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### KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 30.—Two men were killed to-night by the explosion of a tank in the electric light plant at the Broad street station of the Pennsylvania railroad. The dead are Geo. D. Tolinger, foreman, and George Hoey, engineer.

The tank that exploded contained water and air, and was used to regulate the running of elevators. Broad street station was filled with passengers when the explosion occurred. The shock of the explosion shook the building, and the lights went out, causing some excitement and much confusion. Passengers had much difficulty in finding trains. In consequence of the accident all trains departed late.

### FIGHT AT WARSAW.

Three Killed and Many Wounded in Fight Between Troops and Workmen.

Warsaw, Russia, May 1.—Three persons were killed and many were wounded in a conflict here this afternoon between troops and workmen at the copper or Helason and Jeroshinska streets.

### YELLOW FEVER CAUSED DEATH.

New York, May 1.—A dispatch received here from Panama announces the death there from yellow fever of Chief Architect Johnson, attached to the canal staff. He was formerly employed as architect by the Illinois Central railway.

## RUSSIAN SQUADRON AGAIN LOCATED

### LYING SOME DISTANCE FROM KAMRANH BAY

Linevitch Reports That Two of His Forces Drove Japs From Five Consecutive Positions.

(Associated Press.) Saigon, May 1.—The Russian squadron is lying off Port Dayet (forty miles north of Kamranh Bay) and in Buhkang Bay (near Kamranh Bay) outside of territorial waters.

### APPARENTLY PREPARING SHIPS FOR SEA.

Hongkong, April 30.—Steamer Stettin, which has arrived here, sighted from thirty to forty vessels of the Russian second Pacific squadron in Honkoko Bay. Amam (about 50 miles north of Kamranh Bay) on Thursday afternoon.

### VESSELS REPORTED NEAR ISLAND OF HAINAN.

Tsingtau, Shantung Peninsula, China, May 1.—It is reported that the Russian second Pacific squadron, together with the Russian third Pacific squadron, are near the Island of Hainan.

### MAY JOIN FORCES ON FRIDAY MORNING.

London, May 1.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent says that the Russian second and third squadrons will join forces on the morning of May 5th.

The fifth native loan of \$50,000,000 has been over subscribed five times, and the financial position now permits of a resumption of the construction of the Central railway throughout Japan, which was stopped at the beginning of the war.

### JAPANESE WERE DRIVEN FROM POSITIONS.

St. Petersburg, April 30.—Gen. Linevitch, in a message to Emperor Nicholas, says: "Two Russian forces on the night of April 29th simultaneously attacked the Japanese near the town of Tungshuang, driving them from five consecutive positions and occupying Tungshuang."

### THE POSITIONS OF JAPANESE FORCES.

Gunshu Pass, Manchuria, April 30.—The Russian army here celebrated its second Easter in the field with the national religious services and observances. Special Easter feasts were prepared for the soldiers, giving them a respite from their usual duties wherever possible.

Information obtained from prisoners and captured mails shows that the disposition of the Japanese armies is as follows:

Gen. Nodda—In the region between the Pass and Kaityan.

Gen. Oku—From Fakomin to Chang-tu.

Gen. Kuroki—From Tie Pass eastward of the railway.

Gen. Kawamura—Northwest of Mukden.

The weakest force of the Japanese is in the region about Mukden, while the principal concentration is in the region of Tie Pass. The flanks are guarded by mixed bands of Japanese and Chinese bandits.

### PREPARING FOR CEREMONY IN TOKIO.

Tokio, April 30.—An elaborate ceremony will begin on Wednesday and end on Friday, when the names of 30,800 soldiers and sailors of Japan killed prior to the battle of Mukden will be enshrined in the Spokonsha temple. Many kinsmen and acquaintances of the victims of the war are assembling in Tokio to participate in the ceremony, and are being shown special consideration. They will be special guests of the government. Flags of the Russian cruiser Varig, which was sunk in the first naval battle of the war, and a standard captured at Mukden are on exhibition in the temple. The Emperor and Empress of Japan will attend the ceremony on Thursday, and the Crown Prince and Princess will be present on Friday.

### THOUSANDS OF WOUNDED SOLDIERS AT IRKUTSK.

Irkutsk, Siberia, April 30.—On account of the inadequacy of accommodations for the wounded soldiers from Manchuria, of whom there are twenty thousand here, and more are arriving daily, club houses and school houses have been converted into hospitals.

Provisions, and especially bread, are scarce, owing to the military pressure on the Trans-Siberian railroad.

### FORMER ASSISTANT DEFENDS M. WITTE.

St. Petersburg, May 1.—M. Anguirff,

formerly an assistant of M. Witte, president of the committee of ministers, undertakes the defence of his former chief against the charges that he was in any manner responsible for the Manchurian events which brought on the war. On the contrary M. Anguirff proves by means of hitherto unpublished documents that M. Witte opposed the Manchurian plans throughout in the most energetic manner, intimating in fact that it was really his opposition to the schemes in the Far East which led to his downfall as finance minister.

## EASTER SUNDAY PASSED OFF QUIETLY

### NO DISTURBANCES REPORTED IN RUSSIA

The Authorities Throughout the Country Have Taken Steps to Deal With Any Outbreak.

### AT WARSAW.

Warsaw, April 30.—Easter Sunday passed without incident. The authorities have taken all precautions against disturbances to-morrow. Sixty thousand troops are available, but the military commanders have been ordered to use the utmost moderation should the services of the soldiers be required. The governor-general of Warsaw has asked the foreign consuls here to recommend that foreigners keep within doors to-morrow.

### IN MOSCOW.

Moscow, April 30.—Easter Sunday passed with the usual festivities, but not the slightest indication of disorder.

### PASSED QUIETLY.

Odesa, April 30.—Easter Sunday passed quietly. No demonstrations were attempted.

### ANOTHER QUIET DAY.

St. Petersburg, May 1.—Glorious Easter weather is reported generally throughout European Russia, with bright sun and sunshine in St. Petersburg. Everything was perfectly calm during the early hours, the crowds devoting themselves to feasting and the traditional merry-making. Here and there children are dancing in the streets and court yards to the accompaniment of the music of accordions and jankikas (russian guitars).

### PAROLS ON DUTY.

Warsaw, May 1.—Business here is suspended. No tram cars or cabs are moving. The authorities have stopped the telephone service. The streets are crowded but everything was quiet up to noon. Many patrols are on the streets and a strong force is guarding the Jewish quarter.

### IN OLD CHURCHES.

Moscow, May 1.—The removal of religious disabilities by the Imperial decree enabled the old believers of Moscow to celebrate Easter in their churches of the Rogozki quarter. The altars, which had been enclosed for 40 years, were unsealed in the presence of the autocrats. Many priceless paintings and ikons were found to be irretrievably ruined.

### FATAL QUARREL.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, May 1.—Another murder is reported from Wright county, up the Gatineau, in the township of Lew. Napoleon Welsh and Calista Charroon had quarrelled, and Charroon shot and killed Welsh. The sheriff of Hull has left to arrest Charroon.

## THE TEAMSTERS' STRIKE IN CHICAGO

### EFFORTS TO SETTLE TROUBLE HAVE FAILED

Labour Federation Calls on the President, Governor Deneen and Mayor Dunne to Investigate Conditions.

(Associated Press.) Chicago, April 30.—Chicago had on working clothes to-day as a result of the teamsters' strike, which to-day failed of spreading and of settlement. From daylight until dark down town streets were crowded with heavily laden wagons, giving the city a week day appearance. Believing that the fight now going on for supremacy between the Employers' Association of Chicago and the union teamsters is to be a protracted one, business men to-day sought to procure an extra stock of materials and supplies. While all these preparations were going on for an emergency, efforts were making in Mayor Dunne's office at the city hall to bring about a peaceable adjustment of the teamsters' strike. Early in the afternoon a committee representing the employers' association, met Mayor Dunne's peace committee, consisting of Bishop C. P. Anderson, of the Episcopal church, Jenkin Lloyd Jones, of All Soul's church, Dr. Hirsch, of Sinai temple, Miss Jane Adams, of Hull house, and Dr. Cornelius Dubuy.

The Chicago Federation of Labor was also busy considering the strike situation, but no action was taken to spread the strike to the affiliated unions. Believing that the teamsters are justified in the fight they are making, the federation passed a resolution requesting President Roosevelt, Governor Deneen and Mayor Dunne to investigate the existing conditions in Chicago before complying with any request made for the use of militia in the city during the present difficulty.

The peace committee appointed by the mayor yesterday failed utterly in its efforts to bring about a settlement of the strike. The plan for an armistice of forty-eight hours was rejected by both sides early in the conference, as was also an offer later made by the representatives of the labor men, who asked that a committee of five citizens be appointed to arbitrate the matter. The peace committee issued this statement:

"The representatives of the employers refused to accept any commission or agency of arbitration which was suggested, while the laboring men declared their readiness to acquiesce in the plan of submitting the controversy to persons commanding the respect and confidence of the community."

Early to-day five hundred men and strikers headed by sympathizers attacked the main stables of the employers' teaming company, and stamped the animals. This was a violation of the federal injunction issued by Judge Kohlsaat.

William and Harry Grady, picture frame manufacturers, were shot early to-day and severely wounded through a misunderstanding. Some time ago these men supplied Montgomery, Ward & Company with picture frames, but their contract expired several months ago. It is said by the police that strike sympathizers who were of the belief that the Gradys were still connected with the Ward Company made the attack on the two men.

### Other Trades.

Chicago, May 1.—May day dawned on Chicago with every indication of labor peace except for the garment workers and teamsters' strike. A similar condition has not existed since 1886. All the building trades, representing more than 50,000 workers, begin work to-day under said by the police that strike sympathizers who were of the belief that the Gradys were still connected with the Ward Company made the attack on the two men.

Chicago, May 1.—The death list in the teamsters' strike is increasing. Police Sergeant Richard Cummins, who was injured while in charge of a squad of police guarding a number of wagons on the way to the strike affected district, died to-night. During one of the many riots growing out of the strike he was knocked under the feet of horses attached to a carriage, and was crushed beneath the vehicle's wheels.

### FOR HIGHER WAGES.

Several Thousand Men in New York Will Strike This Week.

(Associated Press.)

New York, May 1.—May day strikes here will be lacking this year in the building trades, but before the week end thirty to thirty-five thousand men may quit work in various vocations in the hope of forcing an increased wage.

The immigration hospital at Quebec, owned by the Dominion government, was burned to the ground this morning, involving a loss of \$50,000. The origin of the fire is supposed to have been defective electric wiring. The hospital had only been opened a few days.

## KING AND PRESIDENT.

His Majesty Entertained to Dinner by M. Loubet.

(Associated Press.)

Paris, April 30.—The exchange of official visits between King Edward and President Loubet to-day was marked with the utmost cordiality, the conversations on each occasion lasting twenty minutes. President Loubet previously had received Foreign Minister Delescluse, whom King Edward afterwards accorded a long audience.

President Loubet's dinner in honor of King Edward at the Palace of the Elysee this evening was a brilliant function, entirely non-political in character. There were one hundred and twenty guests and nearly the entire diplomatic corps were present, including the British, American and German ambassadors. There were no speeches.

## NAN PATTERSON

Will Probably Know Her Fate Within Thirty-Six Hours.

(Associated Press.)

New York, May 1.—Nan Patterson probably will know her fate within 36 hours. To-day there remained only the closing scenes in the trial to be enacted. That there would be no defence had been announced before the court reconvened to-day. Her counsel were satisfied that the state had signally failed in its efforts to prove that she murdered Caesar Young, her lover, they said, and were content to stand or fall by what evidence had been submitted. The defendant agreed fully with her attorneys, and expressed the firmest faith that her troubles were rapidly nearing an end.

"I feel that I have spent my last Sunday in the toms," she said to-day, while ready to go to court. "To-morrow I will go home. I want freedom."

## FATAL COLLISION ON CANADIAN PACIFIC

Firemen of Passenger and Freight Trains Killed and Engineers Injured—Passengers Unhurt.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, May 1.—C. P. R. passenger train, due here on Sunday, collided with a freight train near Clanwilliam on Saturday afternoon.

Eastwood and Scott, firemen of both trains, were killed. McNab and Macrop, engineers, were injured. None of the passengers were hurt. The train arrived here 2:30 this morning.

## WINNIPEG NOTES.

Rev. Dr. Bryce Starts for Victoria—Agricultural Prospects—Rush of Immigrants.

(Associated Press.)

Winnipeg, May 1.—Rev. Dr. Bryce went to-day to Victoria, B. C., for the purpose of attending the synod of British Columbia and Alberta in connection with Manitoba College matters. Rev. Dr. Milligan, moderator of the general assembly, is also on his way to be present at this synod.

## Bright Outlook.

Rain is falling throughout Alberta. Agricultural prospects are the best in many years, and farmers are jubilant. Ranchmen are very much stimulated by the sudden advance in cattle to four cents for export.

## Immigration.

The stream of Western immigration has become so heavy that difficulty is experienced at different points in carrying the all the immigrants. Many homesteads are being taken up and real estate purchases in large bodies are numerous. Trade conditions generally are improving.

## SEVERAL CHANGES IN THE CIVIL SERVICE

Chief Clerk of Lands Department Asked to Resign—Ladysmith Office to Be Closed.

The chief clerk of the lands department, B. H. John, is likely to retire from the public service. Mr. John has held the position for over twenty years. The government, it is understood, has asked for his resignation, the reason for it not being made public. It is denied, however, that this course was taken as a result of the Kitimaat lands investigation.

The resignation of Mr. John is not known to have been put in. The government office at Ladysmith will be closed May 5th, and in future the business carried on there will be done from the Nanaimo office. The creation of Ladysmith into a municipality has done away with a great deal of the work connected with that office, and henceforth the business there will be transacted from Nanaimo. Geo. Thomson, the present government agent at Ladysmith, will be transferred from Ladysmith to Victoria. He will enter the assessor's office here as an assistant to Assessor Worsfold. S. McE Smith will devote his attention to work outside the Victoria district.

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## MISSIONARY AND HOSPITAL SERVICE

### DEDICATION OF NEW BOAT FOR THE WORK

Highly Important Duty Which Lies Before the Steamer Columbia—An Interesting Ceremony.

On Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the new missionary steamer Columbia was dedicated by Bishop Perrin, assisted by the city clergy and the choir of Christ Church cathedral. A big crowd attended. The steamer lay at the Dominion wharf with flags floating gaily to the breeze. On the wharf close by the choir boys gathered, and as the hour of seven bells was tolled off the hymn "O Hear Us When We Cry to Thee, For Those in Peril on the Sea" was sung. Mr. Pauline assisted on the small organ of the steamer, which had been brought ashore for the purpose.

Bishop Perrin then read the service. He stood on the deck of the little steamer before the crowd assembled, surrounded by Revs. Canon Heanlands, Bangh Allan, Miller, Johns, Sweet, Cooper, Ard and Antle, skipper of the gospel steamer, Dr. Hutton, who is also engineer, and the two other members of the crew.

Rev. Canon Heanlands read the lesson from St. Mark, ch. 45-53. After the singing of another hymn and prayer, His Lordship formally dedicated the steamer in the missionary service. In his subsequent remarks, he expressed regret that nothing had been done by the church on the northeast coast of the Island. But the work among the logging camps was growing more important. The Columbia is free of debt. Half the money has been subscribed by the Canadian Mission Association and the remainder by the local diocese. Grants have been made for carrying on the work this year, and numerous associations have presented various articles. Essentially, His Lordship was sure the work would be self-supporting.

One hundred have already consented to subscribe 50 cents a month, but it would be necessary to get additional funds. His Lordship then referred to the service which will be performed by the little craft, and to those in charge.

Dr. Hutton is a recent arrival from Winnipeg. He was the surgeon-in-charge of the Garfield Memorial hospital at Washington, D. C. He is well qualified to assume the duties of his new position. Besides having charge of the coast mission, he will act as navigator of the Columbia, a post he is enabled to take because of the nautical education he acquired previous to his ministerial studies. He had expected to follow navigation as a profession, and consequently learned how to master a craft. He is the designer of the Columbia, and that his plans were well conceived are apparent from the appearance of the boat and the seeming adaptability of the steamer for the mission and hospital service.

She is intended for non-denominational service, but in her cabin is a communion table, necessary for the Anglican service wherever she is conducted. There is a small organ, a library and a seating capacity in the cabin when camp chairs are introduced for fifty or sixty people. There are two hospital bays, one in either corner of the cabin, with folding beds, and Dr. Hutton has in stock a complete surgical outfit and a good supply of remedies. Indeed never before on the Pacific Coast was so useful a boat put into service.

Her field for operating is a very large and important one. From Alert Bay to Texada Island there is a coast line 100 miles long with innumerable inlets, and with a scattered population between logging and mining camps of 3,000 people. In addition to the religious benefits, the Columbia will accomplish a great deal of good in hospital work. At present if a man is injured anywhere along the coast mentioned he is not within easy reach of surgical aid. It requires three or four days sometimes to secure the assistance, oftentimes wanted in emergency within a few hours or minutes. This has long been a condition of affairs of which there appeared no solution. The Columbia will remedy this to a great extent.

At Rock Bay, in the central part of the district named, a hospital will be erected, which is being constructed in sections by the Hastings mill. It will have six beds, and will be in charge of a professional nurse, a probationer and an orderly.

The Columbia will remain in port until Wednesday morning, when she will proceed to Nanaimo, where the two hospital bays will be completed. There are various articles still needed in her furnishing, to which attention was called in Saturday's Times. This when given will be very acceptable.

From Smolensk, Russia, an offer has been received by heads of certain German educational establishments, of cheap skeletons for sale, well bleached, 4. 85 each. The ordinary price of skeletons in Berlin is from thirty to fifty shillings.

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HOUSEHOLDER. WILD MAN SHOT. Mistaken For Bear on the Beach While Digging Clams and Was Wounded.

Pilot Owens, who has just returned from Union, tells of the shooting of a wild man on the beach by a passing Indian.

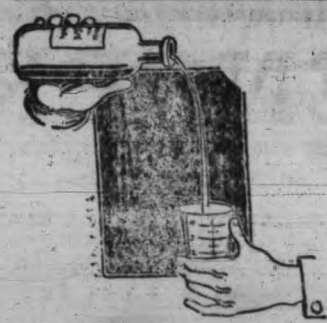
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This cannot be secured on an uncomfort-  
able couch. A well made iron bed, spring  
mattress comes as near forming the ideal  
as anything we know. Weller Bros. are  
specialists in this line. You should con-  
sult them.

**FOR SALE  
BY TENDER**

To close an estate, we hereby call for  
tenders for the purchase of Lot 1032, Block  
Z, with

**One Two-Story Dwelling and  
One Small Cottage**

Thereon situated at Nos. 191 and 193 Pan-  
dora avenue. Tenders will be received up  
to May 10th, 1909. Lowest or any tender  
not necessarily accepted. For further par-  
ticulars apply on the premises or to Post  
Box 37.

—Fast steamers for Skagway: Steamer  
Jefferson, May 5th; steamer Dolphin,  
May 11th. The Alaska Steamship Com-  
pany, 100 Government street.

—Monkey Brand Soap removes all stains,  
rust, dirt or tarnish—but won't wash  
clothes.

—Take in a supply of "SLAB  
WOOD" before the wet weather sets in.  
To be had at Lemon, Gonnason & Co.'s  
mills. Telephone 77. Prompt delivery.

—The Canada Life has paid of credit-  
ed its policy holders with \$7,000,000  
over and above all premiums paid the  
company by them, and holds to-day the  
strongest policy reserves of any estab-  
lished life company on this contin-  
ent. Such a record should prove attrac-  
tive to you. Heisterman & Co., general  
agents.

—If you don't quite know what a  
baby's "Pullman sleeper" is look in at  
Weller Bros.

—Whitney folding go-cart, marvels of  
lightness and compactness. Every  
toddler in Victoria should own one of  
these carriages. Mothers would find  
great relief in its possession, for camp,  
cars, picnics, train or at home, where  
room is at a premium. They are just the  
thing. Weller Bros. are agents.

—As an evidence of the skillful and  
successful management of the Mutual  
Life of Canada it may be mentioned  
that during the whole history of the  
company from 1869 to the present year  
the interest received on its investments  
have been largely in excess of the death  
claims. This means much for the policy-  
holders when it is remembered that in  
this company there is no other interest  
than that of policyholders to be consid-  
ered or cared for, and they alone receive  
all the profits. R. L. Drury, manager,  
34 Broad street.

**Cancer—  
Its Cause and Cure**

If you are afflicted with that dread  
disease, Cancer, or if you have a friend  
who is a sufferer from it or tumors, send  
us six cents for our booklet "Cancer, its  
Cause and Cure." You will never regret  
having done so as Cancer can be cured,  
and this book tells how. No operation  
or painful plaster, but a pleasant Consti-  
tutional Remedy that can be taken in the  
privacy of one's home and without the  
knowledge of even your own family.  
Mention this paper.

SWIFT & JURY, BOWMANVILLE, Ont.

—A large attendance is expected at  
the Socialist banquet and dance tonight  
at the A. O. U. W. hall. Dance music  
will be played by Miss Thane and Mr.  
Fawcett.

—The monthly general meeting of the  
Board of Trade will be held on Thurs-  
day evening, the 11th inst., at the rooms,  
Bastion street. Notice of any business  
members may wish to bring forward  
must be sent to Secretary Elworthy im-  
mediately.

—This week the various city lodges of  
the I. O. O. F. will elect representatives  
to the Grand Lodge. The meetings at  
which elections will take place follow:  
Columbia lodge, Wednesday evening;  
Dominion lodge, Thursday evening; and  
Victoria lodge, Friday evening.

—The Synod of British Columbia and  
Alberta will meet in First Presbyterian  
church next Wednesday evening at 8  
o'clock. Rev. A. Forbes, B. D., of Fort  
Saskatchewan, will preach and con-  
stitute the Synod. The public are cordially  
invited to attend the service. The meet-  
ing of the Synod will be continued on  
Thursday and Friday.

—The death of Mrs. Alex. Anderson,  
of Princess avenue, occurred on Satur-  
day. Her death was very sudden, no  
one being present at the time. An in-  
quest will therefore be held this after-  
noon by Coroner Hart. The deceased  
was 53 years of age. She was a native  
of Fortcharlie, Scotland, and has re-  
sided here for some time. The funeral  
will take place to-morrow at 2 o'clock.

—About one hundred and fifty mem-  
bers of the I. O. O. F. paraded in a body  
to the Centennial Methodist church yester-  
day forenoon. The occasion was the  
celebration of the organization of the  
order. The sermon was delivered by  
Rev. J. P. Westman, who paid attention  
to the question of citizenship, referring  
to the laxity connected with the adminis-  
tration of law in the city. A special fea-  
ture of the service was a solo by Mrs.  
W. E. Stauchland.

—Great interest is being manifested  
in the return engagement of the wonder-  
ful trained horse "Princess-Trick,"  
which opens at the Grand theatre to-  
night. While the business of this popu-  
lar theatre was the largest in its history  
upon her last visit, there were thousands  
who either were unable to gain admis-  
sance or neglected the opportunity until  
too late, and there is no doubt that the  
crowded houses of a month ago will be  
repeated this week.

—Mr. Dean, the teacher who succeeds  
A. B. McNeill in South Park school, en-  
tered upon his duties to-day. He for-  
merly belonged to Toronto. Later he  
was engaged in teaching in Manitoba,  
and before coming to Victoria was con-  
nected with the school at Cache Creek.  
Fred Wood, who belongs to Victoria, en-  
tered upon his duties to-day also at the  
Boys' Central school, succeeding J. C.  
Barnacle, who goes on the teaching staff  
of the Collegiate school.

—Rowland Brittain, patent attorney,  
of Vancouver, sends the following re-  
sumé of the United States patent office  
for the week ending April 18th, 1909:  
During this week 475 patents were is-  
sued to citizens of the United States,  
Austria-Hungary, 2; Belgium, 1; Can-  
ada, 6; Great Britain, 17; France, 9;  
Germany, 30; New South Wales, 1; New  
Zealand, 1; Russia, 2; Sweden, 2, and  
Transvaal, South Africa, 1.

—Edwin Ayson, an Australian meta-  
physician, is now in this city and can-  
be consulted on nervous and mental dis-  
eases, bad habits, stammering, etc. Mr.  
Ayson employs that wonderful and mar-  
vellous force of nature known as hypnot-  
ism in his treatment, and gives assur-  
ance of a cure in almost every case. Mr.  
Ayson will also be pleased to teach hy-  
pnotism to those who are interested and  
wish to learn this wonderful science.  
Address, 178 Johnson street.

—A public meeting of the Victoria  
Society for the Prevention of Tubercu-  
losis will be held in the city hall on  
Monday afternoon, May 8th, at 4.30  
o'clock. The officers of the society particu-  
larly request that any one having a col-  
lection list in hand will complete it at  
once, and return it without delay. It is  
proposed to wind up accounts, and a  
statement will be made setting forth the  
finances of the society. According to  
Mrs. Elliott S. Rowe some questions of  
extreme interest to the society will be  
brought forward, and it is hoped that all  
those interested in this movement will  
make it convenient to be present.

—The Redmond theatre will open to-  
morrow to-night under the new man-  
agement of the Consolidated Amusement  
Company. The opening bill has been  
carefully selected. The programme in-  
cludes the De Monico, king and queen  
of the silver rings; Mons Salvo, Eu-  
ropean novelty musician and shadow-  
graphist; Weston and Beasley, comedy  
sketch team; Claudius, banjo king; and  
Perlo and Diamant, a singing and dan-  
cing couple, direct from Cadix, Spain.  
The Redmond theatre is particularly  
adapted for this kind of entertainment,  
as the stage is large and roomy, and the  
seating capacity ample. Two perform-  
ances will be given each evening, and a  
matinee every day except Monday. The  
prices remain the same, 10 and 20 cents.

**NEW PILOTAGE SECRETARY.**

A. B. McNeill Entered Upon Duties To-  
day—Will Have Office on Broad  
Street.

To-day A. B. McNeill enters upon the  
duties of secretary of the Pilotage Board,  
succeeding E. Crow Baker. Mr. McNeill  
will have his office in the premises occupied  
by Drury and Kingham, Broad street.

In addition to the duties connected with  
that office, he has accepted a position as  
special agent for the Mutual Life Assurance  
Company of Canada.

Mr. McNeill is widely known in Victoria,  
where he has resided for over fourteen  
years. He has occupied positions on the  
teaching staff in the High school, the Boys'  
Central, North Ward and South Park. As  
principal of the North Ward school, for  
years he was an enviable reputation on the  
teaching staff of this city. Methodical and  
efficient in his work, he will undoubtedly  
make a most efficient secretary to the  
Pilotage Board, and should be eminently  
successful in the insurance business.

**TOLD OF TRAVELS  
IN THE ORIENT**

INTERESTING ADDRESS  
BY COUNT VAY DE VAYA

His Experiences and Impressions—The  
Possibilities of Development  
Among Natives.

An exceptionally large congregation  
gathered at the Roman Catholic cathed-  
ral last evening to hear Mr. Count Vay  
de Vaya and Luckod, P. A. M., D. P. H.  
H. K. C. S. C., who was announced to  
deliver a discourse on his experiences and  
impressions while touring the Orient.  
The address was most interesting, not  
only dealing with the peculiar customs  
and habits of natives of different sections  
of eastern Asia, but giving the speaker's  
opinion respecting their possibilities of  
development. The Manchus, he said,  
have greater physical than moral advan-



COUNT VAY DE VAYA.

—The Koreans are in a state of  
lethargy; the Japanese are in a transitory  
condition on the way forward; the Chi-  
nese are the deepest and most difficult  
to understand, but show qualities which  
may win for them the leadership among  
Oriental nations. He also dealt with his  
principal ambition, namely, the establish-  
ment of several asylums for the protec-  
tion of children neglected in their ex-  
treme youth, and a number of industrial  
centres for their training in the various  
pursuits of life. "Thus," he remarked,  
"may I in some small way ameliorate  
the deplorable moral conditions prevail-  
ing throughout the Chinese Empire and  
in Korea."

A brief account of the Count Vay de  
Vaya's tour was given in these columns  
on Saturday. His extensive travels were  
mentioned, and their object referred to,  
but no mention was made of the experi-  
ences gained on these extensive tours  
which have enabled him to gain a thor-  
ough insight into the characters of for-  
eign nations and their moral, physical  
and intellectual requirements. Of all his  
trips that which took him through the  
centre of Manchuria, China proper and  
Korea, in spite of the hardships en-  
countered, interested him the most be-  
cause of his determination to do mis-  
sionary work that would result in a lasting  
benefit.

When interviewed by a Times reporter  
he made special reference to his impres-  
sions while on this tour, because "they  
solved the problem, ever before his mind,  
of how best to assist in advancing the  
civilization of a country which, although  
unsurpassed in regard to agricultural,  
mineral and other resources, is centuries  
behind European nations in other re-  
spects." By means of careful study he  
came to the conclusion that three great  
things lie in the way of the uplifting  
of these nations—the lack of moral prin-  
ciples, the want of a proper understanding  
of their responsibility on the part of  
parents, and the absence of means of  
seating and training the youth of the  
country.

He went on to say it was no uncom-  
mon matter for the parents to openly kill  
their offspring or do away with them in  
some equally effective manner. While  
crime was so prevalent it was impossible  
for good to come of any people, no mat-  
ter how superior their physical and in-  
tellectual qualities. The present war,  
Count Vay de Vaya said, would not  
effect any material change in this re-  
gard. It might result in the opening up  
of trade to some extent, but would make  
very slight difference in the characteris-  
tics of natives of the Orient. Only by  
a general reorganization and the enforce-  
ment of a code based on Christian vir-  
tues could the desired improvement in the  
people be brought about. In the mean-  
time a gradual alteration might be ef-  
fected by the establishment of asylums  
for the young and industrial centres for  
education. In undertaking this work he  
felt that he might in a small way assist  
in the amelioration of heathen nations  
now surrounded by degrading influences  
and with no immediate hope of relief.

During his travels the monsignor has  
paid personal visits to the rulers of Rus-  
sia, China, Korea and Japan, accounts  
of which have appeared in Pearson's  
magazine for the past several months.  
He is a man of striking personality, and  
a most interesting conversationalist. Al-  
though 38 years of age, he looks little  
over 20; his rather ruddy complexion and  
enthusiasm while discussing missionary  
matters, especially the success of his am-  
bitions scheme to assist in the moral and  
intellectual conversion of the heathen  
Korean, Manchu and Chinese, account  
for his youthful appearance. He has  
a peculiar ability for penetrating  
right into the social atmosphere of each  
country he visits, and when this is com-  
bined with unusual quickness in gaining  
an insight into the characteristics of a  
people; it must be agreed that the Count  
Vay de Vaya is eminently fitted for the  
work he has undertaken. No man more-  
over has ever toured the world under cir-  
cumstances so favorable and advantage-  
ous for gaining a practical knowledge of the  
customs and methods of the world's  
peoples. "This rank has been the means  
of admitting him into the palaces of the  
crowned heads of every country visited.  
He also has a knowledge of no fewer  
than seven languages, is an orator,  
musician and artist, and possesses an or-  
dinary amount of energy and zeal.  
Wherever he has been he has stayed  
either with the monarchs or governors,  
or the dignitaries of the church. And  
then again he has lived in humble huts  
and gone through all the hardships of the  
pioneer and missionary.

In his address at the cathedral last

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**Wesley**  
VICTORIA FURNITURE STORE

**CLOSING OUT**  
**TUESDAY BARGAINS**

**Children's Sunbonnets**  
Children's White Muslin Sunbon-  
nets, Swiss embroidery trimmed,  
damaged by water. Regular values  
\$1.25 to \$1.40.  
TUESDAY ..... 50c

**Plain and French Voiles**  
All-Wool French Voiles, in check  
and plain, in all the wanted color-  
ings. Regular value 90c.  
a yard. TUESDAY ..... 65c

**Trimmed Hats, Regular \$5.00, Tuesday \$2.50**

**Navy Lustre**  
Extra Navy Blue Suits, especial-  
ly adapted for the new business  
costumes. Per yard,  
TUESDAY ..... 65c

**New Check Silks**  
The New Check Weaving Silks, in  
black and white, navy and white,  
etc. Regular value 50c.  
TUESDAY ..... 35c

**Bleached Table Linen, Reg. 35c, Tuesday 22½c**

**Waistings**  
Fancy All-Wool Waistings, in pretty  
woven stripe effects. Regular val-  
ue 65c and 75c a yard.  
TUESDAY ..... 53c

**Lace Curtains**  
Heavy Nottingham Lace Curtains,  
32 inches by 3½ yards long. Regu-  
lar value \$2 a pair.  
TUESDAY ..... \$1.50

**Children's Undervests, Reg. 35c, Tuesday 25c**

**Zephyr Gingham**  
Fancy Stripe and Check Zephyr  
Gingham, guaranteed good fast  
colorings. Regular value  
15c a yard. TUESDAY... 12½c

**Stock Collars**  
A few exclusive Neckwear Novel-  
ties, in Stock and Lace Collars,  
will be sold on Tuesday at  
HALF REGULAR PRICES.

**THE HUTCHESON CO. Ltd., Victoria, B. C.**

**Practical Experience**

Is worth a heap of money. One mother knows more about boys' clothes  
than a dozen average men. Our special knowledge of this subject is put  
into buying the most satisfactory sort. If you put yours to the same use  
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**LION BRAND CLOTHING**

They last long, look well, cost little price. Hand made collars on coats,  
shrunken canvas, all wool materials; knickers with double seats and  
knees.  
\$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00 the suit, 3-pieces.

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Just in, a large shipment of ladies' and  
gentlemen's English Singer Bicycles,  
latest improved models. The Singer  
quality is plainly evident at every point.  
Call and see them.

**Thos. Plimley,** Central Cycle Depot,  
Opposite Post Office

**A Fine March  
Two-Step**

**The Jolly Blacksmiths**

BY E. T. PAULL  
HEAR IT PLAYED AT

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Yet? If not, why not give  
**Croot & Toombs**

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CELEBRATED ENGLISH  
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My Little Canon,  
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Two of the daintiest songs out.  
Loretta Two-Step,  
Latest and Catchiest.  
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COMMENCING JANUARY 10.

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**Subscribe for the Times.**



Martell is Synonymous With Age and Purity. Martell's Three Star Brandy For Sale by All Leading Wine Merchants

PROVINCIAL NEWS. NEW WESTMINSTER. A fire occurred on Thursday night at A. H. Gordon's dry goods store, the damage being estimated at \$5,000.

edge of every detail connected with Portsmouth, Devonport, Chatham, Bantry Bay, Lough Swilly, Pembroke, Rosyth, Newcastle, and Dover. There are no secrets to the chiefs of the German navy in anything that relates to British sea power except those that refer to mobilization. The exact position of gun mountings, the calibre of a gun, or the soundings of a particular ship, are comparatively unimportant matters if a piece has to be attacked. Mobilization plans stand on a different footing. These are the greatest of state secrets.

"The thinking department of the German navy is organized on the plan that it is the brain of the navy, responsible not only for information, but for decisions. The Kaiser holds the opinion that when a nation has ceased to be able to take its own part on the sea, that nation is decadent; hence it is contended by the rulers of Germany that the German navy is no more intended as a menace against Great Britain than as a menace against Japan, Russia or France. Its existence is based on the maintenance of an effective protective force for the great and growing seaborne commerce of Germany."

SOME STRANGE ACCIDENTS. People Have Been Injured in the Queerest Kind of Manner. While carrying a keg of beer intended for a picnic in Reading, Pa., Elmer Kerchoff stumbled over a wire. The keg slipped so suddenly that the jar dislocated his neck.

J. FRANCIS LEE DEAD. Was Traffic Manager of the White Pass & Yukon Route. "The announcement on Friday of the death of J. Francis Lee was a shock to his many friends in the city," says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. "His prominent position as traffic manager of the White Pass & Yukon route brought him in personal contact with many of the best traffic men in America. The Canadian Pacific and White Pass officials at Vancouver were among his many personal friends, and it was to Mr. W. R. Thompson that the news of his death was telegraphed here.

Cushions for Corns Free. A full size box of CAPLIN CORN CREAM by mail for 15 cents and two corn cushions free. Don't miss this introduction of a new product.

THE GERMAN NAVY. Arnold White's Views—A Protective Force For Country's Growing Commerce. In an article entitled "The German Navy: Why It Exists," Arnold White writes for Cassell's Magazine an account of the German navy. Mr. White explains that it is eternal vigilance which is the price of German existence, and he shows that for many years each foreign war has been an excuse for increasing the German navy, the present Russo-Japanese war being a sufficient reason for further naval additions projected for 1905.

STAGE INCIDENTS. When "The Dead Heart" was first produced at the Lyceum the play was nearly killed by a voice from the gallery. As the curtain was falling after the hero's tragic utterance, "My heart is dead, dead!" some flippant Cockney above shrieked forth the query, "How's your poor feet?"

Why That Weariness? The Cause of Your Uneasy, Restless Feeling is "Spring Fever." Thousands Have It. All winter long you worked hard. This took lots of nerve force. It lasted so far, but now it's all gone and you feel half dead. Somehow you must get new vitality and more nerve force. The water in your blood must be turned into strength and building material. Your poor appetite must be braced up. Some new power must be imparted to your weak body.

The Seaman's Institute 15 LANGLEY STREET. Free reading room for seamen and seafaring men. Open daily from 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Sunday, 2 to 5 p. m.

We Will Buy A 50c. Bottle of Ligozone and Give it to You to Try. We want you to know about Ligozone, and the product itself can tell you more than we. So we ask you to let us buy you a bottle—a full-size bottle—to try. Let it prove that it does what medicine cannot do. See what a tonic it is. Learn that it does kill germs.

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JANES' Hair Restorer Is a Genuine HAIR FOOD. It gives strength to weak hair, checks falling of the hair and makes the hair grow thick and heavy.

DAHLIAS FOR SALE. Choice Cactus, Decorative, Show and Pom-Pom, all named varieties. CALLOW & JOHNSON, Royal Nursery, 507 Fort St. Phone 58.

Good Dry Wood Burt's Wood & Coal Yard. 51 Dundas St. Telephone 228 or 241.

25c BIRD TONIC FREE. BIRD BREAD. All mineral rights are reserved by the Montreal & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the south boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the west by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway Land Grant.

STOPI Ladies and Gentlemen, and consider the all-important fact that it is time you were leaving your order for a Spring Suit. Get the best by calling on SPRINKLING & CO., LADIES' AND GENTS' TAILORS, 70 1/2 Yates St. (Moody Block), Victoria, B.C.

\$250.00 Reward. The B. C. Telephone Co. offer a reward of \$250 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who maliciously damaged their property at Goldstream and Shaughnessy on the 20th and 21st April, 1905.

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Atlantic Steamship Agency. Allen, American, Anchor, Atlantic Transport, Canadian Pacific, Cunard, Dominion, French, Hamburg American, North German Lloyd, Red Star, White Star, For full information apply to H. B. KENT, General Superintendent.

We Will Buy A 50c. Bottle of Ligozone and Give it to You to Try. Its effects are exhilarating, vitalizing, purifying. Yet it is a germicide no certain that we publish on every bottle an offer of \$1,000 for a disease germ that it cannot kill. The reason is that germs are vegetables, and Ligozone—like an excess of oxygen—is deadly to vegetable matter.

Germ Diseases. These are the known germ diseases. All that medicine can do for these troubles is to help Nature overcome the germs, and such results are indirect and uncertain. Ligozone attacks the germs, wherever they are. And when the germs which cause a disease are destroyed, the disease must end, and forever. That is inevitable.

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For Lumber, Sash, Doors, And All Kinds of Building Material, Go to THE TAYLOR MILL CO., LIMITED LIABILITY, MILL OFFICE AND YARDS, NORTH GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA, B. C. P. O. BOX 628. TEL. 564.

Municipal Notice. Sewer Rental and Sewer Construction Tax. Public notice is hereby given under the provisions of "The Sewers By-Law, 1902," the roll for the year 1905 has been prepared and filed in my office, showing the owner of lands and real property fronting upon each branch, main, or common sewer, or drain laid in the city of Victoria, and showing the number of feet frontage of the land of each owner so fronting, and giving the name and address of each owner, and also giving the amounts each one is assessed in respect to sewer rental and sewer connection tax, which are to be paid according to the said By-Law. Any person whose name appears therein may petition the Council in manner hereinafter mentioned, viz: "Any person dissatisfied with the number of feet frontage with which he is assessed upon such roll, whether upon the ground that the measurement is incorrect, or that the land and real property are not liable to taxation or are inequally assessed under the provisions of this By-Law, may, not later than the 1st day of April in each year petition the Council for an alteration in such roll, and shall state his grounds for requiring an alteration."

Black Loan for Sale. Suitable for gardens and lawns. 40 per cent. JONES & ROSIE, WOOD AND COAL DEALERS, Phone 236, 125 Douglas Street.

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Steamer "Venture" Will sail from Esplanade & DuRoi's Wharf 9 p. m. on Tuesday, May 2nd. Pass and Way Ports. Calling at Bella Coola, and connecting with H. B. Co.'s steamer at Port Esplanade for Hazelton.

Dissolution of Partnership. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, carrying on an hotel and general store business at Clayoquot, Aboussant and Nooka, under the name and style of STOCKHAM & DAWLEY, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 11th day of April, 1905. All book debts and other accounts are payable to Mr. W. T. Dawley, who will hereafter carry on the business in his own name.

John Barnsley & Co. The Company reserves the right to change at any date. THOMAS STOCKHAM, WALTER T. DAWLEY.

THE SALVATION ARMY. Self-Denial in Canada, Newfoundland and Bermuda From May 6th to 13th.

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girls passed through the Rescue Homes of this country last year. One thousand one hundred and fifty-nine prisoners were met on the day of their discharge from prison, nine hundred and ninety were given employment, and a number professional conversion. Four hundred and ninety-two children are being cared for in the institutions of the Army in this country. All are asked to help this noble cause.

J. FRANCIS LEE DEAD. Was Traffic Manager of the White Pass & Yukon Route.

"The announcement on Friday of the death of J. Francis Lee was a shock to his many friends in the city," says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. "His prominent position as traffic manager of the White Pass & Yukon route brought him in personal contact with many of the best traffic men in America. The Canadian Pacific and White Pass officials at Vancouver were among his many personal friends, and it was to Mr. W. R. Thompson that the news of his death was telegraphed here.

Cushions for Corns Free. A full size box of CAPLIN CORN CREAM by mail for 15 cents and two corn cushions free. Don't miss this introduction of a new product.

THE GERMAN NAVY. Arnold White's Views—A Protective Force For Country's Growing Commerce. In an article entitled "The German Navy: Why It Exists," Arnold White writes for Cassell's Magazine an account of the German navy. Mr. White explains that it is eternal vigilance which is the price of German existence, and he shows that for many years each foreign war has been an excuse for increasing the German navy, the present Russo-Japanese war being a sufficient reason for further naval additions projected for 1905.

STAGE INCIDENTS. When "The Dead Heart" was first produced at the Lyceum the play was nearly killed by a voice from the gallery. As the curtain was falling after the hero's tragic utterance, "My heart is dead, dead!" some flippant Cockney above shrieked forth the query, "How's your poor feet?"

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SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS FOR DISPOSAL OF MINERALS ON DOMINION LANDS IN MANITOBA, THE NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES AND THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Coal.—Coal lands may be purchased at \$10 per acre for soft coal; at \$25 per acre for bituminous coal. No more coal can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output. Quartz.—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miner's certificates may obtain entry for a mining location. A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment of an advance of \$7.50 per acre for an individual, and from \$50 to \$100 per acre for a company, according to capital. A free miner, having discovered a payable mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500,000 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, being located not less than one mile apart on the line of the lode or vein. The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim shall be \$1.00 for each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended on a claim, the miner, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1.00 an acre.

Placer Mining.—Manitoba and the N. W. T., including the Yukon Territory.—Placer mining claims generally are 400 feet square, and \$5.00, renewable in full, but in the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long by 100 feet wide, the latter being 100 feet long by 100 feet wide, but in some cases 200 feet wide may be obtained. Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T. A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior. The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive, titles for bar or bench claims, but except on the Saskatchewan River where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate low water.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory.—Creek, gulch, and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All placer claims shall be 250 feet square. Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end and bearing in evidence. A certificate of title has been made must be obtained within ten days, if the claim is within ten miles of Mining Recorder's office, one additional day for every additional ten miles or fraction. The person or company staking a claim must hold a free miner's certificate. The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim of 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be charged, the rest of the party ordinary claims only. Each acre \$10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent. on the value of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller. No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold two claims on the same purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying fee of each claim, and one claim bonded, and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice and paying fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least \$200. A certificate of title has been made must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner. The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette. Petroleum.—All unappropriated Dominion lands in Manitoba and the Yukon Territory, and within the Yukon Territory, are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company having discovery on the land to be prospected an area of 1,500 acres for such period as he may decide, the length of which shall not exceed five years, or the breadth. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well, will be sold to the prospector at the rate of \$1 an acre, and the tract reserved, namely, 1,250 acres, will be sold at the rate of \$3 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by Order in Council. W. W. COBY, Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. Dept. Interior.

NOTICE. Pursuant to the "Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1901," notice is hereby given that William Jones, of 104 Pandora street, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, carrying on business as auctioneer in said City, did, on the 28th day of March, 1905, make an assignment unto Charles Cecil Robertson, at No. 22 Langley street, Victoria aforesaid, of all his personal property, real estate, credits and effects, which may be sold or otherwise disposed of for the benefit of his creditors. And further take notice that a meeting of the creditors of the said William Jones will be held at the office of Messrs. Robertson & Robertson, solicitors for the said Charles Cecil Robertson, at No. 22 Langley street, Victoria aforesaid, on Monday, the 10th day of April, 1905, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of giving directions with reference to the disposal of the estate. And further take notice that all creditors having claims against the said William Jones are required to forward particulars of the same, duly verified, and the nature of the securities, if any, in writing to the said assignee on or before the 12th day of May, 1905, after which date the assignee will proceed to distribute the proceeds of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and all persons indebted to the said William Jones are required to pay the amount thereof forthwith. Dated this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1905. ROBERTSON & ROBERTSON, Solicitors for the Said Assignee.

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ANOTHER MUNICIPALITY
Application Made For Incorporation of District on Vancouver Island.

CONCESSION SECURED
FOR SEWER BUILDING
Ald. Hanna Believes He Has Reached a Settlement of This Vexed Question.

GUN CLUB SHOOT.
H. N. Short Won Trophy at Semi-Annual Competition—The Scores.

Victoria Day Celebration
VICTORIA, B. C.
MAY 24, 25, 26 AND 27
Grand Military Parade and Sham Battle; Lacrosse, Victoria vs. New Westminster; International Baseball; Regatta.

Another municipality is about to be organized on Vancouver Island. Application is being made to the Lieut. Governor in council to sanction the incorporation. The proposed municipality is to include that portion of the districts of Cowichan, Shawnigan and Quilichan, bounded as follows: Commencing at the mouth of the main channel of Cowichan river at the boundary of the North Cowichan municipality, following the river west about eight miles to the boundary between Quilichan and Sahlam districts, thence south three miles to the boundary of Helmcken district, thence east five miles on a line between Quilichan and Helmcken districts to boundary line between Helmcken and Shawnigan districts, thence south on line between Helmcken and Shawnigan districts to junction of line of Kokosilah river, thence north, following the Kokosilah river to line between 14 and 15 Shawnigan districts, thence south to salt water at Cowichan bay, thence north to starting point.

From Hartley, which is situated at the intersection of Douglas channel, Wright Sound and Gardner's Inlet and on the path of all northern steamers, a vessel will be operated this year to the head waters of the Kitimaat inlet. This project is entertained in connection with a scheme which Capt. McCoskie, a few other Victorians, a San Francisco gentleman and one or two Vancouverites have formulated for the undertaking of fishing operations on the northern coast on quite an extensive scale. The company will fish for halibut, and will ship it to the Eastern markets from Vancouver. They will have one or more steam craft engaged in the work, and at Hartley Bay they will build the wharf and other buildings necessary for the successful carrying on of their industry. They will build a store and operate a saw mill. This latter property was recently taken over from S. A. Spencer. In addition the company have purchased two water powers. They have acquired a big section of land, and from a lake to the bank of the bay they will secure all the ice needed for freezing their fish. Some fish experts are now on the field arranging for the first development work, and in a few more weeks it is hoped to commence building operations. The steamer service to the head waters of the Kitimaat Arm is something that is now given with no regularity, vessels going to that part of the coast only when business warranted. But the promoters of the new company are looking forward to considerable business offering when railway construction begins in the north and even before, and are laying their plans accordingly.

Through the efforts of Ald. Hanna, a settlement of the Spring Ridge sewer controversy is in sight. Ald. Hanna had a conference with George Jeeves today, when an agreement was reached whereby the latter will consent to have the sewer built through his property if the city agrees to guard against any unsanitary conditions in that part of the harbor where it finds its outlet. The benefit of those who do not thoroughly understand this sewer question, it might be explained that the proposed route which it is to follow is from what is known as the Chinese gardens, crossing the Jewish cemetery road, thence to the King's road, and to King's road, where it is proposed to build another septic tank, from which the sewer will pass into the harbor on the north side of the Taylor mill sawmill. This route follows a valley for a part of the way, in which Mr. Jeeves' lot is situated. Some years ago Mr. Jeeves and fifteen other property holders whose lots also lay in direct line agreed to have the surface water carried through their property, and the city extends that the council has no right to do anything more. Because of his objection the council has been obliged to discontinue sewer construction in Spring Ridge, and a large number of men were thrown out of employment. It is believed now that the deadlock has been broken, and that work will be resumed immediately. Ald. Hanna has also another sewer proposal on hand. He has asked the city engineer to prepare a report on the feasibility and cost of building a sewer from the Spring Ridge district down by the Lion Brewery to Blanchard street, replacing the nine-inch drain on Queen's avenue with a larger pipe, and making connections with the main drain on Douglas street. The city engineer will make his report at the meeting of the city council to-night. Another important matter which will come up at the meeting this evening will be the question of building a fence around the new Carnegie library. This building is ready to be handed over to the city by the contractor, George Snider, but the council is not prepared to occupy it for some considerable time. The committee for the selection of the books have not yet been named, and it will be some time after their appointment before a stock of reading for the new institution can be procured. The shelves in the library are being put in. For those who are interested in municipal matters it might also be explained that the building of the new permanent sidewalk on Johnston street has been delayed, awaiting the arrival of the cement from the works on Sannich Arm. In this work, as also in that to be carried out on Belleville street, the Spanish cement will be used in corporation work for the first time.

MINERS ENTOMBED.
Thirteen Men Are Probably Dead—Bodies May Not Be Recovered for Days.
(Wilburton, April 30)—Thirteen miners were entombed and probably killed by an explosion early today in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Coal Company's mine near Wilburton. Their bodies may not be recovered for several days. The men went into the shaft at midnight. Foreman Hay, of the shaft that left the mine at that hour, says that the mine was in good condition and a gas explosion hardly probable. The shaft is 250 feet deep. The men were supplied with air, fanned from the shaft and by means of compressed air tubes. It is thought that the air pipe was burst by the explosion, but air has been steadily pumped all day with the remote hope that some of the entombed men may have escaped the force of the explosion and the after-damp. Rescuers began work within a few minutes after the explosion. At dark tonight the workers were still thirty feet from the bottom of the shaft. Foreman Steiner had scarcely reached the bottom of the shaft when the explosion occurred. The heels of his shoes were torn off and thrown to the top of the shaft.

Sanich district is also seeking incorporation. In addition to those two the municipalities on Vancouver Island are Victoria, Ladysmith, Nanaimo, North Cowichan and Cumberland.

OUTGOING EXPRESS.
The R. M. S. Empress of China is scheduled to sail this evening for Yokohama and Hongkong. About 40 passengers will go out on the steamer. The saloon list goes as follows: M. H. Hamilton, Wong Chong, S. K. Lyons, E. W. M. Macdonald, A. J. Holt, A. W. Rao, A. E. Deane, Mr. Gray, Mrs. G. W. Gilbert, Carl Scherer and wife, S. E. Gocks and wife, Geo. H. Allen, J. W. Coyne, W. Bright, J. S. Waterous, wife and children, J. K. Usikubo, wife and four children, Lieut. G. J. Todd, J. R. Hopkins, J. G. Turnbull and B. Converse.

PERSONAL.
R. K. Lindsay, who has been identified with the Colonel as advertising manager for the past several months, left for Winnipeg to take over the duties of advertising and circulation manager of the Montreal Star for the Northwest. During his residence here Mr. Lindsay has made many friends who will wish him every success.

REDUCED RATES FROM ALL POINTS.
W. C. MORESBY, Secretary.
G. H. BARNARD, Mayor.

A TORONTO MAN TRIES
SOMETHING NEW AND IS DELIGHTED.
FEELS LIKE A BOY.
Mr. M. N. Dafeo, Manager The Dustless Brush Co., 29 Colborne St., Toronto, is telling his friends how he found health after years of illness and pain. He says: "I have been a great sufferer from Dyspepsia for many years. I have been treated by local doctors and have taken nearly all the advertised remedies with only temporary relief. If any at all, but since using Anti-Pill I can eat anything I like as when a boy. I have been taking one Anti-Pill at bedtime for the past three months, and find they regulate both stomach and bowels. My old vigor has returned, so that my spirits are buoyant and temper normal. As a result of this unhopful experience I am in duty bound to give all credit to this wonderful remedy, Anti-Pill."
Every druggist sells Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill, or a sample will be sent free by The Wilson-Frye Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.
The remedy that cured Mr. Dafeo so completely is surely worth a trial. 602

At the annual vestry meeting of St. Barnabas's church on Thursday night the following officers and delegates were elected: Church wardens, Messrs. McKee and Woodson; church committee, Messrs. Whitaker, Knox, Mutlow, Bannerman, T. W. Palmer, T. G. Mills, Cox, Tolpelt, B. Brown and I. S. Bailey; sexton, T. G. Mills, P. Bannerman, A. Lawrence, W. Keown, Jr., Brown and G. Knox; lay delegates to synod, Mr. Justice Martin, Messrs. Mutlow, Woodson, G. Knox, A. Longfield and T. W. Palmer; delegates to diocesan conference, Messrs. Bannerman, Mutlow and A. Longfield. Mr. Justice Martin moved: "That the church committee be recommended to take all practical steps to make the church self-supporting as soon as possible." It was decided that a personal canvass of the members of the congregation should be made in the hope that the mission board should be relieved of its assistance as far as possible. The building committee's report showed that the debt on the recently built Sunday school has been reduced by cash in hand and by subscriptions to \$65.

ARRESTED IN NEW YORK.
Former Insurance Agent Taken Into Custody—Action and Counter-Action.
(New York, May 1)—B. S. Scott, formerly superintendent of the Washington Life Insurance Society, and also company's agent for Oregon and Washington, is in Ludlow street jail. He came from Philadelphia several days ago, and was stopping at an hotel in 7th avenue when officials of the Washington Life learned that he was in town. An order of arrest was obtained by the company's attorneys, and Scott was placed in jail in default of \$5,000 bail. The agent left the employ of the Washington company last March, when he brought suit in Oregon, alleging that the company owed him many thousands of dollars. The company alleged that he owed \$10,000 and started a suit for it. Scott refused last night at the jail to talk about his case. President John Tattler, of the Washington Life Insurance Co., said at his home that the issue was an involved one, and that it was impossible to tell exactly how much Scott owed the company, because there was so many matters at issue and so much confusion. He declared that Scott's accounts were much involved.

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CORRY—At Nelson, on April 26th, the wife of F. Corry, of a daughter.
JOHNSTONE—At Nelson, on April 26th, the wife of Wm. Johnston, of a daughter.
DIED.
TALBOT—At Kamloops, on April 28th, Mrs. A. G. Talbot, aged 29 years.
MILLER—At Vancouver, on April 28th, Mrs. J. G. Miller, aged 50 years.
was thrown away as waste. To waste food is a serious offence in the eye of a Moslem. The cald of Asemmoor therefore issued a by-law prohibiting the baking of bread up on one day in each week. The citizens, he declared, must eat up the bread already baked, and he fixed Wednesday as the "bitalah," or holiday.
A traveller says that a curious weakness of green-up moors is the habit of eating newly baked bread. The cald of Asemmoor, in Morocco, discovered that old bread