almost above criticism, and he was well supported on either side. His best support behind was Sam Lorimer, there being very little help coming except from him. The game was too one-sided to be very interesting, but there was a decided improvement in the play of the James Bay team since last week.

J. G. Brown officiated as referee and there were no disputes, everything passing off very pleasantly, an effort being made throughout to play the game only.

Y. M. C. A. VICTORY. The Garrison team were defeated at Oak Bay on Saturday by the Y. M. C. A. boys, who scored their first couple of points in the league after a lively, but rather ragged game. The score of 3 to 1 in favor of the Y. M. C. A. was indicative of the play as the Garrison were hard pressed throughout. At the same time the trio of goals were largely accountable to the ineffectiveness of Ingle who, between the posts, made a very poor show with the shots sent in to him.

From the start the Y. M. C. A. pressed and carried the ball into the Garrison half. Sullivan relieved and the soldiers had a spell but the Y. M. C. A. were not to be denied and, following a centre from Morrison, Johnson scored, Ingle being caught napping. After this reverse the soldiers played up well and Ballie was conspicuous by some clever dribbling. The Y. M. C. A. defence was equal to the occasion, however, and the ball went back to midfield where play raged for ten minutes. The work of the halves on both sides was excellent, but the forwards lacked combination and bunched together far too much to render their work effective.

The second goal was a worse fluke than the first one. From the restart after half-time, the Y. M. C. A. pressed, and within five minutes added another goal. Melbourne tapped the ball toward the goal from the twelve yards line and Ingle, running to clear it, missed his kick, the leather rolling slowly over the line to the chagrin of the Garrison. The soldiers went away from the kick-off, and secured a corner. Morrison, in goal, was called on immediately after but cleared safely. Y. M. C. A. took the ball up to the Garrison half, but were driven back by Rondeau and Ballie. Fifteen minutes from time Greenwood broke through the Y. M. C. A. defence and scored with a fast low shot. Both teams lived up after this and the soldiers tried hard to equalize but were unable to get within shooting distance. Wild kicking rendered their work useless and the superior weight of the Y. M. C. A. soon told. After the ball had been taken up by Kerchen, who played a fine game throughout, Bob Morrison registered the third goal for his team, Ingle again failing to stop the ball. There was no further scoring.

While the Y. M. C. A. was successful, the scoring was largely the result of fortune. Ingle failing signally on all three goals. Morrison in goal for the winners, was not called upon often, but saved twice in good style. He was a trifling slow on occasions, but got the ball away. The failure of the Garrison rested with their forwards who would not keep their position and wait for passes. The Y. M. C. A. forwards were keener and much quicker to turn their opportunities to account, but their play was also ragged as far as combination went. Kerchen, at half for the Y. M. C. A., was always ready for emergencies and Ballie, the youngest and nearest player on the field, had many interesting tussles with him. The game was very clean and Walter Lorimer had no difficulty in keeping the players in check.

NO FURTHER ENTRIES. Nothing was done at the meeting of the executive committee of the Victoria District Football League held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms Saturday evening. There were no more entries for the intermediate and junior series, so the matter was laid over for another two weeks to give the clubs another opportunity to enter. The matter of pooling the receipts of the games was decided to be outside the jurisdiction of the league, but arrangements were made among the club representatives to bring the scheme into effect.

INTER-SCHOOL LEAGUE

After a good deal of hanging fire the High school has entered a team in the inter-school league, and the schedule has been rearranged to make room for them. This will very much increase the interest which will be taken in the series. All the players have to be not over 16 years of age, and this, of course, is a handicap to the High school, but the regulation is necessary because the boys in the other schools are mostly under that age. The series opened Saturday with two games, Central defeating the South Park two goals to nothing, while the North Ward and Collegiate school made a draw, neither managing to score. In the former game Leonard Campbell acted as referee, and in the latter Walter Lorimer handled the whistle. The following are teams which represented each school:

Central—Davies, Dalgarno, Day, C. Brown, McKeon, Gardner, Cox, J. Brown, Crawford, McIntyre, Campbell. South Park—Capas, Clay, Bucknam, Laundry, Bendrodt, Cooley, Saunders, Alice, Clark, McDougall, Heyland. The following is the revised schedule for the series:

Saturday, Oct. 12.—Central vs. South Park, at Oak Bay; North Ward vs. Collegiate school at Beacon Hill; bye, High school. Saturday, Oct. 19.—Central vs. Collegiate school, at Oak Bay; South Park vs. High school, at Beacon Hill; bye, North Ward.

Saturday, Oct. 26.—South Park vs. North Ward, at Oak Bay; Central vs. Collegiate school, at Beacon Hill; bye, High school. Saturday, Nov. 2.—Central vs. North Ward, at Oak Bay; High school vs. Collegiate school, at Beacon Hill; bye, South Park.

Saturday, Nov. 9.—High school vs. North Ward, at Oak Bay; South Park vs. Collegiate school, at Beacon Hill; bye, Central. Saturday, Nov. 16.—Central vs. South Park, at Beacon Hill; North Ward vs. Collegiate school, at Oak Bay; bye, High school.

Saturday, Nov. 23.—Central vs. Collegiate school, at Beacon Hill; South Park vs. High school, at Oak Bay; bye, North Ward. Saturday, Nov. 30.—South Park vs. North Ward, at Beacon Hill; Central vs. High school, at Oak Bay; bye, Collegiate school.

Saturday, Dec. 7.—Central vs. North Ward, at Beacon Hill; High school vs. Collegiate school, at Oak Bay; bye, South Park. Saturday, Dec. 14.—High school vs. North Ward, at Beacon Hill; South Park vs. Collegiate school, at Oak Bay; bye, Central.

Games will be called at 10.30 a.m. STANDING OF LEAGUE. The James Bay Athletic Association have the lead as yet in the Victoria District League, and they certainly have a strong team. The Y. M. C. A. probably are showing up next best, but they will have a hard tussle to hold the Esquimalt team down when they meet again. The naval village boys are practising hard every evening for the cup, so that every week will increase the general interest in the matches. It is thought that the best game of the season would be between the J. B. A. A. and the Y. M. C. A. Both of these teams have a number of excellent men, and their combination is pretty good.

Table with 5 columns: Team, P, W, L, D, Pts. James Bay A. A. 2 2 0 0 4, Esquimalt 2 1 0 1 3, Y. M. C. A. 2 1 1 0 2, Garrison 2 1 1 0 2, Fifth Regiment 2 0 2 0 0, Victoria United 2 0 2 0 0, H. M. S. Esquerre 0 0 0 0 0, H. M. S. Shearwater 0 0 0 0 0.

ESQUIMALT WON MATCH. The soccer game between Esquimalt and the Fifth Regiment at Beacon Hill on Saturday was a very brilliant game, no scoring was done until a few minutes before the time whistle blew, but the Esquimalt team probably had the best of the play throughout without tangible result, until when everyone thought another tie game would be on record the regiment, represented by Hunter, put the ball home. This put the naval village lads on their mettle, and two goals were made, one by Prevost and the other by Okell in quick order, the game closing with a score of two to one in favor of Esquimalt.

Okell was the referee, and he gave satisfaction to both teams. PRACTICE TO-MORROW. There will be a practice match of the Y. M. C. A. team at Beacon Hill park to-morrow evening at 5.30. All the playing members are requested to be present. BASEBALL. CHICAGO THE WINNERS. Detroit, Mich., Oct. 12.—The Chicago National League baseball team this afternoon at Bennett park won the world's championship, defeating the Detroit American league team by the score of two to nothing. It was the fourth successive victory for the Chicago in as many days. Taking advantage of every slip made by the local players and running the bases cleverly they scored two runs in the first two



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innings, while the Detroit team did not succeed in getting a man over the home plate. The routers who had followed the Chicago team from their home town swarmed to the front when the ninth inning closed and showered them with congratulations. Several hundred of them formed in line and marched down Michigan avenue, headed by a band, cheering and singing in celebration of their victory. The weather was raw and cold, entirely unfit for baseball, and the attendance was comparatively small, the official count being 7,310. Mullin and Brown both pitched well, but the Chicago man received stronger support. Brown was also steadier than Mullin, giving but one base on balls to Mullin's three, one of which developed into a run in the first inning. There was missing in the play of the Detroit team again to-day the dash and vim which carried them to the top of the American league. In an effort to check the base stealing of Chicago, Manager Jennings sent in his codd catcher, Archer, to receive Mullin, but the Chicago men succeeded in stealing four bases from him, which figured materially in the scoring of the runs.

Chicago scored in the opening inning, Slagle walked for base on balls. Sheekard then sent a fly to Jones and Howard struck out. With two gone Slagle dashed for second base and was safe. Stainfeldt scored him with a single to centre. When Jones also opened Detroit's first inning with a base on balls, the Detroit supporters had visions of a run also. Schaefer, Crawford and Cobb were easy outs, however, and Jones was left at second base.

Rossman dropped Coughlin's throw-off grounder at the opening of the second inning and he was safe taking second on Tinker's single after Schulte had popped to Archer while trying to bunt. The pair of infielders then worked a clever double steal. Brown was given a base on balls and the bases were full with but one out. Evers scored on Slagle's grounder to Schaefer, on which the center fielder was put out first. Sheekard ended the inning and the scoring for the day by flying. The Detroit batters went out in order in the third. Stainfeldt opened Chicago's half with a three-base hit to the crowd in the field which Jones could not get. It looked like another run for Chicago, but King grounded to O'Leary and shortstop threw out Stainfeldt.

In the fourth Detroit had its best opportunity to score. Crawford opened with a two-base hit. Cobb struck out. Rossman singled. He did not, however, run from second base on throw from the Chicago outfield and there was no opportunity for Crawford to score. The next two men were easy outs. Howard and Stainfeldt singled in succession in the fifth, with two out, but Howard was thrown out at third base by Jones while trying to make two bases on Stainfeldt's hit. Slagle singled in the seventh with two out

and was thrown out. Schulte also singled in the ninth with two out and Coughlin's error followed Schulte's single in this inning, filling the bases, but by clever work Mullins struck out Slagle. Jones singled with two out for Detroit in the fifth inning and stole second, but was left when Schaefer grounded out. Cobb's two-base hit in the sixth failed to bring a run for Detroit and Rossman's single in the ninth was also fruitless, the next two men flying out. The Chicago team left for home tonight. The gross receipts to-day were \$12,638, of which the players received \$6,824, the commission \$1,282 and the two clubs \$2,574.

YACHTING. NEW FLYER FOR VANCOUVER. Vancouver, B. C., Oct. 13.—The contract has been let for the building of a yacht, a sister ship to the famous Minerva, at Hongkong for D. E. Brown and Dr. MacLaren, of Vancouver. The Minerva, which is a Hongkong craft, has been so successful on this side and is such a splendid, one might say ideal, type of the Royal Vancouver Yacht Club. The new yacht will be similar in every way to C. B. Macnells' flyer, except that the cabin plan will be slightly altered. The boat will be completed and ready for sea in the early spring, and will be brought over on the Empress or Blue Funnel boats, although it is probable that later reflection may lead the owners to seriously consider the plan of sailing her over. This would be a splendid test of the new boat's sea-going qualities.

In addition to this valuable acquisition to the fleet a fast racer will be built at North Vancouver especially for the Gravelly cup contests. The order has already been given for one of this class, but it is practically certain that W. Macdougall, having sold the Onaway, will build another flyer. The raffle for the Alexandra will take place at the board of trade room on Tuesday evening next.

HOCKEY. SCHOOL GIRLS' GAMES. A schedule has been drawn up among the girls' hockey teams of the various schools for the Colanist cup. This trophy has been won twice by the South Park team, and if won by them this year, becomes the property of the school. The games will be played at Oak Bay commencing at 10.30 in the forenoon. The following is the schedule arranged: Saturday, Oct. 26—High School vs. South Park. Saturday, Nov. 2—South Park vs. North Ward. Nov. 9—North Ward vs. High School. Nov. 16—South Park vs. High School. Nov. 23—North Ward vs. South Park. Nov. 30—High School vs. North Ward.

CUSTOMS REGULATIONS. A circular, which was recently issued by Customs Collector Harper at Port Townsend, outlines the manner in which automobiles are to be brought into the state of Washington from British Columbia. Automobiles belonging to non-residents and crossing the boundary in Washington, must report at the nearest customs house. Automobiles belonging to well known persons crossing the boundary for bona fide touring purposes, of not longer than ten days' duration, may proceed after appearance at the customs house without the formality of making an entry. Owners desiring to remain longer than ten days may have their privilege extended

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THE RING. SUMMERS IN NEW YORK. New York, Oct. 12.—Johnny Summers, featherweight champion pugilist of England, arrived from that country on the steamer Philadelphia. DRASTIC PURGATIVES DESTROY THE INTESTINES. If you burn your hand you have a good example of the sort of inflammation that the Drastic Purgatives excite in the intestines. Yet many people consider the virtue of purgative pills depends upon their activity. Dr. Hamilton was the first to produce a pill that would cleanse the system not by drastic action, but by exciting normal secretions of kidneys, liver and bowels. The deepest recesses in the system are searched by Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Poisonous and depressing accumulations, whether stored in the lymphatics, kidneys, liver or bowels are driven out—inward cleanliness is assured. You are sure to feel better, sure to experience the buoyancy of robust health that comes with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. No medicine is more gentle, more searching, or surer to give that buoyant feeling of sound health. For the family no remedy is so universally satisfactory as Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25 cents per box at all dealers.

THE RIFLE. CADETS' SCORES. The weekly target practice of the High School Cadet corps, was held on Saturday morning at the Clover Point range. Out of a possible 38 some of the scores were: Corp. H. Bogen, 25; Cadet Gray, 19; Serg. Hartman, 18; Cadet Huggett, 17; Cadet Walker, 16; Cadet Pines, 16; Cadet Hanna, 16; Cadet Elford, 15.

ATHLETIC. BURN DEFEATED CHANDLER. Burn defeated Chandler in a fifteen mile race Saturday at Brockton Point, coming in 75 yards ahead. Chandler led a good deal of the time but the general opinion was that Burn could have won at any time and could have made the distance between them much greater than it was. GOLF. U. S. LADY CHAMPION. Chicago, Oct. 12.—Miss Margaret Curtis, of Essex County Club, won the women's national championship to-day from her sister, Harriet Curtis, the

present champion, by the overwhelming score of 7 up and 6 to play. The overthrow of the champion was complete. She played below her standard, was pitted against almost unbeatable golf, and succeeded in capturing only one hole of the twelve that were played, the tenth, where Miss Margaret putted her drive into the rough grass, and half topped her third. The winner made few mistakes, slashed out long drives and telling brassy shots, and utilized the regulation number of puts on the greens "gobbling" no puts, but simply playing a game that was not to be denied. Her total of 44 for the outward journey has not been exceeded in the tournament in which there were 63 original starters.

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ON THE YACHT.

Mr. Newlywed—You'll become used to the motion of the yacht soon, dearest.
It's your home, you know, for the next month.
Mrs. Newlywed (trying to smile)—Then what ails me, I suppose, is home sickness.

Saving a Drummer

"Do you know that I think some special Providence watches over the good men of my profession?" said the Boston drummer as he lay back in his seat and smiled contentedly.
"Isn't it cheek instead of special Providence?" queried the sausage factory agent.
"Come now, but don't try to be sarcastic. Let me illustrate what I mean. Between Buffalo and Detroit, one day last week, I fell in with two or three gay spirits, and one of them in particular tried to flirt with every woman on the platform as we made the various stops. When I gently took him to task about it he turned on me and said that when we arrived at St. Thomas he intended to get off and kiss the handsomest girl around the station. That was his home town, but I didn't know it. He had also telegraphed his sister to meet him, but I didn't know that. He put up such a bluff that I put up ten dollars on the result. There was a stop at St. Thomas for refreshments, and as we dropped off our flirting friend made a dive for a good looking young woman with his arms outstretched to enfold her and the name of Sadie on his lips. Sadie sidestepped him and a man stepped in. He didn't ask any questions, but shot out with his left and the would-be kisser crumpled up like an old cabbage-stalk. He hadn't come too when I had to leave



Shot out his left hand and the would-be kisser crumpled up.

with the train, but the stake-holder said the money was mine and handed it over. Just as the train moved off the real Sadie came hustling along, but she was too late. Her mistaken brother had got his dose crumpled up like an old cabbage-stalk, and the drummer was ahead of the game again."
JOE KERR.



AT THE BALL GAME.

Shortstop—We don't seem to be able to hit that country pitcher.
Backstop—No, he's got one of those rural free deliveries.



NO CIRCUS FOR JOHNNY.

Johnny—Can I go to the circus, pa?
Father—No, indeed. I wouldn't think of letting you see such a degrading exhibition.
Johnny—Then won't you please take me to the menagerie? Teacher says we ought to see the animals.
Father—What! Pay full price to see only half the show? I guess not.

How it Works

The President of the Standard Oil Company was sitting in his office humming a tune to himself when his confidential man rushed in and exclaimed:
"Mr. President, our Company has been fined \$1,500,000 and driven out of the State of Texas!"
"So? Then draw a check for the amount and cross Texas off the map of the United States."
Ten minutes later the man was back to say:
"Mr. President, we have been fined a million dollars by the State of Missouri!"
"Draw a check and send it to them. Also, cross Missouri off the map."
There was peace for a quarter of an hour, during which the great man smiled to think what a good old world this was, and then his henchman reappeared to say:
"Mr. President, the State of Kansas has beaten us in our suits, and we will have to pay about two million dollars in fines and costs."
"Draw a check for the amount. James, and see that there is no more Kansas left on the map. Don't hesitate to come again if you have to. This is not my busy day."
The confidential man held off almost half an hour this time, but when he did appear again it was on the jump and with his eyes bulging out.
"Well, James?"
"Mr. President, the State of Michigan



"Cross Texas Off the Map."

has begun suits against us on six hundred counts; the State of Illinois on eight hundred; the State of Pennsylvania on one thousand, and the State of Indiana on fourteen hundred."
"So! Well, my dear boy, cross 'em off the map—cross 'em off."
"Yes, sir. Anything else?"
"After you have crossed 'em off with the States before mentioned go out and buy the remainder of the country for cash and rename it Rockefeller's Back Yard. That's all today."
JOE KERR.



The fish (as Professor Bug passes)—"I've seen some fool fisherman in my day but that one's the limit!"

A Curious Coincidence.

"Speaking of the curious coincidences," said the man from Pittsburg to the group in the hotel lobby, "but I encountered one only last week, and it is bothering me yet. In the smoker on the train were three cross-eyed men, all sitting near me. I was thinking how queer it was when one of them leaned over and whispered: 'I don't like the looks of the cross-eyed chap over there. I never trust one of the sort.' Five minutes the individual he had referred to came along after a drink of water and stopped to say to me, pointing out to the cross-eyed man: 'Look out for some gum game from that fellow over there.' 'It wasn't over ten minutes later when the third man sat down beside me and spoke of the snupots and the weather, and then dropped his voice and whispered:

"Stranger, have you noticed that we have two cross-eyed men in this coach?"
"Why, we have three," I blurted out.
"Where's the third one?"
"Begging your pardon, but you are a sufferer from the same cause."
"Me? Why, what a mistake you make! I said two just to spare your feelings. We really have three, and you make the third."
"We had a dispute," continued the Pittsburger, "and I'll be hanged if the three of them didn't set in and declare that I alone of all was cross-eyed! Did you ever hear of such a thing? I'm almost a good mind to go to a doctor, I'll leave it to you gentlemen if I am cross-eyed."
And then we took a square look at him and saw that he was cock-eyed in both optics and had lost his winkers and eyebrows to boot!

JOE KERR.



Mr. Wise (reading)—I see that the potato bug has invaded France.
Mrs. Wise—They shouldn't worry. Haven't they Paris green at hand.

The Real Thing.

He had been caught in a summer shower, and as he boarded the street car the paste was dripping from his straw hat and his headpiece had a most dejected and forlorn look. Observing that it was being stared at he said:
"I was up in Danbury, Connecticut, about the first of June, and going into a hat store I asked to look at a good hat."
"Do you want a real Panama?" asks the man.
"I do," says I, "but I don't want a Panama made in Danbury," he goes on, "that the real thing is made in our factory here." In fact, we beat the real thing all to pieces."
"How do you get the straw?"
"Come up by our own steamers."
"And the lining?"
"We import the native women. Got over four hundred of 'em."
"And the Panama atmosphere?"
"We have two hundred barrels a week sent to us."
"He didn't look like a man who'd be about a hat," continued the wearer, "and I don't think he did. I think he forgot to tell me that they didn't import the Panama paste, but used some made right here in Danbury, and being in something of a hurry he neglected to mention that whenever I went out in



the rain I ought to wear a rather sou'wester and leave my Panama at home."
JOE KERR.



CRAFTY CUPID
Dan Cupid on dark dreary days
Discards his bow and darts
And to his workshop hies away
And with the thread of hope they say
He mends all broken hearts.
—E. J. JOHNSON.



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OF THE GUARD

By Henry Seton Merriman

CHAPTER III.—(Continued). In a moment he burst into the room with all his usual exuberance and high spirits. "Picture to yourselves!" he cried, standing in the doorway with his arms extended before him. "I was hurrying to headquarters when I ran into the embrace of my dear cousin Louis—my cousin, I have told you a hundred times that he is brother and father and every thing to me. I am so glad that he should come to-day of all days. He turned toward the stairs with a gesture of welcome, with his two arms still outstretched, as if inviting the man who came rather slowly upstairs, to come to his embrace and to the em-

brassive bow; but he looked at Desree. "This is my father-in-law," continued Chales, breathlessly. "Monsieur Antoine Sebastian, and Desree and Mathilde—my wife, my dear Louis—your cousin, Desree."

He had turned again to Louis, and shook him by the shoulders in the fullness of his joy. He had not distinguished between Mathilde and Desree, and it was toward Mathilde that d'Arragon looked with polite and rather formal repetition of his bow. "It is I, who am Desree," said the younger sister, coming forward, with a slow gesture of shyness. "I have been happy," he said, "in the moment of my arrival."

He turned to Mathilde, and bowed over the hand she held out to him. Sebastian had come forward with a sudden return of his gracious and rather old-world manner. He did not offer to shake hands, but bowed. "A son of Louis d'Arragon, who was fortunate enough to escape to England?" he inquired, with a courteous gesture.

"The only son," replied the newcomer. "I am honored to make the acquaintance of Monsieur le Marquis," said Antoine Sebastian, slowly.

"Oh, you must not call me that," replied d'Arragon, with a short laugh. "I am an English sailor—not a Marquis."

"And now, my dear Louis, I leave you," broke in Charles, who had rather impatiently awaited the end of these formalities. "A brief half-hour and I am with you again. You will stay here till I return."

He turned, nodded gaily to Desree and ran downstairs. Through the open window they heard his quick, light footfall as he hurried up the Frauengasse. Something made them silent, listening to it.

It was not difficult to see that d'Arragon was a sailor. Not only had he the brown face of those who live in the open, but he had the silent, attentive air of one whose waking moments are a watch.

"You look at one as if one were the horizon," Desree said to him long afterward. But it was at this moment, in the drawing-room in the Frauengasse, that the comparison formed itself in her mind.

His face was rather narrow, with a square chin and straight lips. He was not quick in speech, like Charles, but seemed to think before he spoke, with the result that he often appeared to be about to say something and was interrupted before the words had been uttered.

"Unless my memory is a bad one, your mother was an Englishwoman, monsieur," said Sebastian, "which would account for your being in the English service."

"Not entirely," answered d'Arragon, "though my mother was indeed English, and died—in a French prison. But it was from a sense of gratitude that my father placed me in the English service—and I have never regretted it, monsieur."

"Your father received kindness at English hands, after his escape, like many others."

"Yes, and he was too old to repay them by doing the country any service himself. He would have done it if he could."

d'Arragon paused, looking steadily at the tall old man, who listened to him with averted eyes.

"My father was one of those," he said, at length, "who did not think that in fighting for Bonaparte one was necessarily fighting for France."

Sebastian held up a warning hand. "In England," he corrected, "in England one may think such things. But not in France, and still less in Dantzig."

"If one is an Englishman," replied d'Arragon, with a smile, "one may think them where one likes, and say them when one is disposed. It is one of the privileges of the nation, monsieur."

He made the statement lightly, seeing the humor of it with a comopolitan understanding, without any suggestion of the boastfulness of youth. Desree noticed that his hair was turning grey at the temples.

"I did not know," he said, turning to her, "that Charles was in Dantzig, much less that he was celebrating so happy an occasion. We ran against each other by accident in the street. It was a lucky accident that allowed me to make your acquaintance so soon after you have become his wife."

"It scarcely seems possible that it should be an accident," said Desree. "It must have been the work of fate—if fate has time to think of such an insignificant person as myself and so small an event as my marriage in these days."

"Fate," put in Mathilde, in her composed voice and manner, "has come to Dantzig to-day."

"Ah!"

"Yes. You are the second unexpected arrival this afternoon."

d'Arragon turned and looked at Mathilde. His manner, always grave and attentive, was that of a reader who has found an interesting book on a dusty shelf.

"Has the Emperor come?" he asked. Mathilde nodded.

"I thought I saw something in Charles' face," he said, reflectively, looking back through the open door toward the stairs where Charles had nodded farewell to them. "So the Emperor is here in Dantzig?"

He turned towards Sebastian, who stood with a stony face. "Which means war," he said. "It always means war," replied Sebastian, in a tired voice. "Is he again going to prove himself stronger than them all?"

"Some day he will make a mistake," said d'Arragon, cheerfully. "And then will come the day of reckoning."

someone standing apart and far away from the affairs of daily life. "In the meantime, one must play one's part," returned d'Arragon, with his almost inaudible laugh, "whatever it may be."

There was no foreboding in his voice; no second meaning in the words. He was open and simple and practical, like the life he led.

"Then you have a part to play, too," said Desree, thinking of Charles, who had been called away at such an inopportune moment, and had gone without complaint. "It is the penalty we pay for living in one of the less dull parts of history. He touches your life, too."

"He touches everyone's life, mademoiselle. That is what makes him so great a man. Yes, I have a little part to play. I am like one of the unseen supernumeraries who has to see that a door is open to allow the great actors to make an effective entry. I am lent to Russia for the war that is coming. It is a little part. I have to keep open one small portion of the line of communication between England and St. Petersburg, so that news may pass to-and-fro."

He glanced toward Mathilde as he spoke. She was listening with an odd eagerness which he noted, as he noted everything, methodically and surely. He remembered it afterwards.

"That will not be easy, with Denmark friendly to France," said Sebastian, "and every Prussian port closed to you."

"But Sweden will help. She is not friendly to France."

Sebastian laughed, and made a gesture with his white and elegant hand, of contempt and ridicule.

"And, bon Dieu, what a friendship it is," he exclaimed, "that is based on the fear of being taken for an enemy."

"It is a friendship that waits its time, monsieur," said d'Arragon, taking up his hat.

"Then you have a ship, monsieur, here in the Baltic?" asked Mathilde, with more haste than was characteristic of her usual utterance.

"A very small one, mademoiselle," he answered. "So small that I could turn her round in the Frauengasse."

"But she is fast?"

"The fastest in the Baltic, mademoiselle," he answered. "And this is why I must take my leave—with the news you have told me."

He shook hands as he spoke, and bowed to Sebastian, whose generation was content with the more formal salutation. Desree went to the door, and led the way downstairs.

"We have but one servant," she said. "Who is he?"

"On the doorstep he paused for a moment. And Desree seemed to expect him to do so.

"Charles and I have always been like brothers—you will remember that always, will you not?"

"Yes," she answered, with her gay smile. "I will remember."

"Then good-bye, mademoiselle."

"Madame," she corrected, lightly. "Madame, my cousin," he said, and departed, smiling.

Desree went slowly upstairs again.

CHAPTER IV.

The Clouded Moon.

Quand on se mette on se trompe, quand on ne se mette pas, on est trompé.

Charles d'Arragon had come to Dantzig about a year earlier. He was a lieutenant in an infantry regiment, and he was twenty-five. Many of his contemporaries were colonels in these days of quick promotion, when men lived at such a pace that few of them lived long.

But Charles was too easy-going to envy any man.

"When I arrived he knew no one in Dantzig, had few friends in the army of occupation. In six months he possessed acquaintances in every street, and was on terms of easy familiarity with all his fellow-officers."

"If the army of occupation had more officers like young d'Arragon," a town-councillor had grimly said to Rapp, "the Dantziars would soon be resigned to your presence."

It seemed that Charles had the gift of popularity. He was open and hearty, half-fellow-well-met with the newcomers, who were numerous enough at this time, quick to understand the quiet, open and frank.

"It was a poor deal of a lieutenant," he said, "that he is."

Reserve is fatal to popularity; friendship cannot exist without it. Charles had, it seemed, nothing to hide, and was indifferent to the secrets of others. It is such people who receive many confidences.

"But it must go farther," a hundred men had said to him.

"My friend, by to-morrow I shall have forgotten all about it," he invariably replied, which men remembered afterward and were glad.

A certain sort of friendship seemed to exist between Charles d'Arragon and Colonel de Casimir—not without patronage on one side and a slightly constraining sense of obligation on the other. It was de Casimir who had introduced Charles to Mathilde Sebastian at a formal reception at General Rapp's.

Charles, of course, fell in love with Mathilde, and out again after half-an-hour's conversation. There was something cold and calculating about Mathilde, which held him at arm's length with as much efficacy as the strictest diuenna. Indeed, there are some maidens who require no better chaperon for their hearts than their own heads.

A few days after this introduction Charles met Mathilde and Desree in the Langgasse, and he fell in love with Desree. He went about for a while seeking opportunity to tell her without delay what had happened to him. The opportunity presented itself before long: for one morning he saw her walking quickly toward the Kuh-brucke with her skates swinging from her wrist. It was a sunny, still winter morning, such as temperate countries never know. Desree's eyes were bright with youth and happiness. The cold air had slightly emphasized the rosy color of her cheeks.

Charles caught his breath at the sight of her, though she did not happen to perceive him. He called a sleigh and drove to barracks for his own skates. Then to the Kuh-brucke, where a reach

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of the McIlau was cleared and kept in order for skating. He overpaid the sleigh-driver, and laughed aloud at the man's boorish surprise. There was no one so happy as Charles d'Arragon in all the world. He was going to tell Desree that he loved her.

At first Desree was surprised, as was only natural. For she had not thought of the pleasant youth of her father introduced to her by Mathilde. She had not even commented on him after he had made his gay bow and gone.

She had of course thought of these things in the abstract when her busy mind had nothing more material and immediate to consider. She had probably arranged how some abstract person should some day tell her of his love, and how she should make reply. But she had never imagined the incident as it actually happened. She had never pictured a youth in a picturesque uniform looking down at her with ardent eyes as he skated by her side through the crisp, still air, while the ice set a high, clear, song beneath their feet in accompaniment to his hurried laughing words of protestation. He seemed to touch life lightly and to anticipate nothing but happiness. In truth, it was difficult to be tragic on such a morning.

These were the headless days of the beginning of the century, when men not only threw away their lives, but played ducks-and-drakes with their chances of happiness in a manner quite incomprehensible to the careful method of human thought-to-day. Charles d'Arragon lived only in the present moment. He was in love with her. Desree must marry him.

It was quite different to what she had anticipated. She had looked forward to such a moment with a secret misgiving. The abstract person of her thoughts had always inspired her with a painful shyness and an indefinite, breathless fear. But the lover who was here now in the flesh, by her side inspired none of these feelings. On the contrary, she felt easy and natural and quite at home with him. There was nothing alarming about his flushed face and laughing eyes. She was not at all afraid of him. She even felt in some way older than he, though he had just turned his twenty-five and four years her senior.

She accepted the violets which he had hurriedly bought for her as he came through the Langenmarkt, but she would not say that she loved him, because she did not. She was in most ways quite a matter-of-fact person, and she was of an honest mind. She said she would think about it. She did not love him now—she knew that. She could not say that she would not learn to love him some day, but there seemed no likelihood of it at present. Then he would shoot himself! He would certainly shoot himself unless she learned to love him! And she asked "When?" and they both laughed. They changed the subject, but after a time they came back to it; which is the worst of love—one always comes back to it.

Then suddenly he began to assume an air of proprietorship, and burst into a hundred explanations of what fears he had for her for her happiness and welfare. Her father was absent-minded and careless. He was not a fit guardian for her. He was the prettiest girl in all Dantzig—in all the world? Her sister was not fond enough of her to care for her properly. He announced his intention of seeing her father the next day. Everything should be done for the most watchful neighbor against the perfect propriety of their betrothal.

Desree laughed, and said that she was progressing rather rapidly. She had only her instinct to guide her through these troubled waters; which was much better than experience. Experience in a woman is tantamount to a previous conviction against a prisoner.

Charles was grave, however—a rare tribute. He was in love for the first time, which often makes men quite honest for a brief period—even unselfish. Of course, some men are honest and unselfish all their lives, which perhaps means that they remain in love—for the first time—all their lives. They are rare, of course. But the sort of woman with whom it is possible to remain in love all through a life-time is rarer.

So Charles waylaid Antoine Sebastian the next day as he went out of the Frauenthor for his walk in the morning sun by the side of the frozen McIlau. He was better received than he had any reason to expect.

"I am only a lieutenant," he said. "But in these days, monsieur, you know—there are possibilities."

He laughed gaily as he waved his glove in the direction of Russia, across the river. But Sebastian's face clouded, and Charles, who was quick and sympathetic, abandoned that point in his argument almost before the words were out of his lips.

"I have a little money," he said. "In addition to my pay. I assure you, monsieur, I am not of mean birth."

"You are an orphan?" said Sebastian, curiously.

"Of the Terror?"

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Butchers in Manitoba Are Arrested to Answer Charge of Stealing a Steer.

Carberry, Man., Oct. 12.—On information sworn out by James Cuddy of this place, charging them with the theft of a steer, D. Wright and E. Campbell, carrying on a butcher business in town under the cognomen of Wright & Campbell, were arrested yesterday afternoon.

Farmers in the district tributary to Carberry for some months past have been missing cattle, chiefly of the beef variety, and the climax came when Mr. Cuddy, through the services of a detective, found the hide of one of his animals at a Winnipeg warehouse.

Mr. Wright protests his innocence, and in support of it he states that he has not been in the country for cattle during the past two months, and declares that he will have no difficulty in clearing himself from the charge.

Police Magistrate Dickie refused to grant bail on account of the seriousness of the charge, and the fact of the same having been laid by the crown. The case for the prosecution is in the hands of Crown Prosecutor Matheson.

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BAREFOOT THROUGH THE SNOW.

Yukon Woman Tells Pathetic Story of Conjugal Infelicity.

Seattle, Oct. 12.—Alleging that she was driven by a cruel husband out into a Yukon Territory storm, with feet bare and robed only in her nightgown, Mrs. Minnie F. Strandie yesterday asked the Superior court for a decree of divorce from Peter F. Strandie.

GOOD SHOWINGS OF IDAHO MINE

Property Acquired by Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. Yields Excellent Shipping Ore.

Rosland, Oct. 12.—The Idaho mine, which was acquired several months since by the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, is turning out well, although development has been in progress for only a short time.

Trail smelter receipts were 7,126 tons during the week, while Northport smelter received 1,610 tons in the same period.

Smelter Receipts. Nelson, Oct. 12.—The following are the ore shipments and smelter receipts in southeastern British Columbia districts for the past week and the year to date, in tons:

Shipments—Boundary, 34,304 and 983,833; Rosland, 4,384 and 211,582; east of Columbia river, 2,603 and 113,803; total, 43,011 and 1,308,718.

Smelter Receipts—Grand Forks, 21,022 and 524,694; Greenwood, 6,659 and 269,360; Boundary Falls, 4,176 and 155,209; Trail, 7,126 and 191,214; Nelson, none and 11,640; Northport, 1,713 and 74,888; Marysville, 600 and 24,600; total, 41,296 and 1,256,905.

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DEATH SENTENCE UNNERVES JUDGE

American Law Giver in Pronouncing the Fateful Words Collapses on the Bench.

Benidji, Minn., Oct. 12.—Overcome by the tragic significance of his task, when about to sentence two men to death on the gallows for having taken the lives of two other men, Judge W. N. McClenahan, of the fifteenth district court, collapsed on the bench yesterday.

Judge McClenahan, in a firm and low voice, uttered the fateful words that meant doom to Munn. When he asked Munn whether he had anything to say, the prisoner, keeping himself well in hand and with no manifestation of very deep emotion other than a slight unsteadiness of voice, replied: "I am not guilty, that's all. Somebody has been talking a lot of lies against me."

Then the veteran jurist collapsed. Tears coursed down his cheeks, and his self-control seemed utterly to desert him.

Director Gifford, of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, accompanied by Mrs. Gifford and officials of the company, on Friday visited the scene of active operations on the construction of the New Westminster-Chilliwack extension of the company's lines.

On his return from Chilliwack he will have completed a full inspection of all the workings of the company on the Mainland, leaving only Victoria to be yet covered.

DEATH OF A. G. PEMBERTON.

The death of A. G. Pemberton, of Ducks, took place at his residence on Tuesday last, says the Kamloops Sentinel. Although the deceased gentleman had been in failing health for some little time the news of his death came with startling suddenness to his many friends in the neighborhood.

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