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MINERS AT NANAIMO VOTING ON STRIKE

Balloting Commenced To-day at 10 o'Clock Will Close This Afternoon

NON-UNION MEMBERS OFFER RESOLUTION

Rowdy Meeting Prevents Decision When Protest is Made Against Plan

AMERICAN UNION IS BEHIND MOVEMENT

Nanaimo, May 3.—The miners employed in Nanaimo, South Wellington and Jingle Pot mines will to-day vote on the question: "Shall we live up to our agreement and go back to work?" The voting takes place between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. At a mass meeting last night a committee representing the non-union miners submitted the following recommendation: "Gentlemen, We, your joint committee, in view of the fact that we have been called out on strike at a moment's notice without being allowed a voice in the matter or even granted the right to vote on the question, and further that this proclamation of a strike has been made by an organization whose membership in this district is so much in the minority of mine workers of the district as to make their action extremely ridiculous, we therefore deem it our duty to assert our rights and would recommend: "First: That a ballot be taken at the old court house, Saturday, May 3, 1913, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. "Second: That said ballot be counted by five men selected for the purpose by this meeting." The resolution was not voted on owing to the rowdy nature of the meeting, which adjourned, but before the meeting dispersed the chairman informed the men that the ballot would be taken, according to the recommendation of the committee, at the old court house on Saturday. The committee is handling the whole affair, having the names of every man employed by the Western Fuel Company, the Pacific Coast Coal Company and the Vancouver & Nanaimo Coal Company. The Nanaimo local of the United Mine Workers of America, which called the strike met last night and instructed its members to take no part in to-day's balloting. Non-union miners claim they will poll a big majority to-day in favor of returning to work and if their expectations are realized they will start work Monday despite the strike declared by the United Mine Workers.

THREE FROM CANADA AT PEACE CONGRESS

Members of Judiciary and Editor of Newspaper Speak at St. Louis

St. Louis, Mo., May 3.—"A century of Anglo-American peace," was the general topic to-day at the fourth American peace congress. William Renwick Riddell, judge of the supreme court of Ontario, reviewed British-American relations for the last hundred years, and said that questions more difficult of settlement than any settled by war had been adjusted peacefully between the United States and Great Britain.

John Lewis, editor of the Toronto Star, spoke on the identity of the interests of the United States and Canada.

Justice Ben Russell, of the supreme court of Nova Scotia, said it was a settled understanding among the English-speaking peoples of the world that no possible question could arise between them that was not capable of adjustment without recourse to the sword. He urged a binding arbitration treaty, with no reservations.

The peace congress to-day adopted resolutions urging the repeal of the clause in the Panama Canal Act exempting American coastwise vessels from the payment of tolls. "Falling in this," the resolutions adds, "the controversy should be submitted to the Hague court for arbitration." The congress also appealed to the California legislature and to the national administration to "secure a just and impartial settlement of the question of alien ownership of land as may not discriminate against the citizens of a great and friendly power and turn a long-standing friendship into enmity and friction for the future."

CABLE REPAIRED.

Seattle, May 3.—The cable between Seattle and Sitka, Alaska, was repaired to-day.

JOSEPH COOK



Leader of the Liberal party in Australia, endeavoring to defeat the labor government at the elections this month.

THREE WOMEN SEEK PARLIAMENT SEATS

Federal Election Campaign in Australia Drawing Close to Polling

LABOR GOVERNMENT HOLDING ADVANTAGE

Melbourne, May 3.—As the general election for the federal House of Australia draws near the two contesting parties, Liberal and Labor, are putting in the final sprint which will determine who is winner in one of the most interesting as well as vitally important contests ever waged in the land of the Southern Cross. The issue is practically a straight one between the two parties, though here and there an independent candidate is noticed. For the House of Representatives there are one hundred and fifty-seven candidates for the seventy-two seats, as well as forty-two candidates for eighteen vacancies in the senate. One of the most interesting features of the election is that there are three women candidates. One of them, Miss Vida Goldstein, is a staunch supporter of the militant tactics of the British suffragettes, and makes no secret of it. Miss Goldstein stood at the last election and polled well, considering the fact that she was the first woman who had ever attempted to enter the political ring in Australia. The other women aspirants to political honors are Miss Ellen Muechly, of Victoria, and Mrs. O'Shea Peterson, of Hobart, Tasmania, who has been more or less engaged in political work for a long time. The odds at present are on the Labor party for an easy win, and unless something unforeseen happens, the workers will again be handed the reins of government.

ONE COMMISSIONER FOR INTERCOLONIAL

H. P. Gutelius, Formerly With Canadian Pacific to Receive Appointment

Ottawa, Ont., May 3.—It is learned that the board of management of the Intercolonial railway system is to be dissolved forthwith and the management placed in the hands of one commissioner. The appointee will be H. P. Gutelius, formerly superintendent of the Canadian Pacific railway at Montreal. For the past year and a half he has been commissioner investigating the construction of the National Transcontinental railway. This inquiry has been practically completed and Mr. Gutelius is consequently free to take over his new duties. He will be given full charge of the Intercolonial railway.

INDIANS HELP CARRANZA

Washington, D. C., May 3.—Constitutionalist agents here have advised reporting General Obregon at Guaymas with reinforcements and saying the Carranza forces have been largely augmented by Yaqui Indians in Sonora.

POPE NOW AT WORK.

Rome, May 3.—Pope Pius X. continues to progress in the recovery of his health. Every day he descends to his library and devotes several hours to his work.

JOHNSON TO HOLD CALIFORNIA BILL

Governor of California Receives Law Barring Aliens for Signature To-night

WILL HEAR PRESIDENT BEFORE HE SIGNS IT

Japan Sends Members of Lower House and Senate to Investigate

JAPAN MAY TAKE APPEAL TO HAGUE

Sacramento, Cal., May 3.—Governor Johnson will have in his hands to-night an alien land law barring Japanese and other aliens ineligible to citizenship from the soil of California. He has agreed to delay signing the bill until opportunity shall be given for hearing whatever protests President Wilson may desire to make. In the governor's words this delay will cover a reasonable time, probably no more than ten days, certainly not more than thirty.

Although the act is designed to exclude all aliens ineligible to citizenship, it is drawn in conformity with treaty rights, omitting the phrase "ineligible to citizenship" objectionable to Japan. With this programme the assembly picked up to-day the work of the senate, and began final consideration of the Bloodgood bill, which is identical with the Webb redraft of the anti-alien bills passed early this month by the senate.

It was planned by the administration floor leaders in the lower House to adopt the same procedure followed yesterday by the senate, and to begin early to-day the long debate that must necessarily precede conclusive action. The effect of the senate's almost unanimous decision was expected to hasten the vote.

Since the Bloodgood bill is identical with the senate bill already passed, it will be sent on passage immediately to the committee on enrollment, there to be compared with its companion measure. When the identity of the two acts has been verified, the committee will report back to the House, and the bill sent to the governor for his signature.

Count Shigenobu, former premier of Japan, Baron Shibusawa and other prominent men called on Premier Yamamoto yesterday and discussed the California land law, according to advices received at San Francisco by the Japanese-American, a local Japanese newspaper. At the conclusion of the conference the premier said he was still hopeful that the California situation will be adjusted satisfactorily.

The Japanese-American Association had a farewell meeting for Soroku Ebata, a member of the House of Peers and Ayayo Hattori, a member of the lower House of parliament, who left for San Francisco to-day to investigate the California land law.

D. Juichi Soeda, a prominent Japanese financier and former president of the Industrial Bank of Japan, and Huhel, president of the Japanese chamber of commerce of Tokyo, will sail from Yokohama today for San Francisco on a similar mission, according to advices received at San Francisco from Tokyo by the Japanese New World, a local Japanese newspaper.

Washington, D. C., May 3.—It was learned here to-day that the Webb bill in its present form is not satisfactory to the Japanese government. Although there is possibility of amendment in the lower branch of the legislature or in conference, the conviction obtains that nothing remains to be done from the Japanese point of view at present, but to await the return of Washington of Secretary Bryan. Then it will be in order to take up the subject diplomatically, probably the first step being to ascertain whether the administration can be counted to begin a legal test of the constitutionality of the new act. If the question between the United States and Japan should not be settled within the next three months, it was intimated here to-day that Japan might make a formal request for the submission of the issue to arbitration at The Hague tribunal.

The special arbitration treaty between the two countries, negotiated in 1900, which is believed to cover the case, will expire by limitation unless renewed on August 24. It will be necessary for Japan to claim the benefits of the treaty before that date.

The particular provision of the treaty is: "Differences which arise of a legal nature or relating to the interpretation of treaties existing between the two contracting parties which may not have been possible to settle by diplomacy shall be referred to the permanent court of arbitration, established at The Hague by the convention of July 29, 1900, providing, nevertheless, that they do not affect the vital interests, the independence or the honor of the two contracting parties or do not concern the interest of third parties."

TRAVEL BROADENS VIEWS OF HON. GEORGE E. FOSTER AUSTRALIAN NAVAL POLICY GRAND LESSON TO CANADA

Minister of Trade and Commerce Skirts Round Canadian Proposals and Congratulates Southern Dominion on Owning Her Own Battleships for Coast Defences in Time of War

Change of Front by Member of Premier Borden's Cabinet When Heard in Lecture at Melbourne Yesterday

Melbourne, May 3.—"I congratulate Australia on her naval defence policy. She is setting a grand lesson to Canada," said Hon. G. E. Foster, Canadian minister of trade and commerce, while lecturing on "Ourselves and the Empire," before the Graduates' Association here yesterday.

After having admitted that Australia's naval policy was a splendid one, Mr. Foster skirted round the subject of his own government's naval scheme and went on to talk of other things.

Following an historical sketch of Canadian social and political life, Mr. Foster referred to the matter of the Dominions shouldering the responsibilities of the empire, for which he was vociferously cheered.

Canada, said Mr. Foster, was steering a course set to the star of Empire, but he did not mention the fact that the captain was trying to jettison a valuable cargo worth \$35,000,000.

Mr. Foster indulged in a little mild criticism of Australians and describing them as well set-up, a little undisciplined, but showing great promise. Finally the Canadian minister dropped into the imperialistic vein and concluded by saying that Britishers the world over who composed the Empire had the advantages of the optimism of the Dominions mingled with the older counsels of Britain.

GOVERNMENT NOW ABANDONS ALL IDEA OF TRAINING CANADIANS FOR SEA SERVICE

Dominion Born Sailors on Niobe Are Offered Discharge; Ships Evidently to Be Returned to Admiralty in Pursuance of Contribution Policy

Ottawa, May 3.—The government is evidently preparing to return the Rainbow and Niobe to the admiralty in pursuance of a policy of contribution instead of a policy of a Canadian navy.

The steps taken by the Laurier government in 1910 toward organizing a Canadian naval force through the recruiting of Canadians to serve on the two training ships, were promptly halted when the Borden administration came into power. Now the Canadians on board these ships are being officially told that they may leave the service without serving out their term of enlistment.

An official memorandum sent from the department of naval affairs to the respective commanders of the Niobe and the Rainbow notifies them that it has been decided, as far as circumstances will permit, to grant free discharge to any Canadian recruits, who do not wish to remain in the service. The regulations of the department provide that men and boys may obtain their discharge on payment of sums varying from \$50 to \$150. This requirement is now being dispensed with. All Canadians at present on board the two cruisers are told that they may leave the service if they sign a declaration that they forfeit all claim to any gratuity, pension or other payment which may hereafter be paid on account of service in the Royal Canadian navy.

In a statement prepared by Deputy Minister Desbarats for presentation to parliament it is stated that the Niobe Canadian recruits on the Niobe were unable to obtain their discharge, therefore, decided that since these men were dissatisfied it would be wise to allow them to leave if they could be spared "without affecting the efficient working of the ship." The memo further states that if these men were not allowed to leave they might desert, or if they were compelled to stay they would spread dissatisfaction among the other members of the crew.

Some 70 Canadians of continuous service rating are now on board the Niobe, and it is estimated that probably 30 or 40 of these will take advantage of the permission to obtain their discharge without payment. On the Rainbow there are at present very few Canadians. The permission to

retire from the service does not apply to the men brought from England and now on board the cruisers. The action of the department, as noted above, is practically tantamount to a declaration that no effort is to be made to continue the work of organizing a Canadian naval force. Under the circumstances it is not to be wondered at that the Canadians who enlisted on the understanding that the Canadian navy was to be continued and to offer a permanent career, are now desirous of retiring.

With no Canadian naval policy in view the only other alternative of the government, if it is going to do anything at all in the way of naval defence is the policy of contribution on which the premier has already embarked. But in regard to this latter policy new embarrassments have arisen steadily since it was first launched. The opposition of Liberalism and the wave of popular feeling against the contribution proposals necessitated the closure in order to force the bill through the Commons. It is now understood that the situation is made still worse for the government by a direct intimation from the admiralty suggesting that, for the present at least, it would not be well to force the bill through parliament. The imperial government is now endeavoring to reach an understanding with Germany in regard to a mutual agreement for the limitation of any further increase in naval armaments. It is understood that the coming visit of Right Hon. Winston Churchill to Berlin at the end of May will be concerned not only with the royal wedding there but also with confidential conferences with Admiral von Tirpitz and the other German authorities along the line of carrying out the British admiralty's suggestion for a mutual naval holiday.

Since the naval bill was brought down events both in Canada and in Europe have been moving steadily to justify the opposition to the contribution proposals and to emphasize the mistaken statesmanship of the Nationalist-Conservative coalition in regard to the whole problem of naval defence. It is significant that despite the "emergency" and despite the passage of closure the government still hesitates to bring its naval bill again before the Commons.

Seattle, May 3.—News that the winter trails from Valdez and Cordova to Fairbanks and interior Alaska are practically useless, and the stage companies are accepting no more freight offerings, was brought out by the Alaska Steamship Company's liner Alameda, which arrived yesterday with freight and passengers from Southwestern Alaska. Mails are still being taken over the trails, but future freight shipments will have to await the opening of the Yukon.

SENTENCE FOR YOUTH FIVE YEARS IN JAIL

Vancouver, May 3.—A 17-year-old youth named George Baldwin, who, armed with two revolvers tried to hold up the office of John Loutet, a North Vancouver real estate agent, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary by Judge Molnes.

The youth had broken into the office and had taken \$25 from a cash drawer, when he was surprised by the return of the clerk. Baldwin levelled the revolvers at the clerk's head, and made his escape. Mr. Gray later met Baldwin on Main street here, and had him given in charge.

NORTH TRAILS ARE NOW PRACTICALLY USELESS

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HON. GEO. E. FOSTER



Canadian Minister of Trade and Commerce who changes his naval defence views.

PRESIDENT AUGUSTE OF HAYTI IS DEAD

Four Candidates Already Presenting Claims to Succeed to First Office

RULED THE REPUBLIC ONLY SINCE AUGUST

Port au Prince, Hayti, May 3.—The president of the republic of Hayti, General Tancrede Auguste, died last night after a brief illness. The national assembly was convened to-day to elect a successor as chief executive. Four candidates were prepared to present their claims: They are Judge Luxembourg Cauvin, former minister of the interior; Michel Oreste, a prominent senator; General Beaufoisse Laroche, minister of war, and General Bellard.

In official circles and among the general public the opinion prevailed that General Bellard would obtain the nomination. Quiet has prevailed everywhere since the president's death, but precautions against any possible outbreak were immediately taken by General Potevain, the commander-in-chief, who ordered all the troops held in readiness to suppress disorders.

President Tancrede Auguste had occupied his office only since August 9 last year. He succeeded General Cincinnatus Lecoute, who met a tragic death, together with 400 officials and soldiers, in a fire which destroyed the national palace on August 8. It was reported at the time that he had been the victim of intrigue, but nothing was officially revealed to confirm the theory.

KLEINSCHMIDT MAKES SECOND TRIP NORTH

Cruise to Obtain Specimens of Bird and Animal Life in Aleutian Islands

Seattle, May 3.—Captain Frank E. Kleinschmidt, who made an extended cruise of Behring sea and the Arctic ocean last year gathering specimens of birds and animal life for the Carnegie Museum of Pittsburg, left to-day on the power schooner P. J. Abler for another cruise of seven months in northern waters. Captain Kleinschmidt is accompanied by his wife and two children and two taxidermists. He hopes to bring back live specimens of the rare animal and bird life of the Aleutian Islands and North-eastern Alaska.

From Seattle the Abler will proceed up the inside passage to Southeastern Alaska and then west to the Aleutian Islands for ptarmigan. From the islands the schooner will go north along the Siberian coast, and in August will put in at Nome, Alaska, to pick up Marshall Soule and A. M. Collins, of Philadelphia, and Dr. Elling, of Albany, N. Y., who will join Captain Kleinschmidt in a big game hunt in the Arctic. Mrs. Kleinschmidt and the two children will remain aboard the Abler throughout the cruise.

Washington, May 3.—The House to-day sustained the wool schedule of the Underwood bill, 193 to 74, and voted down the Republican substitute.

SUFFRAGE PARADE ON FIFTH AVENUE

Thirty-Three Thousand Women Who Want the Vote March in Procession

TWO THOUSAND MEN ACCOMPANY THEM

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New York, May 3.—Eyes in front, heads erect, shoulders squared, 35,000 women and men marched, eight abreast, to the glare of forty bands up Fifth avenue this afternoon in the greatest parade ever held in the United States for the cause of woman suffrage. The men in the parade numbered 2,000. Following a squad of mounted police the procession swept out of Washington Square shortly after 2 o'clock, spangled with yellow banners of suffrage, broken here and there by the sombre colors of detachments of male sympathizers. Over streets that had been swept and washed and now glistening in the sunlight, they paraded to Central park, at Fifty-ninth street.

Tens of thousands held to the curb by 1,200 bluecoats, gave vociferous welcome and applause. For days the leaders of the great parade had planned the pageant until it was letter perfect. The city authorities, intent on avoiding repetition of the disorder of the elaborate parade in Washington made elaborate police arrangements and there was every indication that the parade would not be marred by untoward incident.

Hundreds of women from other states representing scores of suffrage associations were in the long line. Almost every scale in the social system was represented, from women of wealth foremost in the fight, to domestics from the equal suffrage nations of Europe, clad in their national costumes. Women voters from the nine "white" states on the suffrage map; "General" Rosalie Jones and her little "army" of pilgrims who tramped from New York to Albany and New York to Washington; clerks, stenographers, telephone operators, shopgirls, milliners, factory workers. These and marchers from almost every other calling of woman's labors, were in the procession, each carrying a tiny yellow flag, and each trying her best to observe the grand marshal's orders of "Keep step; no talking or laughing."

At the plaza where Central park meets Fifty-ninth street and the avenue, the marchers disbanded for two mass meetings, one in the plaza, the other at Carnegie hall.

HINDU BECOMES AN AMERICAN CITIZEN

After Two Years Ahkay Kumar Moyumdar is Judged Free White Person

Spokane, May 3.—Ahkay Kumar Mozumdar, a Yogi philosopher and native of Calcutta, India, to-day became an American citizen, the first Hindu to attain this distinction. In an opinion handed down in the federal court by United States District Judge Frank H. Rudkin, the court granted the application of the Hindu, notwithstanding that in the past the courts have held against Hindus.

Mozumdar's application had been before the court for two years. It was denied at first, but a rehearing was granted, and it was finally decided that the Hindu was a free white person. Mozumdar proved that he is a high-caste Hindu of pure blood of the ruling caste in India.

Judge Rudkin held that certain of the natives of India are members of the Caucasian race, although the line of demarcation between the different castes and classes is dim and difficult to ascertain.

NO PROOF THAT FIRE WAS MILITANT'S WORK

Bradford, Eng., May 3.—Extensive sheds belonging to the Midland railway, containing much freight, burned down here last night, causing a loss of \$500,000.

Mysterious fires have broken out in these sheds on three successive Friday nights. The militant suffragettes were suspected of the arson, but there was no proof of this. The latest fire was evidently incendiary, for the firemen discovered it had been started deliberately in several parts of the building.



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POLLUTION OF WATERS COMMITTEE ASSEMBLES

Name Witnesses Who Are to Be Called at Parliamentary Committee Inquiry

Ottawa, Ont., May 2.—The special committee appointed by the House to enquire into the question of pollution of navigable waters in connection with which there are two bills before parliament met for the first time this morning. Those present were Messrs. Hazen, Beland, Warnock, Bradbury, Northrup, Murphy and Kyle. On a unanimous vote Geo. Bradbury, of Selkirk, originator with Senator Belcourt of the investigation, was appointed permanent chairman of committee. It was decided to reduce the quorum necessary for a sitting to one-third of members, or six. On the motion of Dr. Warnock, of MacLeod, it was decided that the committee should assemble for business on Wednesday next. Jas. White, secretary of conservation committee, Dr. Hodgett, head of health branch of the commission, and Senator Belcourt, who first brought up the question in parliament, and who has had a bill before the senate for the past four years, will be called to give evidence. The chairman suggested that there should be more medical men on the committee. The names of Dr. Chisholm, of Inverness, Dr. Steele, of South Perth, and Dr. Edwards, of Frontenac, were mentioned. The committee adjourned till Wednesday next.

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DUNCAN HOSPITAL SHOWING PROGRESS

Annual Meeting Receives Reports of Increased Treatments and Strong Position

Duncan, May 2.—A meeting of the directors of the King's Daughters hospital at Duncan was held on Wednesday last. The annual report was approved and routine business transacted. The general annual meeting followed, the directors' reports were read by the chairman, F. H. Mattland-Dougall, after which a vote of thanks and appreciation of the work done was moved by W. H. Elkington. E. F. Miller was thanked for auditing the books and Mr. T. Maclean for help and advice. The report contained the information that the institution has fully justified the energy and enterprise shown by the order in establishing it, as indicated by the treatment of 158 patients during the year, and the necessity of building additions for maternity cases at a cost of \$6,500. The sum of \$4,000 towards this amount has been provided by the provincial government, the balance being derived from donations, and the building will be completed in September. The number of cases treated in 1911-12 was 172, the average daily cost per patient was \$2.48, and the average per capita grant from the government 77 4-5. The financial statement showed no liabilities and \$2,075.48 in cash in bank. There is, however, \$920 due on mortgage, which is amply covered by the value of ground and buildings which are assessed at \$8,700 by the city. The sum of \$1,913.15 had been collected and donated during the year, and furniture valued at \$100 had been given by the Victoria Circle of the King's Daughters. Annual subscriptions have grown from \$105 last year to \$255 this year.

CLEARING HOUSE FOR MILK BEING FORMED

Producers Not Getting Enough and Consumer is Paying Too Much

Milner, B. C., May 3.—That milk producers in the Fraser valley from Chilliwack to the coast are planning the establishment of a milk-clearing house or central selling agency in Vancouver to handle all milk for sale was the plan outlined before the agricultural commission at its sitting here yesterday by J. W. Berry, of Milner. In this way they hope to control the price of milk or else do away with the milk wholesaler and retailer. It was generally felt that milk was now costing the consumer too much, and the producers were not getting enough for their product. The witness said he was now milking thirty cows, and during April he received 16.5 cents net per gallon. During May he will receive 15 cents net, according to notices received. At present the farmer gets 16 cents per gallon, freight is 2 cents, and the wholesaler charges 28 cents and the retailer 44 cents per gallon. By the proposed association the dairymen hope to get a fair price for their milk, say 20 cents per gallon net, and the city consumers will be able to buy cheaper milk.

PROFESSOR EXPLODES EYE WITNESS THEORY

Fight Planned and Shot Fired; Students Deceived in Giving Evidence

Lawrence, Kas., May 3.—When Professor Dockeray of the physiological department of the University of Kansas, got into an altercation last night with the janitor who entered the classroom and insisted on sweeping while Dockeray was lecturing, a number of students came to his rescue. The affair grew into a free-for-all fight, during which the janitor, who had drawn a revolver, was overpowered and disarmed. As a burly student grasped the pistol a shot was fired. As soon as order was somewhat restored and the frightened students reassembled, accounts were taken from them of the affair. All of the students swore they heard the shot and several told of seeing smoke from the revolver. When Professor Dockeray told that it was an experiment; a fight had been planned carefully and the shot of the revolver was from the outside of the building by a student posted there. The purpose of the experiment was to show the unreliability of information even when furnished by an eyewitness.

FORMER AMBASSADOR GUEST OF UNIVERSITY

University of California, Cal., May 2.—Rt. Hon. James Bryce, former British ambassador to the United States, was a guest of the University of California during yesterday. Mr. Bryce is on his way home to England and is spending two or three days in the bay region. The noted Briton was received upon his arrival yesterday by President Benjamin Ide Wheeler, and after going over the college campus, was the guest of the president at luncheon.

SOUTH AFRICA HAS HER NAVAL PROBLEM

Johannesburg Visitor Tells of Prosperous Conditions in Southern Land

Vancouver, May 3.—"South Africans are anxious to do their share toward naval defence, but there, as in Canada, there is a difference of opinion as to whether we should establish a South African navy or contribute to the British navy. Our circumstances are such that the contribution idea is the more popular amongst the English-speaking people. They put forward much the same arguments as I am told are used by the Liberals in Canada, but they have not the same excuse as you have, for South Africa is not yet developed far enough to support a navy of its own." So said W. S. Burton, of Johannesburg, South Africa, who was in the city yesterday on a trip around the world. He stated that conditions in South Africa were excellent, especially in Cape Colony. "In fact, things have never been so good since the war," he said. "Mining in the Transvaal is developing rapidly, and there are no racial troubles at present to interfere with the working of the mines. National union has proved a good thing for South Africa, and if the ultra-Boers can only be kept in check by the influx of a good English population there will be no fear of the future."

INDICTMENTS CALL EIGHT TO ANSWER

Police and Detectives at San Francisco Held on Conspiracy Charges

San Francisco, Cal., May 2.—Eight indictments charging conspiracy were voted by the grand jury to-night against the eight detectives and patrolmen under suspension and arrest as a result of accusations made by members of the so-called "bunco ring." The indictments include a second accusation against Frank Esola, former detective, who is charged with bribery in an indictment returned two days ago. Shortly before the indictments were voted a new element, the Italian Black Hand, disclosed itself as a development when Caesar Ronchi, cafe proprietor, and one of the important witnesses against the police, burst into the Hall of Justice weeping and beset with fear. He exhibited a typical Black Hand letter he had received. Marked with the sinister skull and crossbones, the note was a demand that he keep silent and make no further disclosures on pain of losing his life. Quitting with every sign of terror, he demanded that he be given protection and asked for a bodyguard. It was Ronchi who declared that he had received from members of the bunco ring bulky envelopes, which he turned over to detectives and police. These envelopes, he asserted, contained money.

WARNS CALGARY ON THE DRY-SWEEPING MENACE

Calgary, Alta., May 3.—Denouncing the dry-sweeping of Calgary streets as a deadly menace to the health of the citizens, Dr. Stanley Mahood, the medical health officer, has sent a communication to the mayor and commissioners urging that the city either have the streets flushed or else sprinkled with an antiseptic or oil preparation. Judging from the remarks of Commissioner A. J. Samis, however, there is little possibility that any heed will be given to Dr. Mahood's warning.

LIBERALS PLANNING TO WIN UNIONIST SEAT

London, May 3.—J. R. Keby Fletcher, Unionist member for Aitricheam, has resigned his seat in the House of Commons owing to ill-health. The Liberals are planning an active campaign to secure his seat, and are confident of success in view of the fact that at the last election Mr. Fletcher just managed to creep in with a majority of 119 on a total vote of 15,000.

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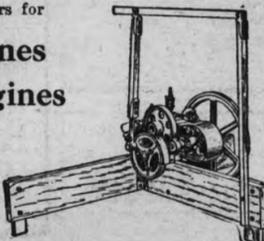
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ASKS FOR DECISION BY RAILWAY BOARD

Wm. Martin, Member for Regina, Heard on Western Freight Rate Case

WANTS NATIONAL ART GALLERY OPEN SUNDAYS

Ottawa, May 2.—In the House of Commons yesterday W. M. Martin, Liberal member for Regina, moved the adjournment of the House for the purpose of bringing up the question of delay by the railway commission in hearing the western freight cases. Mr. Martin complained that the board was slow in proceeding with the work.

He said the question was one which affects the whole of the Dominion. The west could not prosper if discriminatory freight rates were allowed to prevail, and that would affect the east. He was inclined to think that there was some reason for the long delay, and placed the blame upon the counsel representing the Dominion government.

Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways, replied that despite what the member for Regina had said, the government was sincere, and no effort was being made to humbug the people.

The debate was taken part in by Dr. Neely, of Humboldt; Hon. Frank Oliver, Mr. Bennett, North Simcoe; Mr. Buchanan, Medicine Hat; Hon. Robert Rogers, Dr. Clark, Red Deer; Mr. Blain, Peel; Mr. Carvell, Carleton; Mr. R. B. Bennett, Calgary; Hon. H. R. Emmerson, and Mr. McKay, Prince Albert.

The general tenor of the Conservative speeches was that any delay which has taken place has been quite justified. They argued that the new government has already done something to redress western grievances by a reduction in the express rates, and that more good results are to be expected in the future.

The Liberals maintained that under their regime the organization of the railway commission had done much to improve conditions in the west. They expressed the suspicion that counsel for the Dominion government were really assisting the railways in securing the delay which has occurred, and that there is some reason for it not given by the minister.

The discussion was discontinued after 10 o'clock, there being no division. In discussing the resolution providing for the creation of a board of trustees for the national art gallery, Mr. Bennett, of Simcoe, made a plea for the opening of the gallery on Sunday.

"I went down there one Sunday last winter and found the whole place locked up," he said. "I held that the gallery should be open on Sunday, and I hope that this new board will not be such strict Sabbatarians and Sabbath disciples as the present minister of public works (Hon. Mr. Rogers) and his predecessor. I hope they will live in the light of the present century."

Hon. Mr. Lemieux agreed with Mr. Bennett that the gallery should be open on Sunday. He pointed out that in London all the galleries and museums are open on the Sabbath day.

Mr. Burnham, of West Peterboro, criticized the conduct of the gallery on the ground that it did not give sufficient encouragement to Canadian artists. He hoped there would be an improvement in this respect.

At the opening of the House, Mr. Bennett, of Calgary, drew attention to a dispatch which he said he had seen in several western papers, to the effect that the Admiralty thought it would not be well to force the naval bill through the House of Commons by the closure. He desired to ask the government if there was any truth in this report.

"There is absolutely no foundation at all for this report," said Premier Borden. "No intimation of the kind has been received."

The question of high freight rates being introduced, general discussion was given, Mr. Martin, of Regina, making a long speech on the subject. The House rose at 11.15.

BILL DEFEATED.

Sacramento, Cal., May 2.—The proposed anti-vice bill, making the promotion of a prizefight in this state a felony and attendance at one a misdemeanor, was defeated by a vote of 34 to 24 in the lower House.

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NATIONAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN MEETING

Invitation Transmitted for Convention to Be Held in Victoria in 1915

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Montreal, May 2.—The National Council of Women opened the twentieth conference here yesterday afternoon, receiving from Victoria local council an invitation to meet in the western city in 1915. Mrs. Macaulay represented British Columbia.

A suggestion was made that the National Councils of Great Britain, the United States and Canada observe the hundredth years of peace by holding a meeting on the border line next year. The women of Canada have a definite responsibility in the world of law reforms, and the president, Mrs. Torrington made special mention of important matters which had been brought before the legislature, including several amendments to the civil code, among others, affecting the social evil, child labor and the marriage of the deaf.

Reports of the provincial vice-presidents were received. Mrs. McEwen, for Manitoba, reported increased interest in the public health. Mrs. Macaulay, for British Columbia, reported visiting a number of towns with a view to organizing. The women of British Columbia are interested in a home for girls, and are working seriously along council lines.

Addresses of welcome were given in French and English by Madame O'Brien and Dr. Ritchie, England.

The treasurer's report showed that the amount raised from all sources during the year was \$3,602.83, the disbursements were \$2,234.53, balance on hand \$1,268.10.

The corresponding secretary reported three new local councils organized during the year—at Sarnia, Peterboro and Calgary. A local council will be organized in Brockville in the autumn.

The president and the secretary Mrs. Cummings, will be the official representatives of the Canadian women at the international congress of public health, to meet in London, England, on June 30.

An attempt has been made to tabulate the membership of the National Council, but only a partial list has been prepared. The secretary placed the membership in Canada at 130,000. The officers of the National Council were declared all re-elected by acclamation.

The last time the National Council met in Montreal, seventeen years ago, the council was composed of twenty local councils and five nationally organized societies. To-day there are thirty-one local councils and sixteen affiliated societies.

CHARITIES CONFERENCE WILL MEET IN SEATTLE

Seattle, Wash., May 2.—Announcement has just been made of the committee for the entertainment of the National Conference of Charities and Correction, which meets in this city July 5 to the 12. Mayor Geo. F. Cotterill is honorary president, and Rev.

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The reason there is plenty of room at the top is because most of the people who get there fall off.—Nathan Levey.

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HIS EYES OPENED.

"I congratulate Australia on her naval defence policy. She is setting a grand lesson to Canada," said Hon. George E. Foster in a speech at Melbourne yesterday. Nearly five months ago in the House of Commons the same minister in a speech that was acclaimed by his party as the last word on the Canadian naval situation exalted the contribution proposals of Mr. Borden and attacked the policy enunciated by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. And yet Australia's course, which Mr. Foster now so glowingly eulogizes, is the model upon which Sir Wilfrid Laurier desires Canada to proceed. When Mr. Foster described it as a grand lesson to Canada he no doubt found it unnecessary to confess that this country is asked to repudiate the agreement it entered into with Australia in 1909 and to make a contribution such as Australia had done in the past but had found so unsatisfactory that she abandoned it in favor of her present policy. But Australians are familiar with the controversy in this Dominion. They know that the champions of contribution have sent to the admiralty for memoranda to show that Canadians could not build ships, having no trained riveters, big machinery, etc. They know that a local naval policy has been described as "costly and hazardous" and that Mr. Borden does not think Canada could develop an effective organization in, perhaps, half a century. They know that the Laurier and Australian policies have been stigmatized by quick imperialists as "separatist" in their tendency. Imagine Australia adopting a separatist policy; Australia with people more British than even those of Canada! They know also that the Canadian policy has been described as that of a "tin-pot navy" and that government politicians and newspapers from the Atlantic to the Pacific have been continually reflecting upon Canadian manhood and patriotism by declaring we could not man our ships, although they admit that our young men are yearly joining the navy of the United States.

Mr. Foster is right. Australia is teaching Canada a grand lesson. She will do her part not only with ships built in her own yards but with her own brain, brawn and manhood. Canada is urged to send a contribution of money for ships to be manned at the expense of Great Britain because it is "cheaper and less hazardous" than the organization of a Canadian navy. As the Postmaster-General says, we do not have to contribute one man to naval defence. Sailors can be obtained in England for twenty-eight cents a day. What a humiliating spectacle we will present alongside of Australia! A great country with an immense revenue and enormous trade making a cash contribution and declining to organize a navy of its own because it would be too "costly and hazardous"; because we might be seen "separatist"; because we cannot now build a dreadnought, and so forth ad nauseum. We commend that pitiable picture to Chief Justice Hunter and Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley.

Yesterday we published a striking vindication of the attitude adopted by Sir Wilfrid Laurier from the pen of Admiral Sir Reginald Henderson, the distinguished officer the admiralty sent to Australia to plan the organization of the young Dominion's navy. We make no apology for reproducing the extract which was taken from a letter addressed to Premier Fisher. Here is what Admiral Henderson says:

"I am sorry that Canada is going about the navy business in the way she is. The home authorities undoubtedly made a mistake in giving the Dominion the advice they did, for the present scheme now under discussion at Ottawa is only helping to create political dissension. If the admiralty had adopted a more magnanimous at-

titude and advised Canada to follow Australia's lead the opposite effect would probably have been produced, and the parties would have been brought together. It certainly seems a pity to sacrifice high principles for a temporary end, all for the sake of a few million dollars. Britain can well provide herself with the necessary money to build what ships she requires."

It is on the advice of Admiral Henderson that Australia has adopted a programme which provides for the construction of more than fifty vessels and the expenditure of \$300,000,000 in the next twenty years. These ships will fly the white ensign and the Australian flag. They will be under the control of the Australian government and will be transferred to the admiralty in time of war only by virtue of order-in-council. Now we learn that New Zealand is looking forward to the adoption of a similar policy. Yesterday at Ottawa Colonel Allen, her minister for defence, said before the Canadian club that "the western shores of the Dominion were more closely allied with Australia and New Zealand, and protection of the Pacific Ocean should be the mutual concern of all three. New Zealand was prepared to make sacrifices in the accomplishment of that end. But in that also New Zealand looked to Canada for a lead."

"New Zealand looks to Canada for the 'lead' in a scheme of organized protection for British interests in the Pacific. And what is the lead Mr. Borden wants Canada to take? It is a cash contribution for ships to be stationed at Gibraltar and the repeal of the law on the statute books providing for the organization of a Canadian navy."

CHINA'S POSITION.

The cable from Washington telling of the formal recognition of the new Republic of China by the United States, and the exchange of greetings by the respective presidents reminds us we were apt to forget, that the New China which has sprung into being since the revolution of a year or so ago, is now fairly launched on its way for good or ill, and with all its troubles still before it.

Not the least of these troubles is likely to be the cleavage, which still continues, between the north and the south. Dr. Sun Yat Sen is the very embodiment of the radical aspirations of the south, while President Yuan Shih Kai stands for the more conservative ideas of the north, which for so many years felt the power of the imperial dynasty, and is even now inclined to more of a monarchical than a democratic regime. The action of Dr. Sun Yat Sen in appealing to the Powers to prevent their bankers from loaning money to the government is, we believe, an expression of the opinion of the millions of China who were stirred to indignation by the revelation that the government was implicated in the murder of General Sung, former Minister of Education. Dr. Sun Yat Sen believes, that conscious of its own guilt, the government may use the five-power loan to wage war against the people, thus wrongly interpreting the whole idea of a republic, and taking China back into the most barbarous days of the Manchu dynasty.

Whether or not Dr. Sun Yat Sen is in the right, time alone can show. He is certainly the most enlightened and most progressive of the leaders of Chinese thought and action to-day, and as such due weight ought to be attached to whatsoever he has to say. We can well believe that while Yuan Shih Kai is in office little will be done towards establishing really popular government, and his position therefore depends more or less on what command he can keep over the army and the supplies. Doubtless the action of the American government in recognizing the republic will strengthen the hands of Yuan Shih Kai. But the fact remains that there is little possibility, if Yuan maintains his hold upon the presidency, of the aims and ideals of that little earnest band of reformers who precipitated the revolution, being carried out. It is their object to substitute for the inert empire which could not defend China, a federal republic which shall work in harmony and unity with a representative system. Previously the empire was but a mere or so of provinces whose allegiance to Peking was mainly theoretical. The people in the far north cared little about what happened in the capital, while the people to the remote south were equally indifferent.

The avowed task of the Chinese parliament is to make the federal republic a fact and to give it vitality. It must be remembered, however, in this connection that the present head of the parliament is a man who has been nurtured in the despotic school. To the Manchus he was the chief adviser whose power was almost unlimited, and a man who has once tasted power to that degree is loth to relinquish it. That this attitude is contrary to the new spirit is without question, and herein lies one of the great problems which China has to face. If the people are forced into a life and death struggle for the preservation of the republic, then terrible suffering may be looked for as well as serious affection of foreign interests.

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CALIFORNIA AND WASHINGTON.

The acute international situation which has arisen from the determination of the California legislature and Senate to pass the alien land measure exposes the inherent defects in the constitutional system of the union. The various states enjoy much wider powers than do the provinces of this Dominion. The federal administration can exercise no check upon state legislation. The Supreme Court at Washington is the ultimate tribunal, and this body may throw out an act passed by any of the states on the ground that it is unconstitutional. A treaty contracted between the president and any other nation becomes under the constitution the supreme law of the land, and if the legislation now under fire conflicts with the treaty the court no doubt will reject it. Presumably if the measure is passed, as seems likely, the Japanese in California will take a test case to the Supreme Court. Japan would probably wait upon the decision of that tribunal before adopting retaliatory measures or denouncing the treaty.

Had the Washington administration the same check upon state legislation as the Dominion government has upon provincial legislation, the present bill could be disallowed for "national reasons," aside from its constitutional aspect. This we believe to be a very wise arrangement, and if it existed south of the boundary line the Washington authorities would have been saved from many a troublesome international difficulty. As conditions are now, California can adopt legislation to which three-fourths of the union may be opposed, but if that legislation provokes war the state will naturally expect the nation to sacrifice blood and treasure in defending her.

The state labor commissioner of California investigated, five or six years ago, the extent of Japanese industry on the land in that state. His report, submitted in 1910, showed, amongst other things, that according to the records of the assessors, 199 farms, containing 10,791 acres, were owned by Japanese. These farms were assessed at \$330,401 on land and \$46,947 on improvements, making a total of \$377,348. The same records also showed that Japanese subjects owned urban property assessed at \$174,694, about equally divided between land and improvements.

In her memoirs the Countess Lambardoff, a vivacious Russian lady, declares that she had danced 16,000 miles. And no doubt she found walking so fatiguing that she seldom went to do her shopping without riding in her coach, automobile or a street car.

It is estimated that the losses due to inundations in the United States amount to one hundred million dollars annually. This does not include, of course, the waste of water that, if stored, would be of incalculable value to internal navigation, to irrigation and power development.

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While some of the new styles are trimmed on collars and cuffs with contrasting shades and neat corded patterns, and others are finished with Robespierre collar attached. For further particulars see the showing in the View Street windows or come and see the still larger display in the department on the first floor, where you can examine the qualities more closely. Values in this showing range from 75c up to \$3.75

Splendid Showing of Women's Summer Coats and Suits

THIS showing that is to be seen in the View Street windows, represents a few of the new styles that will be very popular this Summer. They are the products of the world's best makers, and represent a very high standard of tailoring. The coats are cut in the 3/4 and full length and also in the reefer styles. Some come in pure white, others are trimmed with contrasting shades on collars and cuffs and high glass buttons and patch pockets. The materials are serges, whipcords, ratina and Turkish cloth.

The suits are made with the new cutaway coats, trimmed on collars and cuffs with Bulgarian trimmings. Others are the strictly tailored style with slightly rounded corners and side pleated skirts. The suits are made up in pure white serge, Bedford cords and white with pin stripe of black or blue. We draw your attention to this showing for fuller particulars, and the prices range—

Coats, from \$20.00 to \$50.00
Suits, from \$25.00 to \$45.00

A Few Special Values in Carpets That Will Find a Quick Sale Monday

Axminster Squares—18 only, made with deep, rich pile. The patterns are very artistic in designs, and the colorings are beautiful. These squares are suitable for any style of room. Size 9x12. Special for Monday's selling, each \$30.00

Brussels Squares—24 only in a heavy quality, made with interwoven borders, all all-over pattern centres; a large range of Oriental, floral and self-toned effects to choose from, and suitable for all styles of rooms. Size 9x12. Special Monday, each \$24.00

Tapstry Squares—50 only, size 3x4 yards, made with one seam in the centre. These patterns are reproductions of some of the finest designs known to the trade. Will give good satisfaction for chambers or rooms in hard wear. Special for Monday's selling, each \$9.75

Small Size Tapstry Squares—25 only. These squares have beautiful patterns, and there is a good range of colors to select from. Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards. Very suitable for small rooms, halls or dens. Special Monday, each \$5.90

Moravian Rugs—18 only, size 2 1/2 x 3 1/2 yards. These rugs are made of a good, clean jute and are copies of the fine Smyrna rug; a full range of combination colorings in red and green. The patterns are very artistic in design, and the beauty of these rugs is that they are reversible and can be used on either side. Special for Monday, each \$9.90

Wool Squares—These squares are woven all in one piece and are reversible. Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards; suitable for small chambers. They come in delicate shades of green, blue, brown and gray. Price for Monday, each \$7.50

Japanese Squares—24 only Japanese Squares made of fine quality fibre, in a large range of stencilled patterns. They are suitable for dining rooms or bedrooms, and are very useful for camps, being dry, sanitary and clean. Special selling Monday, each \$2.75

50 Slightly Soiled White Enamel Beds Selling Monday at \$4.90

We have a balance of a carload of beds that are slightly damaged and the enamel chipped in places. We do not wish to put these beds into our regular stock, so offer them for clearance Monday at a special clearing price. They are strong and durable beds, finished with brass rails and knobs, and are worth double the price we offer them for. If you want a good bed for little money you had better be here sharp at 8.30 Monday morning. Special, clearing Monday, each \$4.90

Splendid Opportunity to Buy Hard Wearing Floor Coverings at Low Prices Monday

If it's for a store, a hall, a kitchen, or any place where there's lots of hard wear, then we cannot recommend anything better than Spencer's Inlaid Linoleum. It is made on purpose for hard wear. The patterns—which are in block, tile and floral, right through to the canvas back, so that the pattern never wears off, and it looks new right to the last. 500 square yards of the best quality is marked for special sale Monday, at per square yard

1,000 Yards Printed Linoleum in all the new patterns, both light and dark shades, in Oriental, tile, block and matting effects. This Linoleum is well printed and seasoned and is made 2 yards wide. Special selling Monday, per square yard

Oilcloth—1,000 yards extra quality, made 2 yards wide. As an inexpensive floor covering this quality wears exceedingly well, and is specially suitable for bedrooms, camps or week-end cottages. There are some beautiful patterns to choose from in tile, floral and matting effects. Selling Monday, per square yard

\$4000 Stock of Job Linens Go on Sale Monday at 50 Per Cent. Below Regular Prices

THE best linen manufacturers in Ireland never knowingly send out imperfect goods. Experts are engaged to examine very closely every article that is made, and should there be the slightest defect discovered then that particular article is put on one side, and is afterwards known as seconds—that is, goods that cannot be sold honestly as perfect. These goods are kept until the stock is sufficiently large to job out. We have been fortunate in securing one of these stocks, and we place the entire lot on sale Monday at one-half off their regular prices, as follows:

PURE GRASS-BLEACHED TABLECLOTHS			LINEN TABLE NAPKINS		
Size	Reg. Value	Monday	Size	Reg. Value	Monday
48x 48	\$1.50	75¢	17 1/2 x 17 1/2	\$2.00 dozen	\$1.00
56x 56	2.00	\$1.00	20 x 20	3.00 dozen	1.50
68x 68	3.00	1.50	22 x 22	3.50 dozen	1.75
72x 72	3.50	1.75	22 x 32	4.00 dozen	2.00
72x 90	4.00	2.00	23 x 23	4.50 dozen	2.25
72x 102	6.00	3.00	23 1/2 x 23 1/2	5.00 dozen	2.50
72x 90	7.00	3.50	23 1/2 x 23 1/2	5.50 dozen	2.75
72x 102	8.00	4.00	24 x 24	6.00 dozen	3.00
72x 102	9.00	4.50			

and in the same proportion up to \$10.50 and in the same proportion up to \$18.00

Exclusive Patterns in Curtains and Nets at Special Prices Monday

Nottingham Lace Curtains—50 pairs only, 50 inches wide, 3 yards long, finished with lock-stitch edges, in both white and cream. A large range of patterns to select from and a curtain that will stand lots of washing. Selling Monday, per pair

Art Silkolines—About 1,000 yards new Art Silkolines, both in figured and plain centres and colored borders, also allover patterns; very suitable for light draping. They come 36 inches wide and are reversible. Monday, per yard

American Bungalow Scrims—We have never shown such an extensive range of American Bungalow Scrims. The designs are very artistic; some have plain centres and fancy borders, others allover patterns. They come in white and cream, also Arab shades; very suitable for small windows and all kinds of draping. Selling Monday, per yard

Madras Muslins—We are showing a very extensive range of fancy Madras Muslins, both in white and cream; very dainty and artistic in designs with scalloped edges. Some of these muslins are finished with a dainty coloring of pink, blue and gold inserted in the design. Price, per yard, 50c, 55c, 75c and

Window Shades—We have a large stock of Window Shades, and are in a position to quote for one shade or one thousand. We carry a large stock of all the leading colors, both in Opaque and Lancaster Cloth; estimates for shades are given free. We can supply you with a shade finished in the water colors mounted on a good spring roller, complete with tassels and brackets. Each

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FEATHER PILLOWS, WORTH \$3.00, SELLING MONDAY, A PAIR, \$1.90

A pure feather pillow covered with a strong art ticking, in a nice assortment of colorings; size 21x28 inches, weighing 7 lbs. to the pair. These pillows are worth \$3.00 a pair. We are clearing up the balance of this line Monday, per pair

COTTON TOP AND BOTTOM MATTRESSES, SPECIAL MONDAY, \$3.90

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It is not generally understood that the main cleavage between the Balkan allies is not between Bulgaria and Greece over Salonica, but between Bulgaria and Servia over their future frontier in central Macedonia. This frontier was fixed last year by a treaty between the two states. What is happening now is that Servia, having been

carried by her military operations far into the Bulgarian sphere, is loth to abide by her treaty and evacuate it. It would be an unequal disaster for the allies, individually and collectively, if such a quarrel turned to war.

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The first annual sitting of the Court of Revision will be held in the Council Chamber, Oak Bay Avenue, on Thursday, May 16th, 1913, at 3 p. m.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the matter of James Bernard Fitzpatrick, Deceased, and

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Hon. Chief Justice Hunter, dated 8th day of April, 1913, the undersigned was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above deceased.

R. G. MONTREITH, Acting Official Administrator.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Ladies' Tailor—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Bldg., Fort Street.

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading Funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1733.

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Economy Wet Wash Laundry—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339, 3613 Bridge Street.

Spoke Harbor Hotel—Come down for the fishing. Sunday dinner 1 o'clock.

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Spoke Harbor Hotel—Good fishing, 24 miles from town. Good roads, good dinner.

Duntley Electric Vacuum Cleaner. Phone 4618.

Spoke Harbor Hotel, overlooking the Olympics and Strait; a good place to spend Sunday. Country dinner, 1 o'clock. The best.

Autos for Hire.—Balmoral Hotel. Day phone 4473. Night phone 108.

Spoke Harbor Hotel—For motorist. Afternoon tea served. Large garage. Gasoline sold.

Phoenix Beer, 2 quarts for 25c.

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Take Hinton's Electric Launch to the Gorge. Only 25c round trip. Starting Sunday, 4th May. See time table on Marine page.

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EGG CIRCLES AND CO-OPERATIVE WORK

Plan of Federal Department of Agriculture; Regular Marketing of Eggs

An important part of the poultry work of the live stock branch of the federal department of agriculture during the past year has been the organization of co-operative egg circles.

Being primarily concerned with the improvement of the Canadian egg trade and the live stock branch has encouraged the formation of these circles because the movement affords a means whereby the quality of eggs can be improved as they leave the farm.

It is well known that at certain seasons of the year there is wide difference between the price received for eggs by the farmer in the country store and the price paid by the consumer in the city.

RETURNS FROM TRIP.

F. C. Pauline Visited Many Points in Eastern Canada and United States Cities.

After visiting most of the automobile centres in the United States and Canada, including Detroit, Walker, Buffalo, Indianapolis and Chicago F. C. Pauline, of Moore & Pauline, returned on Wednesday with Mrs. Pauline completing a very interesting and eventful trip.

Mr. Pauline says the extent of the automobile business can only be appreciated by those who have seen the inside workings of these huge factories with their many thousand mechanics.

HELD PUBLIC RECEPTION.

Modern methods of meat purveying were exemplified to the public yesterday when the Vancouver-Prince Rupert Meat Company held a general reception at its store on Johnson street.

The store was crowded all day and was thrown open to visitors in every department. One of the features was the distribution of handsome boxes of candy to all the children who visited the store during the day.

To Lecture To-night.—The Twentieth Century-Contribution to woman's suffrage, will be the subject of the stereopticon address Dr. Ernest Hall will deliver this evening at 8 under the auspices of the Mission Circle of the Metropolitan church.

A LINE O' CHEER EACH DAY O' TH' YEAR

By John Kendrick Bangs

THE GARDEN.

My heart and mind I daily find A sort of fertile garden fair, Where I can play And work each day In hope of prizes rich and rare.

I have no doubt If I weed out The thorns of malice and untruth, And plant the seeds Of helpful deeds I'll reap the Rose of lasting Youth.

WANT DICE SHAKING PROHIBITED ALSO

Social Service Commission Waits on Police Commissioners; Four Women Apply

That dice shaking at cigar stands be banned in this city along with the other forms of gambling which the police commissioners were commended for prohibiting was the request made by a deputation from the Social Service Commission to that body yesterday.

Four applications were received for the position of police women, and the appointments were deferred a week until the duties are more clearly defined. The applicants were Miss McDonald and Miss Gough, the two recommended by the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Claydars, widow of the late Sergeant Claydars, and Mrs. Ferris, the matron at the police station.

ROMANTIC DRAMA PLEASES LARGE HOUSE

Chauncey Olcott Plays the Irish Lover to Perfection; A Tale of the Revolution

The exciting days of the Irish rebellion, and of the attempts of Napoleon to effect a landing in Ireland form attractive matter for any drama, and although the subject of the "Tale of Dreams" is one which is threadbare with repetition, when the title role is in the hands of a capable romantic actor like Chauncey Olcott, the theme is at once obliterated.

The hero is a youth of noble parentage who is a founding, and is brought up by a tavern keeper who loves him more dearly than a son. The long-lost brother is returned to the fold through the agency of the foster mother, whose maternal interest in the hero, Ivor Kelway, gives rise to some of the most touching episodes in the play.

The company throughout is an excellent one, and gave to the audience one of the most interesting evenings which local theatregoers have enjoyed for some time. In speaking of the instrumental music between acts, reference should be made to the admirable cello solo of Mr. Stessel, from "Tannhauser," which was encored.

AT THE HORSE SHOW

Among those present yesterday afternoon at the horse show were Mrs. Rismuller, Lieut. Roland Bury and Mrs. Bury, Mr. and Mrs. F. Law, Mrs. E. A. Palmer, Mrs. D. Spencer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Farrell and the Misses Dunsmuir, the Hon. Coutts Marjorie Marjoribanks, Mrs. O'Neil Hays, Mrs. Golby, Miss King, Mrs. Alexander Robertson, Mrs. H. C. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. H. M. Fullerton, Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, and Mrs. Harry Pooley.

In the evening His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson, attended by Mr. H. J. Muskett and Mrs. Muskett, were present in the Lieutenant-Governor's box, others present in adjoining boxes including Mrs. James Dunsmuir and the Misses Dunsmuir, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Laidlaw, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Howe, Miss Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman, Mrs. Harry Gordon, Mrs. Fred Pemberton and guests; Mr. and Mrs. Leeming,



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Table with 3 columns: No., Name, Price. Lists various records like 'Song of the Woodbird', 'I'm Going Back to Dixie', etc.

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THE BOHEMIAN GIRL

On Monday and Tuesday evening next the International Feature Film Company will produce Balfe's famous opera, "The Bohemian Girl," at the Romano theatre, the company which performed for this being a special star cast playing to special music, selections from which will be given at the

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

MISTOOK LIGHT OF CAMP FOR BEACON

As Result Tees Strikes Hard in Franklin Creek; Still Fast at Noon To-day

SALVOR LEAVES TO TOW STEAMER OFF MUD BANK

Passengers Are Sent to Alberni by Launch; Lightering Vessel This Afternoon

Mistaking one of the Canadian Northern construction camp's lights for the beacon at Franklin creek, the C. P. R. west coast steamer Tees, Capt. Gilliam, struck hard in the mud there at 10 o'clock last night and up to noon today had not been floated. Advice received from the Times correspondent at Port Alberni this morning stated that the Tees struck while travelling at full speed and drove her nose far into the muddy bottom. Examination of the hull failed to reveal any damage, and the vessel's hull is sound.

The steamer Salvor, Capt. Stratford, of the B. C. Salvage Company, is now on her way to Franklin creek to help haul the Tees back into deep water. The Salvor got a crew together last night and at 7:30 o'clock this morning she got under way and started at full speed for the scene of the mishap. She is expected there to reach the Tees tomorrow morning and will at once place a line aboard and tug on the stranded vessel until she slides off the mud.

Are Discharging Cargo. So that everything will be in readiness for the commencement of salvage operations upon the arrival of the Salvor, the crew of the Tees are discharging her cargo to-day. A scow with a capacity of 100 tons, left Port Alberni this morning and this afternoon the work of lightering the ship was in full swing.

News of the accident was received here late last night. Immediately after the stranding Chief Officer Thompson was sent ashore to send word to Victoria that the Tees was in trouble.

Franklin creek, where the steamer came to grief, is about eight miles from Port Alberni. The Tees was outbound from Victoria at the time and was on her way up the canal. In order that the Alberni passengers might not suffer any delay in reaching their destination, Capt. Gilliam secured the service of a launch which conveyed them to the towns at the head of the waterway.

May Continue on Trip. It is not known whether the Tees will continue on her trip to Clayoquot or not. If a further survey proves that she is undamaged she will in all probability continue on her schedule.

The Alberni Canal is a dangerous piece of water. About a year ago the steamer Queen City stranded there when taking the place of the Tees, which was repairing after stripping her wheel in Kququot Sound.

WIRELESS MEN ARE STILL HOLDING OUT

United States Coast Shipping is Seriously Affected by Cessation

A glance over the wireless reports which have been received during the past few days reveals the fact that very few American steamers operating up and down this coast have been spoken. The operators have practically all joined in the strike for more money, and unless an understanding is arrived at very soon all United States shipping on this coast will be paralyzed. No American ship carrying over 50 persons is allowed to leave port without wireless operators aboard. It looks as though the wireless men have created a peculiar situation, and they have planned the strike well. As soon as the word "strike" was flashed by wireless by the heads of the association every operator shut off his machine and "turned in," and all have refused to touch the machines since.

Virtually no wireless messages are being received from vessels sent out from Seattle provided with non-union operators and representatives of the local telegraphers' union attribute this to the incompetency of the men who have been drafted into service to fill the places of the striking wireless operators. The steamship Chicago was tied up for three hours at Seattle yesterday before a man could be obtained to operate the wireless apparatus, and other vessels are leaving port behind schedule time.

Word received here is to the effect that the strike situation in San Francisco is becoming acute. Search for amateur operators to take the place of strikers on outgoing vessels is being made by the Marconi company. President S. J. Koenekamp, who is handling the situation for the strikers

In San Francisco, declares that steamships are being thrown off their schedules and that the wireless company will soon have to submit to the demand for higher pay made by the men. He also says that union men have been offered from \$50 to \$100 a trip to work until the strike is settled on account of the dearth of operators. Many operators are quitting daily at San Francisco and at other ports along the coast, according to Koenekamp.

FAIR WEEK IS AHEAD IN PORT'S SHIPPING

During the next week six liners are due to berth at the outer docks, including the following: Volunia, British tramp steamer, on Sunday to discharge 500 tons of nitrate at the Victoria Chemical Works. Awa Maru, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, on Tuesday outward bound for the Orient with a big cargo. Empress of India, C. P. R. fleet, on Wednesday, for Oriental ports. Sado Maru, Nippon line, on Thursday from Hongkong and Yokohama. Proteus, Blue Funnel line, on Friday from Liverpool via the Far East. Sithonia, Hamburg-American line, on Saturday, from European ports via the Orient.

REDUCE RATES ON WHEAT AND FLOUR

Trans-Pacific Lines Operating Out of Victoria Agree to Lower Their Quotations

All trans-Pacific steamship companies operating vessels out of Victoria have agreed upon reductions of freight rates on flour and wheat from North Pacific ports to Japan, China and Manila. Representatives of the different companies, after a lengthy conference, have decided to make substantial drops in their quotations. The new rates will come into effect on June 1 and will remain in force until August 15, to encourage shipments during the dull season and to enable North America flour and wheat merchants to compete with Australian dealers in the Oriental trade.

The reductions are, to Japan, from \$4.50 a ton to \$3; to China, from \$5.50 to \$4; to Manila, from \$5 to \$4. The companies agreeing to the reduction are Frank Waterhouse & Company, the Blue Funnel line, the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, the Osaka Shosen Kaisha and the Canadian Pacific Steamship Company.

The reductions meet the requests of the millers, who have been withholding bookings after June 1 because, they said, the rates were too high.

Slack Season is Coming. At this season of the year the shipment of wheat and flour across the Pacific generally shows signs of falling off. The high rates and the fact that Australian cereals can be shipped at the Oriental markets more quickly and much more cheaply cause millers on this side of the Pacific to withhold their shipments. The act of the steamship companies in reducing their rates will result in a continuation of the wheat and flour shipments to the Orient. The companies will not lose anything by dropping their rates.

RAIL SHIP PASSES UP FOR PORT MANN

Strathtay With 7,000 Tons of Steel, Being Taken to Fraser River by Capt. Whiteley

With a cargo of steel rails from Sydney, Cape Breton, for Port Mann, the freighter Strathtay, of the "Strath" fleet, called off the outer docks early this morning to pick up a Victoria pilot, who will take her as far as the Fraser river. Capt. Whiteley boarded the steamship to pilot her up the Gulf, owing to the fact that the river navigator could not make this port in time to connect with the rail vessel.

The Strathtay was 76 days coming around the Horn from Sydney. She had fair weather on the voyage, and made good steaming time. When the Strathtay passed here she was despatched in her holds are over 7,000 tons of rails, which will be laid throughout British Columbia over which the great transcontinental trains of the Canadian Northern railway will pass. The rails carried by the Strathtay will stretch over many miles of sleepers.

Other Boats Are Following. The Canadian Northern has chartered several vessels to bring rails around from the Eastern steel centre, and during the coming months huge cargoes will be en route to Port Mann.

The Norwegian steamship Heracles, Capt. Berg, is now bound for this coast, having left Sydney several days ago. Much steel is to be laid in the province this year by the Canadian Northern, and the cargoes although very large, will soon be scattered over the roadbed.

BARQUE IN ROADS AFTER LONG TRIP

Jordanhill Towed to Anchorage by Lorne; Forty-Eight Days Coming From Kakhuli

WILL BE HAULED OUT FOR CLEANING AND PAINTING

Four-Master Meets Calms and Heavy Weather; Schooner Aloha is Awaiting Crew

Completing an exceptionally long passage from the Hawaiian Islands the British four-masted barque Jordanhill was towed into the Royal Roads late this afternoon. The big windjammer was 48 days on the passage from Kakhuli, a port in the Hawaiian group, and encountered a series of calms and some adverse heavy weather. She will lie in the Roads for several days discharging ballast. Arrangements are to be made for docking the ship at this port, and it may be a week before she is able to proceed to Vancouver to load a lumber cargo.

The four-master passed in at Cape Flattery yesterday morning, but she was not sighted by a tug until late in the day. She reached Port Angeles some time last night, and this morning the tug Lorne crossed the Strait and placed a hawser aboard the British barque.

It was expected at first that the Jordanhill would be placed in the Esquimalt drydock, but owing to the fact that the Lord Derby is on the stocks there this plan has to be abandoned. The B. C. Marine Railway ways are also in use, the Princess Sophia, being hauled out for repairs. There are prospects that arrangements will be completed with the Victoria Machinery Depot to have their slip placed at the disposal of the windjammer. If the Jordanhill is hauled out in the upper harbor she will be the first sailer to use that slip for a number of years.

Aloha in Roads. The American schooner Aloha, Capt. Peterson, is now at anchor in the Royal Roads awaiting for the boarding houses to place a crew aboard her. The four-master was brought here by the tug Lorne early this morning from New Westminster, where she loaded nearly a million feet of lumber for Sydney, N. S. W. The Aloha will probably get away at the beginning of the week on her long jaunt to the Antipodes.

Almost any time the British barque Rowena, Capt. Williams, should show up off the coast. She is now out 76 days from Carrizal Chile.

Several other windjammers are also en route up the coast for the Royal Roads.

LAUNCH NEW FLYER AT SEATTLE TO-DAY

Tacoma, 20-Knot Steamer, Takes Water From Sound Shipyards

Seattle, May 3.—So nearly complete that she will be in commission within three weeks after her launching, the new steel passenger steamship Tacoma was sent down the ways into Elliott bay at the Seattle Construction & Drydock Company's plant at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The 225-foot, 20-knot steamer was christened by Miss Florence Lister, of Tacoma, daughter of the governor of the state.

Five hundred Tacoma visitors came by special steamer to attend the launching, in addition to the large list of prominent Seattleites invited by President J. V. Patterson, of the Seattle Construction & Drydock Company. The Tacoma Commercial Club had charge of the excursion from that city, which came on the steamer Indianapolis, furnished for the occasion by the Puget Sound Navigation Company, for whom the Tacoma is building.

The vessel launched to-day is to run between Seattle and Tacoma in the regular service of the owning company.

May Beat Victoria. The Tacoma is to have her trial trips very shortly, and it is expected that the speedy little vessel will easily develop 20 knots. Some expert that she will wrest the speed laurels from the C. P. R. flyer Princess Victoria.

ATLANTIC LINERS MOVEMENTS.

The White Star liner Laurant reached Quebec this morning with a record list of 1,700 passengers for Canada.

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"We'd just got out into the North Sea and the prospects were for a good run across. Our luck was to change and we weren't long in finding it out either. The wind swept down over that stretch of water and kicked up the wildest sea I've ever seen. We had quite a bit of sail on at the time and I was on my feet when the sea was into the night when the storm struck us, and I sent word below for the starboard watch to tumble out and lend the port watch a hand in getting her snug. The fellows up aloft had a fierce time all right. The ship was rolling and throwing herself into the great sea, and the men held all they could do to keep their feet in the foot ropes.

"We got the tops' in, but my mate's proved a tartar. Twice we had it all but fast and it blew away from us. While getting it in the third time one of the seamen lost his footing. In his descent to the deck he managed to grab hold of a stray packet. Several of the fellows tried to hoist him up, but he lost his grip before we could do much with him. He fell to the deck and struck his head, breaking his neck. In falling the seaman was turned completely over by the force of the wind. I was on my feet when the sea was into the night when the storm struck us, and I sent word below for the starboard watch to tumble out and lend the port watch a hand in getting her snug. The fellows up aloft had a fierce time all right. The ship was rolling and throwing herself into the great sea, and the men held all they could do to keep their feet in the foot ropes.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 2, San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer J. B. Stetson, Rainier; steamer Pleiades, San Francisco. Sailed: Schooner Glendale, Coos Bay; steamer Helele, Gray's Harbor; steamer Pleiades, New York.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor; steamer Buckman, Seattle; German steamer Adorna, Taitai; steamer Yosemite, Astoria; steamers Peru and Pennsylvania, Ancon. Sailed: Steamer Henry T. Scott, Everett; steamers Rhelle and Roanoke, Astoria; steamer Adeline Smith, Coos Bay; steamer Daisy Gadsby, Gray's Harbor; steamer Avalon, Raymond; schooner Esther Buhne, Coquille River; schooner Honolulu, Hanai.

Aberdeen, Wash.—Arrived: Steamers San Jacinto and Columbia, San Francisco. Sailed: Shoshone, San Francisco; steamer Robert Seales, Honolulu.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Panama Maru, Yokohama; steamer Titan, Seattle; steamer Alameda, Seattle.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Gas schooner Della, Neatucca; steamer Bear, San Francisco; steamer Tahoe, San Francisco. Sailed: Schooner Irene, San Pedro; tanker Maverick, California; steamer George W. Elder, San Francisco and San Pedro; steamer Beaver, San Pedro; steamer Inqua, Seattle and Tacoma; tank steamer W. F. Herrin, California; steamer Multnomah, San Francisco.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Alameda, Southwestern Alaska; steamer City of Puebla, San Francisco. Sailed: Steamer Alameda, Tacoma; steamer Governor, San Francisco; steamer Northland, Southeastern Alaska; steamer Leelanaw, Skagway via Comox; steamer Graywood, Eagle Harbor; steamer Titan, Tacoma; steamer City of Puebla, Puget Sound ports.

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NORTHBOUND.		SOUTHBOUND	
No. 1 (No. 3)	Leve.	No. 2 (No. 4)	Leve.
9 a.m.	15.30	10 a.m.	15.30
10.24	15.56	10.24	15.56
10.30	17.	10.30	17.
10.45	17.15	10.45	17.15
10.57	17.27	10.57	17.27
11.10	17.40	11.10	17.40
11.45	18.10	11.45	18.10
12.07	18.35	12.07	18.35
12.45	19.20	12.45	19.20
12.55	19.35	12.55	19.35
1.20	19.55	1.20	19.55

Effective May 1st, a daily, except Sunday, service will be in operation between Wellington and Port Alberni, 9 a. m. train from Victoria making through connections. Tickets on sale half an hour before train's departure, at B. & N. ticket offices, Store Street, Phone 1094.

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Travel.

Arthur Leonard Kitching, On the Backwaters of the Nile; Count Hans Von Koenigsmarek, German Staff Officer in India, tr. by R. H. Oakley Williams; David Livingstone, Missionary Travels; Mrs. Alfred Sidgwick, Home Life in Germany; Baldwin Spencer and Francis James Gillen, Across Australia; Sir Donald Mackenzie Wallace, Russia.

History.

Oscar Browning, History of the Modern World; Walter Wybergh How and Henry Devenish Leigh, History of Rome to the Death of Caesar; William Morgan Shuster, Strangling of Persia.

Philosophy.

Antoninus Marcus Aurelius, trans. by George Long; Luther Burbank, Training of the Human Plant; F. J. Cross, Character and Empire-Building; Walter Walsh, Moral Damage of War; Christopher West, Canada and Sea Power.

Religion.

Reginald John Campbell, Christianity and the Social Order; Mary Baker Glover Eddy, Christian Healing and the People's Idea of God, also Christian Science vs. Pantheism, No and Yes, Retrospection and Introspection, Rudimental Divine Science, Unity of Good; Frederick William Farrar, Life of Lives.

Social Science.

Mary Elizabeth Burroughs, (Roberts) Coolidge, Why Women Are So; Franklin Henry Giddings, Readings in Descriptive and Historical Sociology; Grace Duffield Goodwin, Anti-Suffrage, Ten Good Reasons; Donald Lowrie, My Life in Prison; Edwin Clyde Robbins (editor), Selected articles on reciprocity.

Natural Science.

S. Leonard Bastin, Wonders of Plant Life; Bruno H. Burgel, Astronomy for All; Fred. H. Colvin and Walter Lee Cheney, Machine-shop Arithmetic; Jean Henri Fabre, Social Life of the Insect World; Gene Stratton Porter, Moths of the Limberlost.

The loss occasioned by smoke in Pittsburgh alone amounts to \$1,000,000 annually.

**BOOST FOR VICTORIA
IN LONDON WEEKLY**

Editor Who Has Travelled
Through Canada Writes in
Eloquent Praise of City

The following appreciation of Victoria appeared in the great British weekly—Lloyd's News, and is from the pen of Leo Scheff, a well-known London editor:

Victoria, the capital of British Columbia, has been dubbed "The City Beautiful." Adorned with handsome buildings and lovely parks and garlanded in flower gardens, it has well earned this sobriquet, and it may be recalled that the present King and Queen declared it as the most beautiful city they had seen in their trip round the world. Yet Victoria is not merely, as its title might suggest, a place of many charms and endearments, in which to loll away an idle life. Once, no doubt, it had a reputation of being "slow going." That reputation is vanishing before the irresistible onward sweep of a new era, as Mr. McGaffey, of the Island Development League, told me, the slow going days are over, and the figures thoroughly confirm his optimism. As a matter of fact, Victoria is the largest shipping port of Vancouver Island on which it is situated, and a place of great importance on Western commerce. Shortly five great transcontinental railway systems will be making it their furthest west terminals. As a seaport, Victoria has the best of all guarantees of future greatness—proximity to the ocean, absence of fog, and security of vessels in port, to say nothing of safe and easy sailing to Pacific waters. The harbor improvements now being carried out by the Dominion government are an indication that the government enterprise is joining with natural advantages in assuring the future of this important city. So far as attractiveness to settlers, and particularly British settlers, goes, Victoria has nothing to fear by comparison with any other Canadian city. For one thing, the environment has the note of familiarity that comes of the presence of many men from the old country. Victoria is a very English city, and for all its far western setting, the Englishman in it feels at home. Add to that the elements of natural beauty, delightful suburbs, admirable educational facilities, and splendid climate, and one begins to realize the advantages that Victoria has to offer. Among the agricultural colleges, mention should be made of that for gentlemen, known as Hallburton, Victoria, under the superintendence of Miss Bainbridge Smith. Instruction is here given in dairy, poultry, bee-keeping and gardening.

Perkins Bull, K. G. of Toronto and London, England, was touring the West, inspecting his interests, when interest was felt locally at the announcement that Mr. Bull had made arrangements to stock an intensive farm at Cobble Hill—thirty-five miles out of Victoria.

At the exhibitions then being held were pedigreed live stock from his farms at Brampton, near Toronto, about 2,000 miles away, where he owns the largest herd of pure-bred Jerseys in the British Empire.

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Many Volumes Make Their Appearance at Public Library; Titles

The Victoria Public Library is steadily adding to the complement of books on its shelves, and owing to the interest which is taken by all library subscribers in the literature which is being catalogued there day by day, the Daily Times will publish every Saturday a list of the new books which arrive during the course of each week.

The following have recently been added:

Fiction.

Florence Barclay, Upas Tree; Rene Basin, Davidae Bivot; John Joyce Bell, Oh Christina; Enoch Arnold Bettifett, Teresa of Walling street; Robert Hugh Benson, King's Achievement; Harold Bindloss, Ranching for Sylvia; Arthur Murray Chisholm, Precious Waters; Holman Day, Red Lane; Warwick Deeping, House of Spies; Ethel M. Dell, Knave of Diamonds; Zona Gale, Christmas; Henry Rider Haggard, Child of the Storm; Sarah Orne Jewett, Country of the Pointed Firs, Deephaven and Country Doctor; Marian Keith, Duncan Polite; Clara Elizabeth Laughlin, Penny Philanthropist; Charles Lee, Widow Woman; William Lequeux, Mystery of Nine; Jack London, Night Born and also 'The Madness of John Harner'; When the World Was Young, The Benefit of Doubt, Winged Blackmail, Bunches of Knuckles, War, Under Deck Awning, To Kill a Man, The Mexican; Isabel Eccleston Mackay, House of Windows; Dell H. Munser, Wind Before the Dawn; Kathleen Norris, Poor Dear Margaret Kirby; Alfred Ollivant, Royal Road; Gilbert Parker, Judgment House; Martin Redfield, My Love and I; Molly Elliot Seawell, Fortunes of Pifi; Virna Sheard, Man at Lone Lake; Patrick Augustus Sheehan, My New Curate; Henry de Vere Stacpoole, Street of the Flute Player, also A Story of Ancient Greece; Caroline Abbott Stanley, Master of The Oaks; James Stephen, Charwoman's Daughter; Ruth McEnery Stuart, Sonny; Mrs. Humphrey Ward, Eleanor.

Literature.

Enoch Arnold Bennett, Honeymoon; Hugh Black, Happiness; Donald A. Fraser, Pebbles and Sheila, also Poems by the Author; John Galworthy, Edible Son; Wilfred Wilson Gibson, Daily Bread, in three books.

Biography.

Arthur Penrhyn Stanley, Life of Correspondance of Thomas Arnold, D. D.; Hugo Blummer, Home Life of the Ancient Greeks, tr. from the Ger-

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SPORTING NEWS

BEAVERS' SENSATIONAL FINISH TAKES FOURTH GAME OF SERIES

Bees Fielded Loosely, While Smith Was No Puzzle; Seven Runs in Tenth Inning; Score 12 to 5

After playing brilliant ball in the field for the entire week, the Bees booted yesterday's game away to the Beavers, six errors and sixteen hits accounting for twelve runs in the tenning battle that was staged at the ball park. The count stood five to one for the Victoria club at the end of the second inning and with Smith performing nicely, the odds were ten to one that the Bees would pull out ahead. However, the fans did not look for such a cluster of errors as was booked for yesterday's contest, Smith kept the hits scattered well enough, but the infield pulled off a number of errors which allowed Vancouver to tie the score, the elongated slab artist blowing completely in the tenth, the Beavers bunched five hits and a couple of errors for seven runs.

Of course the Beavers did hit that ball when they once got started, but the Bees were also jamming away at the pill, and Dawson was lucky to get away with what he did. However, the Chemainus moist ball artist had his juicy delivery working nicely, and he had the edge on Smith when it came to keeping the Bees off the sacks. On three occasions did the Vancouver club have three men on, but the needed hit was not forthcoming, and Victoria staggered through until the ninth with Vancouver one in arrears. In the first half of the ninth Kippert doubled, stole second and scored on McMurdos' single to right. Scharney opened the tenth by lining one to Lamb, Konnick following with a single. Brinker, batting for Dawson, singled, Konnick scoring. Hester and Kipper singled, Lamb contributed an error, Walsh hammered out a safe hit, scoring in all seven runs. Scharney ended the agony by popping to Rawlings, Rawlings singled in the last half of the tenth, but Kippert retired both Brooks and Meek on long drives to left field.

"Pep" Was Missing. Not only did the Bees baffle a number of easy chances, but they did not display the same pep in the field that they have shown since their return home. Pop flies went for base hits that a little stretching would have converted into easy out, and the team did not seem to possess that old batting spirit that was evident earlier during the week. Smith pitched well enough to win, but he did not receive the support in the field. Fred Weed was missing from right field, Melchior doing duty in that garden. The new outer gardener ripped off a nice single in the first that counted for a brace of runs and handled himself as a finished ball player. Johnny Rawlings again led the Bees with the stick, drawing a couple of walks and getting two nice singles. Feltz' speed enabled him to beat out a couple of infield taps, and he picked one drive off his shoe tops in the fourth that prevented a couple of scores. It was a poor performance, however, and while cold weather may

BEAVERS PILED UP SEVEN RUNS IN EXTRA INNING

Kippert is fattening his batting average at the expense of the Victoria twirlers. He drove out four clean hits yesterday, stole a base, tied the score in the ninth and took care of six long drives up against the left field fence, Mike Lynch banging three out to Kippert. Walsh was another troublesome gentleman, his homer in the third with Frisk on first driving in a brace of runs, while he scored three himself and got three timely hits.

Table with columns: A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. for Vancouver and Victoria players.

How We Stand. Results: Vancouver, 12; Victoria, 5; Seattle, 10; Spokane, 5; Portland, 2; Tacoma, 1. Standing: G. W. L. Pct. Win Loss. Vancouver ... 12 11 4 .728 79 688. Seattle ... 13 10 7 .588 611 689. Spokane ... 15 9 8 .529 556 500. Tacoma ... 18 8 10 .444 474 621. Portland ... 19 6 9 .400 438 375. Victoria ... 18 12 5 .333 368 316.

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LIPTON RAISES EVERY OBJECTION

Gotham Yacht Club Cannot Now Refuse Challenge; Public Opinion Back of Baron

Sir Thomas Lipton, perennial cup hunter, is coming to see America again with his yacht, Shamrock IV. He wants the America's cup so badly that he has waived every objection raised in opposition, so as to force the New York Yacht Club into a contest, says a United States paper. Lipton has three times tried with 86-footers. He says such a yacht cannot be built in England and cross the ocean "on her own bottom," as she must, and still have any chance to win the cup.

Brothers in Baseball. The O'Rourke twins—Tom and Pat. Members of the Beacon Hill Ball Club for the past three seasons. They are both crack amateurs and well known in local sporting circles.

Team Strengthened. English Poloists Sail for New York Next Week. London, May 3.—Although the loss of Walter Buckmaster from the English team is regarded as a great misfortune in some quarters, there seems to be a growing idea that the team will really be strengthened by the substitution of Capt. Lockett.

KAUFMAN LOSES TO COLTS IN HARD GAME AT TACOMA

Table with columns: A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. for Kaufman and Tacoma players.

Toronto Tourney A Money Maker Pure and Simple. Not content with providing a 14-foot ring for the Canadian boxing championships, the Amateur Union, it is alleged, allowed open betting on the bouts that were pulled off at Toronto recently.

Clabby Fought Clever Battle Getting a Draw. Denver, Col., May 3.—Eddie McGoorty, of Oshkosh, Wis., and Jimmy Clabby, of Hammond, Ind., claimants of the middleweight championship, fought ten rounds to a draw here last night before the Denver A. C. There were no knockdowns and the decision of Referee Pollock was well received by the spectators.

Seattle Wound Up Strong and Beat Spokane. Seattle—A.B.R.H.P.O.A.E. Shaw, 2 b. ... 4 2 1 1 2 1. Nil, 2 b. ... 4 2 2 1 3 0. Wilson, r. f. ... 2 1 1 2 1 0. Cadman, c. ... 2 0 2 2 1 0. Jackson, 1 b. ... 0 1 7 0 0. Strat, l. f. ... 4 2 1 3 0 0. Killiam, c. f. ... 4 1 1 2 0 0. Raymond, s. s. ... 4 1 1 3 2 0. Schneider, p. ... 0 0 0 0 0 0. Dell, p. ... 4 1 3 0 1 0. Totals ... 35 10 13 27 10 12.

WOLGAST AND DUNDEE

Los Angeles, Cal., May 3.—Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, and Johnny Dundee, the New York featherweight, will box twenty rounds at Vesper arena on the night of June 3, if Wolgast accepts an offer for such a match made him yesterday. Dundee expressed a desire to meet Wolgast after his manager, Scotty Montie, had seen the former champion in action with Harlem Tommy Murphy at San Francisco.

Billiard Star Bankrupt. Sydney G. Grey, the boy wonder among English billiard players, has filed an insolvency schedule in consequence of the judgment given against him a few days ago when George Roberts, the father of English billiards, for the recovery of several thousand pounds. Grey's assets are declared at \$44 and his liabilities \$11,557, which is a deficiency of \$11,513.

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GOLFERS COMING

New York, May 3.—Harry Vardon—a name on every golfing lip—and Edward Bay, two of the leading golfers of England, will be sent to America by Lord Northcliffe, of England, to compete in the open golf championship battle at Brookline, Mass., September 21.

NATOOSE RETURNS. The yacht Natoose, owned and sailed by Captain Gilbert P. Ashe, of Albert Head, vice-commodore of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, completed a cruise of Puget Sound ports on Thursday evening.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Beavers Gain Big Lead on Victoria Series. It is going to take the Northwestern League teams all their time to overhaul the Vancouver ball club, and Bob Brown's pennant chances look particularly bright on the running start that his club has made at the expense of the Victoria and Portland clubs. In fifteen league fixtures, the Beavers have been defeated but four times and while there are yet some 140 games to play, the Terminal City nine look as good a choice for the pennant as there is in the Fielder Jones circuit. Brown has gathered together a mighty tribe of sluggers, any one of whom is liable to break up a game, while in addition he has a nifty bunch of slab artists. His team as a fielding aggregation does not compare with Victoria, but he is getting results and figures that offensive strength in three-quarters of the battle and he is about right. Lynch's Laruppers have not yet struck their stride, though the team is hitting well. The pitchers lack condition and in only one game this week, did Lynch leave a twirler in to go the entire route.

AS SEEN FROM THE PRESS BOX

Brown only kidded along until the tenth. Slim Smith was anything but slim with his hits. Bees lost their sting because of the chilly breeze. Dode Brinker filled the roll of pinch hitter very acceptably, banging out a clean single, also scoring a run, Brown



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ENCOURAGE EMIGRANTS

Reynolds' Weekly Will Establish Demonstration Farm in Canada

Here is a novel stroke of newspaper enterprise:

Reynolds' Newspaper, of London, which is advocating the emigration of Britons of crowded London to Western Canada, has purchased 400 acres of land near Castor, and will demonstrate the possibilities of farming in Alberta.

The deal for the land was consummated in Calgary by Mrs. Hamar Jackson, well known London writer, representing the newspaper and the land department of the Canadian Pacific.

Mrs. Jackson has taken over the property at Castor. She expects to go to Edmonton shortly to consult with Hon. Duncan Marshall, minister of agriculture, and later, with the experts in the employ of the department of natural resources of the C. P. R. as to the best methods of development.

Mrs. Jackson is enthusiastic over her newspaper experiments. "London, as you know, has a population of 5,000,000," she said. "At least 1,000,000 of these are not wanted, and are anxious indeed to better their conditions. But they do not know how to go about it, and it is the mission of my paper to put before them details of this country, where they can make a decent living, and are not under the necessity of living from hand to mouth."

Help Emigrant Pay His Way. "Everyone knows that the working classes of Great Britain are the most thriftest classes in the world. That is not their fault, but the fault of the conditions which govern their lives, from which it is difficult for them to escape. Living from day to day, as these people do, they have no money to pay their passage to Canada, and it would seem advisable for the government of Canada, which wants population badly, to do something in the way of assisting intending immigrants to Canada."

"Now the Australian government has very lately adopted the most energetic measures to induce immigration to the Commonwealth. For \$15 it will carry its immigrants to Australia, while it costs two or three times that amount to bring immigrants to Canada, which is so much nearer."

"Lately the Australian government has bought ground and is erecting handsome buildings in the very business heart of London, at the cost of several million dollars, how much I would be afraid to say."

Each Man's Value in Money. "If Canada desires the immigrants it should make some arrangement whereby those who cannot afford the expensive trip would be assisted to come out here. An economist recently placed the value of a new immigrant to a country at £200, and Canada, therefore, adds to her capital account with every new arrival the sum of \$1,000."

"In a recent article in Reynolds the advantages of Canada were outlined and free passages offered to Reynolds' readers. In reply to that one article 2,000 letters were received, and 600 taken under consideration, showing in some little way the desire of old country people to emigrate to this country."

Mrs. Hamar Jackson showed some of the articles from her pen in various publications, all of which indicated careful thought in describing the conditions in different parts of Canada. There had been many inquiries as a result of these descriptions of life here, as Reynolds' Newspaper, which is a weekly, has a circulation of about one million, and reaches the class of readers which is most likely to emigrate.

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SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

CHANGES MADE IN BALL TEAM BEAVERS SLUGGING THE SPHERE

Weed and Steele for Moose Jaw; Visitors Batting at .350
Clip; New Twirler Coming

Important changes have been made in the line-up of the Victoria Baseball Club, and with a couple of right-handed twirlers coming from the Coast League early next week, the Bees should more than break even with the Tacoma Club, that will be the guests of the Bees at the Royal Athletic Park all next week. Fred Weed, the veteran right fielder of the locals, has been sold to the Moose Jaw club as playing manager, while Bobby Steele will be with the Bees again, and may be recalled, should he show the form expected of him in the Western Canada league.

Another Twirler. President Watelet closed this morning with a twirler from the Sacramento Club, and expects to land another in a few days. Another outfielder may possibly be purchased to bolster up the Bees fielding strength. Bob Brown will take over thirteen players to Seattle this afternoon, while Watelet will have twelve in his party. It is expected that Pitcher Hardin will join the Bees at Seattle, and

Lynch hopes to use him, providing, of course, that his ankle is better once more. A winning pitcher just now, would make the Bees look like a championship club.

Great Team Batting. Vancouver is carrying seven twirlers and Brown will make a couple of changes in his club before he squares away to the season's marathon. Just how the Beavers are betting the ball may be taken from the following. They have been at bat 199 times, have scored 54 runs and registered exactly seventy safe blows, an average of .451. Kippert leads the budgeon swinging with an average of .650, while Johnny Rawlings is hitting .526. The slugging has been something terrific during the past week, but Brown says that his team will bat over .300 on both the Seattle and Victoria grounds, where the fences are more to the liking of the heavy hitting Beavers.

Wilson was to start to-day, but Lynch was not sure who would finish, while Kantlehner and Schultz are to work at Seattle to-morrow. Narveson and Burrell are under Dr. Bourret's care at Tacoma, and both hope to be in the game before many weeks have elapsed. Tony Walsh is hitting the ball on the nose this week; in fact, every member of the Vancouver team is boosting his batting average at the expense of the Victoria hurriers.

WORLD'S RECORD FOR SCHOOL BOY

220 Yard Marked Shattered at Interscholastic Meet; Track Vouched For

State College, Louisiana, May 2.—World's sprinting records were smashed in the inter-scholastic track meet here yesterday by Robinson, the speedy schoolboy from Mercedesburg Academy. In the first heat of the 100-yard dash his time was 9 3-5 seconds, equalling the world's record for the distance in any kind of competition. In the final heat he ran it in 9 4-5, equalling the scholastic record for the distance. His most remarkable performance, however, was in the 220-yard dash, when the stop-watches caught his time at 20 4-5 seconds, two-fifths of a second faster than any previous record.

The track was carefully surveyed after the race, and found to be full length.

NORTHWESTERN STARS MAKING GOOD FOR BOSTON

Boston, Mass., May 2.—Big Bill James, of Seattle, is the pitching sensation of the National League. "Muggsy" McGraw, of New York, is still kicking himself for handing his option on this young giant over to the Boston Nationals last fall.

James, magnificently supported by his former Seattle teammate, Bert Whaling, triumphed over the great Philadelphia club in one of the most exciting and stubborn extra-inning battles of the year. The final score was 2 to 1.

As in the recent game with Brooklyn, when James made a reputation by remarkable nerve and pitching in the twelve-inning game he won by a score of 1 to 0, the young giant aroused great enthusiasm and admiration by his bulldog grit and aggressive spirit. Boston has won only three games this season, and two of them now stand credited to James, the former king of the Northwestern League.

Leslie Mann, former centrefielder of the Seattle team of last season, was in the lineup for Boston yesterday, playing centrefield. Mann was drafted from Seattle last fall by Buffalo, of the International League.

President Gaffney has been sparing no expense to strengthen the Boston club. Bill James, Bert Whaling, Rex Devout, Lucien Gervais, Cecil Thompson and Hal Myers, all members of the Boston Nationals played with, of against Mann out west last season.

ENTERTAIN TOURISTS.
Edmonton Makes Royal Preparations for Australian Visit.

Edmonton, Alta., May 3.—Officers of the Edmonton Cricket League, which will entertain the Australians on their visit here, June 3 and 4, will open their season Saturday, May 3, with seven clubs, as follows: Wanderers, 19th Alberta Dragoons, North Edmonton, Edmonton, Hudson's Bay, Strathcona and Radials. The Caledonians and the Radials resigned, as they were unable to get sufficient material for strong clubs.

President Weaver is leaving nothing undone to open the season under the most favorable auspices, and it is expected the match will be largely attended.

It is thought that the visit of "the Cornstalks" will place the game on a much firmer basis and make competition keener in the championship series.



JOE TINKER
New manager of the Reds, watching his pitchers warm up.

BIG LEAGUE SCORE BOARD

NATIONAL.
Philadelphia, 4; New York 3.
Pittsburg, 5; St. Louis, 4.
Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 1.
Chicago, 4; Cincinnati, 1.

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	12	5	.725
Philadelphia	7	4	.636
New York	5	6	.454
Brooklyn	5	7	.417
Pittsburg	3	8	.269
St. Louis	3	8	.269
Boston	4	10	.286
Cincinnati	3	10	.231

AMERICAN.
Washington, 5; Boston, 4.
Philadelphia, 5; New York, 5.
Chicago, 2; Detroit, 1.
Cleveland, 9; St. Louis, 2.

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	12	5	.725
Cleveland	12	5	.706
Washington	9	4	.692
Chicago	12	3	.800
Boston	7	9	.438
St. Louis	8	11	.421
Detroit	2	12	.143
New York	2	13	.133

PACIFIC COAST.
San Francisco, 15; Sacramento, 1.
Portland, 14; Venice, 4.
Oakland, 5; Los Angeles, 1.

Standing	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	11	11	.500
Oakland	15	5	.692
Venice	15	5	.692
Sacramento	12	14	.462
San Francisco	12	17	.413
Portland	11	18	.383

INTERNATIONAL.
Toronto; 2; Baltimore, 3.

OFF ON HOLIDAY

W. N. Lentefy, one of the best known rod and gun devotees of the capital, is now on his way to the Old Country for a three months' holiday tour.

The league has asked the city council for a grant of \$1,000, to be used in entertaining the visitors from Australia, and A. H. Petch reports that a substantial donation will be made by the municipality. Committees have been appointed to handle the details.

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BRITAIN'S NAVY OF THE FUTURE

Looking Into the Future
Years; the Fleet in
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ALL BATTLESHIPS WITH 13.5 OR BIGGER GUNS

The naval correspondent of the London Chronicle writes: Mr. Churchill's statement upon the navy estimates was a triumphant vindication of Admiralty policy, and should serve to confute many hostile critics, both those who are in conflict in the battle of the standard and those who assume to advise the Admiralty on its general policy and even to prepare skeleton estimates for the education of the government and their lordships.

Mr. Churchill showed that we lead in the matter of ship types, and may count with something like certainty on being ahead of our competitors in this matter, besides possessing greater financial staying power. But he stakes nothing on a possible consent by Germany to a pause in naval construction. He could scarcely do so in view of the fact that the German shipbuilding programme is a legal enactment. France, too, has given legal sanction to the programme introduced by Admiral Boue de Lapeyriere, and Russia, Austria-Hungary and Italy have continuous programmes.

Those who know well the hidden springs of German naval expansion know that the object is not aggressive, but that the leaders of German naval thought desire nothing but friendly relations with this country. There may be, of course, contingencies of the future which may provoke the clash of arms, and then the fleets that are being built may unhappily be called upon to fulfil the functions for which they are calculated.

This is the reason for Mr. Churchill's resolve, and the resolve of his colleagues in the government and the Admiralty, that our supremacy must admit of no question. That policy is being carried out consistently which he outlined last March and again in July. The 60 per cent superiority is of a temporary nature only, and as the dreadnoughts pass away the percentage of superiority will increase. Still more, looking forward to the year 1920, when the German programme will reach its fruition, we are to be placed in a dominating position of superiority in vessels of the latter type. The Admiralty decline in that year to reckon in the first line any British ship which mounts no bigger gun than the 13.5 in. The dreadnought herself, the Bellerophon, St. Vincent, the Neptune, Hercules, Colossus, and the Invincibles and Indefatigables, including the New Zealand and the Australia, all go off the list. Such is the rapid and extraordinary obsolescence of naval type. By this elimination we shall be left with 20 ships, from the Orion and Lion onward, including the four ships of 1912-13. To these by the programme of five ships this year, and four ships in each of the four following years, the Admiralty will add 21, making a total of 41, and this figure will not include the Malaya or the ships contemplated to be built for Canada.

Taking contemporary types in Germany, Mr. Churchill eliminates the four Nassaus, four Heigolands and the and the battle-cruisers Von der Tann, Moltke and Goeben, whereby Germany is left with 12 ships, with 12 dreadnoughts, to which her programme will add 12 more. Thus the net result will be to give Germany 24 big ships to the British 41, and as Mr. Churchill observes, if we add four Malay and Canadian ships we shall not be far from attaining a two to one standard.

Imperial Patrol Squadron. But the First Lord does not propose to use the four ships, supposing them to be completed, in that way. They will be external to the standard, and with the New Zealand will constitute the beginning of an Imperial Patrol Squadron. For this arrangement the consent of the governments concerned will, of course, be required. But the idea is a great one. The withdrawal of vessels from foreign stations is inevitable and wise as it was at the time, had the disadvantage of leaving distant seas unvisited by vessels flying the British flag, which was discouraging to our mercantile communities in foreign places and not conducive to the imperial idea.

One great merit of the policy is its characteristic continuity. We know for six years ahead what is to be done in the way of shipbuilding, if no change in the policy of other Powers should occur. This continuity extends to the personnel, which is expanding regularly to meet the needs and in accordance with changing conditions. Many supposed that Sir Reginald Custance's committee would recommend great changes in the system of naval education, but nothing of the kind is the case. Service in the engine room is regarded as being as honorable as service on the bridge.

It is most gratifying that promotion from the lower deck is now regarded as an integral part of the system, and that the cost of naval education is to be reduced. Moreover the admission of officers from the Royal Naval Reserve is to be based on a well-considered scheme.

Satisfactory Aerial Programme. The First Lord's statement on the subject of aeroplanes and airships was entirely satisfactory, and those persons who have been presenting large and unreasonable demands to the government will be silenced. The air service is yet in its infancy, but the progress has been remarkable, and the country may certainly depend upon the naval wing of the Royal Flying Corps to do all that the navy requires. By July we shall have 75 naval flying machines and 75 pilots, and within a year we shall have over a hundred—the aeroplanes will carry guns and have



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wireless telegraphy. Two non-rigid airships have been bought, and British builders are to construct others of the long-range rigid type. But there is to be no haste, which could only conduce to waste and extravagance. We have already had experience in the development of a rigid type of airship. The French naval air service is, perhaps, more highly organized than ours, but both are at their very beginning, and we shall not be left behind. The Germans have made comparatively little progress with the naval aeroplane, and their sole advantage is in the development of a rigid type of airship. There is no room for any decision at what is being done in this country. The naval and military services together are this year spending about £250,000 on aerial navigation, and the courage and skill of officers is beyond praise.

Manifestly the proposals of the Admiralty are great and organic. There are at least 300 years of her naval traditions behind the board, which fact should be a rebuke to the malcontents, but the Admiralty are always in the forefront of modern developments, and have earned the full confidence of the nation.—Daily Chronicle.

"WAR IS OUTWORN" SAYS ALFRED NOYES

Famous English Poet and
Peace Advocate Talks on His
Favorite Theme in New York

OLD FIGHTING SPIRIT HAS NO PLACE TO-DAY

Tells Peace Society of British
Sea Fighter's Epitome of
Modern Spirit

"Before the world was God!" This watchword of Frobenius's sailors facing the unknown that they called the "ocean seas" and later echoed from masthead to masthead in the forlorn hope of an English fleet that hung on the flanks of the Spanish Armada was contrasted recently by Alfred Noyes, English poet and peace advocate, with the spirit of modern battle. Mr. Noyes was speaking before the New York Peace Society at the Hotel Astor, where Andrew Carnegie, president of the society, had introduced him as the young university man who had dared to go to London and attempt to "earn his living by writing verse."

In contrast to the spirit that served the fighting arms of the half savage and tattered English seamen who ended Spain's hopes, Mr. Noyes related a talk he had had with the captain of one of England's crack sea fighters of to-day. They had talked, he said, of what would happen "if the worst came to the worst," and of what the watchword of England's men at death grapple with other fighting men would be, and the English captain of the "modern murder machine" had said:

"After all, if the worst does come to the worst, there is nothing at all that really matters, you know."

Just that difference Mr. Noyes held proved that war is outworn. Once it had some virtues to redeem it. There

was something to be said, the poet admitted, for the primeval struggle of man against man, for the sublime ideals of knightly chivalry that began "a war within war" and for the kind of warfare exemplified by Sir Richard Grenville, who, believing that Spain and Satan were one and the same, said he'd rather blow up his ship and "fall into the hands of God" than be taken by the Spaniards.

But the square jawed, close cropped, clean cut young man, who looks more like a fighter than a poet himself, insisted that this spirit is dead, and has given place to a gamble and the "nothing matters" cry. And for this reason he said:

"Frobenius's men in their tatters were stronger than our twenty-mile battle line in spite of appearance. 'The machinery of war,' he said, 'lost the utility it had when it lost the vitality of the watchword of the Elizabethan seamen.' He told in this connection of 'a great imperialist' who when word came of how British soldiers had thrown their lives away for an ideal in a desert battle said, 'That's what I called damned nonsense.'"

"Such glorious 'damned nonsense,'" said Mr. Noyes, "has no place in modern armaments."

Mr. Noyes described the situation existing in England and Europe this way: "We in England are all agreed that we are strengthening our armaments because other nations are strengthening theirs, and the other nations say they are doing so because we are. Every one asserts honestly that it desires to stop the other will only be slain."

So long as the nations were involved in this "vicious circle" it was useless, said Mr. Noyes, to even dream of solving social problems. England and Europe, he said, kept pouring millions on millions into the "bottomless pit of war armament" while in England there are "hopeless armies of the unemployed, with less promise of food and shelter than the foxes or the birds of the air," and Europe, the Europe that "couldn't afford even a paper's grave for Mozart," saw its great hospitals perpetually on the verge of bankruptcy.

And yet, he said, the nations of Europe sat on "around the great green table" gambling for peace and raising and raising the stake in ships and men, hoping that the game would never end, since the end meant war.

"If there could be any good or gain in 'Oh, God, let the war begin,'" and he added:

"Man must find a way out or nature will. One way or the other, and it must; all the laws of nature demand it."

One thing that works to hold back peace, Mr. Noyes said, is the "hypnotized admiration" with which the "millions in rags" watch the players about the great green table. The thrill that goes with the drums and the crowd marching regiment—these and other like things proved, he said, that the crowd watching Power X raise Power X ten more dreadnoughts thinks it still hears the cry: "Before the world was God!"

Mr. Noyes believes that "the treadmill can only be stopped by a hand outside," and quoted Sir Edward Grey that "unless public opinion can rise to the height of discussing it as a great world movement the substitution of law for force cannot be carried out." He said that this help from outside must come from the United States, and added:

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that while he had introduced to New York audiences "some worldwide characters, known and admired in all lands," it had never before been his fortune to introduce that "rare towering prodigy, a poet, one who carries in his heart and brain and can produce the magic contained in words." After telling how Mr. Noyes "made up his mind to earn his living by writing verse," Mr. Carnegie said:

"This was inevitable—great poets are born, not made, and nobly born richness is for them the path of glory." There was a big laugh when he added: "I used to scribble verses myself!"

AN ANTI-SUFFRAGE PARROT.
A parrot owned by William Griffiths, Hall street, Llangollen, whose ability to speak fluently both in English and Welsh has rendered it famous in the locality, has been "interviewed" by a Daily Chronicle correspondent who writes:

"I was accompanied by a Welsh-speaking friend, and we found Polly in anything but high feather; in fact, she was mouthing, and presented an uncanny appearance.

"What of the suffragettes, Polly?" What of the suffragettes, Polly? exclaimed my friend, in Welsh. The effect was startling. 'No votes! No votes!' screamed Polly, jumping about her perch in perfect frenzy.

"When my friend attempted to placate her by saying, soothingly, 'But, Polly, they are ladies,' the bird completely lost control of itself. 'No votes! No votes! Who struck Lloyd George?' it shrieked.

"As we took our hats and prepared to leave Polly exclaimed in English. 'No votes! Who struck Lloyd George? Welsh, Lloyd George forever, Go away! Go away!'"—London Chronicle.

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CONTESTS ARE KEEN AT THE HORSE SHOW

Splendid Fight for Four-Foot Jump; Vancouver Took Event

ATTENDANCE COMPLETELY FILLS ACCOMMODATION

Honors Evenly Divided Between Vancouver and Victoria; Two Falls at Hurdles

That the Victoria Horse Show is the finest of the year, and in fact of many years in the Northwestern portion of America, became more and more evident as the contests continued yesterday and the superb animals, the pick of the western half of the continent, showed their paces. New horses appeared in every class and the repeaters were such because of their magnificent quality. Society had another gay night, the directors' box being full practically all evening. Millinery and cloaks of most attractive hues and patterns in the latest tasteful styles were everywhere in evidence. The attendance was much larger than on opening night and what the big building will do with the Saturday night throng is yet to be solved. Splendid accommodation has been accorded so far, although every inch of sitting room was taken last night.

A Cloze Event.

A feature of the day's events was the four-foot jump, in which the competition was so keen and the entries so numerous that it took two hours for the judges to reach their decision. Even then it was necessary to raise the jump six inches before making the award. No fewer than 27 horses faced the jumps, the largest number of entries that ever appeared in this event in America. The final decision was given to Miss Mabel French, of Vancouver, on her favorite hunter Schweitzer. The hunter was a wonderful piece of horse-flesh and was superbly ridden. Indian Maid, belonging to E. McAvoy, of Victoria, was a second so close as to be hardly distinguishable in merit.

Great interest is also being taken in the high jump for Saturday night, the last event on the whole programme. Count de Roaldes and Count de Charance of Calgary are determined that their entry will beat the record of 7 feet 3 inches, made by Credentia here last year, and J. McMillan, of Vancouver, in Rob Roy has an entry which he expects to give the Calgary jumper a warm contest.

A Young Rider.

The five-foot jump last night was won by Rob Roy in strong competition. One or two thrilling incidents lent excitement to this event. Bertie Henderson, the eleven-year-old son of E. Henderson, bestrode Warwick Lily, a mare altogether too large for him to handle, and on his second jump he was thrown and fell beneath the horse's hoofs. One hoof grazed his nose and caused it to bleed profusely, to the agitation of the women in the audience, and one or two other bruises were sustained as the mare dragged her hoofs across his prostrate body. Fortunately no serious injury was inflicted, as discovered at the Jubilee hospital, where he was rushed immediately.

This boy is the youngest member of any hunt club in Canada and is known as a plucky rider. This is the first throw he ever received on a jump and he cried bitterly at his disgrace, feeling far more keenly about that than his hurts. The officials of the show warned Mr. Henderson that the boy was too small to grip so large an animal but the owner persisted in sending him on.

Clever Act.

Babu, the Sikh trainer of the officers' polo ponies, was also thrown by his mount in this event. The horse did not rise to the jumps properly and in trying to lift his mount across the far hurdle Babu threw himself over the animal's neck. He succeeded in clinging to the bridle and lighting on his back in the soft shavings in such a way as to prevent the horse from going over him. It was a very clever piece of work and he came up smiling none the worse for the incident, although the hearts of many people in the crowd went either to their owners' mouths or boots according to disposition.

It was necessary for the master of ceremonies to caution the crowd against shouting encouragement to the horses at the jumps in this event also, as one or two riders found that the shouts interfered with their managements of their mounts, who were inclined to jump too soon when people in the audience would shout "Up."

Evenly Divided.

Bouquets were presented to the lady winners in most instances yesterday, the courteous ring master proving himself a veritable Beau Brummel by the elaborate and graceful ceremony he made of the occasions.

Honors were remarkably evenly divided among the owners in yesterday's events. E. Laidlaw, of Victoria, and Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae, of Vancouver, were probably the leading winners, although E. McAvoy and R. S. Howe and E. Henderson all made creditable showings.

Yesterday's Results.

Class 9, standard bred mares, 3 years old and over—1, Myrtle Mae, Dixie H. Ross & Co.; 2, Missie Thrush, Stanley Park stables, Vancouver; 3, W. J. Cavannah, Vancouver.

Class 13, hackney stallions, 1 year old—1, Radiant Junior, J. A. Russell, Vancouver.

Class 11, Hackney stallions, 3 years old and over—1, Brigham Radiant, Colony Farm, Coquitlam; 2, Foronut A. Laidlaw; 3, Craigmere Peer, Colony Farm.

Class 14, hackney mares, 3 years old and over—1, Lady Galore, D. C. McGregor, Vancouver; 2, Spice Box, J. A. Russell, Vancouver; 3, Lady Mathias, A. Laidlaw.

Class 16, thoroughbred stallions, 3 years old and over—1, Gay Boy, D. A. Campbell; 2, Spalding, H. M. Fullerton.

Class 15, thoroughbred stallions, 1 year old—1, Mill Stone, E. Henderson.

Class 18, thoroughbred mares, 2 years old and over—1, Barn, D. A. Campbell; 2, Bellflower, A. Laidlaw; 3, Florence S. E. McAvoy.

Class 20, thoroughbred mares, 2 years old and under—1, Divorcee, D. A. Campbell; 2, Ellen Terry, E. Henderson.

Class 37, pair of carriage horses, novice—1, Warwick Jane and Warwick Adrian, D. C. McGregor, Vancouver.

Class 42, saddle ponies—1, Gold Dust, C. W. McAllister; 2, Indian Maid, E. McAvoy; 3, Beauty, Miss Dola Danemuir.

Class 43, Victoria, single—1, Hila Dean, A. Laidlaw; 2, Emyln Empress, S. L. Howe; 3, Cook Robin, Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae.

Class 63, Shetland ponies, saddle—1, Lemon Drop, Miss Goner; 2, Eclipse, Miss Henderson; 3, Prince, Miss Pettigill.

Class 30, Liberty rig, single—1, Missie Thrush, Stanley Park stables; 2, Billy L. Tait; 3, Babe, L. L. Cupfill.

Class 50, high stepper, pony—1, Little Prudence, J. Russell, Vancouver; 2, H. Wadell, Victoria; 3, Gold Dust, Mrs. C. W. McAllister.

Class 53, combination horse—1, Rosalind, A. Laidlaw; 2, Briar, Robert Kelly, Vancouver; 3, Carry Owen, Frederick Lewis, Vancouver.

Class 56, saddle horses, novice—1, County Girl, F. B. Pemberton; 2, Warwick Lily, E. Henderson; 3, Staller, R. Kelly, Vancouver.

Class 38, carriage horse, novice—1, Sunrise, Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Vancouver; 2, Emyln Empress, S. L. Howe; 3, Filigrane Surprise, S. L. Howe, Vancouver.

Class 64, polo ponies—1, Surprise, Dr. S. C. Richards, Victoria; 2, Snowstorm, Count de Roaldes and Count de Powell.

Class 73, officers' chargers—1, F. B. Warren, Victoria.

Class 78, 4-foot jump—1, Schweitzer, Miss Mabel French, Vancouver; 2, Indian Maid, E. McAvoy, Victoria; 3, Kildare, Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Vancouver.

TEACHERS RECEIVE THEIR CERTIFICATES

St. John Ambulance Association Awards Distributed by Chairman of Board

Certificates were presented last evening at the George Jay school to teachers who took part in the classes conducted on behalf of the St. John Ambulance Association recently.

Dr. Donald referred to the assistance given to the work of the local council by the civic authorities.

It was announced during the evening that the headquarters committee of the association in England had sent parchment votes of thanks to A. J. Dallan, David Brown and Rev. E. G. Miller for assistance rendered to the work.

A number of presentations from pupils to the instructing medical men were then made, and George Jay, chairman of the school board, presented the certificates.

Certificates Are Awarded.

The following is a list of those who received certificates in first aid (instructed by Dr. Eric Perkins, examined by Dr. Scott-Moncrieff): Mrs. M. T. Wheeler and Mrs. Cody Johnson, Misses Arnes N. Anderson, Kathleen Andrews, Elizabeth A. F. Barron, Isabel F. Barron, Marion Blankenbach, Frances A. Brown, Mildred M. Brown, Isabel Cathcart, May Clarke, May Croft, Edith Dalby, Kate Ford, Clementine German, Mabel German, Margaret H. German, C. Lena Harris, Anna E. Hendry, Alice Johnston, Ida Keast, Christina Long, Ellen MacMurray, Margaret O'Rourke, Kathleen Orr, Jenny Polver, Gertrude L. Preston, Sarah A. Robinson, Marion Russell, Louise Sylvester, Evelyn Van Treight, Fanny Whyte and Mary Williams.

Under the instructions of surgeon lecturer, Dr. A. E. Hudson, surgeon examiner, Dr. Scott Moncrieff, the following received certificates: John C. Anthony, Harry W. Brown, Earl W. Clarke, Jeffrey E. Cunningham, Vernon Crockett, John H. Davy, Ernest Fairry, Herbert Graves, Wallace Jenkins, John A. MacDonald, Arthur W. Marston, Joseph P. Murray, Robert E. N. Nash, George P. Salloway, Hugh R. Selke, Hugh F. Skelton, David J. Thomas, William J. Wilbey, Harry H. Woolson.

Under the instructions of surgeon lecturer, Dr. L. F. Houghton, and surgeon examiner, Dr. Scott Moncrieff, the following received certificates: Mrs. Gardner, Mrs. Helms, Mrs. Lena Mackenzie, Mrs. Dumbleton, Misses Evelyn B. Bate, Jean M. Duncan, Jennie Freeman, V. Hardie, J. S. Johnson, Mary Lucas, S. Mercer, Myrtle Morrison, S. J. Murtan, M. A. Bernice Pope, Margaret Shaw Somerville, and Violet Sweet.

A certificate for Home Nursing, under instructions of surgeon lecturer, Dr. David Donald, and surgeon examiner, Dr. Scott Moncrieff, was awarded to Mrs. Lena Mackenzie.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 3—4 a. m.—The barometer is low over Northern British Columbia, and cool, cloudy weather is general throughout the Pacific slope. Mild, showery weather is also general in the prairie provinces and extends southward to the Mississippi valley.

Forecasts
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Sunday. Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong westerly and southerly winds, cloudy and cool, with showers, chiefly at night.
Lower Mainland—Southerly and westerly winds, cloudy and cool, with showers at night.

Reports
Victoria—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 12 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.36; temperature, 46; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.62; temperature, 32; minimum, 20; wind, 8 miles N. W.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, 6 miles N.; rain, .16; weather, cloudy.
Victoria Daily Weather Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

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REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

The following regimental orders have been issued by Lt.-Col. A. W. Currie, commanding the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A.:

Headquarters, Victoria, B. C.
1. Enlisted.—The following men having been duly attested, are taken on the strength from the date specified: No. 227, Gnr. Dallas Cowper, April 29; No. 67, Gnr. J. M. G. Bell, April 29; No. 69, Gnr. Charlie W. Reid, April 29; No. 60, Gnr. H. L. Breaker, April 29; No. 73, Gnr. Reginald G. Payne, April 29; No. 74, Gnr. Frederick Prothero, April 29; No. 125, Gnr. John W. Lewis, April 29; No. 333, Gnr. L. C. Willis, April 29.

2. Regimental Numbers.—The following transfer of regimental numbers in No. 1 company will take effect from this date:

No. 10 Act. Ed.-Sgt. G. Anderson, will assume No. 302; No. 98, Gnr. J. Watson, will assume No. 308; No. 97, Gnr. A. E. Greenwood, will assume No. 351; No. 98, Gnr. W. J. Watson, will assume No. 332; No. 331, Gnr. J. F. Cochenour, will assume No. 97; No. 332, Gnr. E. F. Hill, will assume No. 98; No. 333, Gnr. J. C. Orr, will assume No. 10; No. 334, Gnr. A. E. Morris, will assume No. 47; No. 335, Gnr. J. R. Denholm, will assume No. 86.

3. Signalling.—A school of signalling having been authorized, is in progress every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 o'clock p. m., at which Kingston certificates may be obtained. All signallers in the regiment are required to attend.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

C. O'Brien, of Vancouver, is staying in the city for a short time.

B. E. Buell and Mrs. Buell, of Seattle, have arrived in the city.

F. S. Harris, of Seattle, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

W. G. Nightingale, of Toronto, is making a brief visit to the city.

William Robins, of Walkerville, is registered at the Empress hotel.

C. W. Downer, of London, England, is making a brief stay in the city.

Miss A. M. Awed, of Montreal, a well

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known business woman of that city, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

J. E. Corbett, of Seattle, is visiting in the city.

William Brooks, of Calgary, has arrived in the city.

P. Dalziel, of Toronto, is making a short stay in the city.

Samuel Jones, of Seattle, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Ex-Mayor A. E. Flanta, of Nanaimo, is in the city on business.

G. H. Hadwen, of Duncan, is staying in the city on a brief visit.

Thomas Davis, of London, is registered at the Empress hotel.

H. W. Porter, of San Diego, is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. John E. Hogarty, of New York, arrived in the city yesterday.

John R. Greenfield, of Vancouver, is making a short stay in the city.

C. B. Stahlschmidt, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Robert Reid, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

D. H. Robertson, of San Francisco, is registered at the Empress hotel.

R. R. McCrea, of Vancouver, registered at the Empress hotel yesterday.

Thomas D. Morrill and Mrs. Morrill, of Duluth, are guests at the Empress hotel.

A. M. Sinclair registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday from Vancouver.

Charles Packertis and Mrs. Packertis are guests at the Dominion hotel from Seattle.

H. H. Hilton and Mrs. Hilton, of Winnipeg, are among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

W. D. Holland, Mrs. Holland and Master Frank Holland are in the city from Vancouver.

G. P. Lowe and Mrs. Lowe registered at the Dominion hotel yesterday from Napa, Cal.

J. H. Lee, of Blairmore, Alta., arrived in the city yesterday and went to the Dominion hotel.

J. O. J. Thomas is in the city on

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I once knew a young girl who was so devoted to her mother that she was held up as an example to all the other girls in the town; but when she fell in love and married as girls will do, she seemed to transfer all her devotion to her husband. The little mother was left out in the cold and was given only the barest crusts of time and affection left over from the feast.

This phase lasted for two years. Then the baby came and immediately all the devotion was transferred to him. She became as indifferent toward her husband as she had been toward her mother. Even when a competent nurse had been secured, she was unwilling to go out with her husband when he talked to her of his interests which she had once delighted in sharing, she listened with vacant eyes—she was wondering if she had sterilized the bottles properly, or if she had not better put another blanket on the baby.

Needless to say, while her husband had condoned the indifference and neglect with which his wife treated her mother, he was astonished and indignant at this second change.

Now the world is a big place, and our lives are complex things, and the normal human being ought to have room for a great many interests and affections at once. To concentrate on a single interest and affection is narrow and short-sighted. Unless that woman learns to take an interest in something besides her child she is storing up misery for herself and her family.

Besides the people who can have but

business from Ladysmith, and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Dr. M. A. Miller is at the Ritz hotel from Seattle.

Miss Lawson is at the Ritz hotel from Calgary.

Miss McPherson is at the Ritz hotel from Cobble Hill.

J. D. Paxton, of Kamloops, is staying at the Ritz hotel.

Mrs. B. Bennett is at the Strathcona hotel from Seattle.

Mrs. H. R. Poole, of Duncan, is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

J. Sutcliffe, of Vancouver, is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

A. L. Charlesworth, of Crofton, is staying at the Ritz hotel.

A. S. Granett is a guest at the Strathcona hotel from Vancouver.

Edward E. Allen, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, is registered at the Ritz hotel.

Mrs. Eardley Wilnot, of Shawanigan Lake, is registered at the Ritz hotel.

George Slater and Mrs. Slater are guests at the Ritz hotel from Nanaimo.

Thomas A. Hawes is registered at the Strathcona hotel from San Francisco.

Dr. Karl Welas, Dr. E. E. Redlich and W. J. Briggs, of Vancouver, came over to the capital yesterday.

H. Milne, of Edmonton, arrived in the city on business yesterday, and registered at the Dominion hotel.

E. J. Palmer, manager of the Victoria Lumber Company's big plant at Chemainus, was in the city yesterday.

Leonard Slocombe and Edwin Slocombe left yesterday by the Northern Pacific for a trip to Aberdeen, Wash.

Australian visitors in the capital for a short time include Mr. and Mrs. Waddell, who are guests at the Ritz hotel.

E. A. Harris, H. P. Heming and C. de B. Green left yesterday by the Northern Pacific for a short business trip to Spokane.

Completing a trip from Toronto, W. F. Smith came to the city yesterday. He is among those staying at the Strathcona hotel.

Among those who are in the city from Tacoma is Miss Lillian Walters, who arrived yesterday and registered at the Ritz hotel.

H. B. Martin and Mrs. Martin are spending a short time in the city from San Jose, Cal. They are guests at the Strathcona hotel.

Franklin B. Killingsworth, Mrs. Killingsworth and Master Harold Killingsworth are guests at the Strathcona hotel from San Diego, Cal.

California visitors in the capital at present include J. T. Merritt and Mrs. Merritt. They arrived yesterday from Santa Paula, and are registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Dr. and Mrs. Humber have returned to Victoria after a three months' trip to Eastern Canada, where they visited friends and relatives. They also visited many points of interest in the United States.

Miss Edith Walker gave a luncheon at the Empress hotel Thursday in honor of her sister, Miss Olive Walker, who leaves shortly for Seattle. Those entertained were Miss Olive Walker, Mrs. Stanley Anderson, Mrs. Le Roy Williams and the hostess' mother, Mrs. J. W. Walker, of Saanichton.

one affection at a time, there are those who are capable of only one idea. In this class are the enthusiasts who believe that some single change in our way of living would make us all perfectly well. One is absolutely sure that we would all live to be a hundred if we would only chew each mouthful of food forty or fifty times. Another is just as positive that the only thing necessary for perfect health is to sleep out doors. Still another goes about proving to his own satisfaction that all human ills are caused by wearing tight clothes.

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could only have the minimum wage or the single tax, they tell us, the millenium would come at once.

If you hold a penny close enough to your eye you can shut out the sun, but that does not mean that the penny is bigger than the sun. If you hold some one idea or affection very close to your heart you can shut out a whole worldful of other ideas and affections, but that does not mean that the one idea or affection, however good, is more important than all the rest together.

A sense of perspective is a thing a great many people seem to need.

Ruth Cameron

THE AUTOMOBILE IN AND AROUND VICTORIA

BUSINESS SHOWS A STEADY GAIN

Garages Report Conditions Are Improving After Slow Opening

MUCH REPAIR WORK OCCUPIES ATTENTION

Use of Trucks in Relief of Recent Dayton, Ohio, Catastrophe

PROBLEM OF TRADING SECOND-HAND CARS

The Detroit sales-manager of the Hup Motor Company, R. W. Neighbors, who spent three days in the city last week, is apparently justified in the enthusiasm which he has expressed over Victoria's future from a motor standpoint, as during the last few days Mr. Burman, manager of the Vancouver Island Motor Company, and local agent for the Hupmobile, has been doing a very fine business in cars. Two Hupmobiles have been delivered during the week, one going to Albert, the other to a purchaser at Nanaimo; a Hudson roadster has been sold to a Victoria purchaser, and a Hudson touring car to a buyer in Sidney; while an unusually promising turnover of second-hand cars has taken place during the past few days.

All these things testify to the interest which motor-users generally are taking in the latest factory outputs, while the stimulus which has been given to the garage and repair departments has taxed the men employed in this branch of the firm's work to the utmost, new men having been added to the staff during the past few days. The new 1914 Peerless which is en route from the factory will be on view in the course of a few days, and is certain to prove an attraction to would-be buyers, while two of the carload of Chase trucks just received at the salesroom are being delivered to purchasers in the city in the next few days.

Mr. Neighbors, who was making his first visit to the Coast cities of this province, spent a day in Vancouver looking over the business prospects here. Although originally intending to spend only the same time here, he was so charmed with this city that he remained three days, during which he waxed enthusiastic over Victoria's scenic charms.

Messrs. Plimley.

Plimley's report the arrival of the new Haver's six. The car is equipped with all modern conveniences, and makes one of the most luxurious and easiest riding cars on the market today. The engine is six-cylinder 55 horse-power, and is as near silent as it is possible to make a car.

Another new arrival is the Overland 55 horse-power, fitted with electric starter and lights. The model is very attractive, being finished in dark green and of the torpedo type.

Two Grammm trucks have arrived, and they, like the pleasure cars, have their 1913 improvements. The Grammm Truck Company is the largest exclusive motor truck company in the world, and has made nothing but commercial cars for the past twelve years.

The demand for the Overland '30' during the past week has completely exhausted the large stock always carried on hand. Another shipment of this popular model will arrive to-day.

Davie & Head.

Basing his predictions on the present bright state of business, H. A. Davie, of Davie & Head, expresses the opinion that the coming summer will surpass former seasons in the extent to which the automobile will enter into the enjoyment of the warm months in the island. He has found business consistently bright and reports that the demand is increasing. During the past week his firm effected the sale of several machines which went to residents in the city and its district, and which will hereafter be a part of the ever-increasing number of automobiles which open up the beauties of the island to local owners. The number of inquiries has been growing as the weeks pass, and indicates the desire for information which is created by the intention of owning a car. Not only on these facts, but also on the fact that the call for repair has never been brisker does Mr. Davie build his expectation of a banner year for the automobile in this part of the province. The latter is taken to the part of owners to have their machines in complete readiness for the months which will invite all motorists to invade the numerous attractive spots of Vancouver Island.

Dominion Motor Car Co.

The value of the Packard motor truck was demonstrated in the recent Dayton catastrophe. The local agents,

the Dominion Motor Car Company, Ltd., state that the trucks were largely engaged in the relief work. Over 50 Packards have been employed in this class of work.

Motor trucks in one week removed over 1,000 dead animals and hundreds of tons of debris from the streets. In addition they delivered provisions and supplies for more than 100,000 people from the Fifth street station of the Pennsylvania railroad to relief stations in all parts of the city. It was one of the most remarkable opportunities ever witnessed for comparing old methods of hauling with new. Each truck was capable of removing an average of 50 horses per day, while with a team and wagon the best record was five trips with two horses to the load. At that, it was necessary to use a truck to load the wagon in order to avoid serious delay. The trucks made a round trip, including loading and unloading, each hour.

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and this dealer knows that he is taking no risk, as he has had it all pieced and knows its actual state, else he would not back it.

AUTO JOTTINGS.

A motor truck was built complete recently by prison labor at Sing Sing.

Missing or popping back into the carburetor at high speed is usually due to a weak mixture, the high speed adjustment of the carburetor being out. If the trouble is found to be not in the mixture, it is in the springs on the intake valves, which are so weak that at high speeds they cannot close the valves before the charge is ignited. Fitting new springs will eliminate the trouble.

So far as the speed and mileage-indicating instruments are concerned, the chief effort during the year has been toward better regulation of the speed indicator for changes in temperature. This has been accomplished in a number of ways, in which the thermostatic principle has been employed. The introduction of the gradometer to the speedometer is worthy of note, inasmuch as the later instrument permits the motorist to note the grade up or down which he is travelling.

One of the most drastic speed-limit bills which has yet appeared has been introduced in the Connecticut legislature. It provides not only that no vehicle, including electric cars, shall travel faster than thirty miles an hour in open country or twelve miles an hour within a city or borough, but that the driver and any occupant of such vehicle shall be liable to a fine of \$500, imprisonment for six months, or both, for violation of the act.

Take Hinton's Electric Launch to the Gorge. Only 25c. round trip. Starting Sunday, 4th May. See time table on Marine page.



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THE HIGHWAY IN THE SINCLAIR PASS. After leaving the Summit here the route drops down to the Kootenay River.

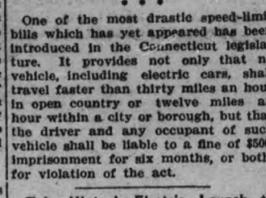
that when the work at present in progress is complete there will be a loop from Calgary via Banff, Columbia valley, and Crow's Nest of more than 800 miles, for the whole distance of which the Rockies will be in full view all the time.

With the completion of a road west to the Coast, as at present mapped out, and in places, actually under construction, some of the most beautiful and typical mountain scenery of the Rockies will be made accessible for the motorist both from the Coast cities and those of the Prairie.

EDUCATION IN DRIVING

Example of France Should Be Copied on Pacific Coast.

Most of the remedies advanced for the solution of the problem of lessening



A PRETTY SETTING. A corner of Uplands as a background for a Model 35 Studebaker.

ROCKIES IN VIEW FROM 800 MILE ROAD

Tourist May See Mountain Scenery From New Highway From Calgary

PART OF THE COURSE 5,000 FEET IN ALTITUDE

Hot Springs, Formerly Frequented by Indians, Lie 200 Feet Below

Although the new highway being constructed in the Sinclair section of the Bow river district will not be properly opened for traffic until 1914, work is progressing there so rapidly at the present time that Mr. Bell, the engineer in charge, expects to get the road practically all graded this year, this leaving nothing but the surfacing and completion to be done next year.

This year again the Canadian Pacific Railway is contributing half the cost of the work and it is the intention to have a thorough survey of the entire section made, so that, with the opening of the road, full information will be available regarding all points of interest with which access can be obtained through the numerous connecting valleys. As an engineering feat the road, which passes through some of the wildest and most typical mountain scenery of the Canadian Rockies, is a fine piece of work, the average grade of three and a half per cent. being only exceeded in one place for a short distance, despite the fact that, at its highest altitude, the highway reaches an elevation of five thousand feet. This altitude is found at the summit of Vermilion Pass, while a uniformly high altitude is maintained throughout the length of this section of the trans-Dominion highway.

At Castle mountain an elevation of 4,800 feet is found, while at Sinclair, the western terminal of the section, there is an elevation of 3,760 feet.

At Hot Springs.

The picture marked No. 1 shows the road on the side of the hill approaching the hot springs, which are about 200 feet below the level of the road. These hot springs, which were some years ago acquired by a small company in Victoria which intends, it is stated, to erect a hotel there, belong to the potassium class of natural springs and have such an unusually high temperature that it is necessary to let the water stand in the glass for some minutes to cool before attempting to

drink it. Unlike many of the medicinal and hot springs the water is quite odorless, being, in fact, exactly like ordinary water, both in taste and smell. If the virtuous qualities of the natural fountain were so well recognized a dozen decades ago as to attract the red Indian from his distant prairie home in such numbers that well-worn trails and camping-grounds still testify to his annual visit there in times gone by, there is little doubt but that their accessibility through the completion of the new road will bring hordes of white men to drink and recuperate at their brink in the years to come.

Canyon Bridged.

The road is built about four miles beyond the hot springs, leaving which it runs through a canyon walled in with precipitous cliffs from 200 to 300 feet in height. Owing to the nature of the ground, and in order to obtain a proper grade, the engineers have thrown a bridge across the waters which flow through the canyon, thus making a unique road as well as a beautiful natural portal to the mountains beyond.

Picture No. 2 is taken at a point a mile and a half beyond the canyon, and shows in the distance the main Vermilion range. From the point shown there is a three per cent. grade to the summit of the Sinclair Pass; this picture, like No. 3, looking eastward from a point beyond the hot springs.

The centre of picture No. 3 shows the Sinclair Pass, the road passing to the left of the mountain peak in the distance. After leaving the summit here the route drops down the east side of the Sinclair Pass to the Kootenay river, then, turning north, follows the Kootenay and Vermilion rivers between two mountain ranges as far as the provincial boundary, a distance of 70 miles. Here junction is made with the road being built by the Dominion government to Castle mountain.

Length of 800 Miles.

The section from Castle mountain to Banff is 30 miles in length, and consists, at present, of a fair wagon road. This year, however, the Dominion government has appropriated sufficient moneys to put the road in first-class condition for all sorts of traffic, so

will be dependable in his own country. He may listen patiently to all he is told about cars working well in the United States or Kamchaika, but to convince him of performances in his own land under the various conditions which he will have to meet when driving the car himself, is another thing.

"As the foreign purchasers were quick to grasp the adaptability of the American car to their needs, so were the American manufacturers quick to estimate the value of the foreign trade. It acts as an excellent balance wheel to American business, maintaining an average standard even through the winter months, when business in America is at low ebb.

"But the trade did not come easily for the Americans. They had to battle for it. The first obstacle which they encountered was a prejudice against Yankee goods. This had to be battered down. The demands of the people in foreign lands were high. They expected American low-priced cars to be as good, if not better than high-priced European products. It took time to show that the cars did not suffer from the comparisons, and with this point established, the American export business grew, and grew fast. To-day the man selling automobiles in Europe, Australia, South America or in the Orient is eager to secure the selling rights for an American car."

5,000,000 TIRES NEEDED.

The manufacturers this year are brought face to face with the striking problem of taking care of the biggest demand for tires of all descriptions that ever has been known in the history of the industry. Something like 5,000,000 pneumatics will be needed to shoe America's automobiles, and in addition there are about 50,000 motor trucks to be taken care of and a flock of motorcycles approximately 250,000 in number. This means that in order to keep all of these vehicles running, tire factories will be pushed to their utmost capacity.

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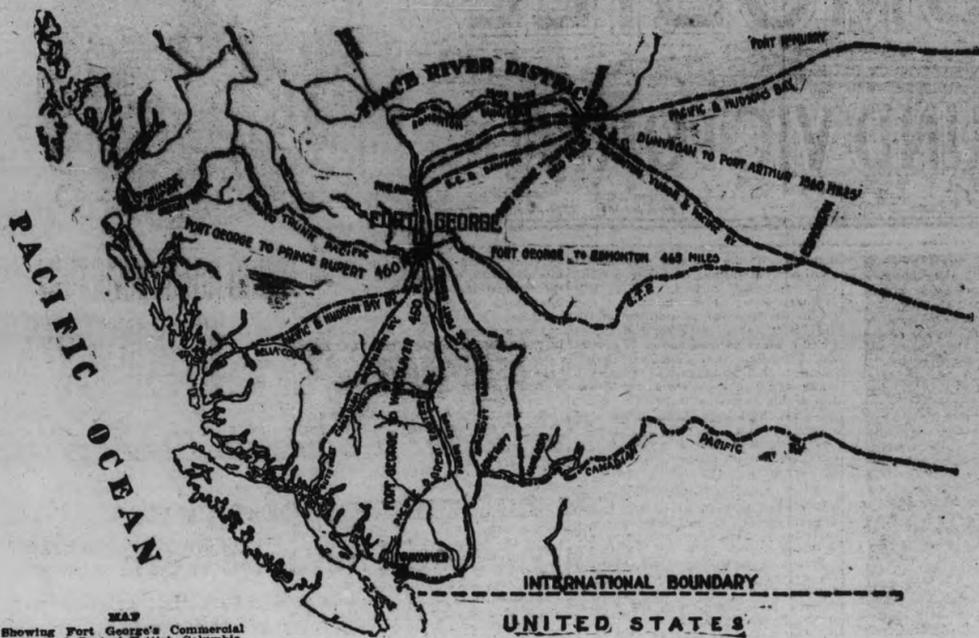
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MAP
Showing Fort George's Commercial Control of Central British Columbia, through its Railways and Waterways and its Strategic Position in Relation to the Peace River Country.

Table of Distances

Fort George to Vancouver	450 miles
" " " Prince Rupert	460 "
" " " Edmonton	465 "
" " " Dunvegan	320 "
Dunvegan to Edmonton	360 "
" " " Port Arthur	1560 "
" " " Vancouver	770 "
Fort George to northerly boundary of B. C.	550 "
Fort George to southern boundary of B. C.	450 "

Fort George—by distances as well as by location—is the natural wholesale jobbing point for the Peace River district. From the seaport base—Vancouver—it is only 450 miles. From Dunvegan, in the heart of the Peace River country, it is 320 miles, having an advantage of 40 miles over Edmonton. Edmonton is 1200 miles from its base—Port Arthur—and 360 miles from Dunvegan.

Some Facts for Vancouver to Ponder Over

Extracts from the speech of the Hon. J. K. Cornwall, M. P. P. for the Peace River District, reproduced from The Vancouver Sun of December 4, 1912:

"In the Peace River District are 57,000,000 acres of good farmland."

"By every law of commerce and nature the product of this vast acreage is bound to come to Vancouver."

"Climate is ideal and settlers are streaming into the district."

"Vancouver must be ready to handle billions of bushels of wheat from that rich territory and the prairies to the south."

"What is Vancouver doing to prepare for this vast trade of the future?"

\$25,000 a Day

Fort George Soon to Be the Busiest Railway Camp—Within Month Will Be Headquarters of 8,000 G. T. P. Workmen

5,000 Will Be Working East of Inland Capital, 3,000 West—In Addition, 2,000 Will Be Working South, on G. T. P.

(Vancouver Province, March 29, 1913)

Fort George, March 29.—Great activity is evidenced here in extensive preparations for making Fort George the largest railway construction camp known in British Columbia, the centre of mammoth development enterprise. Within a month, approximately 8,000 men will be working under the supervision of headquarters established here, busy completing the links of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railroad, the steel of which is now less than 80 miles away.

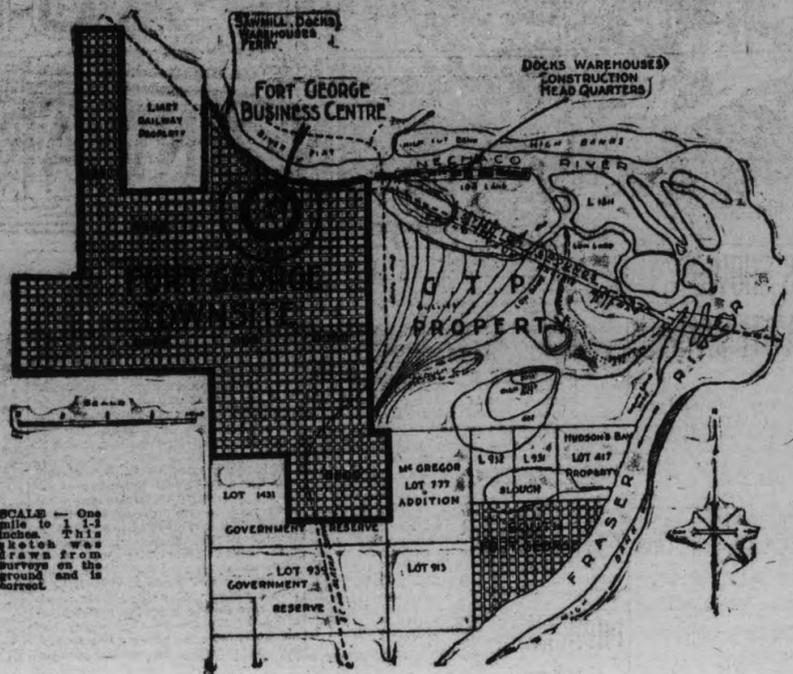
Five hundred scows are under construction between here and Tete Juane Cache for distribution of railway equipment, and thirteen gigantic steam shovel plants are being dismantled for shipment by water down the Fraser River to points where they will be utilized in the vigorous effort being made to complete rail construction into Fort George, by the latter part of August.

Five hundred tons of supplies are being forwarded each week for the workmen whose activities will be directed from the new headquarters which Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart and associated contractors are now establishing on the former Indian reserve adjoining the townsite on the east.

The contract for clearing the reserve has just been let to Messrs. Foley, Welch & Stewart, and preparations for this work are being made simultaneously with the erection of the new headquarters, pay offices and supply base for the contractors. To handle at Fort George the payroll estimated to exceed \$25,000 a day, additional banking facilities will be necessary, and part of this need is expected to be met by a new branch of the Bank of Ottawa.

TEN THOUSAND IN ALL

In addition to the 8000 men, 5000 working east of Fort George and the remainder on westward extensions; all engaged in Grand Trunk Pacific construction, 2000 other men soon will be working southward from the townsite on construction of the Pacific Great Eastern road. These men also will be under the supervision of headquarters at Fort George.



SCALE — One mile to 1-1/2 inches. This sketch was drawn from surveys on the ground and is correct.

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JOINT OWNERS AND SOLE AGENTS FOR FORT GEORGE TOWNSITE

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680 to 624 VANCOUVER BLOCK VANCOUVER, B.C., APRIL 1, 1913

TO FORT GEORGE PROPERTY OWNERS:

The permanent business centre of Fort George will always be located within the circle shown in the above sketch plan, or very close to it. If you will examine carefully the sketch plan above, which is absolutely correct and drawn to a scale of one mile to one and one-half inches, you will understand why the land adjoining the Indian Reservation on the west which is indicated on the sketch plan as Fort George Townsite, must be the very centre of Fort George's permanent and best retail business property.

Fort George Townsite is almost level—just enough slope for splendid drainage—and lies seventy feet above the water level, thus being immune from floods and overflow. On the other hand, if you will examine the topography of the Grand Trunk Pacific property, which formerly was the Indian Reservation, you will notice that it is cut up with sloughs, gullies and "hog backs." The northern part of the property, through which the railway line runs and where the divisional yards, shops, round houses, freight houses, etc., will be located, is principally low ground and must be filled in before it can be made available for any purpose. Sloughs and low ground cut up the property in other directions until the bench adjoining the Fort George Townsite is reached.

We have endeavored to show on this drawing the exact conditions prevailing at Fort George, without any intention of undervaluing the great value of the G. T. P. property which will be Fort George's railway and industrial annex. The high banks indicated opposite the Grand Trunk Pacific property on the north side of the Nechaco River, perfectly cut off access to the railway property from the great north country, and all the great traffic from the north, including the Peace River District, must come through Fort George Townsite. It will be noted that the Fraser and Nechaco Rivers throw the Grand Trunk Pacific property, and adjoining property to the south, into a peninsula. A portion of this peninsula is subject to overflow at high water.

Any intelligent individual who has observed development in towns and cities located on rivers, will undoubtedly remember that the best residential and business portion always seeks the high ground. The high ground is located in Fort George Townsite, where the present development is.

In the business centre, as indicated by the circle in the sketch, there is now the Post Office, two banks, two hotels, hospital, Board of Trade, two churches, school, telegraph and telephone office, newspaper, bakery and restaurants, and about twenty-five stores and business houses of various descriptions. To the west of the business centre is now located the residential portion. The inhabitants of Fort George number nearly one thousand at this writing, April 1st, 1913. Water transportation will open up on the Fraser and Nechaco Rivers about May 1st.

The removal to Fort George of the main construction headquarters and pay offices of the contractors, sub-contractors, etc., who are building the Grand Trunk Pacific Trans-continental Railway and the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, which is now being done, locating on the property adjoining Fort George Townsite, means a tremendous influx of population, not only transients, but permanent residents.

There will be business openings of all kinds, work for laborers, carpenters, bricklayers, openings for stores, sawmills, shanties and door factories, etc.

We can almost be assured that the population in and adjacent to Fort George by October 1st, 1913—six months from the present writing—will be between five and ten thousand people.

The pay-roll will amount to at least one million dollars per month. This money will be expended in Fort George and will mean the upbuilding of the place. We expect that the Grand Trunk Pacific will put their property on the market, or so much of it as they care to subdivide for townsite purposes, some time in the fall of 1913, but we can say with perfect assurance that while the Grand Trunk Pacific property is extremely valuable for warehouse purposes, for railway terminals and industrial sites, and the western portion for townsite purposes, we reiterate our belief that the best and highest priced retail business and residential property will be in the established town of Fort George, not in the railway and industrial addition which will be established on the Indian Reservation.

We have no hesitation in again assuring all property holders in Fort George Townsite of the confirmation of our ideas on this subject.

Truly yours,
For
NATURAL RESOURCES SECURITY CO., LTD.
W. H. HARRISON

PANAMA AND SOUTH AMERICA

OBSERVATIONS AND IMPRESSIONS

BY RIGHT HON. JAMES BRYCE

Ambassador from Great Britain to the United States



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VI.—CHILE—HOME OF THE "YANKEES OF SO. AMERICA"

A Most Strangely Formed Land in Which the Bulk of the Population Live in One Section, and Whose Hustling, Modern Ways Remind One of the Great Republic of the West.

(Continued from Tuesday's Edition.)

Except Egypt, there is not in the world a country so strangely formed as Chile.

Egypt is seven hundred miles long and nowhere save in the Delta more than twelve miles wide. Chile is nearly three thousand miles in length, nowhere more than one hundred and thirty miles wide and for most of her length much narrower. Even Norway, whose shape and sea-front best resemble those of Chile, has but fifteen hundred miles of coast and has, in her south part, two hundred and fifty miles of width.

Much of the Chilean territory is a barren desert; much that is not desert is in fact uninhabited. Over large tracts the population is extremely thin. Yet Chile is the most united and the most ardently national in sentiment among all the Spanish-American countries.

Nor is Chile any more singular in the shape of her territory than in her physical conditions also. On the east she is bounded all the way down to Magellan's Straits by the Cordillera of the Andes, the height of whose summits averages in the northern regions from fourteen to twenty thousand feet and in the southern from five to nine thousand, some few peaks exceeding these heights.

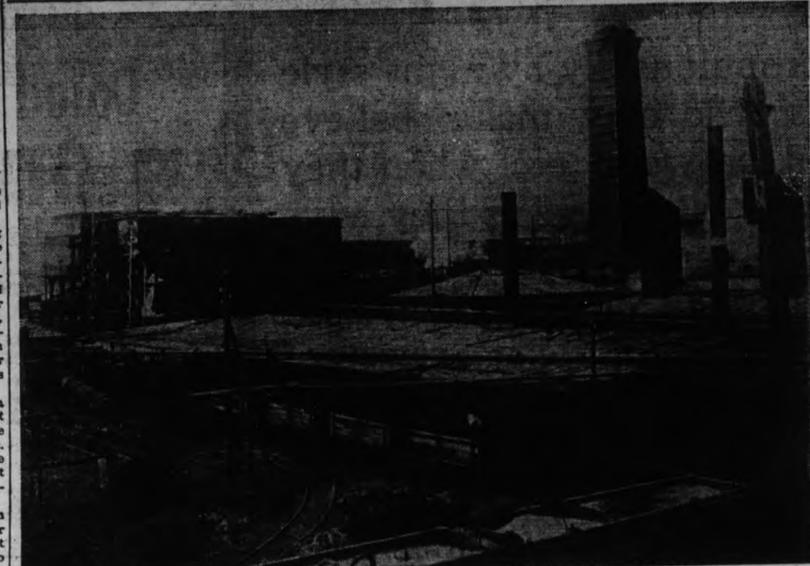
Parallel to the Cordillera, and geologically much older, there runs along the coast a range averaging from two to

and sent off for sale. The demand for it is said to be less than the supply.

The Nitrate Estates.

Each oficina—that is the name given to the places for the reduction and preparation of the mineral—is the centre of a larger or smaller nitrate estate, and the larger and more modern ones are equipped with houses for the managers and workpeople, each being a sort of village where the company supplies everything to the workpeople, who are mostly Chilean, sturdily built and of hardy Indian blood. In South America one sees plenty of isolated mining villages in deserts, but here a whole wide region unable to support human life is alive with an industrious population. These nitrate fields cover a very

long ago and swept it down into the Pacific. The nitrate fields are unmitigated desert, a region of low stony hills, dry and barren, not a shrub, not a blade of grass. Sources of fertility to other countries, they remain themselves forever sterile. All the water is brought down in pipes from the upper course of the Loa, the stream which rises on the



A TYPICAL NITRATE WORKS IN CHILE'S NITRATE FIELDS.

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ings with machinery and tall iron pipes show the officials where the rock is ground to powder, then washed and boiled, the liquid mass run off and drained and dried into a whitish powder, which is packed into sacks

large area in the northern provinces of Chile, but some districts in which the mineral is believed to exist are still imperfectly explored, and many in which it does exist show a comparatively poor stratum, so that it is not possible to estimate how much remains to be developed and the length of time it will take, at the present rate of production, to exhaust that amount. We were told, however, that so far as can be conjectured, the fields might (at the present rate) last nearly two centuries, before the end of which period much may happen in the field of scientific agriculture.

The Last of 150 Miles of Coastal Desert.

Between the nitrate fields and the sea there lies a strip of wholly unprofitable desert, traversed by that range of hills which rises from the coast all the way along the west side of Chile and Peru. Here the railway line forks, sending one branch to the port of Antofagasta, crushed in between the dreary, dusty hills and the rocky shore. Landing in the surf is often difficult and sometimes dangerous, but as the chief port of the southern nitrate country it receives a good deal of shipping.

Nearly five hundred miles further south are the towns of La Serena and Coquimbo, the former a quiet old Spanish city, placed back from the coast to be out of the way of the English and Dutch marauders, who were frequent and formidable visitors in these seas, after Sir Francis Drake had led the way in his famous voyage in 1578, when he sailed up and down the coast plundering towns and capturing ships.

Coquimbo is a new place, with a fairly good harbor, and thrives on the trade which the mines in its neighborhood assure to it. It is an arid land, yet here there begins to be some rain, and here, therefore, we felt that we were bidding farewell to the desert, which we had first struck at Payta (in Peru), fifteen hundred miles further north. Nevertheless there was little green upon the hills until we reached, next day, a far more important port, the commercial capital not only of Chile, but of all western South

America, and now the terminus of the transcontinental railway to Buenos Aires.

Chile's City of World Trade.

This is Valparaiso, where the wanderer who has been musing among prehistoric ruins and Bolivian volcanoes finds himself again in the busy modern world. The harbor is full of vessels from all quarters—coasting steamers that ply to Callao and Panama, sailing ships as well as steamers from San Francisco and others from Australia, most with cargoes of coal, besides vessels that have come from Europe round Cape Horn or through the Straits of Magellan.

The so-called harbor is really an open roadstead, for there is no shelter to the north, and when, as often happens, the dreaded gale from that quarter breaks, vessels that have not had time to run out under steam are in danger of drifting ashore, for the water deepens so quickly from the land that they cannot anchor far out. Why not build a breakwater? Because the water is so deep that the cost of a breakwater long enough to give effective protection would be enormous.

Seen from the sea, Valparaiso is picturesque and has a marked character of its own, though the dryness of the hills and the clearness of the light make it faintly recall one of those Spanish or Italian towns which glitter on the steep shores of the Mediterranean. It resembles Messina in Sicily in being very long and very narrow. For here, as there, the heights, rising abruptly from the shore, leave little space for houses, and the lower part of the town has less than a quarter of a mile in breadth. On this narrow strip are all the places of business, banks, shipping offices, and shops, as well as the dwellings of most of the poorer class.

On the hills above, rising steeply two hundred feet or more, stands the upper town, which consists chiefly of the residences of the richer people. Their villas, interspersed with gardens, have a pretty effect seen from below, and in rambling along the lanes that run up to heights behind one gets charming views over the long line of coast to the north. Communication between the lower and upper towns is carried on chiefly by elevators or trolley cars worked on the cog-wheel system.

Despite earthquakes and northern gales, Valparaiso continues to be the most flourishing seat of world trade on the western side of its continent, the only South American rival of San Francisco, Seattle and Vancouver. We felt ourselves back in the modern world when we saw a stock exchange, having since we left New York passed near no city possessing that familiar appliance of civilization.

A Capital Crowned With Eternal Snow.

Fifty miles inland, as the crow flies, but much farther by railway, is Santiago, the capital of Chile, and in population the fourth city in South America. Except Rio de Janeiro, no capital in the world has a more striking position. Standing in the great central valley of Chile, it looks out on one side over a fertile plain to the wooded slopes of the Coast Range, and on the other looks up to the gigantic chain of the Cordillera, rising nineteen thousand feet above it, furrowed by deep gorges into which glaciers pour down, with snowy wastes behind.

At Santiago, one sees the vista of a long, straight street closed by towering mountains that crown it with white as the sea crowns with blue the streets of Venice. Wherever one walks or drives through the city in the beautiful public park and on the large open grounds of the race-course, these fields of ice are always before the eye, whether wreathed with cloud or glittering against an ardent sky.

The interior of the city does not offer very much to the traveller. Everything looks new, as might be expected in a place which was small and poor till the end of the eighteenth century, and which has grown rapidly within the last sixty years with the prosperity of the country. Prosperity and confidence are in the air. Great, indeed, is the contrast between old-fashioned Lima and this brisk, eager, active, modern city, where crowded electric cars pass along crowded streets and men hurry to their business or their politics even as they do in western Europe or North America.

An Acropolis of the Western World.

There is little of historical or archaeological interest in Santiago, no skeleton of its founder (as of Pizarro in Lima), for Pedro de Valdivia was taken prisoner and killed by the Araucanian Indians hundreds of miles away. But Nature has given it one spot to which historical associations can attach.

When Valdivia, one of the ablest and boldest of the lieutenants of Pizarro, was sent down thither to complete the conquest of that southernmost part of the Inca dominion, his soldierly eye lit upon and marked a steep rock that rose out of the plain on the banks of a torrent descending from the Andes. On this rock he planted (in 1541) a rude fort and, after receiving the submission of the neighboring Indians, marched on still further south, into regions which the Incas had never conquered.

After some successes, a sudden rising of the natives chased him back and he had to take refuge in the fort upon this rock, now called Santa Lucia. Besieged for many weeks and reduced to the utmost extremity of famine, he held out here with that desperate tenacity of which the men of Spain have given so many examples from the days of Saguntum to those of Cortes at Mexico and from those of Cortes to those of Palafox at Saragossa. The Indians had, however, no notion of how to conduct siege operations and at last Valdivia was relieved. The fort remained, and beneath it there grew up in course of time the city.

The ancient acropolis or Hill Fortress is a familiar sight in India, in Greece, and Italy, and in western Europe also. But so far as I know Santa Lucia, below which Santiago has grown up, is the only conspicuous instance in the two Americas of any such stronghold built by Europeans.

The buildings which had defaced it having been nearly all removed, it is now laid out as a pleasure ground, and planted with trees. Walks have been made round it, with a footpath to the



VALPARAISO AS VIEWED FROM ONE OF ITS SURROUNDING HILLS.

three thousand feet, between the foot of which and the ocean there is practically no level ground.

The Depression That is Chile.

The space between this coast range and the Cordillera is a long depression from twenty to thirty miles wide, sometimes hilly, sometimes spreading out into plains, yet everywhere so narrow that both the Coast Range on the one side and the spurs of the Andes on the other are within sight of the inhabitants who live between them. This long and narrow central depression is Chile, just as the cultivable land on each side the Nile in Egypt; and in it all the people dwell, except those who are to be found in the few maritime towns.

It may seem strange that a country of this shape, three thousand miles long, and with only three million three hundred thousand people, should be conspicuously homogeneous, united, and patriotic. When the difference between territorial Chile, the country of the map, and actual Chile dawns upon the traveller, his surprise disappears.

There are in the republic three distinct regions. The northern is arid desert; some of it profitable nitrate desert, most of it useless desert. The south is an archipelago of wooded islets with a narrow strip of wooded mountain on the mainland behind, both of them drenched by perpetual rains and inhabited only by a few wandering Indians, with here and there a trading post of white men. It is the central part alone that is compactly peopled, a narrow tract about seven hundred miles long, most of it mountainous, but the valleys generally fertile, and the climate excellent. This central part is the real Chile, the home of the nation.

A Desert of Great Riches.

The northern section, though a desert, has an enormous economic value, and is, indeed, one of the chief sources of natural wealth in the two American continents. It is the region which supplies the agriculturists of the whole world with their nitrates, and the nitrates are here because the country is absolutely rainless. Rains would have washed the precious mineral out of the

flanks of the volcano of San Pedro, and sent down to the coast for shipment. The mineral occurs in a stratum which lies about a foot below the surface, and averages three feet in thickness. It is brownish grey in color and very hard. There is a considerable product of iodine, which is separated

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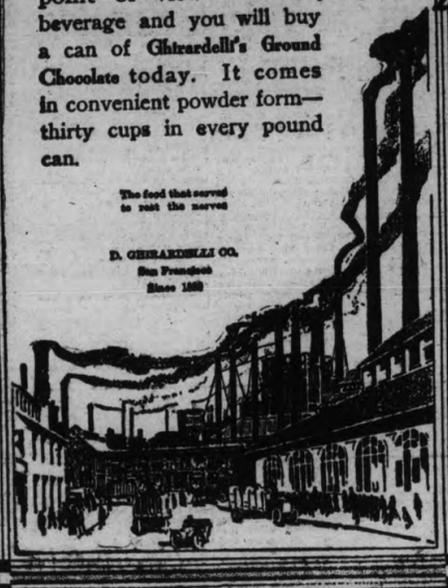
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Empress Theatre.

Two wonderful dogs, Rox and Don, are to be headliners at the Empress theatre next week, where they will be staged by Frank Stafford and his company in the sketch, "A Hunter's Game." Features of the performance will be found in Mr. Stafford's excellent whistling, his bird calls and splendid training of animals. The sketch has a plot, enlarging the act from the usual animal performance to one in which the animals have real parts.

Sidney Broughton and Grace Turner are two popular musical comedy artists. Their work in "The Red Rose" company, "The Gypsy" and "The Prince of Pilsen" is well known to local vaudevilleans. Mr. Broughton is the possessor of a tenor voice of golden quality, which he combines with histrionic ability, while Miss Turner is an artist of a high order, with a soprano voice of rare sweetness.

New York city is responsible for the development of Al. Herman, who will be an added feature. Herman is one of the coming black-face comedians of the American stage. Lillian Holmes, the golden-voiced contralto, will make her vaudeville debut. Miss Holmes has been singing in concert for a number of years. A comedian of exceptional cleverness is W. C. Hoefler. He is also one of the cleverest bicycle riders in the country. His whole act has been constructed for the purpose of getting laughs.

John Drew.

In "The Perplexed Husband," the best comedy he has had in years, John Drew comes to the Victoria theatre Friday, May 9. This latest four-act comedy from the pen of Alfred Sutro has for its theme the most modern of subjects—woman suffrage. A notable satire, but without bitterness, "The Perplexed Husband" shows what really happens to a married couple when the woman decides that she will live her own life, and that her husband must turn over a new leaf or she will refuse to live with him any longer. The complications caused by the husband's cunning are of an amusing character, and the dialogue is as sparkling as champagne. Never in recent years has Mr. Drew had such a brilliant opportunity to display his capabilities as a light comedian. In the supporting cast are Mary Boland, Alice John, Hubert Druce, Nina Sevensing and others.

Nat Goodwin.

The much heralded presentation of "Oliver Twist," with Nat C. Goodwin in the role of Fagin, will be at the Victoria theatre Saturday evening.

May 10, under the direction of Oliver Morosco. When Mr. Goodwin met with the unfortunate accident about eight months ago it was feared that he

would never be able to take up his professional work on the stage again. He has returned rejuvenated and in good health, however, and will portray Fagin. The part offers exceptional opportunities and it goes without saying that Mr. Drew has grasped them all. Out of a score or more of dramatic versions available Mr. Morosco selected the one made by Comyn Carr. It is different from other versions seen in this country; less brutal and not inclined to centre the interest entirely on Fagin and his hideous associates, but rather tries to solve the mystery of Oliver's parentage. It is also a lucid story rather than a series of portraits. This version was the one used, for the

first time in America, when Mr. Goodwin appeared in an all-star cast last spring at the New Amsterdam theatre, New York. The play is in five acts, nine scenes, and Mr. Morosco has given the production a splendid mounting.

Princess Theatre.

"Hazel Kirke," the most popular play of its kind written, will be the offering of the Williams Stock Company at the Princess theatre next week. This play, with its many shaded emotions, its infinite pathos and its Dolly Dutton and Petticoat Green presenting the lighter side of dramatic appeal, touches many emotions. Many plays have been modelled after it, but they have missed the success earned by it. While one sympathizes with Hazel, one feels pity for the implacable father, Dunstan Kirke, for he errs from a too strong sense of rectitude, a desire to owe no man what he cannot pay. That the payment takes the form of the marriage of his young daughter Hazel to a man old enough to be her father is a misfortune, not the fault of the father, is his peculiar reasoning. The note of tragedy in the death of Lady Travers, the attempted suicide of Hazel, the villainy of Barney O'Flynn, are in strong contrast to the gaiety of Dolly Dutton and the comicality of Petticoat, the devotion of Moll, the orphaned boy, to Hazel; the undying love of a mother as shown by Mercy Kirke; the unselfishness of Aaron Rodney, the old suitor of Hazel. "Hazel Kirke" will be put on with all the old favorites and some new claimants for public favor, and the quaint old mill and other scenes with the costumes of that time.

"Freckles."

"Freckles," the dramatized version of the newest and best of book plays, by Gene Stratton-Porter, will be seen here for the first time at the Victoria theatre May 5.

A freckled-faced, red-headed waif, as a baby with one hand cut off, was deserted on the steps of an orphan asylum, was taken in and remained there until old enough to go to work. Later he fell into the hands of a cruel master, from whom he ran away, and the opening scene finds him at the great Limberlost Camp pleading for work. His pitiful plea wins the heart of the camp boss, who becomes his benefactor, and he is put to work as guard of the Limberlost.

There he proves his metal and meets the girl whom he calls "The Angel." Their meeting introduces a most delightful love story, and marks the beginning of the waif's rise from a lowly position to a station of affluence and power. The play is great in its simplicity, and the story is a splendid example of the value of honesty, faith and courage and that of doing right against all temptation; right is might and endures.

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I. O. O. F.

Meetings Next Week.

Monday.—Victoria lodge, No. 1. General relief committee.

Tuesday.—Vancouver Encampment, No. 1.

Wednesday.—Columbia lodge, No. 2.

Thursday.—Dominion lodge, No. 4.

Victoria Lodge, No. 1.

There was an unusually large attendance at this lodge last Monday evening, and important business took up the greater part of the session. The second degree was conferred upon several candidates in a creditable manner. A report from the trustees of this lodge will be presented next Monday evening, which will deal with a subject of interest to every member. The third degree will be exemplified at the next meeting. The election of representatives to the grand lodge will also be held next Monday evening.

Vancouver Encampment, No. 1.

There will be an interesting session of the encampment next Tuesday evening, as the grand patriarch, Bro. De E. MacKenzie, of New Westminster, has signified his intention of being present. The visit of the grand patriarch is looked forward to with pleasure by the officers and members of Vancouver Encampment, who will accord him a fitting reception. Grand encampment officers in Victoria are Fred Davey, grand scribe, and R. A. Anderson, grand senior warden. Visiting members of the encampment degree are invited.

Colfax Rebekah Lodge, No. 1.

The name of the president of the Rebekah Assembly is Sister Langham, and not Sister Evans as erroneously stated in the column last week. The degree work as exemplified for the benefit of the worthy president was very good. Although several members of the team were absent, those who substituted deserve credit for their splendid work.

Columbia Lodge, No. 2.

This lodge will hold a social dance next Wednesday evening, and the entertainment committee is making arrangements for a large crowd. An enjoyable evening is assured those who attend. Members of other I. O. O. F. lodges are invited.

As an important report from the trustees will be submitted, the lodge will meet at 7.45 p. m. on Wednesday next. Representatives to the grand lodge will be elected at this meeting. The initiatory degree was conferred upon several candidates last Wednesday evening in a very creditable man-

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Dominion Lodge, No. 4.

On Thursday evening last a large attendance, important business to discuss and a splendid practice in the first degree made up one of the most successful meetings held by this lodge for some time. Bro. F. C. Dillabough, P. G., team captain, expressed the pleasure he had in seeing so many present, and gave it as his opinion that No. 4 would be in splendid shape for the competition on May 26. As there are only four weeks between now and competition night the members are getting down to work in earnest. At this meeting F. C. Dillabough, P. G., and A. J. Cleary, P. G., were elected representatives to the grand lodge, which will meet in Nanaimo next month.

General Relief Committee.

The regular meeting of the committee will be held next Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock. There are seven members of the order on the sick list at the present time, and the president reports the visiting by the committee has been most satisfactory.

Competition Committee.

A meeting of this committee will be held some time during the coming week to deal with matters relating to the coming competition which have been referred to them, and to hear reports.

JAPAN INVITES TOURISTS.

Illustrating the world-wide extent of automobiling and the increasing co-

operation among the various organizations, reciprocal relations are being established between the Nippon Automobile Club and the American Automobile Association, as a result of action at the recent meeting of the executive board of the latter. The Japanese association particularly urges Americans to visit unexplored Japan, and the Nippon club will supply all necessary routes and information as to the best roads. It is suggested that the most tourable months are March, April and May and the latter part of September, continuing into October and November.

SATISFIED.

A gentleman living in the suburbs, hired a negro to remove some sand for him, paying him one dollar a day. On returning home the first afternoon, he was surprised to see his hireling sitting on the sand pile smoking a pipe, while another and smaller darkey was hard at work with the shovel and barrow.

"Why Sam," said the owner, "What's this other chap doing on your job?"
"Who? Him?"
"Yes, I thought I hired you to wheel the sand, not this other man."
"No, sah, I don't hire him, sah."
"You hired him? How much are you paying him?"

"A dollar a day, sah."
"Why," said the owner, "that's the same as I'm paying you. Don't you see you're not making anything on that contract?"
The negro scratched his head. "Well," he said, "maybe I don't make nuthin'. But I bosses de job, don't I?"

Smoking is permitted in prison in Belgium as a reward for good behaviour.

A HIGH COMMISSIONER'S EMPIRE TALK SOME ASPECTS OF IMPERIAL EVOLUTION

Sir George Reid Thinks Time Coming When Canada Must Undertake Defence of North Pacific and North Atlantic; Outlines the Four Greatest Ideals of Empire; Makes Earnest Appeal to Lovers of Peace in All Nations; Striking Speech

Sir George Reid, G.C.M.G., High Commissioner for the Dominion of Australia, is one of the most virile thinkers and fluent speakers on imperial subjects. Recently he was invited to deliver an address before the Royal Colonial Institute in London when the Right Hon. Earl Brassey, G.C.B., presided. Though Sir George had not a single note and had come utterly unprepared for the occasion, so great are his intellectual resources, his gifts of imagination and wit so spontaneous and inexhaustible, that he was able to deliver an impromptu address of striking brilliance, the text of which is here reproduced:

What are four of the greatest Empire ideals? General progress, individual development, harmonious working, and effective co-operation in times of danger. These are ideals that everyone wishes to realize, and the problem is how best to do that. The onus on those who advocate sudden or radical changes in the Imperial system is tremendous. Imperfect as the present system is, the Empire is in a point of fact, a miracle of peaceful and harmonious working. There is not the smallest kingdom on the continent of Europe to-day which works more smoothly than this British Empire with its 11,500,000 square miles and its 420,000,000 human beings.

The chief subjects suggested for more intimate ties fall under three heads: closer trade relations; a stronger system of defence; an Empire parliament, with a truly Imperial executive. The last is what some Dominion statesmen mean when they speak of "having a voice in the councils of the Empire." The oratorical part of such schemes has been played. Let the practical part be called on. No man for a more ardent desire to intimate ties than I have. If they prove really likely to make us more intimate, no one is more ready to study a new scheme of Empire when it comes down from the clouds and can be seen at close quarters. One of the grandest things that can be conceived is the unfolding of some scheme for bettering the present relationships in the British Empire that will bear investigation.

I am sure of one point. You cannot begin to understand any problem of the kind until you have carefully and intelligently studied the beginnings of imperial evolution. I believe some of the solar system began by detaching themselves from the sun and flinging themselves into space until they reached orderly and peaceful orbits. The self-governing Dominions did something resembling that; they politically flung themselves away from the central mass of the Empire and formed separate entities which revolved round the Imperial centre just as peacefully and in as orderly a fashion as the earth's progress round the sun. The endeavor to re-adjust by some modern contrivance these political distances and relations calls for a rare degree of imagination. Allow me to glance at the beginnings of our Empire. Take Imperial trade and policy as they were shaped in the early days of the Empire down to a time not more than a hundred years ago. No colonist could import a package of goods from a foreign country without having it landed on the shores of England. No English colonist could send a package of goods to a foreign country without shipping it in a British vessel to England in order that it might be landed there and then shipped by another British vessel to the foreign port. Chatham, as great a friend of the colonies as any man had, once said that the right even to make the muffs of a horse shoe. The first Lord Sheffield said English colonies were intended for the consumption of British manufactures and the employment of British ships. These were the beginnings of Imperial ideas of trade. As for the settlements of British settlement whether in Virginia or in Maryland long ago, or in Australia and South Africa later, was not the main object the export of undesirable? When the colonies refused to have them any longer British settlements lost much of their value. I sometimes wonder whether we should have been quite as generously treated in matters of self-government if some people in England had not had a strong suspicion that we were a source of weakness rather than of strength. Until seventy or eighty years ago most of the colonies were under despotic rule. I only allude to those unlovely beginnings to redouble a grateful sense of the glorious evolution which has so rapidly followed. Instead of the selfish maxims of a trading monopoly—instead of arbitrary rule—the self-governing Dominions are allowed to exercise the fullest measure of liberty in the management of their own affairs. The colonists were restive under despotic rule, not because they were English, Scottish, or Irish. They simply followed the instincts of their race in craving for self-government. The new ties of sentiment are vastly stronger than the old ties of restraint.

The Great Divide. In the continent which I have the honor to represent there is a mountain range known as the Great Dividing Range. There is a Great Dividing Range in the British Empire. We must never forget that under the same flag that waves over Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa, there are in Asia and Africa 360,000,000 of people who are not of our color, who do not belong to our race, and who know nothing of our religion. Do not let anyone sneer at the colored subjects of the King. The British race has been

trained for eight hundred years in a school of freedom. In Asia and Africa humanity has been trampled under foot by successive waves of conquest. Not in one generation, nor in one century, can the wrongs of their awful history be effaced, or the genius of their ancient civilizations be restored. No process of education the most enlightened—no system of government the most benign—can make the Oriental subjects of the King the equals in political capacity of the white race for many generations to come. The four greatest ideals of Empire are being well and truly laid. To build upon those foundations a new India, governed by a system of British justice, inspired by a love of British freedom, and defended against invasion by the full might of the Imperial power, would a nobler mission devolve upon our race?

We do not always remember what a tremendous fact India is to us and to the world. In the last thirty years the people of India have increased by 61,000,000 against an increase of 5,000,000 in the self-governing Dominions and 12,500,000 in the British Isles. There are 255,000 acres under crop in India to-day, while Great Britain, Canada, Australia and New Zealand, all told, have less than 50,000,000 of acres. In one crop—wheat—India produces 64,000,000 bushels more than the whole of the rest of the British Empire put together, that is to say, 426,000,000 bushels of wheat are produced in India every year, to say nothing of rice and the rest. The sea-borne trade of India has increased in ten years by far more than one-half, and now amounts to £260,000,000 a year, or £60,000,000 more than the trade of Russia. India does not come begging to the rest of the Empire to buy her exports. From Great Britain she buys, I think, something like 70 per cent. of all she buys abroad, but she sells about 70 per cent. of what she produces to other nations outside the British Empire. India is no pauper hanging on the skirts of Imperial progress. Do not let people think because Australia has what is called a "White Australia" policy, that she looks with a contemptuous eye on people of a different color. Australians simply have the universal instinct of every race since humanity appeared on this earth. We have a vast hope. There are very few in the family of our race that is not an ambition peculiar to Australians. It belongs to every race, old or young, white or colored, ancient or modern.

We are approaching many notable developments, but the most pressing question is—what are the most urgent of the Imperial duties calling for united effort at the present moment, so far as I can judge, is that of safeguarding the existence of the Empire by preparing an efficient system of Imperial defence. Friendly understandings are good things. But, when we cease to depend on our own readiness to defend our own territories, not only do we lose the moral force of our position, but also Imperial decay has begun. I am not a soldier nor the son of a soldier. I am simply a man of peace, a lover of freedom. If our Empire is broken up into fragments, dependent or independent, it can never be restored. If some of our territories were to take this place, whether that of Germany, Russia, or Japan the rest of the world would have no cause for rejoicing.

Appeal for Peace. I desire to make a very earnest appeal to lovers of peace of all parties. That horrible atrocity which in a wholesale form is called war, can never be suppressed until those who seek peace can intimidate those who seek war. The rapid growth of commercial intercourse between nations makes war more difficult, but we must not forget that trading ambitions have been a fruitful source of aggression. Above all we must not fall into the insane delusion that the primal fighting and conquering instincts of human nature have been preached out of the soul of modern nations.

It is the rare distinction of the British Empire that its tremendous fighting power is on the side of peace, and that its tremendous trading power is also on the same side. The fiscal policy of free trade may be wise or foolish, but the fact that 400,000,000 of the subjects of our King have open ports for the world's commerce, and only 14,000,000 have not, ought to make all other nations well-disposed towards us, even those who think our methods remarkably foolish. No other flag could make a more friendly appeal to the world's good will.

In addition to the growth of foreign navies the growth of internal industry and foreign trade beyond our territorial limits, during the past twenty years, is one of the most striking features in the history of the world. In the case of two nations—the United States and Germany—the advance has been so magnificent that our admiration is qualified by fears concerning our own rate of progress. If Great Britain stood by herself the days of her supremacy would clearly be coming to an end. But Great Britain cannot do this. The future of the world is in the hands of the British Empire, and so long as the other parts of the Empire combine with her, and she with them, to maintain her traditional command of the high seas. Whilst that position is maintained no power on the face of the earth can ever hope to take the first place from her, whether in times of war or times of peace.

Percentages are at once the most striking and the most fallacious

method of comparing the progress of one nation with that of another. The trade of one country may expand by vast sums and yet show a modest percentage of growth. The trade of another country may increase by a small sum and yet show a splendid percentage of growth. A baby's percentage of increase in growth in the space of his second year as compared with his first can give color to a charge of decay if brought against the strongest of men.

The progress of Imperial trade during the fifteen years 1898-1913 has been considerable. The total for 1913 was £295,000,000. The total for 1910 was £217,771,000, an increase of £77,229,000,000. The foreign trade of the Empire rose from £745,000,000 to £1,317,000,000, an increase of £572,000,000. The internal trade of the Empire, though much smaller than our trade with foreign countries, has been nearly doubled. It rose from £240,000,000 to £480,000,000. British exports to foreign countries have increased at a much faster rate than her imports from them. In the case of the rest of the Empire the reverse is the fact, but the progress of both imports and exports in the latter case has been immense.

The growing competition of the Great Powers with the British Empire, both in trade and armaments, has wisely and naturally set us thinking how we can best strengthen our position. But immense care must be taken in dealing with suggestions aiming at that most desirable end. Sticks may be stronger when tied closely in a bundle. But tying living things together more closely than usual is not quite the same thing. As I have said, the main changes of system suggested fall under three heads: (1) Closer trade relations, either by means of an Imperial tariff, or a system of reciprocity, or preferential trade agreements; (2) A stronger system of defence, especially on the high seas, either by a stronger British navy paid for all round, but governed by the British Admiralty, or by the establishment of new fleets controlled by the Colonial authorities; and (3) chief-ly, the creation of a new Parliament, the truly representative of the whole Empire, or, at least, of the United Kingdom and the self-governing dominions.

The objects above mentioned command strong support, but no project to secure them, which goes beyond the stage of mere intimate consultation by means of existing authorities, arouses any sort of practical interest. Indeed, I am not quite sure whether any such project has advanced beyond the stage of platform perorations. Until some statesman, of some weight, commits himself to a definite scheme on one or more, or all of the subjects alluded to, the general public will remain more or less indifferent or bewildered. If I were a person of that sort, I confess I could not even then satisfy public curiosity with any comprehensive scheme. The marvelous harmony which our hapazard methods of government either produce, or do not disturb, makes the task of reconstruction difficult, even if we had a reconstructor whom we could trust. The fear of increasing friction, without promoting a better understanding, has overwhelming force in the mind of any man who studies the evolution of the Empire, which has no stronger lesson than this, that in dealing with the white subjects of the King the more you leave them alone the more you can depend upon them; in dealing with other races the more you leave them alone the less you can depend upon them. The fitness of our own system of self-government, and the unfitness of other races within the Empire for self-government, is not by any means a conclusive proof of innate racial superiority. The civilizations of India and Africa were of a high order when our ancestors were in a state of savagery. During the eight hundred years that the English people have been developing a glorious system of liberty, free from the horrors of invasion, the peoples of India and Africa have been writing under an everlasting series of brutal conquests that have stamped out of them all but the ineradicable characteristics of human nature.

How could we assemble an Imperial Parliament, properly so called, if 360,000,000 of the people of the Empire were wholly shut out? A Parliament in which the 60,000,000 white citizens were represented, and not the 360,000,000, might be called a British Federal Parliament, but it would not be a truly Imperial Parliament any more than the Lords and Commons are. Indeed the present sort of Imperial Parliament and Executive have some striking advantages. How convenient in real life it is that the advanced legislation of the self-governing Dominions does not fix responsibility upon the shoulders of the Imperial Government as directly as it would do in the other event. When a Colonial Parliament takes the extreme step, vitally necessary perhaps to some other nation, and even to large bodies of His Majesty's subjects, the Imperial Government is in a more enviable position now than it would be then. Could Dominion representatives sit in an Imperial Parliament with any sense of comfort or equity to deal with the affairs of several hundreds of millions of human beings against whom they feel compelled at present to shut their doors? Even if they did, would the new situation tend to promote the harmony of the Empire?

The new Parliament, if based on a color line, would not be Imperial. If because you could not admit the Oriental races to such a Parliament and refuse to them the Parliamentary management of their own local affairs. Yet that for a long time to come, would be an impossible risk, and a concession that would be fatal to the welfare of those to whom it was granted. A gain if the new Parliament represented the Empire, let us say with one member per million, Canada would have—In the Lower House, if there were two Houses—8 members, Australia 5, New Zealand 1, and South Africa 1, and the United Kingdom would have 45. Would the "voice in the Councils of the Empire" of Australia or Canada, or New Zealand, or South Africa, be as powerful then as it is now? Speaking for myself, and also possibly reflecting the opinion of a vast majority of Australians, I do not think it would. Minorities get their best chance of a voice from the chance of converting themselves into a majority—that is the position of the Conservatives in the

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Imperial Defence. The evolution of the Imperial system of defence is interesting. Some forty years ago Great Britain accepted all responsibilities of Imperial defence. Her troops were quartered in Canada and Australia and Cape Colony. In 1870 the troops were withdrawn. "You look after your land defence and fortifications," said Great Britain, "and we will look after the sea." That was not difficult then, but this task of defending on the high seas all the trade arteries of the Empire is now a terrible tax on the people of the British Isles. Forty years ago the naval estimates were under £10,000,000. They are now £44,000,000. Australia may be right or wrong in deciding to have a fleet of her own. But I can see many good points about it. I confess Australia's attitude in listening to "the call of the sea" seems to me to be a perfectly natural one, and her policy, I think, bound to be imitated eventually. There were fears that the attractive and well-paid employment on shore would prove a serious obstacle. That is not so, however, for the application has been stopped. Every boy of fourteen is compelled to begin a course of military training. There is no more peaceful people in the world than the Australian, but they value their liberty, and they are willing to pay a heavy price for its defence. Australia is spending five millions a year in preparation to defend herself if need be. The time must come when Canada will have to undertake the defence of the North Pacific and the North Atlantic, whence South Africa must look after the middle-distance waters, when Australia and New Zealand must patrol the South Pacific, and when India must undertake a large share of naval defence in the East, leaving England comparatively free to concentrate her naval power in European waters. The strain indeed is becoming so tremendous that I think India must soon begin to take a hand. I am not sure that I think that you can never reduce this great Empire to the pitiful condition of having nearly all its ships in one narrow sea. When we come to that we shall make a pitiful confession. I would like to say that, in my opinion, the Imperial conferences are never doing better work than they are doing together concerning matters of this kind.

Those problems are the most pressing of all and, happily, the simplest of all. I would like to explain what I mean by pointing out a few of the difficulties in the way of other proposals for a closer union. First, the material for a closer union, but they appear to be insuperable at present. Take, for instance, the fascinating project of bringing into existence a truly Imperial parliament. In theory how absolutely necessary it seems! In practice how wonderfully well we manage without it! In point of fact, how lamely does the proposal break down when we attempt to translate it into even the barest outline of a scheme! If the great divisions of the Empire were all self-governed, and inhabited by men of British origin, the attempt to construct a new Imperial constitution would be a task of immense difficulty. But I cannot forget, as so many writers and speakers do, the fact that six-sevenths of His Majesty's subjects are neither in the United Kingdom nor in the self-governing Dominions.

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Of course, by means of alliance the Colonial vote might even get possession of the balance of power, but that points to one of the worst drawbacks of all Parliamentary systems—party domination. There is no trace of party feeling in the Imperial Conference. Dominion Radicals are, in those happy gatherings, just as heartily welcomed, and work just as cordially with a Conservative as a Liberal Ministry. You would not have an Imperial Parliament without an Imperial Ministry.

Could you have one without the beginning of a party system in the affairs of the Empire? Some day, perhaps! But it is not at all likely just now. Could there be any worse calamity than party fights over Imperial issues?

Could such a Parliament exist to legislate without power to tax? If it is to deal with trade it must have that power. If it is to deal with defence it must have that power. If it dealt with neither it would be indeed lame and impotent. Yet taxation, whether good or bad, seems to promote endless disorders, and harmony is the supreme aim of an Imperial union. At present party feeling and taxation battles are localized. Each Parliamentary system consumes its own smoke, and puts out its own fires. The affairs of the Empire as a whole are managed in the clearer and the higher atmosphere of an Imperial Conference. There are nearly approached than anywhere else. In an Empire Parliament somebody would always be wanting to stay in, and somebody would always be wanting to get into office—of course with the best of motives, to secure a better administration of public affairs, would the people of the Dominions do more for the Empire under legislative compulsion in the shape of taxes passed in London than they would do of their own accord? Might not even the form of the tax excite bitter controversies? Does not such a suggestion remind us of 1774?

Would a better system of Imperial trade be evolved from a fight between Free Traders and Protectionists in an Empire Parliament? Would the Dominions expose their young manufacturing industries to the hazards of such a struggle? Are not the beginnings of better relations, and a better shape of voluntary preference, and a better feeling beyond the seas to go even farther when reciprocity becomes possible—are not these more feasible advances than dreams of an Imperial tariff?

I admit that the smooth working of that immense assemblage of alien forces, discordant policies and loose ties with the British Empire embodies in quite opposed to every lesson taught by history, every principle of sound economy, every law of human experience. In the presence of a law of gravitation as mysterious and far more wonderful than that of the material universe, we are full of thankfulness for things as they are and sceptical as to new plans. The contrast between the loose reins under which each self-governing Dominion is allowed to work out its own destiny and develop its own resources, and the firm guidance and control maintained by the Indian Empire and the Crown Colonies goes far to explain the success of so many astounding anomalies. The vigor and success of Colonial statesmen during the past fifty years challenges admiration. I confess, however, that of all the glories of British rule, the highest and grandest of all, in my eyes, is its success in bringing peace and almost unknown lands, and warring, barbarous races, under the sway of law and order—in suppressing outrage—in protecting the weak and helpless—by suppressing tribal feuds and wars which have raged for ages, and laying foundations of peace, confidence and friendship. Our finest heroes, I think, are the silent almost unknown band of civil administrators who are achieving these triumphs of civilization and good government for the whole of the Empire at daily deadly risk to health and even sometimes to life itself. The nobility of all our visions and the greatness of our cause and Empire, I think, is that which sees the 360,000,000 colored subjects of the King-Empire taking their place, by right of merit and fitness for self-government, in the higher spheres of Imperial power.

But the stern realities of this arduous time constrain one of the most cheerful of optimists—one of the most ardent lovers of peace. Everything can wait but one thing—and that is the establishment of a thoroughly sound and efficient system of Imperial defence on land and sea.

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COQUITLAM

By the agreement entered into between the city and the remaining district on the incorporation of Port Coquitlam, it was settled to divide the assets and assets of the old municipality on the basis of five-eighths for the city and three-eighths for the district, that proportion having been reached on the basis of the assessed value of the land in each district. Mayor Marx and Reeve Barth recently met, as an adjustment committee of both councils, to settle the details of the agreement. As required by the Act of incorporation, the district municipality agrees to transfer to the city all personal property, and to convey all the real estate within the city and including the school sites. The district will also pay off the sum of \$30,000, being their due proportion of the temporary loan of \$80,000 carried by the old Coquitlam municipality. The city undertakes to take over liability for the remaining \$50,000. On the general account the city agrees to pay to the district \$58,100 less \$30,000 returned to the district, being five-eighths of \$145. The city will also pay to the district for personal property, \$5,678.07; for rock crusher, etc., \$792.61; for real estate, \$1,750; for expenses on water records, \$814.95; for incorporation expenses, \$1,142.33; total, \$10,655.51. Money by-laws aggregating \$165,000 will be submitted to the ratepayers for approval on May 14. These measures call for the borrowing of money for the erection of a city municipal hall, for waterworks purposes and for the erection of new school buildings.

NANAIMO

The B. C. Telephone Company is starting an expenditure of \$20,000 on the Nanaimo plant. They are spending this large amount in order to cope with the demands on their service that the rapid development of Nanaimo these days necessitates. Telephone number 600 is now connected with the local exchange. There are, however, probably fifty applications on file for telephones that cannot be supplied with the present equipment. The exchange board that is being made ready for the increased service the company will give is capable of handling 700 telephones. An additional toll board is also to be installed. Besides this there will be numerous lines run about the city and many connections made. The company hopes shortly to give a much better service to the Five Acres and in all probability between 75 and 100 telephones will be installed in that direction. Another proposed extension is that to the telephone service to South Wellington. There are now nearly 40 applications on file from that district. An idea of the enormous amount of telephone expansion on Vancouver Island may be gained from the fact that the new submarine cable between Nanaimo and Vancouver will cost in the neighborhood of \$120,000. This cable will give a direct wire from Nanaimo to Vancouver and two wires for the Victoria service. At the present, telephone connections from Nanaimo to Vancouver go by way of Bellingham.

NEW WESTMINSTER

F. H. Cunningham, Dominion inspector of fisheries for this province, is back in the city from Ottawa, where he attended the first meeting of the western advisory committee of the fishery board, held in the capital about a week ago. He stated that little action in the nature of drastic improvements or changes would be made this season, the meeting in Ottawa being the first of its kind and therefore more of a nature of getting acquainted with the conditions existing all over the Dominion. A general discussion, however, took place covering the fishing industry of the whole of Canada and when the next meeting is held in October it is expected that reports will be made by the chairman of each committee which will lead to changes in the laws and regulations affecting the canners, fishermen and everyone concerned with the fisheries. Close watch will be kept this season by the western committee of conditions in the sockeye industry so that the coast members will be well supplied with data and prepared to request or recommend changes which would take effect at the beginning of the season of 1914. The question of improving the foreign trade and also the protection of the Indians engaged in the fishery trade was discussed at length at the Ottawa meeting.

REVELSTOKE

As a further evidence that the recent real estate boom in Revelstoke is by no means over, another big deal has been completed by which the City hotel property on First street becomes the property of J. Clayton Tapping, one of the proprietors of the Windsor hotel, for a consideration reported to be \$30,000. By the completion of this deal the old firm of Laughton & Tapping, proprietors of the Windsor hotel, is dissolved. Mr. Laughton will become the sole owner of the Windsor hotel and carry on that business at the old stand, while Mr. Tapping becomes the sole owner of the City hotel. Included in the deal are seven lots fronting on First street. The City hotel has sixty bedrooms and is one of the most commodious public houses in Kootenays. Mr. Tapping intends to give the City hotel a general overhauling and will remodel it, making some important improvements, which will place this hotel among the first in the province.

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Railway construction work in and around Kamloops is heavy, and before the year is out a large sum of money will be spent. The C.N.P.R. are rapidly laying steel on their main line from this divisional point north, east and west. Besides this a large amount will be spent on stations and roundhouses, and work on branch line to the Okanagan district. The C. P. R. are out with tenders for grading, etc., on double track, and active work is expected to commence soon.

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BELLA COOLA

The Ocean Falls Company, whose base of operations on Cousins Inlet, assumed the proportions of a small town, and whose numerous logging camps employed many hundreds of men, have suspended operations. The huge plant, including the recently completed pulp mill, is entirely closed down, besides the many camps on Dean Channel and South Bentinck Arm. It is reported that the logs lying in boom at Cousins Inlet, adjacent to the mills, amounts to some 50,000,000 feet. It is anticipated that the suspension of operations will be of but short duration. Building construction continues to keep the local firms of contractors exceedingly busy. Provincial Constable F. Broughton has lately received his appointment as registrar of births, marriages and deaths for this district. The industries of this country yearly claim 20,000 killed and 500,000 seriously injured.

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Upon this day—May 3—in the year 1783, Lieutenant-Governor Simcoe was on his way from Niagara to make his first visit to Toronto. He was attended by seven officers, and journeyed in a barge round the head of Lake Ontario. He was much pleased with the excellent harbor at Toronto between the mainland and the natural break-water of Gibraltar Point—or "the Island," as we call it—and, though his desire was that the metropolis of United Canada should be on the forks of the Thames at "London," as he named it long before there was the beginning of a settlement, it was he who actually made Toronto capital. He chose a fine spot near the harbor, covered with large oaks, as the site for the town which he already referred to as "York," though it was late in the following summer when the name was bestowed officially and "with due celebrity" upon the embryo capital. At first immigrants were in no hurry to settle, and the plan of York, as laid out in 1793, was very small, consisting of ten blocks, measuring altogether seven hundred and forty feet by seventeen hundred and seventy. Simcoe wished to fortify the place in some degree, but his superior, Lord Dorchester, objected.

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 Macdonald, Hon. Hector C. B. C. L., K. C. (Charlottetown, P. E. I.); born, Belfast, P. E. I., 1856; M. P. P. for Belfast for ten years; attorney-general, 1908.
 Pelletier, Col. Oscar Charles Casgrain (Quebec); born, Quebec, 1837; soldier since 1853; served in Northwest rebellion, 1855, and in South African war, Stratton, Hon. James Robert (Peterborough, Ont.); born, Millbrook, Ont., 1857; Liberal M. P. P. for West Peterborough, 1886-1904; provincial secretary of Ontario, 1900-1905; Liberal M. P. P. for West Peterborough, 1908-1911; director in many companies.

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WHERRY & TOW, taxidermists, successors to Fred Foster, 623 Pandora and Broad streets, Phone 3321.

TUITION.

DOUBLE ENTRY BOOKKEEPING thoroughly taught by accountant; terms moderate. P. O. Box 103. m11
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FOR RHEUMATISM try our sulphurized Turkish baths, at 713 View St. m5

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ALUMINUM WARE.

VICTORIAN—Here is a good place of advice—Replace gradually your enameled pots and pans that are chipping off, by aluminum. They are not only safe and healthy, but they are also economical in the long run. W. I. Gordon, Agent, 765 Hillside Ave., phone 1452. Or by post card, or phone 1452, and will call.

ART GLASS.

A. F. FRY'S ART GLASS, LEADED PRINING, etc., for churches, schools, public buildings, private dwellings. Plates and fancy glass sold. Samples given. Special terms to contractors. This is the only firm in Victoria that manufactures steel corded lead for leaded lights, thereby dispensing with the use of lead. Glass and store, 315 Pandora Ave., Phone 194.

BOOKBINDERS AND RULERS.

O. B. J. LANE has removed and is consolidated with the Dominion Carton Printing Co., 311 Commercial St. Note new address.

BRICK WORK.

LET US ESTIMATE your cement and brick work prices and work for right. J. F. McNamara, 912 Pandora Ave.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

STAIR BUILDER—Estimates given in writing. Guarantees 5 per cent. saving on all first-class contracts. Will be pleased to call and talk it over. Write for particulars. Phone 1436.

WALTER HOUGHTON & CO., general building contractors.

738 Yates street, Phone 3725. m22

FOR ESTIMATES on carpenter work.

Concrete work and B. McDowell, 503 Superior street, Phone 14187.

JAS. MACKIN for ready-made, portable, packing houses.

also pigeon aviaries, rabbit hutches, hatching boxes, kennels, 2811 Rose street. m13

LOOK—Contractor and builder.

All kinds of repairs, Estimates free. Gas, Parkers, 32 Joseph street, Phone 1864.

SEE ALFRED JONES for greenhouses.

port garages, sheds, fowl houses, dog kennels, long ladders, step-ladders, work, window work, or any sort of work, 1040 Rockland Ave., between Vancouver and Cook. Phone R151.

CARPENTERING.

PLY SCREENS for doors, windows and sleeping porches made and put on. House repairing, rustic fences and other jobbing. P. O. Box 367. m10

CHIMNEY BUILDING.

CALL US about that chimney or mantel work; prices and work are right. J. F. McNamara, 912 Pandora Ave. m17

FOR CHIMNEY BUILDING and small jobs.

brick or stone, mail orders to P. O. Box 112, Victoria. m17

FOR CHIMNEY BUILDING and cement work.

Clintry & Co., Beaumont P. O. Esquimalt. m1

CHIMNEY SWEEPING.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED—Defective flues fixed, etc. Wm. Neal, 1013 Quadra st., Phone 1013.

COLLECTIONS.

VANCOUVER ISLAND COLLECTION monthly statements endorsed. 309-311 Hibben-Bone Building, Victoria, B. C. E. W. Wright, Mgr. Phone 3413.

MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.

collects accounts, judgments, notes, led debts. We are credit men writing checks. 210 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 3093. m12

CONCRETE AND CEMENT WORK.

LET US ESTIMATE that cement work; good work at the right price. J. F. McNamara, 912 Pandora Ave.

SEWER PIPE, Field Ties, Grand Fire Clay, Flower Pot, etc.

B. C. Pottery and Emporium, 404-406 Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

ROOFING.

THOMAS ROOFING CO., slate, tar and gravel, asbestos slate damp proofing, corrugated iron, and mastic flooring. All Thomas specification work guaranteed ten years. Phone 1472.

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DECORATING.

WALLPAPERS, PAINTS, ETC., picture framing. 1609 Douglas, Phone 363. m18

WE DO HOUSE PAINTING and paper-hanging.

Phone or call for estimates. The Victoria Wallpaper & Paint Co., 803 Yates street, Phone R4233. m11

DRESSMAKING.

MRS. DAVIDSON, dressmaker, late of Newcastle-on-Tyne, now 736 Wilson St., Victoria West. m2

MISS WILSON, dressmaker.

2035 Oak Bay Ave. Phone 477. m35

DRY CLEANING.

HERMAN & LEVY, French dry cleaners. Ladies' fine garments and alterations on ladies and gents' garments our specialty. We call and deliver. 848 Yates street, Phone 1538. Open evenings. m2

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THE "MODERN"—Cleaning, dyeing, pressing, repairing. Ladies' fine garments cleaned a specialty. 1210 Government St. (Opposite Empress Theatre), Phone 1897. Open evenings. m2

B. C. STEAM DYE WORKS—The largest dyeing and cleaning works in the province.

Country. Employers should consult J. C. Renfrew, proprietor, 300 J. C. Renfrew, proprietor. m2

EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.

ALL KINDS Chinese help on hand for immediate employment. National Employment Agency, 102 Government street. HELP OF ALL KINDS—Employers of labor suited to short notice. Those seeking situations put in touch with vacancies. We want everybody to register their names. Employers should consult us for seeking elsewhere as we are in constant touch with those requiring work. Only reliable labor recommended. All work male and female, should register. We have enquiries for stenographers, domestic helps, clerks, janitors, day and night labor, etc., etc. Apply to the Vancouver Island Employment Agency, 1233 Douglas St., Phone 1800, evenings. m11

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS—Can get you any kind of labor on short notice.

Capital Employment Office, 592 Johnson street, Phone 1560. m11

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—Wah Ying Tai & Co., 606 Piquard St., P. O. Box 123.

INTERNATIONAL R. E. M. P. O. Y. M. C. A. AGENCY.

1404 Store street, Phone 2561. m2

L. N. WING ON, 2017 Douglas street, Phone 21.

FLOOR OILS.

IMPERIAL WAXINE, Ambersin, Floor Oil, Lusterine, Auto Polish, Imperial Waxine Co., Phone 1923, 923 Piquard St.

FISH.

W. J. WIGLESWORTH, 141 Broad Street. Fresh oysters arrived to-day. Smoked fish in season. Phone 651.

FURNITURE MOVERS.

JEEVES BROS. & LAMB TRANSFER—Padded vans for furniture and piano moving, trucks for general trucking. Office, 725 View St., phone 1557; res., 507 Gorge Road, phone 1423.

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FURRIER.

FURRIER—Fred Foster, 1218 Government street, Phone 1537.

GARDENING.

GARDENS MADE and kept up, lots cleared, lawns made, cement work of all kinds done, septic tanks made; contracts day work. Ng. Hop, P. O. Box 195, 1915 Douglas.

INSURANCE.

UNION LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY—Industrial and ordinary insurance written. Premiums payable weekly and yearly. District agent, R. Macnicol, Maywood, P. O. m8

JANITORS.

EFFICIENCY! ECONOMY! DESPATCH! You get these by phoning 1332, Island Window Cleaning Co.

JUNK.

JUNK OF ALL KINDS—Call up Sam H-mah, Phone 449, 1421 Store St. m24

JUNK WANTED, JUNK—Auto tires, brass, copper, lead, barrels, sacks, cast iron. We pay absolutely the highest prices. It will pay you to sell to The Great Western Junk Co., 141 Store St., Phone 460.

STANDARD LAUNDRY LTD.—The white laundry. We guarantee first-class work and prompt delivery. Phone 1077. 81 View street.

LIVERY STABLES.

THE B. S. STABLES, 741 Piquard street, Phone 34. Livery, hacks and coach. Furniture moving a specialty.

CAMPBELL & CATWELL—Hack and livery stable. Calls for hacks promptly by attend to day or night. Telephone 628. 711 Johnson street.

RICHARD BRAY, Livery, Hack and Boarding Stable, 311 Fort Street, notice and livery to coach. Phone 152. 782 Johnson street.

METAL WORKS.

PACIFIC SHEET METAL WORKS—Copper work, skylights, metal windows, metal plate and felt roofing, hot air furnaces, metal tanks, etc. 1009 Yates street, Phone 1772.

MILL WOOD.

CANADIAN PIGMENT SOUVENIR mill wood and slabs, 31 Double Road, B. I. single lead. 318 Wood St., Phone 4.

PAWNSHOP.

AARONSON'S PAWNSHOP has removed from Broad street to 1418 Government street, opposite Westholme Hotel.

PLASTERING.

PLASTERING CONTRACTOR—Wm. Hunter, plastering contractor, 311 Fort Street. Estimates free. Phone 12041.

PLUMBING AND HEATING.

VICTORIA PLUMBING CO., 1063 Pandora street, Phone 1475.

PICTURE FRAMING.

PICTURE FRAMING—The best and cheapest place to get your pictures framed is at the Victoria Art Emporium. A good selection of moulding in stock. Commercial work especially catered for. 581 Niagara street, Phone 1251.

POTTERY WARE, ETC.

SEWER PIPE, Field Ties, Grand Fire Clay, Flower Pot, etc. B. C. Pottery and Emporium, 404-406 Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

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ROCK BLASTING.

J. PAUL, contractor for rock blasting. 121 Quadra street, Victoria, B. C. m18

SCAVENGING.

VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO. Office, 1225 Government street, Phone 622. Ashes and garbage removed.

SHOE REPAIRING.

WE HAVE REMOVED our stock of men's boots and shoes to Oriental Alley. Prices low on high tops for 2 weeks only. Modern Shoe Repairing Co., Oriental Alley, opposite Bijou Theatre. m2

FOR BOOT REPAIRING call LANE.

James Day Shoe Shop, collections and deliveries, 508 Niagara street. m31

SHOW CARDS.

FOR YOUR window display show cards see Nicholas, 11 Hayes Block, Fort St. m2

STOVES, ETC.

STOVES, HEATERS, RANGES, bought, sold and exchanged. Foxford, 1009 Douglas, Phone 1180.

TAILORING.

AFTER DECIDING to have that suit, ladies and gents order where you get satisfaction at reasonable charges and can see them made. Union Labor Tailors, 730 Fort street, Phone 3556.

TEAMING.

McMILLAN TRANSFER CO., general teaming contractors, Morrison street, Phone 3360.

TRUCK AND DRAY.

VICTORIA TRUCK & DRAY CO. LTD.—Office and stables, 749 Broughton street. Telephone 13, 478, 778.

WATCHMAKERS AND JEWELLERS.

IVES & TELFER, successors to A. Peter, 107 Pandora street. English watch repairing a specialty. Jewellery manufactured and repaired. First-class work.

WATCH-REPAIRING—Expert work at reasonable prices.

Drop in and get an estimate. Max Kiburger, 600 Fort St. Look for the sign of the watch just east of Blanchard. m2

VACUUM CLEANERS.

THE POWER VACUUM CLEANER—Dust and stains removed. Phone 2429. W. M. I. GAGER—Phone 642, at Hawkins Hayward, 1597 Douglas St.

WANTED—Youth for general office work.

with knowledge of shorthand and typewriting preferred. Apply Box 670, Times. m2

WANTED—10 more experienced spring clothing salesmen.

Army & Navy Clothing Store, 593 Johnson St.

WANTED—Young man to keep ledgers.

State experience and wages. Box 1370, Times. m2

BOY WITH BICYCLE wanted after school hours.

on Saturdays. Apply Victoria Book & Stationery Co., Limited, 1000 Douglas St.

THE ELECTRIC TALKING SIGN is the modern advertising method.

Apply Penman, 309 Hibben-Bone Block, 912 Fort Street. m2

WANTED—A strong delivery boy who knows the city.

Apply Remington Typewriter Co., 216 Pemberton Bldg. m2

WANTED—Men and boys for free hair cuts and shaves.

at the Moler Barber College, 153 Johnson street, Victoria, B. C. (upstairs). m2

EXPRESSED ESTEEM FOR TWO WHO RETIRE

Addresses for Mrs. Lewis Hall and J. G. Brown Testify to Their Place

At the banquet given by the past and present members of the choir of the First Presbyterian church last evening, the following addresses were presented:

To J. G. Brown, choir-master of the First Presbyterian Church, Victoria, B. C.

We, the choir of First Presbyterian church, having heard of your resignation, take this opportunity of expressing our high esteem of you as a man and as one who always manifested rare ability in the management of the choir over which you have presided for 25 years.

It is said that singers are proverbially sensitive to criticism, but such has been your tact that in all those years there has been no friction or discord among the singers, but always concord and harmony.

As a singer your choir were always proud of their leader's mastery performance at public assemblies, and it is very gratifying for us to know that others than the choir and congregation of the First Presbyterian church appreciated your talents and ability as a singer.

It is an acknowledged fact that no choir-master has passed you on the road to public favor, during the quarter-century of your residence in our city, and the oratorios and concerts with which you favored the public were always popular, and a programme with J. G. Brown's name attached as conductor was invariably greeted with a crowded house.

The Burns concert which you inaugurated, 25 years ago, became historic and an annual treat to our citizens from the land of the hill and heather.

We wish you to accept this illuminated address, also this diamond pin as an expression of our last regard.

Signed on behalf of the choir, ROBERT MORRISON, Secretary-Treasurer, Victoria, B. C., May 2, 1913.

The address is a splendid work of art, the text is in old English letters with border of maple leaves and Scotch thistles, artistically interwoven, and is headed by the words "For Auld Lang Syne" over the first few bars of music of that world-wide song, Charles Bud-



MRS. LEWIS HALL

Men, whose work it is, has surpassed all previous efforts in this kind of work.

Address to Mrs. Hall, To Mrs. Lewis Hall, organist, First Presbyterian Church.

Dear Mrs. Hall,—It is with sincere regret that we, the choir of the First Presbyterian church, heard of your resignation as organist, the duties of which you have discharged for 21 years with great credit to yourself and entire satisfaction to the congregation.

In reflecting on the past it must be a source of gratification to you, as it is of pleasure to us, that ever since your appointment, unbroken harmony characterized the relation of organist and choir, which was not due so much to us as it was to you, for your good nature was always ready to make amends for what your good sense might see amiss.

Your accurate playing always inspired the choir with such confidence that they were able to rise to the highest degree of their ability, which gained for them considerable favor, not only with the congregation, but also with the public, both in sacred and secular programmes.

Those of us who ventured to appear as soloists at church services or at public gatherings, are greatly indebted to you, for, if through nervousness or some other cause, we weakened or were on the point of breaking down, your sensitive ear readily detected the danger, you at once came to our rescue, and with a few notes, timely and skillfully struck, you enabled us to recover ourselves and thus carried us through in safety. The applause which sometimes had been given to us at public functions, if the audience only knew, should have been given to you.

We know you did not occupy the position of organist for the pecuniary consideration attached thereto, but for the pleasure it gave you to assist the congregation in the service of praise. You were always faithful and punctual on Sabbath and at week evening rehearsals. Even while Dr. Hall was

mayor of the city, the highest gift at the disposal of the citizens, a position which carried with it considerable call on your time for public and social assemblies, you were as loyal to the choir, and as true to your position as organist as at any other time.

As a token of our best wishes and a souvenir of happy associations in the work of the choir and church, we desire you to accept this gold watch with best wishes to you and to your husband for a long, useful and happy life.

Signed on behalf of First Presbyterian church choir, ROBERT MORRISON, Secretary-Treasurer, CHRISTINA ROBERTSON, PETER GORDON, MARGARET L. GLEASON, DONALD A. FRASER, Victoria, B. C., May 2, 1913.

EXPECT APPEAL IN ARBITRATION CASE

Owners Are Not Satisfied With Decision of Majority

The result of the arbitration of Messrs. Bernath and A. H. Harman has been handed in to the city. This affects the right-of-way for the Sooke pipe line through this property near Humbuck bridge. The city offered \$500 and the arbitrators have awarded \$375.50.

The owners claim their ranch had been completely ruined by reason of conveniences for workmen which had been placed on their stream, and by reason of the provincial road being altered. They declare that the cost of hauling from their ranch is considerably increased, and that they are cut off from the stream by reason of the dam being erected for the reservoir.

The arbitrators have ruled that they cannot deal with the question of the fouling of the stream, holding that it should be taken up with the contractors, the Westholme Lumber Company.

W. J. Cox, the arbitrator for the owners, has not signed the award, which has the approval of Hugh Kennedy and James Forman. The question of appealing to the courts is now under consideration.

There is a great reduction in the prices allowed for land in this arbitration, compared with others in this district.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE REMAINS CONSTANT

Month of April Shows Normal Increase of Scholars in the City

The school attendance in the various departments during the month which has just elapsed maintained the increase which has prevailed for the past few months. The Boys' Central returns are not yet in. There is a duplication of it in the North Ward list, on account of the rearrangement of classes due to the temporary buildings elsewhere. The totals are as follows:

Table with columns for school names and attendance figures for April and March.

ONE COMMISSIONER ONLY

Inquiry into Condition of Quarantine Station Will Commence Shortly.

There will be one commissioner to look into the future of the William Head quarantine station and he will be a lawyer.

This announcement was made this morning by the president of the Board of Trade, J. J. Shalcross, who said that the commissioner's name would be announced as soon as the formal approval was received from Ottawa.

HEAVY POLL AT OAK BAY

Opinions Seem Evenly Divided on Golf Club and Park By-laws.

Owing to the keen interest of the Oak Bay residents in the by-laws upon which they are voting to-day an exceedingly heavy poll is being recorded. During the morning hours voting was light but from 12 o'clock on the ratepayers came to the school house in large numbers to express their opinions.

FULL INVESTIGATION COURTED BY DEFENCE

Prosecution Closed Case in Conspiracy Charge but Defence Will Call Witnesses

WILL BRING ALL THE DIRECTORS INTO BOX

Charges That Company Would Up by Directors Without Auditor's Report

H. B. Robertson, prosecutor of the conspiracy charge against F. C. Cook, J. O. Hearn and R. N. O'Connor, announced in police court this morning that his case was concluded so far as the preliminary hearing was concerned. Frank Higgins, defence counsel, stated that it was the duty of the prosecution to conduct a most searching inquiry and that his clients courted such action. An adjournment was finally ordered until Wednesday for the purpose of permitting Mr. Higgins to bring further evidence, and he intimated that all of the directors and the late manager, Godfrey Booth, would be called.

When Mr. Robertson stated that he would call no more witnesses Mr. Higgins expressed surprise.

Attorney-General's Orders. "I thought," he said, "the attorney-general appointed Mr. Robertson to conduct a searching investigation. It develops from the evidence of the late secretary of the Bankers' Trust, Mr. Allen, that at the directors' meeting in March Mr. Sarison stated that a short time previous Godfrey Booth, the manager, had told him that the Trust Company was in good financial condition.

"It appears from the evidence so far that the auditors in a report up to November stated that the company had over \$500,000 of assets, and that in the statement of the company's affairs, verified by Allen, the secretary, up to February 28, these assets had increased to \$400,000. That statement was filed with the inspector of trust companies. It is shown that the Negotiators, Limited, paid into the corporation's coffers approximately \$24,000 since December 1 and the prosecution has made no effort to show where this money has gone.

"The evidence shows that the action of the directors in ordering the company into liquidation was taken without an audit of the affairs of the corporation, without calling in the shareholders or conferring with Mr. Cook, the former vice-president. Secret Commissions. "It is likewise shown that among those directors who voted to put the company into liquidation were two who had received secret commissions. This action of the directors seriously affects the shareholders who put their good money into the company.

"In a conspiracy charge of this kind the prosecution should give the defence the fullest particulars, and as the evidence showed that the company was in a solvent condition, the only way to substantiate this evidence is by a complete audit of the Trust Company's books. It will be necessary for me to call further evidence in order that this thing may be fully investigated."

Not Told to Investigate. "I was not retained to make an inquiry into the company's affairs," stated Mr. Robertson. "All I am doing is prosecuting the charge against the defendants who are before the court. I should like to proceed before the next assizes this month."

An adjournment till Wednesday was directed by the magistrate, when Mr. Higgins will open his case. The auditors go into the books of the two companies Monday.

INSURANCE CONVENTION

Will Be a Feature of the Carnival Week in Victoria.

At the insurance men's convention which is to be held in connection with the Victoria Carnival week, the intention is to gather a number of prominent men together in the city who are interested in writing insurance. Papers on life, fire, accident and other forms of protection will be read by leading members of the profession, and it is intended that this feature will be a notable addition to the many attractions of the week. The meetings of the convention will probably be held in the Real Estate Exchange room.

RECEPTION TO PRESIDENT.

Graduates of Toronto University Will Entertain Head of Institution on Friday Evening.

A meeting of the graduates of Toronto University was held to-day at the Alexandra Club, when it was decided that, under the auspices of the Toronto Alumni Association of that institution, a reception would be held on Friday evening, May 9, at the Alexandra Club, to President Falconer, who, the same day, will address the Men's Canadian Club, at a luncheon to be given in his honor. It is expected that Chief Justice Hunter, who is the local president of the Toronto Alumni Association, will act as chairman of the reception committee, Dr. O'Neal being secretary. Rev. Joseph McCoy presided at to-day's meeting.

SPECIAL TO DUNCAN.

The officials of the E. & N. have arranged to dispatch an extra train from Victoria every Sunday morning for points as far north as Duncan. The special will leave here at 10 a. m., reaching Duncan at 12.15 p. m., returning, will leave Duncan at 6 p. m. and arrive at Victoria at 8 p. m.

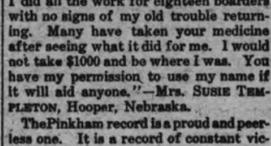
RECORD OF A GREAT MEDICINE

Doctors Could Not Help Mrs. Templeton—Regained Health through Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound.

Hooper, Nebraska.—"I am very glad to tell you Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has helped me. For five years I suffered from female troubles so I was scarcely able to do my work. I took doctors' medicines and used local treatments but was not helped. I had such awful bearing down pains and my back was so weak I could hardly walk and could not sleep. I often had to sit up nights to sleep and my friends thought I could not live long. At my request my husband got me a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I commenced to take it. By the time I had taken the seventh bottle my health had returned and I began doing my washing and was a well woman. Alone time for three weeks I did all the work for eighteen boarders with no signs of my old trouble returning. Many have taken your medicine after seeing what it did for me. I would not take \$1000 and be where I was. You have my permission to use my name if it will aid anyone."—Mrs. SUSIE TEMPLETON, Hooper, Nebraska.

The Pinkham record is a proud and peerless one. It is a record of constant victory over the obstinate ills of woman—ills that deal out despair.

It is an established fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored health to thousands of such suffering women. Why don't you try it if you need such a medicine!



At Philadelphia— R. H. E. New York 2 3 1 Philadelphia 3 5 1 Batteries—Mathewson and Meyers, Wilson; Chalmers and Killifer, Doolin. At Brooklyn— R. H. E. Boston 4 7 3 Brooklyn 4 7 2 Batteries—Gervais and Whaling; Rucker and Houper. At Pittsburg— R. H. E. St. Louis 6 14 0 Pittsburg 3 11 2 Batteries—Steele, Harmon and McLean; O'Toole, Robinson and Simon. At Chicago— R. H. E. Cincinnati 9 13 9 Chicago 4 9 0 Batteries—Benton, Suggs and Clarke; Overall, Lavender and Archer. AMERICAN LEAGUE. At Boston— R. H. E. Washington 2 9 2 Boston 1 4 2 Batteries—Engle, Johnson and Almsmith; Bedient and Cady, Nunemaker. At New York— R. H. E. Philadelphia 8 13 0 New York 6 8 4 Batteries—Houck, Bush and Thomas; Schuit, Keating, Klopfer and Sweeney.

CARNIVAL COMMITTEE PLANS WATER EVENTS

Decorated Houseboat Competition to Be Special Feature; 3,000 Lanterns Ordered

The carnival committee decided to-day upon the order of the water events on the programme, and intend to conclude the arrangements in connection with the sports programme on Monday, while the naval and military part of the proceedings will be the next feature to be discussed.

Tentative Programme. Under auspices of Royal Victoria Yacht Club: Hathaway cup, long distance race—Seattle to Victoria, yachts only. Long distance motor boat—Vancouver to Victoria, challenge race. Lipton cup—triangular races for open four, double sculls, single sculls, club fours, club singles; final, open fours, double sculls, single sculls, club fours, club singles. There will be a ladies' four-oared race.

Royal Canadian Navy: Whalers' race, cutters' race, all comers' race, greasy pole, prize for the best decorated copper punt.

Swimming, Amateur. Royal Life Saving Society and Y. M. C. A.: 100 yards, boys under 16; 50 yards, girls under 16; 200 metres, club team race, 100 yards; scientific exhibition of swimming; life-saving demonstration; diving; water polo match; obstacle races; team races, army and navy; comical sketch by members of his Majesty's navy.

Canoe Races. Y. M. C. A.: Men's singles, tandem, fours, ladies' and men's tandem, ladies' tandem, hurry-scurry tandem, gunwale tandem, club race, tilting tandem and other comical features.

The water events programme is particularly attractive, and on the Saturday evening an illuminated parade, for which three thousand lanterns, which will be on sale in a local store where those wishing may obtain any number they require, are being provided by the committee. The Vancouver Rowing Club has announced its intention of putting in a four, a double and a single for the rowing events, Messrs. Redfern & Son having sent in designs for medals for prizes. The Hathaway cup, originally intended for the decorated houseboat competition, has been transferred to the international, at long distance event, a special prize, probably in the form of a shield, to take its place.

Order of Beavers.—This evening Victoria Colony, No. 1, B. P. O. B., will hold social and smoker following regular business at Eagles hall, Government street.

To Meet Monday.—The Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter will meet at the Alexandra Club on Monday at 7.30 p. m.

Orphanage Committee.—The ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphanage will meet at the home for business on Monday at 2.30 p. m.

Lady Douglas Chapter.—The Lady Douglas Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire will meet on Monday afternoon at 2.30 at the King's Daughters' rest room, Courtney street.

To Speak at Y. W. C. A.—Miss Ratte, of the Social Service League, Toronto, will speak to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A., corner Quadra street and Caledonia streets, to young women. On Monday afternoon she will speak in St. Andrew's church to women only.

Many Expected.—Court Vancouver, A. O. F., is to meet Monday at 8 p. m. at the A. O. F. hall. Bro. E. Matthews will preside as chief ranger. Many visitors are expected from sister courts.

Building Permit.—A building permit has been granted to James Knight for a house on Finlayson street, costing \$250.

Barilloux Remanded.—John Barilloux, charged with stealing a watch and \$24 from the room of C. Richardson in View street, was remanded until Monday by Magistrate Jay this morning to enable him to get a lawyer.

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NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

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Bennet in the first scored a home run, Heister scoring another home run in the fourth. In the ninth Walsh and Scharnweber scored for Vancouver and Ingersoll took McCreezy's place when Victoria went to bat in the ninth.

A bad decision in the ninth Vancouver inning started the ball rolling. Walsh claimed he was hit when he was not and Umpire Casey let him go to first.

In Victoria's part of ninth Lamb and Meek walked and Morse went to bat for Wilson. The game was then called in order to allow Vancouver to catch boat to Seattle.

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William J. Batchelder Pays \$5,000 and Admits Guilt; Many Investors Ruined

Los Angeles, Cal., May 3.—A plea of guilty and a fine of \$5,000 resulted today in the freeing of William J. Batchelder in connection with the failure of the Cleveland Oil Company, a \$1,500,000 crash in which many small investors lost everything they had two years ago.
Batchelder was secretary of the com-

pany. He was indicted with Grant Gillette, Thomas Montgomery, Edson France and William A. France. The latter two were of Cleveland, Ohio, and the strain incident to the investigation of the company's affair by the government resulted in the death of William A. France.
Batchelder pleaded guilty and was fined after physicians had testified that prison confinement would cause his death from tuberculosis. The cases against the other men are pending.

FRENCH ARMY STRENGTH.
Paris, May 3.—The French government, although it has not been officially announced, intends, in view of the European situation and increased German army, to keep this year three hundred men under the colors for the present. The premier is expected to make this announcement at once.

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Special News

PRICE CHANGES WERE FAIR ACTIVITY THIS GENERAL RAINS HAVE

SMALL AT NEW YORK
Uncertain Foreign Situation Causes Delay on Wall Street of New Orders

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, May 3.—Price changes as a result of the day's trading were inconsequential and the disposition to refrain from making new commitments on account of the uncertainty of the foreign situation and the possibility of a ruling on the U. P. dissolution matter Monday was quite pronounced.

The bank statement was not quite as good as anticipated but the actual exhibits denoted moderate improvement. In addition to the prospective developments in European circles, the Union Pacific matter is scheduled for next week, the government crop report, also the copper producers' statement and then, too, the tariff bills, should pass the House, so it is not unlikely that there will be occurrences of sufficient influence to force the stock market out of the rut.

Table with columns: High, Low, Bid, Asked. Lists various commodities like Amal. Copper, Ann. Beet Sugar, etc.

Lucky Jim Again Takes Precedence With Stock Buyers Locally
Victoria, May 3.—The list manifested fair activity this morning on the local stock exchange, Lucky Jim taking precedence and quoting even stronger than yesterday. The reason for the advance of the last two days is not generally known except that the annual meeting of the company was scheduled to take place May 1, and had presumably satisfactory results. International Coal closes strong for the week-end and the demand for this issue is improving.

Coronation Gold, while showing moderate activity, is lacking in initiative movement. Rambler Caribou, despite glowing despatches regarding the property, has a sagging tendency.

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Operations in Chicago Timid Until Monday; May Price Off
Chicago, May 3.—Dominating influence in the local wheat trade today was the appearance of quite general rains over a portion of the western wheat country, reports of quite heavy rainfall over a few sections of Kansas, and a general feeling in the trade based on the southwest messages that the unsettled conditions may result in rainfall sufficiently widespread and important to check the threatened chinch bug damage over the entire southwest. It will take the weather map till Monday to show whether the crop is to have needed relief of this kind. That there is some doubt about it was shown by the timid sort of bear operations in the market for the day, the May price off to 90¢ with rally to 91¢ and July on a split over 91¢ cents at the close. The Liverpool cable at the close for the week was 1/2 to 1/4 higher.

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NEW YORK COTTON

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Lists cotton prices for various months.

TORONTO STOCKS

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MARKET UP EIGHTH CLOSES UNCHANGED

Receipts of Wheat at Winnipeg Falling Off; To-day 300 in Sight
Winnipeg, May 3.—The market opened up to unchanged and was very steady, but not particularly active during morning. There is no lack of bearish crops but the tension in European politics gives considerable support to what otherwise appears a weak market. Outside steady. Flax is weaker and declined about 1 cent. There is not much activity in either cash or export circles, the demand is fair and offerings a little freer. Milder weather prevails over the West. Receipts are falling off fast, and to-day consisted of 123 cars inspected and 300 in sight.

Table with columns: Open, Close. Lists various market items like Wheat, Flax, etc.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

Chicago, May 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; market steady; western, \$2.06-\$2.90; Texas stockers and feeders, \$2.65-\$3.00; cows and heifers, \$2.00-\$2.50; calves, \$2.50-\$3.00. Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market steady to a shade lower; bulk of sales, \$3.40-\$3.55; light, \$3.20-\$3.35; mixed, \$3.30-\$3.50; heavy, \$3.50-\$3.65; rough, \$3.50-\$3.65; pigs, \$2.00-\$2.50.

STOCK FLASHES

Boston—Do not expect any further improvement in market at this time.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS

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TEN YEARS FOR SAFE BLOWING AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, May 3.—Finding H. I. Jackson, aged about 25 years, guilty of participating in blowing open the safe of the Diamond Liquor Company on Main on March 17 and being one of the trio who darted from the store and opened a running revolver fight with the police, Judge McInnes yesterday sentenced the accused to ten years penal servitude.
Jackson was first arraigned on a charge of stealing cloth from a Japanese named 'Tanaka' worth \$300, also for having goods in his possession knowing them to have been stolen. The judge found the accused guilty on the second and third counts.

GIRL'S PORTRAIT TO BE ON AMERICAN CURRENCY

New York, May 3.—Miss Evelyn James, of San Antonio, Texas, an art student here, is receiving the congratulations of her friends, as she is the girl whose portrait is likely to become more popular than any other. It is safe to say her picture will be in every American home, as it will appear exclusively on Uncle Sam's paper money. It was recently selected by a committee of congress as the central feminine figure of a decorative group on the reverse side of the new currency.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Table with columns: Bid, Asked. Lists various Montreal stocks like Montreal, Dominion, etc.

LOCAL MINING NEWS

The working forces at the Rambler Caribou mine and mill of the Rambler Caribou Company is being increased from 25 to 30, according to a report from the property in the St. Charles division of British Columbia. Men are to be employed on every one of the various levels of the mine where operation will be engaged in stages, the production will undergo an important increase. Operation of the mill is proceeding day and night. Its operation has been increased to capacity, which is about 100 tons a day. The increase has been made possible by higher temperatures which have released the water necessary for operation. A large crusher and tables are to be installed. It is proposed to make a record in the production of both crude and concentrated ore.

NEW YORK MONEY

New York, May 3.—Money on call nominal; no loans. Time loans strong; 90 days, 3 3/4 per cent; 60 days, 4 1/4 per cent; 30 days, 4 1/4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business at \$4.86 1/2 for 60 days, and at \$4.86 1/2 for demand. Commercial bills, \$4.83. Bar silver, 67 1/2. Mexican dollars, 88. Bonds—Government steady; railroads irregular.

NEW YORK SUGAR

New York, May 3.—Raw sugar steady; Muscovado, \$2.50; centrifugal, \$3.30; \$3.30; molasses, \$2.60; refined sugar steady.

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Results of Judging at Horse Show on Second Evening
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Class 31, trotters, single—1, Canadian Girl, J. McTavish, Vancouver; 2, Myrtle Mac, Dixie H. Ross & Co., Victoria; 3, Babe, Lieut. Guntill, Victoria.
Class 51a, high steppers, pairs—1, Sunbeam and Sunrise, Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Vancouver; 2, Hillcrest Diamond and Hillcrest Dandy, A. Laidlaw, Victoria; 3, Lady Galore and Pepper Pot, D. C. McGregor, Vancouver.
Class 63, lady's saddle horse—1, Rosalind, A. Laidlaw, Victoria; 2, Why Not, Count de Roules and Count de Charmance, Calgary; 3, Garry Owen, Fred Lewis, Vancouver.
Class 45, runabout—1, Union Jack, J. D. Farrell, Portland; 2, Hillcrest Dandy, A. Laidlaw, Victoria; 3, Sir Hector, Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Vancouver.
Class 79, jump 5 feet—1, Rob Roy, J. Macmillan, Vancouver.
Class 25, city delivery, pairs—1, Myrtle Mac and Lady Dixie, Dixie H. Ross & Co., Victoria; 2, Glowing Rose and Prince, Royal Dairy, Victoria; 3, Charlie & John, F. R. Stewart & Co., Victoria.
Class 56, tandem—1, Evelyn Empress and Eileen Surprise, S. J. Howe, Vancouver; 2, Ambassador and Lady Mathias, A. Laidlaw, Victoria.
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Class 31, pacers, pairs—1, Altacor and Glad Wren, I. Reed, Vancouver; 2, Richard Lou and Lullu, H. M. Fullerton, Victoria; 3, Minnie May and Sadie Q. L. Tait, Victoria.
Class 75, hunters—1, Sioux, Count de Roules and Count de Charmance, Calgary; 2, Premier, J. D. Farrell, Portland; 3, Killarney, Col. and Mrs. A. D. McRae, Vancouver.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHORIR MADE PRESENTATIONS

Mrs. Lewis Hall, Organist, and J. G. Brown, Choirmaster, Banqueted Last Evening

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Event Marked First Farewell in Connection With Removal to New Building

The presentation of a gold watch to Mrs. Lewis Hall and of a diamond tie-pin to J. G. Brown, together with an illuminated address for each of the recipients, last evening marked the gratitude of the present and past choir members of the First Presbyterian church to their organist and choirmaster, who are retiring from active participation in the musical portion of the services on Sunday next.

The presentation took place at a banquet tendered by the members of the choir and on the excellently devised programme was inscribed the dates in which they have officiated so faithfully and loyally for many years:

Mrs. Lewis Hall, organist from 1892 to 1913.
 Mr. J. G. Brown, choirmaster from 1888 to 1913.

The former has completed just twenty years' work in the church, while the latter has had the choir under his direction for a quarter of a century.

and by Alexander Wilson, who has easily the longest record as a parishioner. These veterans were reminiscent of happenings in the church forty years ago, and it was eminently just and fitting therefore that their names should be linked with the toast, "The First Presbyterian Church."

Early Days.

In proposing the toast Dr. Reid moulded his remarks more or less into the form of an auto-biographical sketch, and inasmuch as the greater part of this dealt with his early struggle in the first days of the First Presbyterian church, his observations were aptly appropos. He recounted the romantic happenings and combination of circumstances which had led him to seek health in the far west, where he had found not only the recuperation which he sought, but a pastorate which he soon learned to love. He thought it a great record that during the years in which the First Presbyterian church had fought its way upward from the lowliest beginnings, there had never been a quarrel nor anything untoward that might chance to mar the smooth working of affairs in the community. He concluded by invoking the blessing of Providence on



J. G. BROWN

the future which was to be worked out beneath another roof.

The Difficulties.

Alexander Wilson, who followed, was humorous over the early difficulties. He recalled how the first choir had consisted of a soloist, or perhaps he should say "precentor." He was an excellent man, only he knew nothing whatever about music. But his duties were not confined to the singing alone, and he was required to discharge manifold other occupations, which included sweeping out the church, ringing the bell for service and making himself generally useful. Mr. Wilson's remark to the effect that this first precentor was a peculiar fellow because he came from Orkney was greeted with a roar of laughter, as it is well known that Orkney was the birthplace of the present pastor, Rev. J. G. Inkster, who was present. Mr. Inkster bowed his acknowledgments. Mr. Wilson paid striking tributes to the organist and choirmaster, "who

had carried on a good work which spoke for itself to all the world."

An Important Slide.

Rev. J. G. Inkster said that he appreciated the services which had been rendered by the guests of the evening, but he valued their fidelity still more. They could rest satisfied in their retirement that they carried thither with them the goodwill and deep regard of everyone who had come into contact with them during their long years of work; virtue carried its own reward. For his part, he deemed it a great honor to be allowed to labor and serve in the oldest Presbyterian church west of Winnipeg, a church which was associated with so many traditions and memories of a helpful and inspiring nature. He expressed great optimism for the future of the church, and while there was no doubt that to-day many kind words facing all sorts of upheavals of a social, political and religious character, it was their duty to go right ahead in spite of all. He remarked that the musical side of the service was in these days of aestheticism, perhaps the most important of all.

The Toasts.

The toast of the choir was proposed by R. S. Thompson in a felicitous little speech, while R. Morrison, the secretary-treasurer, suitably responded, and gave some interesting statistics of what the choir had done in the last fifteen years and of the manner in which they had helped to expunge the church's debt. "Our Honored Guests" gave Mr. Cochran an opportunity of confiding some of the earlier exploits of the choirmaster and himself in their early days in Victoria, while later R. C. Wilson kept the whole audience in a continuous roar of merriment with his reminiscences of happenings at choir practices. C. H. Lugin replied to the toast of "The Press," which was proposed by Mr. Fraser.

Sung "Golden Memories."

The harmony of the evening was contributed to by P. Gordon, who sang "A Man's Man"; by J. G. Brown, who was vociferously cheered for his rendering of the very appropriate song, "Golden Memories"; D. Houghton, who gave an excellent rendering of the ever popular "Humoresque" on the violin, and R. Morrison, who sang "When Other Lips," and a patriotic song which had been composed by Mrs. Lewis Hall, and the words by a member of the choir, Mr. Gordon. A quartette by four choir members and a song by Mrs. Butler brought to a close a very enjoyable evening.

The last services in the old church will be held on Sunday morning and evening.

a commencement with the building of the new Normal school, and in that institution he expected that there would be accommodation for a school of domestic science, and he had in view two good teachers for it. There would also be attached to the school a manual training department.

Reverting to university education the minister said he had been much struck on making inquiries in Montreal and Toronto to ascertain that in these universities 200 boys and girls of this province were receiving their education. That was a proof, in his opinion, of the necessity of starting the university at an early date to assist those who were not in a position to go east for a higher education. These remarks were made at the closing meeting of the course, when reports were received from the chairman of the educational work, G. Burridge, and the secretary, C. G. Raymond.

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