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the mayor of any of the advantages and benefits of horse racing. The spark that may result will be worth watching for.

Rickard and Gleason report that the sale of seat certificates for the fight continues, without cessation, despite the hub-and-cry against the fight owing to the death of Tommy McCarthy last Friday night. Gleason says the seat certificates are as good as a certified cheque, and if the fight is prohibited every holder will get face value in return for his pasteboard.

Manager Wattleit is looking forward to a big crowd at the opening ball game on Saturday, at which "Long Tom" Davis, the fire chief, and John Lang, the chief of the Victoria police, will act as catcher and pitcher respectively. "Long Tom" was some pitcher back east, so watch out, but fans will have to be on hand at 2:30 to see it, for that is the time the game will start.

For the ball game on Saturday against the Circle W. nine, two new players will be seen. They are McDiarmid, centre field, and "Tub" Steenson, pitcher. Bob Murray, who played in one game last year, will be on second base and Frank Moore will have the right field.

Barney Schriber will send two carloads of horses here for the six-day meeting this month. The horses are now on the way from Emeryville. Managing Director George A. Fraser expects 200 horses here for the meeting.

WILL BUILD BIG MILL

Toronto is vying with Montreal to be the headquarters of some of the largest Canadian milling concerns. It is indicated by the developments that have occurred during the past few weeks in Toronto resulting in the entrance into the milling industry of some of the biggest of the younger capitalists of the Queen City. It is understood that two of the largest Ontario companies have been acquired as going concerns, and that the investment of a large amount of additional cash capital will enable the new company when arrangements have been completed to go ahead with the erection at a point in Ontario of what will be one of the largest and most modern mills there is in Canada.

The rivalry that has always existed between Toronto and Montreal in the larger financial transactions will result in the developments in connection with the new consolidation being watched with a great deal of interest.

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"Hard-workin' wife youse got, Bill."  
"Yes, I wish I'd a couple more like her."—Exchange.

SIXTY-FOUR BOWLERS IN COMPETITION GAME

Captains of Rinks Chosen for the Opening Match of Victoria Bowling Club

The bowling green at Beacon Hill will be festive on Saturday, when the Victoria bowling club will open its second season with a match between sides of eight teams, making a total of sixty-four players. The club house will be suitably decorated and the proceedings of the successful pioneers in Victoria of the ancient game promise to eclipse the many very successful gatherings of last season.

The teams to play in the competition on Saturday will be captained by Alexander Stewart, president of the club, and William Walker, vice-president. Each captain will have eight teams of four men under him. Each of these four-men teams will be captained. The captains of the separate rinks who have been instructed to select their men are:

President's side—Alexander Stewart, W. Oliphant, Sr., George Mowatt, Walter Staniland, Arthur Ross, G. Young, J. Dillworth and R. W. Cleiman.

Vice-president's side—William Walker, J. A. Turner, W. Brice, A. E. Banister, R. Dunn, H. H. Jones, P. Brown and W. Oliphant, Jr.

Each of the teams under the captain's names will play against the team of the other side in the order named. The club executive extends an invitation to all who are in Victoria who have a liking for the game of bowls. There will be plenty of time during the afternoon to play other matches besides completing the programme set out, and members and their friends and those who are interested will be welcomed by the club.

Refreshments for the players and visitors are being provided by the ladies connected with the club, and as these gatherings in the past have always been very successful, it is calculated that Saturday's event will be quite up to the first season the club played.

TRIAL OF DR. HYDE

Mother-in-Law Gives Evidence for Prosecution.

Kansas City, Mo., May 5.—Mrs. S. Swope was the star witness of the prosecution in the trial of her son-in-law, Dr. B. C. Hyde, for the murder of Col. Thos. H. Swope, yesterday.

When word went abroad that Mrs. Swope had taken the stand, the court room began filling rapidly and soon was packed with spectators, while at least a thousand persons struggled outside the building to gain admittance. Mrs. Swope was very agitated and frequently her excitement caused her to speak so low that counsel for both prosecution and defence asked her to repeat many answers. She began her testimony with a recital of the elopement of her daughter with Dr. Hyde.

FIGHT AT BATOCHE TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

"C" Company of the Ninetieth Will Hold a Reunion of "Old Boys" at Winnipeg

Next week there will be celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the decisive engagement at Batoche, which practically ended the Northwest rebellion. There are several veterans of the campaign living in Victoria, chiefly old members of the 9th of Winnipeg.

The anniversary is to be observed in Winnipeg by a reunion of the survivors of "C" company of the 90th, some of whom reside here. This company was always considered—as its officers and men assuredly consider it—the crack

one of the regiment. That its members in 1885 were a pretty husky lot of fellows is proved by the fact that in spite of all the hardships of the campaign practically every man who survived is still alive, and all occupy honorable positions in their several communities. They are to be found all across the prairie and in British Columbia, and as far south as Mexico.

On Sunday, May 15th, the veterans will go out to St. John's cemetery, escorted by the Winnipeg permanent corps and militia, to decorate the graves of those who fell. On Monday "C" company will hold a banquet and reunion, at which it is expected that many of the "old boys" will be present.

"Oven up, now. Who's the head of your family?"  
"My wife used to be," admitted Mr. Enpeck. "But since my daughters are grown up we have a commission form of government."—Washington Herald.

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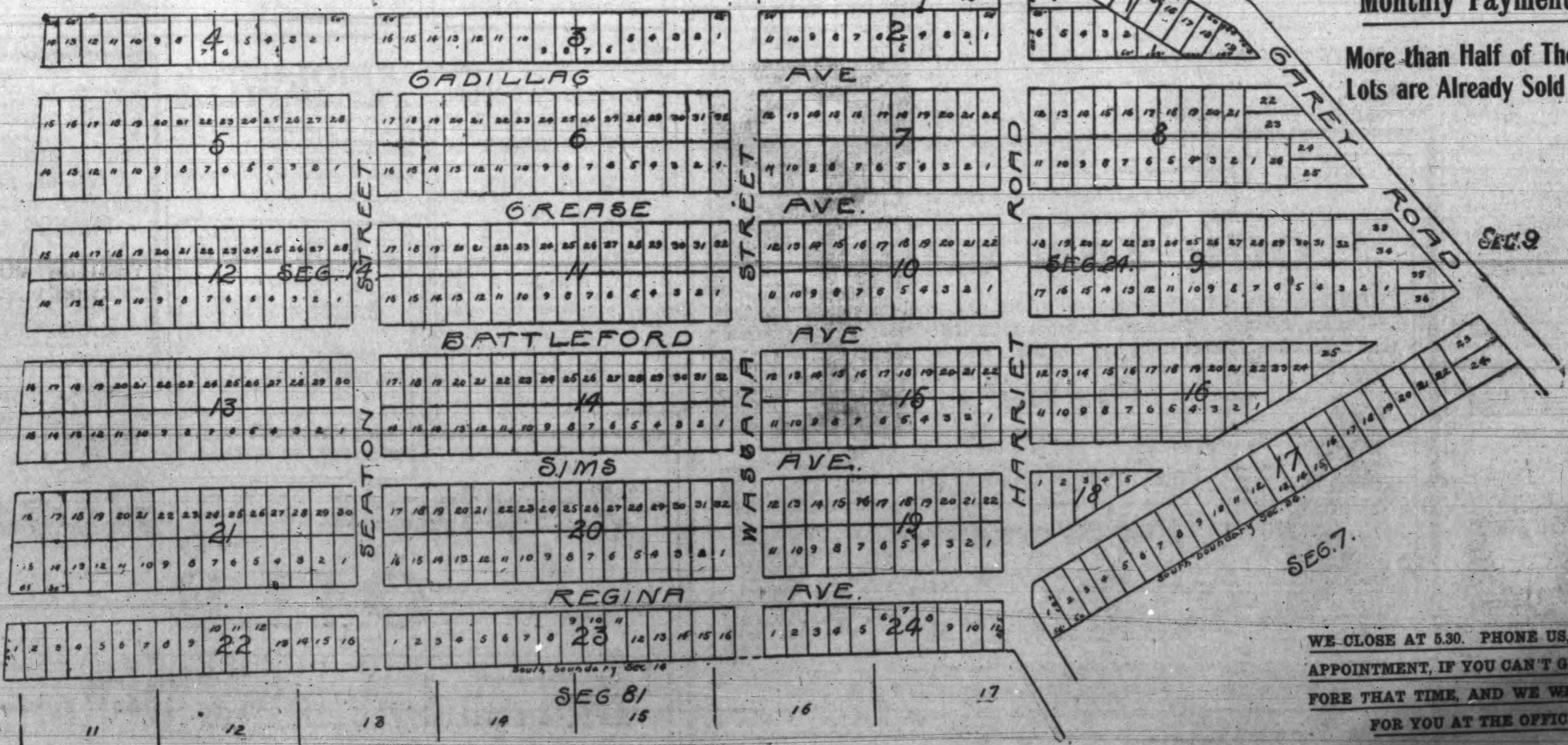
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TELLS OF METHODS OF WHITE SLAVE TRADERS

Number of Arrests Will Follow Confession of Man Who Sold Two Girls

New York, May 5.—A number of arrests, some of which it is predicted will cause a sensation, are imminent in the white slave cases following the story told District Attorney Whitman by Harry Levinson, confessed slayer.

POPULATION OF STATES.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—The census office announces unofficially an estimate that the population of the country had increased 15,124,036 since 1900.

The census bureau declared it was impossible at this time to give out any estimates of the growth of western cities. The growth on the Pacific coast, it was unofficially stated, has been phenomenal.

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DETENTION HOME FOR YOUNG DELINQUENTS

House Will Be Rented and Will Be Purchased as Soon as Funds Allow

Within the next week the new detention home, which is being founded in this city, will be opened.

A special committee was appointed to look into the matter of renting a house for the home, and its members are expected to make their report in a few days.

The matron of the home has been appointed, Mrs. Winter, of Duncan, is the lady who has been engaged. She is reported to have had a great deal of experience in this line.

MR. HELLIWELL'S FIRST REPORT

INTERESTING IN LIGHT OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

Vancouver Accountant in 1906 Reported Favorably on Methods of Civic Book-Keeping

There has been a good deal of criticism over the recent action of the city council, at Mayor Morley's suggestion in determining to engage John F. Helliwell, chartered accountant of Vancouver, to make an investigation of the bookkeeping methods of the corporation.

The Times has searched its files for a copy of Mr. Helliwell's report and finds that these conditions are supported in a report of the proceedings of the council meeting appearing in the Times of February 20th.

DEATH OF MRS. RUSHTON

Native of Winnipeg Dies in Royal City After Short Illness

New Westminster, May 4.—The news of the death of Mrs. Ernest Rushton on Saturday came as a shock and surprise to her many friends in this city.

Traveller Dead. Winnipeg, May 5.—Wm. C. McLean, a well-known commercial traveller, who has been on the road for the J. H. Ashdown Hardware company for the past six years, died yesterday.

The Semi-ready Offices in England

The amount of woollen cloth bought each season for the 200 Semi-ready Stores in Canada alone justified the establishment of permanent offices in England—

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BOYS' FIELD MEET ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Will Be Held at Oak Bay Park by Y. M. C. A.—Large Number of Entries

Saturday's field meet to be held at Oak Bay under the auspices of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. and the sanction of the B. C. A. A. U., promises to be a most successful affair.

Entries for the meet close with the secretary, A. J. Brace, on Friday evening. Already a large number have been received, but during the remaining time many more are expected.

The track at the grounds has been repaired and put into shape. Athletes are to be seen there every evening now, preparing for the forthcoming event.

The programme of events to be competed for is as follows: 100 yards, under 18; 50 yards, under 12; 100 yards, under 16; 220 yards, under 15; 50 yards, under 14; 220 yards, under 16; sack race, under 13; 1 mile, under 18; high jump, under 16; one-half mile relay, under 16; high jump, under 18; 500 yards, under 18; potato race, under 12; sack race, under 18; broad jump, under 16; broad jump, under 18; 3-legged race, under 13; one-half mile relay, under 16; 1 mile relay, under 18; 1 at \$50, 1 at \$40, 2 at \$20; 2 mile race, under 18.

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Kenora, Ont., May 5.—Harry Johnson, of this place, a well-known passenger conductor, met with a serious accident on Tuesday evening.

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### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W. W. Duncan is in Vancouver on business.  
W. Oppenheimer of Seattle, is in this city on business.  
A. J. Kay returned to the Terminal city last night.  
Joseph Nelson left for Liverpool, Eng., last night.  
E. Nunns, Campbell river, left yesterday for Vancouver.  
J. D. Prentice left last night for Vancouver on the Charmer.  
Hon. Richard McBride has gone over to Vancouver on business.  
W. A. Lawson went over last night to Vancouver on business.  
Capt. McKenzie went over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.  
M. Manson, M. P. P., left for Vancouver last night on the Charmer.  
Mrs. G. W. Dawson is spending a few days in Vancouver visiting friends.  
Hon. Carter-Cotton left on his return trip to Vancouver yesterday afternoon.  
Mrs. W. A. Williscroft has left for Vancouver, where she will visit friends.  
Mrs. E. J. Hearn of Foul Bay, will not be receiving on Thursday of this week.  
A. T. Frampton crossed over to the Terminal city last night on the Charmer.  
H. F. Johnson went over to Vancouver yesterday afternoon on a business trip.  
Rev. Dr. Campbell left for Vancouver on the Princess Victoria yesterday afternoon.  
W. O'Neill of Seattle, arrived in town yesterday on the Princess Victoria from the Sound.  
M. B. Humble was a passenger on the Princess Victoria yesterday for Vancouver.  
Mrs. R. Erskine has left on an extended visit to Vancouver and other mainland points.  
Charles Hyde has left on the Northern Pacific and the White Star liner Laurentic for Liverpool, Eng.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Baker of Seattle, were among yesterday's arrivals from Seattle on the Princess Victoria.  
Rev. W. Leslie Clay was among the

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passengers for Vancouver yesterday afternoon on the Princess Victoria.

M. A. Ward, of Alberni, is a visitor in this city.

L. N. Huntington, of Duncan, is in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lawrence have left on a visit to England.

F. W. Coffrey has left on a short trip to Elko, East Kootenay.

Edward Jagoe has been appointed provincial constable at Savona.

The Misses Spence, of Vancouver, are on an extended visit to this city.

Mrs. McCoy, 1455 Pandora avenue, will receive to-morrow afternoon.

Miss Godfrey, of Seattle, is in this city on a visit, and is the guest of Miss Doran, Esquimalt.

Miss E. Dowson left last night via the Northern Pacific and the Cunard liner Laurentic for Liverpool, Eng.

Mr. G. H. Morris and Miss Morris were among the passengers from Seattle on the Princess Victoria yesterday afternoon.

Miss Mason, Amphion street, Oak Bay, is the second Canadian artist here to be elected a member of the Imperial Arts League of London.

Mrs. Crotty and Mrs. Love, Burdette avenue, have issued invitations for an "at home" to be given at their residence on Tuesday afternoon next.

Miss Walbran entertained the ladies of St. Agnes' Guild on Tuesday evening at her pretty home on Heywood avenue, where an enjoyable evening was passed.

The marriage took place in Vancouver yesterday of Mr. Gordon Agnew and Miss Florence Crook, both of this city. The wedding was a quiet one and was a surprise to their friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Agnew will take up their residence in Victoria.

In the absence of Chief Justice Hunter on circuit, H. D. Helmcken, K. C., will officiate at the opening of the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association, which takes the form of a dance to be given at Koenig's to-night.

The young ladies of St. Mary's Sodality have arranged a good musical programme for the afternoon and evening of Saturday next in connection with their sale of work at the Institute hall, View street. Tea will be served during the afternoon, and to accommodate the business men supper will be served from 5.30 to 7.30. There will be a candy booth where toothsome confections will be sold and a number of other interesting features will be enjoyed by those who attend. The proceeds will go towards the St. Andrew's Roman Catholic cathedral funds.

QUEEN OF MAY CROWNED.

Nanaimo, May 4.—The crowning of the May Queen last evening in the Princess auditorium, and the attendant festivities proved to be an attraction which will long be remembered as the very best and most successful event ever undertaken by the Woman's Auxiliary of the local hospital.

Shortly after 7.30 the procession left the Esplanade, with the May Queen, Miss Lena Hughes in the first carriage followed by two other carriages carrying her four maids of honor in the second, and her four tiny train-bearers in the last. Arriving at the auditorium the royal body-guard formed in line and held the crowds in check while the queen and her suite entered the hall, after which the people crowded and jammed their way within doors, all eager to be in-time to see the coronation ceremonies. Reaching the platform, with her maids of honor grouped about her, little Jay Jenkins, who was official crown-bearer, placed a cushion before Her Majesty, who gracefully knelt and was crowned Queen of May by little Kathleen Lewis. Amidst a burst of applause, and music, the queen arose and addressed her subjects. An interesting and enjoyable programme followed.

The first census of the city of Bangkok, recently taken, showed a population of 68,751.

### The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON



There is one simple, seven-letter word in the English language that, astonishing as it may seem, many women otherwise intelligent cannot seem to define correctly. And this word is "bargain." And the mistake most of the women make is to confuse it in its meaning with the word "markdown."

Now, a bargain is not necessarily a markdown, and even more frequently a markdown is not necessarily a bargain.

What a lot more value some women could get out of their money if they could only grasp those facts as a working proposition.

While I was waiting for my fitting at the dressmaker's the other day a young friend of mine came in with some goods which she said she wanted made into a gown to wear at afternoon teas and on similar occasions.

"It's such a bargain," she announced, as she unwrapped the goods.

In a moment she brought to light a very soft, very heavy and rich silk of a queer old gold color. The dressmaker looked at it aghast. "What on earth did you buy that for?"

"Why, for an afternoon gown," answered the young person. "Don't you think it's beautiful?"

"But you know you can't possibly wear that on the street?" expostulated the dressmaker.

"I was awfully afraid of that, but it was so lovely and such a bargain. Why, just think, it was marked down from \$2.50 a yard to only 88 cents, and it's thirty-six inches wide."

"It would make the kind of dress," said the dressmaker, "that a mother would wear to her daughter's wedding. It's the kind of goods that couldn't possibly be made up into anything but an evening gown, and it isn't at all a pretty color for evening wear. That's why it's marked down—and furthermore it's a very trying color. What did you get it for?"

"It was such a bargain," wailed my young friend. "See what lovely silk it is."

"Bargain!" exploded the dressmaker. "Nonsense! Bargain your grandmother! A thing isn't a bargain just because it's marked down to half its value, by any means. If it was marked to one-tenth its value, and it wasn't what you wanted and needed, and wasn't a bargain, it wouldn't be a bargain. A thing that hasn't ever been marked down at all, but is good quality, and good value for the money, and just what you want and need, is a real bargain. Its value and suitability and price—not just price alone—make a bargain."

I came away about that time, leaving a chastened young person wondering if she could persuade a middle-aged aunt with dressty tendencies to take over the useless silk.

No woman is really fit to go shopping where there are apt to be bargains (?) unless she is capable of saying of every alluring one that tempts her:

"What care I how fair she be,  
If she be not fair to me?"

The above is an unusually glaring example, of course.

But perhaps you can furnish some less glaring and more typical ones from your own experience.

Wait a moment before you deny that and completely exonerate yourself from an inability to define "bargain."

I know you aren't so foolish as the lady with the silk, but tell me honestly, have you never, NEVER, hesitated with the hesitancy that means capitulation before a blue silk kimono, or a candelabra with pink shades, or some silk stockings, or any other article that you had had no idea of buying or even needing or wanting until you saw the sign, "Reduced to less than half price?"

If you haven't, you deserve a gold medal for being a most exceptional woman.

*Ruth Cameron*

### CANADIAN MAGAZINE.

Sir Gilbert Parker, the celebrated Canadian novelist, contributes a political article to the May number of The Canadian Magazine, under the title "The Land for the People." It is an account of a proposal to solve the land question in Britain. "The Arctic Host and Hostess" is the title of a well illustrated article in the same number by Agnes Deans Cameron, author of "The New North." In this article Miss Cameron relates some of her experiences as the guest of Eskimos in the Far North. Mrs. Jean Blewett has an appreciation of Doctor Torrington, the great Toronto organist and choir-master, and there is a splendid article by Clayton M. Jones, entitled "The Great Silent Force in Canadian Development." "The Spirit of the Dance," by Mazo da la Roche, and "The Twelve Apostles," by St. Clair Moore, are two excellent short stories. There are other interesting things in the number.

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VICTORIA DAY REGATTA. The Victoria Day celebrations regatta committee met last night and appointed the following officers for the regatta at the Gorge on May 24th...

MR. HINTON CANNOT COME. Word was received by the First Baptist church congregation last evening from Rev. W. B. Hinton, of San Diego, declining the call sent him some time ago...

Suanich, North Suanich and Parquet-chau. Instead of the greasy pole event on the programme it was decided to hold an Oriental race. The general committees will meet at the city hall to-night.

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NEW TOURIST TRAFFIC IS BEING DEVELOPED

Southern California Publicity Bureau Want More Victoria Literature

From all indications the coming summer will see an unprecedented influx of tourists from Southern California seeking relief from the hot weather which makes June, July and August the most unpleasant months of the year in the vicinity of Los Angeles. During the past couple of years the charms and attractions of Victoria have, through increased advertising, become better known to the people of the south and the effect is seen in a growing passenger traffic between there and this city.

W. Allan, of R. P. Rithet & Company, agents for the Pacific Coast Steamship Company, stated this morning that more bookings for Victoria were being made at Californian ports than formerly, and that the company looked for a heavy business during the summer.

Proof of the interest which the south is now taking in Victoria is furnished by the dispatch of a large quantity of literature to Los Angeles by E. McGaffey, secretary of the Development League, at the request of the Los Angeles Times and other leaders in publicity at the City of Angels. The Times conducts a large bureau for the dissemination of information to tourists, and has requested Mr. McGaffey to keep this bureau supplied with the latest literature concerning this island, as the demand for the same is daily increasing.

To a Times reporter this morning Mr. McGaffey said: "I think that there is every sign of a large and regular tourist traffic being built up between here and the South. While thousands of people visit Los Angeles and the neighboring cities during the winter months to the north and the beach resorts. At present the advantages of summer residence in Victoria are not so well known to these tourists and to the people of the south as they will be, but with our spreading publicity, interest

in this city is growing. This means that before long a practically new tourist business will be developed and, as the southerner is generally possessed of considerable wealth and anxious for opportunities to invest, we will certainly glean many permanent progressive residents each summer."

Requests for hundreds of copies of the new hand-book, "Victoria—The Naples of the North," which Mr. McGaffey has just completed, have been received from several California publicity bureaus. The hand-book will have from 28 to 40 pages and a cover in two colors showing views of the Olympic mountains and the Heather on Beacon Hill set in panels, with a centre picture of the inner harbor displaying the Princess Charlotte leaving her berth, and giving glimpses of the Parliament buildings, Empress hotel and post office building. Ten thousand of these books will be printed at an early date. There is also, in preparation, a new edition of the folding guide to Victoria, of which 50,000 were distributed last year.

BRAKEMAN KILLED.

New Westminster, May 5.—Harry Hallburton, a C. P. R. brakeman, met with an accident in the yards here which resulted in his death at the Royal Columbian hospital yesterday morning.

Hallburton was assisting in switching operations in the yard near Thirteenth street. In some way he fell beneath the wheels of a moving car, which passed over his right leg, mangle the limb. His arm was also broken in several places. Doctors Manchester, Kenny and Walker were summoned, and had Hallburton removed to the hospital, where his leg was amputated. He died a few hours later.

The deceased was an American about 23 years of age. He has a brother, on the Great Northern railway running out of Everett. He had been in the employ of the C. P. R. for about three months.

BUSH FIRES.

Princeton, May 4.—The unusual extreme heat and dry spell for this time of the year have been the primary causes for serious damage both by fire and water in Princeton district. From Princeton to Granite creek the country has been burned over and much damage done, the extent of which can only be ascertained by actual investigation. A westerly wind increased the danger, for the travelling fire leaped from tree to tree and scoured along the ground, making fuel of the very inflammable tinder wood and last year's decaying long grass.

It was fully expected that very high water would result from the rapid rise in temperature prevailing the past few days. Rivers and creeks have risen to the full height of their banks. Driftwood and sawlogs drifted down the rivers, the latter having been cut last winter, and placed on the banks for the Similkameen Lumber Co. This high water is a month in advance of other years.

THROWN FROM HORSE.

Vancouver, May 4.—Thrown from her horse while riding on Bridge street, yesterday, and dragged along for some distance by the frightened animal; Miss Helen Baker, of 335 Tenth avenue west, had a narrow escape from serious injury.

At the corner of Bridge street and Dufferin, Miss Baker's horse shied and threw her. Her foot caught in the stirrup, and as the horse continued on up the hill she was dragged along behind over the rough road.

Fortunately a witness of the accident stopped the animal at the corner of Bridge, and she was released from her perilous position. She was taken to the general hospital, where her injuries were found to consist of severe bruises.

PIONEER DEAD.

Ladysmith, May 4.—The death occurred Monday night of Joseph Lewis, one of the best known residents of this city and of Wellington, where he resided for some time. The deceased was 81 years of age and had been in the country for the past 35 years. He is survived by a wife, three daughters, Mrs. Reid, Nanaimo; Mrs. Rose McDowell, Extension, and Miss Julia Lewis, of Ladysmith, and one son, J. T. Lewis, also of Ladysmith.

KAMLOOPS HOSPITAL.

Kamloops, May 5.—The new wing for the nursing staff of the Royal Inland hospital has just reached completion, and they will now be more comfortably quartered than they have in the past or at least since the staff has grown so large. The former quarters will now be available for hospital use, there being nine rooms which will accommodate twelve beds with comfort. The board of directors intend having them ready for use as soon as possible.

Steel pens were first made in 1390.

ANNUAL MEETING OF MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Large Attendance at Opening Session Yesterday in Metropolitan Methodist Church

There was a large attendance of members at the opening session of the nineteenth annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society, British Columbia branch, in the Metropolitan Methodist church, yesterday afternoon. The proceedings were largely of a routine nature.

Following devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. J. E. Betts, of Vancouver, the roll of officers and delegates was called and the members of the nominating committee named.

An address of welcome to the visiting delegates was read by Mrs. Pendray, to which Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, of Vancouver, replied.

Mrs. W. J. Sippell, New Westminster, read her report for the past year as corresponding secretary. The chief item was an increase of five new auxiliaries.

A gratifying financial statement was contained in the report of the treasurer, Miss Nixon, Vancouver, which was next read. It showed that a total sum next year, \$4,622.23 had been raised, being an increase of \$958.44 over the previous year.

In the absence of Mrs. David Spencer the memorial and consecration service was conducted by Mrs. Coverdale Watson, New Westminster. The session closed with the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, which was administered by Rev. A. Henderson, of Centennial Methodist church.

Last night the delegates were received by Mrs. David Spencer at "Lan Derwyn," Moss street. A large number were present.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

Fernie, May 4.—Martin Kosck, who was incarcerated for working in breach of law, was summarily dealt with by Judge Wilson. Martin, through his solicitor, had promised to do all in his power to help his brother, and has given him a certain sum at present, together with a small piece of land in the old country. Certain of his countrymen offered to loan him \$600 for the benefit of his brother, provided he could be able to work at present to repay them. Taking these things into consideration, he thought the ends of justice could be better met if he let him out on suspended sentence, provided he fulfilled his obligations, but should he not do so then he is to be brought up before his honor and sentenced. He is to report each month to Chief Constable Sampson.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

Judgment of Supreme Court in Nainimo's Chinatown Case.

Ottawa, May 5.—In the Supreme court yesterday judgment was given in the case of Bing Kees vs. Pick Chong. The appellants purchased a tract of land in the suburbs of Nainimo, B. C., known as Chinatown, where there were a number of Chinese residents occupying buildings erected on leased lots. After the purchase many of these residents decided upon removing to another location, and commenced to demolish the buildings and carry away the material of which they had been constructed. Among others, the respondent adopted this course, and the appellants applied for an injunction to restrain him from removing the building, which he claimed as chattel property, while the appellants claimed that it had become a fixture and was part of their freehold. On a view of the premises, Chief Justice Hunter decided that it was a fixture and granted an order for an injunction. This decision was reversed by the full court and the appellants sought to have the trial court judgment restored.

The appeal was dismissed with costs. McLeod v. Sawyer-Massey Co. was then heard. The parties are both assignees of the rights of one Bennett, a settler on C. P. R. land near Moss Jaw, Sask., for which the full payments had not been made nor conditions of sale performed. The company brought the action for a declaration that they were, as against Bennett and McLeod, the equitable holders and entitled to a conveyance from the C. P. R. Co. The full court, by the judgment of the chief justice and held that the company was prior in equity and entitled to preference in respect to obtaining title.

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PRESIDENT TAFT PLEADS FOR JUSTICE

Says Administration is Entitled to Fair Consideration Before Being Condemned

St. Louis, Mo., May 5.—"Justice and a square deal for the present administration," was the plea by President Taft in an address before the Business-men's League here yesterday. "I do not ask it for myself alone," the president said, "for I am in a position where I can get along better than the rest of the men in the administration, without it."

The president also defended himself against what he termed "objection to one-of-my-supreme-court-appointments."

Though Taft did not specify the justice to whom he referred, it is believed that the justification was intended for the appointment of Justice Lurton, the first man whom Taft named for the bench. Taft declared that the administration before its purposes and accomplishments were condemned. The speech was a defence of some of the acts of the administration.

President Taft discussed the Panama canal construction work during his visit here, declaring that he was satisfied with the progress being made. He did not indicate when he thought the canal would be opened.

Putting the work in the hands of the army engineers has, according to the president, not only increased the efficiency of the canal administration, but has gained the confidence of the people.

The people, he said, have confidence in the army and therefore they have confidence in the army engineers in charge of the canal construction.

RAISING THE MAINE.

Washington, D. C., May 4.—The senate yesterday passed the bill for the removal of the wreck of the battleship Maine, now in the harbor of Havana, and for the recovery of the bodies of the men drowned on the ill-fated vessel. The battleship has been under water for twelve years.

A little fellow rushed breathlessly into a drug store.

"Please, sir, some liniment and some cement," asked the puzzled clerk. "What's the trouble?" "Mam hit pop on 'is head with a plate."—Everybody's.

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CITY OF VICTORIA

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

Tenders For Letters and Signs

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Monday, the 16th day of May next, for the furnishing of 4,000 tile letters.

Also for 100 street signs, all as per sample and specifications, which can be seen at the purchasing agent's office, to whom tender must be sent. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Purchasing Agent, City Hall, April 27th, 1910.

New Fire Limits

Persons contemplating erecting new buildings, or repairing old ones, in the central section of the city, are hereby notified that the Fire Limits have recently been extended, and that a copy of the by-law, extending same, may be obtained at this office.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C. City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C. May 5th, 1910.

Tenders for Electric Sewerage Pump

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. May 9th, 1910. For the supply and erection of Volute Sewerage Pump, Electric Motor & Automatic Starter, all as per plans and specification which can be seen at the office of the undersigned. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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**EX-PRESIDENT ATTACKS U. S. SECRETARY OF STATE**

Zelaya Publishes Book, in Which He Blames Knox for Most of Trouble in Nicaragua

New York, May 5.—"Intemperate, incorrect and vulgar and false in its foundation," is the characterization former President Zelaya of Nicaragua, placed upon Secretary Knox's note, severing relations with Nicaragua, according to Zelaya's brother-in-law, Louis Coussens, who is now in this city arranging for the "vindication" of Zelaya.

Coussens is returning from Madrid, where he arranged for the publication of a book by Zelaya, entitled "The Revolution of Nicaragua against the United States," in which Zelaya reviews the events leading up to the uprising and bitterly blames the Knox diplomacy for most of the trouble there. After characterizing Knox as unjust and his note to the Nicaraguan minister, severing diplomatic relations as astounding, Zelaya says:

"In great contrast is this document with the telegram sent me by ex-President Roosevelt when the republics of Central America were in war against me, at the instigation of President Cabrera of Guatemala."

Zelaya calls Roosevelt "that grand statesman," and refers to him as "my friend."

Coussens showed a batch of letters, telegrams and cables received by Zelaya from many sources. One cable from General Altachul, Nicaraguan consul at New Orleans, tells Zelaya that the United States and Guatemala are conspiring against him.

**PRINCE AFRAID TO ATTEND BANQUET**

Uncle of Chinese Emperor Feared Trouble as Result of Tong Warfare

New York, May 5.—Because he feared to become a target for the sharpshooters of progressive Chinese here, Prince Tsai Tao, minister of war and uncle of the Emperor of China, refused to attend a public luncheon in his honor yesterday.

Chinatown bristled with police, but the prince remained in his apartments and sent General Ha Ha Chang, his chief of staff, and Dr. Wu Wei Weik, chief surgeon, in his stead.

Large numbers of Chinese had gathered here at the various headquarters of the tong, and the police became alarmed. The Four Brothers Society was represented as making direct threats and the possibility of a tong war as the result of divided opinion concerning the prince, was imminent.

Tom Lee, mayor of Chinatown, leader of the On Leong tong, was sent a polite invitation to attend the luncheon. He did not accept. Lee said: "My life would not be worth a cent two feet away from Mott street."

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\$2,500—HOUSE 7 rooms, in very good repair, close to beach and car line, lot 20x120. Terms \$500 cash; balance very easy payments (will produce 10 per cent. on the investment).

\$1,150—Splendid Building LOT, 60x120, close to Menzies street; very reasonable. Terms (or will build to suit purchaser, with small cash payment).

\$1,000—CORNER LOT on Oak Bay Avenue, splendid situation, reasonable terms can be made to suit purchaser.

\$1,450—MOUNT TOMLIE, 213-100 acres; would make a beautiful building site; secure this before the carline passes the property; the cheapest buy in the whole district; reasonable terms can be given.

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Corner lot 70 x 110, pays 6 per cent. on the investment and could be made to produce 10 per cent. by a little more outlay. Price, \$7,500, easy terms.

Lot 50 x 150, close to the Gorge car, \$425. House and lot, Pine street, \$1,800. Very easy terms.

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1 LOT, FAIRFIELD ROAD, 60x220; \$2,000, near Linden avenue.

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3 LOTS FRONTING ON ALBANY, CARROLL AND ARBUTUS STS., \$1,550.

BUSINESS LOT, YATES STREET, 50x120, \$11,000.

4 LOTS CULTIVATED, RYAN ST., all \$1,000.

4 LOTS, 50x150 EACH, NEAR JUBILEE HOSPITAL, all \$1,000.

**NOTICE**  
COURT OF REVISION

The annual sitting of the Court of Revision of the Municipality of North Saanich will be held in the Court House, Sidney, B. C., May 12th, 1910, at 10 a.m., to hear complaints (if any) against the assessment as made by the assessor.

R. B. BRETHOUR,  
Assessor.

Dated at Sidney, B. C., the 6th day of April, 1910.

**Corporation of the District of Oak Bay**  
COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision will sit in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, 14th May, 1910, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessments as made by the assessor and for revising and correcting the assessment roll.

Notice of any complaint stating the ground of complaint, must be given in writing to the Assessor at least ten days before the date of the annual sitting of the court.

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VICTORIA WEST, lots for \$350, \$400, \$450 and \$500 each. Terms easy.

RUSSELL STREET, lot 55x87, for \$425.

COOK STREET, near Beacon Hill Park lot for \$300. Terms 1-3 cash.

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**BRAND NEW 3-STORY HOUSE,** 10 large rooms, with pantry, bathroom, all modern, nice large garden, all planted and nicely laid out. \$4,200. \$250 cash, balance \$35 per month including interest. Close in and within block of new car.

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ALBANY LOTS FOR SALE, or will exchange for Victoria property.

\$600—LOTS 50x165, planted in full bearing fruit trees, close to Douglas street car.

\$250—LOTS on Davis street, Oak Bay district.

10-ACRE BLOCKS of the finest land in Lake District, 6 1/2 miles from city, \$150 per acre.

\$600—CHOICE LOTS in Rockland Park near proposed High school.

\$375—LOTS in Hillside extension.

**FARMER KILLED BY FALLING TREE**

Body of Edward Baxter is Found at Burnaby by His Son-in-Law

New Westminster, May 4.—A gruesome discovery was made Monday night at Burnaby, when H. E. Gillard found the body of his father-in-law, Edward Baxter, crushed under a huge log, which he had set out to fell two weeks ago. Apparently he misjudged the distance when the tree was due to topple, for the extreme end caught him and pinned him to the ground, breaking his back and probably killing him instantly. The body is badly decomposed.

Baxter lived alone on a small farm which he was clearing. His daughter, Mrs. Gillard, was in the habit of visiting him about once a week, but for some reason two weeks elapsed between her last calls. Monday when she went to see her father she found the place locked up and no sign of Baxter. She informed her husband, who at once started to search for the missing man, his activities resulting in revealing the tragedy.

The victim was about 55 years old and had been many years in the province, being at one time connected with the Vancouver post office. He leaves one son and five daughters.

In the course of a golf match at North Berwick a ball driven by W. Neilson struck a wall and rebounding, hit a lark on the wing and killed it.

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**APPOINTS INSPECTOR FOR HOTELS ONLY**

Vancouver License Board Takes Action to Secure Special Officer

Vancouver, May 4.—The license board having found that it has the power to appoint an officer to attend to hotel licenses only, has promptly taken steps to create such a position. At a special meeting the commissioners decided to call for applications for the office.

Information was produced by Commissioner Findlay to show that under a charter amendment the license board has power to appoint a special officer, on this he moved an amendment to the bylaw to make the appointment of a license inspector solely under the control of the board. He made it clear that the assistant to be appointed under this clause should have nothing to do with any city licenses except those pertaining to hotels.

Commissioner Findlay introduced a resolution to the effect that the names of the owners of any hotel premises be placed on the application for transferrals and be also submitted to the board when the property changed hands. The resolution was carried.

"I don't think the interfering system is working out very satisfactorily," said Commissioner Crehan as he urged for some change in the regulations prohibiting the sale of liquor to certain persons. Chief Chamberlin suggested photographing all the interested persons. Mr. Crehan thought that the hotels were not getting sufficient protection, as they had no means of getting acquainted with the persons to whom they were not supposed to supply liquor. Inspector Robinson was instructed to send to eastern cities for information as to methods in vogue there.

Not fully satisfied with this step, Commissioner Crehan asked that the chief of police be instructed to warn the Indians and interdicted persons to keep away from licensed premises. The other commissioners did not quite fall in with Mr. Crehan's proposals and this phase of the question was dropped.

**FORM PROVINCIAL LABOR FEDERATION**

Organization Completed at Gathering in Vancouver—Meeting in Victoria in January

Vancouver, May 4.—The British Columbia Provincial Federation of Labor has been formally launched in this city. Twenty-six delegates were present, representing the trades and labor councils of Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster. At a preliminary meeting the resolution in favor of forming a permanent provincial organization was enthusiastically passed.

It was urged that a union of all the trades councils of the province would strengthen the hands of labor in presenting its claims to the provincial legislature, and that it would take the same place as the Washington State Federation of Labor does in that state.

The following officers were elected: J. Watters, president; R. S. Storey, first vice-president; S. Thompson, second vice-president; J. Reid, third vice-president; J. P. Pettipiece, secretary; A. J. Aiken, treasurer.

The executive later held a session and drew up a constitution and by-laws. The next meeting of the federation will be held in Victoria in the second week of January next.

Delegates in attendance were as follows: J. H. Ley, C. Stewart, C. E. Robb, R. A. Storey (New Westminster), C. B. Christian, R. E. Menteth (New Westminster), W. Dodd (New Westminster), A. Conrod, J. Sully, J. C. Aiken, T. Morgan, W. Curmeok, J. C. Watters (Victoria), J. H. McVey, A. Robb, J. Wright, C. Chesney, J. Reid, R. P. Pettipiece, J. Thompson, G. Worth, G. T. Bull, R. Letrobe, J. Duncan, C. Stone, V. Midgeley, Alex. Dunbar, B. C. Sanson.

**NEW RAILWAY IS PROPOSED IN NORTH**

Line to Connect Prince Rupert and Simpson—River Steamers Are Busy

(Special Correspondence.)

Prince Rupert, May 4.—Among the recent arrivals here was M. King of Victoria, on his way to Port Simpson in connection with the construction of the projected railway between Prince Rupert and Simpson.

Steamers Operator, Conveyer, Omnica, Skeena, Hazelton and Distributor are running between Prince Rupert and river points.

V. F. G. Gamble and G. C. Edridge, of Prince Rupert, have opened a branch at Stewart.

W. H. Grant, accompanied by a number of engineers, are in Prince Rupert on their way to commence railway construction work at Stewart. The railway will run between the mines and the town of Stewart.

The trawler Kingsway captured a shark in the northern waters.

The weather in Prince Rupert has been ideal and will compare favorably with any on the coast.

It is expected that no competition will be met with by Major Stork in the majority contest.

Among the heaviest owners of Prince Rupert, according to the provincial assessor, are Messrs. J. M. Muir, R. L.

**STREET IMPROVEMENTS.**

Nanaimo, May 4.—At the last meeting of the city council Ald. Forrester moved, seconded by Ald. McRae, that Fitzwilliam street be graded between Wallace street and Selby street.

Ald. Busby, Ald. Forrester and Ald. McRae stated the estimated cost of the work was \$500 according to plans by the city engineer, which showed the grade and also gave all information.

Ald. Leicester asked under whose supervision the proposed work was to be done, and Mayor Planta in reply stated that all work of that kind should be under the supervision of the city engineer.

Mayor Planta remarked that he did not think it out of place when passing the motion to ask the railway company to give the station grounds a more prepossessing appearance. At the present time they were a disgrace; there was not a worse station along the whole line and it was about time the attention of the company was drawn to the condition of the grounds, etc.

Duncan had fine laid out grounds, it was planned to fix up the Lady-

**Uncle Walt**  
The Poet Philosopher

There was a man who had a roll so big 'twould plug a stovepipe hole. He longed to mingle with the crowd and show he wasn't vain or proud; to gain the confidence of those who labor hard and wear old clothes; to prove he was a mighty man, built on a broad, heroic plan. But all his efforts failed, and he was plunged in dark blue misery. The fact that he was beastly rich dumped all his belongings in the ditch. The people wouldn't overlook the figures in his banking book; they couldn't estimate his soul, or separate it from his roll. He gave his native town a park; "his conscience hurts him in the dark," the people said, and grimly smiled; "remorse will surely drive him wild." He gave a picnic to the poor, who bleak and squalid lives endure; the people said: "For vain display he throws his shining seeds away; he listens to the paupers' sighs, and flaunts his bullion in their eyes." No matter what his plan or dream, the people saw a scurvy scheme behind it, and abused him sore, and threw it into him some more. And so he said, with aching heart: "The rich man lives a life apart; he can't get next the common squad while he is saddled with his wad; folks won't believe he has a soul, because they know he has a roll."

Ocean Macon

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2-STORY HOUSE, 8 rooms, on lot 33x120, Laidsmith street, two blocks from car line, near Beacon Hill Park. Price \$2,000; \$1,200 cash, balance 6 and 12 months, 6 per cent.

2 LOTS, each 50 ft. x 110 ft., on east side Government, between Bay and Crinices; \$5,000 each; third cash, balance terms.

SIDNEY, 5 or 6 acres cleared land on Main street, less half mile from steamer; \$500 per acre.

CORDOVA BAY, about 30 acres, nearly 1,500 ft. waterfront, house and orchard; large portion cleared; \$420 per acre; half cash, balance terms.

1 LOT, 60 ft. x 120 ft., with brick building, between Douglas and Blanchard, \$4,500; half cash, balance terms.

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5-ROOMED MODERN HOUSE, Superior street, \$2,800. (A bargain.)

GORGE ROAD, very fine, modern 5-roomed house, 1 acre of land; \$10,500.

VICTORIA WATERFRONT LOTS—Ranches, Cadboro Bay and Cordova Bay, Victoria Arm.

COTTAGE and 1 ACRE, \$3,000.

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A CORNER LOT ON BELLEVILLE STREET, facing the harbor and parliament buildings, 1 minute from C. P. R. stations. Ideal site for hotel or apartment house. Price \$27,000. Cash \$2,000, balance to suit at 7 per cent. There is a pretty residence on this property.

ESQUIMALT—2 lots, 50x150 each, corner of Constance avenue and Esquimalt road, on tram line, close to P. O., all fenced. \$4,000 the two; terms.

SPRING RIDGE—Corner of Chambers avenue and Walnut street, 2 lots 62x57 each. Price \$2,100; terms.

PRIOR AND BLACKWOOD STREETS—Several lots, \$50 down and terms.

JAMES BAY—South Turner, 4 beautiful lots, 50x112, \$1,500 each; 1/4 down; one corner lot Simcoe and South Turner streets, 112x55, \$2,100, 1/4 down; terms. These lots are the pick of James Bay district, close to tram.

smiths grounds in the same manner and he did not see why the company did not make a start at Nanaimo.

Ald. Busby thought the city might set a good example by removing the rock crusher and the piles of rock in that vicinity.

Mayor Planta considered the rock crusher a different proposition. It was a sign of industry and had no connection with the station grounds.

Ald. Shaw urged upon the street committee the advisability of going slow in the question of expenditure. The committee had expended \$2,500 up to date, and if the \$500 was spent it would leave the balance available for street work very small.

Mayor Planta remarked necessary work would have to be done even though the estimates were exceeded.

Ald. Shaw thought the council should devise some way of securing extra revenue for permanent work. Ald. Young also thought some plan should be devised for raising money for permanent works.

After considerable discussion the motion to grade the street passed the council.

On motion of Ald. Leicester, seconded by Ald. Busby, the fire limit amendment by-law was given the second reading, the council to go into committee on the by-law at the next regular meeting of the council.

**ALL RECORDS BROKEN.**

Receipts at New Westminster Land Registry Office in April Totalled Approximately \$6,300.

New Westminster, May 4.—All records were broken during April at the land registry office and Registrar Keith reports one of the busiest months in the history of the office. The receipts for April totalled approximately \$6,300, as against \$4,328.70 for March. The previous record month's receipts have been exceeded by over \$1,000, the highest receipts previous being in February, which totalled \$5,045.33. While it is difficult to estimate accurately the turn over in property which the returns represent, it is figured by land registry officials that between \$2,000,000 and \$10,000,000 worth of property in this city and district have changed hands within the last month.

The reports of the customs department for April showed a total of \$22,054.93 collected at this port during the month, as against \$13,946.53 for the corresponding month in 1909. The increase of \$8,108.40 is considered gratifying for it indicated an increase in the business of this port over that of last year. The returns for the month are slightly under that of last month, but this is accounted for by reason of the fact that April is usually an off-month for imports, coming between seasons.

**INTERRED AT NANAIMO.**

Nanaimo, May 4.—The funeral took place yesterday afternoon of Vincent Genoni, whose death occurred at Ladysmith on Sunday last. Deceased was sitting down to breakfast about 9 o'clock in the morning when he suddenly collapsed and died immediately. A native of Italy, he was 54 years of age, and first came to the country about 25 years ago. For some time he was a resident of Nanaimo, but for the past seven or eight years he has lived at Ladysmith.

Greece has so little coal that practically all of its electric power is derived from waterfalls.

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Front Street, Victoria West.

SIX-ROOM DWELLING, under construction, fully modern, close in. Price \$3,500, on easy terms.

1 1/2-STORY THOROUGHLY MODERN DWELLING, with stone foundation and furnace; lot 50 x 120, situate in James Bay near the park. Price \$5,000.

GOOD LOT, 52 x 128, on Pembroke St. Price \$325.

SIX-ROOMED DWELLING on brick and stone foundation, all modern conveniences, lot 50 x 140, situate on Caledonia Ave. Price \$3,750. Terms can be arranged.

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SIX-ROOM NEW BUNGALOW, with large lot, close to Park and Beach; fruit trees, 7-foot basement, lot 62x120; all modern conveniences; location is Menzies street. The price is \$4,750.

\$1,200 CASH.

And the balance at 7 per cent., buys a 5-ROOM COTTAGE on Montreal street, lot 50x100; house has concrete foundation and is modern in every respect. Price \$2,800.

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\$40 PER ACRE—58 acres first class land. Heavy timber; no improvements. Good locality.

25 PER ACRE—40 acres, partly alder bottom; fenced; close to Shawnigan Lake.

\$55 PER ACRE—100 acres, 5-roomed house, good barn and outbuildings; 400 apple trees, one acre strawberries, raspberries and logan berries. All fenced; good water.

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 Local Potatoes, per sack, \$1.00  
 White Fancy Bermuda Onions, 3 lbs., \$1.00  
 Cauliflowers, each, 25c, 50c, and 75c  
 Spinach, 5 lbs. for, 50c  
 Radishes, 4 bunches for, 50c

Cucumbers, each, 25c  
 Mint, per bunch, 5c  
 Rhubarb (red), 5 bunches, 50c  
 Local Asparagus, per bunch, 15c  
 Leeks and Green Onions, 3 bunches, 50c  
 Hothouse Tomatoes, per lb., 25c  
 Florida Tomatoes, per lb., 25c

**SPECIAL THIS WEEK**

**PURE GOLD JELLY POWDER, 3 Packets, for 20c**

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 1317 Government St. Independent Grocers.  
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**BOY'S MOTHER COMES AFTER ERRING SON**

Los Angeles Youth Who Passed Cheques in Victoria is to Be Deported

Loyal De McCready, the 18-year-old boy who passed bad cheques to the value of \$450 in Victoria, will be deported. He came before the magistrate in the police court this morning and pleaded guilty to issuing the cheques to J. Marshall, from whom he obtained a gasoline lunch valued at \$105, and \$20 in cash. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence, and will be taken care of by his mother and the U. S. immigration office until the boat leaves for Seattle to-night.

VICTORIA THEATRE

Last night's bill, "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray," was well attended, and judging by the applause, everyone was well pleased with the performance. The Allen players, in fact, scored another triumph.

It is some fifteen years since "The Second Mrs. Tanqueray" was produced at the St. James theatre in London, and Mrs. Patrick Campbell, who created the sensation of the hour then, has been playing it from time to time ever since. This is not surprising. In some ways the play is the best of its kind ever written.

Miss Felton's Paula was good. It was a tribute to her art that, during her strong scene in the last act with Tanqueray, she kept the house as still as a mouse. Irving Kennedy as Aubrey, one of the most difficult parts written, gave good support, while George Llewellyn and Loring Kelly as Cayley Drummer and Captain Hugh Ardley were both excellent.

This play will be repeated to-night, and the management announce that they are going to give an autographed photograph of Miss Felton to every person attending.

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**Mortgagee's Sale**

Messrs. Stewart Williams & Co., duly instructed by Messrs. Crease and Crease, the legal advisors for the mortgagee, will sell by public auction on

**Monday, May 9th**  
 AT 11 O'CLOCK.

on the premises, that well known property on St. Charles street, Victoria, and known as

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comprising a little over half an acre of the best building sites in this city, together with the 10-roomed house and all the well-kept furniture contained therein.

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Duly instructed by Messrs. Sculthorpe & Exley, will sell by public auction, at their ranch at North Saanich, on

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 At 11 o'clock.

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 3 bottles for, \$1.00  
 CALIFORNIA CHERRIES (fine, new), Per lb., 30c  
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John Burford, of the U. S. Immigration office, was in court and consented to the boy being sent back to the institution from which he escaped.

Mrs. McCready has made good the money obtained on the cheques which the boy issued and which are in the hands of the police. The boy's method of operating was to place a cheque drawn on a Los Angeles bank in an account he opened with the same company. He immediately commenced issuing cheques against the account, but these were not cashed when presented at the company's office, as the amount of the cheque deposited had not been collected.

**WILL CLIMB MOUNT MCKINLEY.**

Seattle, Wash., May 5.—What is probably the best equipped and most scientifically competent party which has ever attempted the ascent of Mount McKinley, will leave for Alaska to-night, when Prof. Hirschel Parker's party sails on the steamer "Portland."

The primary object of the Parker party will not be the disproving of Dr. Cook's claimed ascent of the mountain, but the deciding of the question of whether Mount McKinley really is the highest peak in North America or not, and what the exact altitude at the summit is.

**CULPABLE HOMICIDE CHARGE.**

Sherbrooke, Que., May 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Clarke, of Island Brook, were arrested yesterday and brought here for trial, charged with culpable homicide in connection with the death of Mrs. Clarke's father, William Morgan, who had been staying with them. In an ante-mortem statement Morgan said he had not been given sufficient food and was fed on bread made out of shorts.

**NELSON AND WOLGAST FIGHT.**

On Monday and Tuesday next a wonderful motion picture reproduction of the greatest battle ever fought for the lightweight championship of the world, which took place at Richmond, Cal., on February 2nd, between Battling Nelson and Ad. Wolgast, will be presented to the public of Victoria.

These pictures were taken by the Western Film Co. of San Francisco, and are said to be the best fight picture ever produced. Every detail is there, just as it happened in the ring, each feature brought out clearly and distinctly.

All interested in fast science should avail themselves of this opportunity to witness this important event, which can be just as fully appreciated and enjoyed as though seen on the spot at Richmond. The pictures have been exhibited in all the large cities of the United States and have drawn immense crowds night after night.

**ANIMAL SUPERSTITION.**

The natives of the Island of Ball in Dutch East Indies, have beliefs and superstitions about animals. Dogs, for instance, are never destroyed, and, much to the annoyance of the European residents, the pariah dogs are allowed to increase to an unlimited extent. According to Balinese ideas, dogs are the reincarnation of those of their poorer brethren who were buried after death instead of being cremated, which is the more luxurious method of getting rid of the dead. To kill a dog, therefore, is as great a sin as killing a poor fellow-creature. With regard to the tiger, the natives believe that that animal is also the reincarnation of another caste of the community, and nothing will induce them to shoot it. They tell, with great impressiveness, the story of an old Balinese man who came face to face with a tiger in the jungle. Gazing at the monster fixedly, he addressed it as follows: "What have I done to thee, that thou lookest so ferocious at me? Have I ever done thee any harm; and art thou not my brother and in the skin of a tiger? I pray thee go thy way in peace and leave me alone." Thereupon, it is said, the tiger turned tail and walked away majestically into the depths of the jungle.—Wild World Magazine.

**WOMEN'S CLOTHING.**

Dr. Haig Ferguson, in a lecture at the Edinburgh Royal Infirmary the other day, had some severe things to say about the clothing of the adult woman. It was hampered by fashion and superstition and nothing could be a greater tribute to the strong nerves and powerful muscles of women than to feel that their health had survived for centuries their habits of clothing.

A woman's clothing was the despair of the hygienist. Children and girls were more sensibly clad, but when girls grew up they were often clothed in a way which made them unable to walk, run or breathe. Weighty skirts, lous-necked gowns, "pneumonia blouses," the modern hat, the high-heeled shoe with its pointed toe, were all condemned. But then, women will have it so and so it will remain.—Westminster Gazette.

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<b>FOLDING GO-CARTS</b> Same as above, \$17.50 Body is wood, finished in a pretty carmine. Upholstered in leather cloth, and has mattress cushion. Leather cloth hood. Gear is all steel, four 12-in. rubber tire wheels. Patent wheel fastener, foot brake. Enamelled to match body. Priced at \$17.50	<b>COLLAPSIBLE GO-CART</b> Same as above, \$18.00 A steel frame with tubing handles. Enamelled finish. Wood enameled push bar. Upholstered in maroon leather cloth, with lined hood, brass joints and trimmings. Gear is English strap, automatic. Four 12-in. rubber tire wheels. Priced at \$18.00	<b>RECLINING GO-CART</b> Same as above, \$19.00 Body is wood, finished in maroon and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth with mattress cushion. Hood with enameled finish. Gear is steel tubular, four 14-inch rubber tire wheels. Whitney patent anti-friction wheel fastener, patent foot brake. Priced at \$19.00	<b>PULLMAN RUNABOUT</b> Same as above, \$19.00 Body is wood, finished in maroon. Upholstered in leather cloth, with cores. Hood of leather cloth and lined. Brass joints. Gear all steel, tubing handles, four 12-inch rubber tire wheels, foot brake. Enamel at \$19.00
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<b>ENGLISH CARRIAGE</b> Same as above, \$25.00 Body of wood, finished green and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth, lined. Reversible and removable. Brass joints. Gear, English strap, 16 x 2 1/2-in. cushion rubber tire wheels. Whitney anti-friction wheel fastener. Foot brake. Enamelled. Priced at \$25.00	<b>ENGLISH CARRIAGE</b> Same as above, \$27.50 Body is wood, finished either maroon or green, and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth, lined. Reversible and removable. Brass joints. Gear, English strap, 16 x 2 1/2-in. cushion rubber tire wheels. Anti-friction wheel fastener. Foot brake. Priced at \$27.50	<b>ENGLISH CARRIAGE</b> Same as above, \$40.00 Body is of wood, finished dark green and varnished. Upholstered in English leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth lined. Reversible and removable. Brass joints. Gear, English strap, 16 x 2 1/2-in. cushion rubber tire wheels. Patent anti-friction wheel fasteners. Foot brake. Priced at \$40.00	<b>PULLMAN SLEEPER</b> Same as above, \$40.00 Body of wood, finished dark blue and varnished. Has side lamps. Upholstered in English leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth, lined. Brass joints. Gear is English strap, four 16-in. anti-friction rubber tire wheels. Anti-friction wheel fasteners. Foot brake. Enamelled finish. Priced at \$40.00
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