

MORE TROOPS MAY BE MOBILIZED

LIKELY TO SPEND YEAR ON MEXICAN BORDER

U. S. Army Officers Report Conditions Alarming in Mexico

(Times Leased Wire.) Washington, D. C., March 11.—The war department has usurped the functions of the state department in the Mexican situation, and confidential reports of certain generals of the army caused the prediction to-day that second and third divisions of the army will be called into service upon the dispatch of the first division into Mexico.

When this second division is called, a third division comprising the militia forces of the Pacific Coast and south-western states, will be formed. Already these two divisions exist on paper, at the war department.

SCHEME TO REFORM HOUSE OF LORDS

Winston Churchill Indicates Plans of the Asquith Government

London, March 11.—In a speech at the National Liberal club last night Winston Spencer Churchill, the home secretary, indicated the government's plan for the reform of the House of Lords.

MRS. EDDY'S ESTATE

Leaves Over Two Million Dollars, According to Appraisers.

SUSPECT ARRESTED

Castro, Cal., March 11.—A man giving his name as Smith Jackson has been arrested on the C. M. ranch on suspicion of being Bryce, one of the Los Angeles Times dynamite suspects.

LOCAL PAVING COMPANY SCORES

WORSWICK CONCERN BEATS COMPETITORS

Bids Opened for Asphalt Work on Fort and View Streets

The members of the city council at last evening's meeting of that body got a very pleasant surprise in the matter of prices for asphalt paving—a large amount of which is to be done this year—and incidentally, a local concern, the Worwick Paving company, scored heavily over its foreign competitors when the bids for the work to be done on Fort and View streets were opened.

The city engineer, however, gave it as his opinion that nothing would be gained by opening the tenders now, as the work could not be started inside of a month's time.

DIES FROM HEART FAILURE

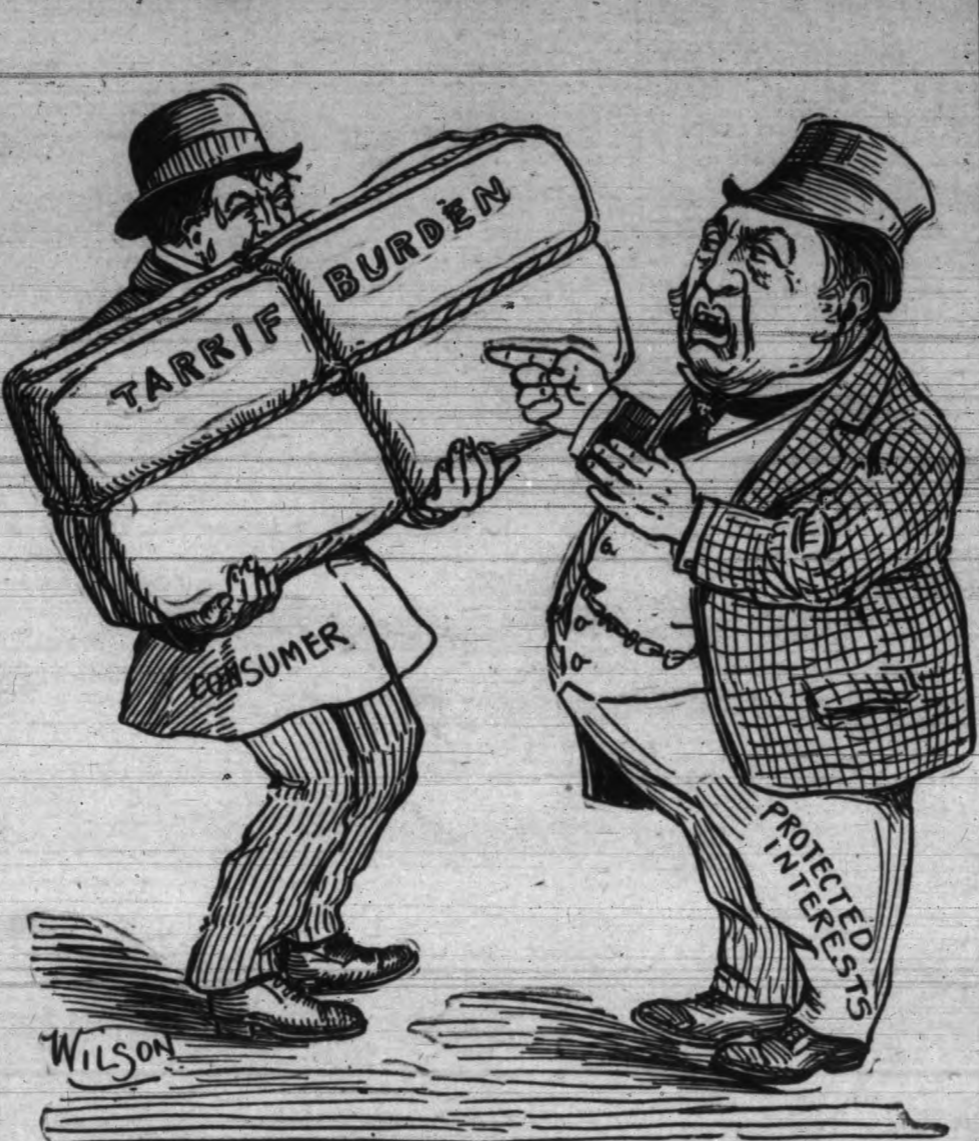
BOY RETURNS HOME AFTER LONG JOURNEY

Thirteen-Year-Old Lad Who Disappeared Last Year Reaches Saskatoon

(Special to the Times.) Saskatoon, Sask., March 11.—Young Gordon Cummings, 13 years old, whose disappearance created such a stir in this city about ten months ago, is back home again after wandering or sailing about half way around the world. He enjoyed his experience, too, and there is little doubt that were it not that his family is returning to the Old Country, he would not be contented to settle down to the humdrum existence of the city life.

AGAINST PREFERENTIAL TRADE

(Special to the Times.) London, March 11.—Winston Churchill, speaking at the National Liberal club to-day, said: "Could they conceive anything more fatal to the continued integrity of the Empire than to make any arrangement with Canada by which she would be cut off from doing something against our interests."



RECIPROCIETY AS IT APPEARS TO THE PROTECTED INTERESTS. TERRIFIED TARIFF BENEFICIARY—Here, I say, you must not drop that. Don't you know that if you do we shall all be gobbled up by that horrible ogre, Uncle Sam!

PRISONERS KEPT IN STEEL CAGE

Precautions Taken to Prevent Escape of Members of the Camorra

(Times Leased Wire.) Vitorbo, Italy, March 11.—The trial of Enrico Alfano and thirty-eight of his brothers of the Camorra, the most sensational criminal trial in Italy's history, began to-day. The Camorrista, members of a centuries-old vendetta, are charged with having murdered Generao Cucuoli and his wife in 1906.

MEXICANS WILL RESIST INVASION

SOLDIERS TO BE SENT TO BOUNDARY

Junta Leaders Declare 7,000 Insurgents Are Now in the Field

(Times Leased Wire.) Mexico City, March 11.—Mexican troops will be rushed to the Texas border and encamp opposite the American soldiers, prepared to resist invasion, if martial law should be declared in Chihuahua and Coahuila Sunday by the Mexican congress, convened in extraordinary session here.

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GRAIN GROWERS FOR RECIPROCIETY

ACTION OF MANITOBA LEGISLATURE REPUDIATED

Resolution Passed at Meeting at Carman—Toronto Opposes Agreement

(Special to the Times.) Carman, Man., March 11.—At a meeting of the Carman branch of the Grain Growers' Association last night a resolution was adopted—condemning the stand taken by the Manitoba legislature against the reciprocity agreement. Hon. R. P. Roblin, the premier, represents this constituency and his action in opposing the agreement is also condemned, the grain growers claiming that the resolution passed by the legislature does not represent the popular opinion of Manitoba and that the premier had utterly misrepresented the opinion of the members of the association.

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MAYOR'S VETO POWER UPHELD

CITY BARRISTER HAS HANDED DOWN OPINION

His Worship Held to Have Acted Within His Rights in Topp Case

The eagerly awaited opinion of the city barrister, W. J. Taylor, K. C., on the point of the right of the mayor to exercise his power of veto in the matter of the appointment of H. Topp by a majority of the board against the wishes of his worship, was handed down at last evening's meeting of the council, and it justified the exercise of the veto power. The city barrister goes into the matter very exhaustively and not only contends that the mayor was within his rights in the Topp case, but makes it clear that under section 12 of the Municipal Clauses Act the mayor has powers of veto which make him virtually supreme in respect to the conduct of civic affairs.

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**PRESIDENT TAFT ON RECIPROcity**  
ADDRESSES SOUTHERN COMMERCIAL CONGRESS  
Declares Agreement Will Benefit Both United States and Canada

Atlanta, Ga., March 11.—President Taft in a speech before the closing session of the Southern Commercial Congress last night made a plea to the young men of the new south to take up the political issues from a broad and liberal standpoint and to eliminate from their consideration narrow partisanship and sectionalism. The president reviewed briefly the accomplishments of the last congress, declaring that in its three sessions it had enacted more helpful legislation than any other congress since the Civil war.

After reviewing the general legislation of the 1st congress President Taft said: "Finally, and the most important thing done, was the ratification of the treaty with Japan. The old treaty was to expire in less than a year. It contained a clause with reference to a limit on immigration, which offended the sensibilities of the Japanese. The new treaty omits this clause, but goes into effect under conditions that make certain a continuance of the present status, under which Japan is herself limiting the immigration of her people into this country; and all this without the enforcing of any restrictions on our part. Thus, without offending the patriotic pride of our neighbors upon the Pacific, we are able to maintain an important national policy."

"It insures the continued friendship of a most progressive and powerful nation with whose development we have been intimately connected since Commodore Perry opened her ports. Of course, the greatest disappointment of the season was the failure of the senate to ratify the reciprocity agreement with Canada. Under this, the duties on the importation of agricultural products, including cereals, vegetables, fruits, and live cattle from each country to the other, are abolished and free trade in them is established. "In addition there also is free trade in fish and in rough lumber, while there are substantial reductions in iron ore, coal, meats, flour and all secondary food products and upon a substantial range of manufactures."

"When we entered upon the negotiations, I authorized the secretary of state and his commissioners to offer free trade in everything, but this Canada could not grant us, because she had a protective system and was afraid of the competition of our better organized industries. "The south is particularly interested in the fact that vegetables and cottonseed oil are both in the free list by the removal of rather heavy duties. But I do not ask your support on the ground of any local advantages. I ask it because I regard this treaty as the beginning of a new relation with our rapidly-growing neighbor on the north, which will insure greatly to the benefit of both. "The conditions under which agriculture and manufactures are carried on in both countries are substantially the same, and the removal of the duties provided for in this agreement—indeed the removal of all duties between the two countries, if we could have it—would violate no principle that a reasonable protectionist or a reasonable tariff reformer upholds. Canada is at the parting of the ways. If we now reject this opportunity to bring about closer business and trade relations and insist upon the continuance of an artificial wall between the two countries, we shall throw away an opportunity for mutual benefit not likely to recur. "As I have had occasion to say in urging congress the adoption of this agreement, Canada is our good neighbor.

"Against her alone, of all the powerful nations of the world, we have felt upon no necessity to establish a navy or to fortify our frontier. For nearly a hundred years, under an agreement that has attracted the attention of promoters of international peace, we have had no battleships and no forts between us and her. "She is our natural customer; we are her natural customer. Geography and the natural laws of trade, if uninterrupted by an utterly unreasonable wall, would give us a north and south business of large extent and necessarily beneficial to both. Why, then, should we hesitate?

"Under my promise to use my utmost efforts to secure the ratification of this agreement, I have felt it my duty upon the failure of the senate to act, to call an extra session for the purpose of securing the ratification of the agreement. My opinion is that a majority of both Houses, disregarding party lines, will seize a great national opportunity and promptly ratify the agreement before proceeding to other business, if it be deemed wise or necessary to proceed to other business. "I feel confident that a test of six months of this agreement will so vindicate the wisdom of adopting it as to remove it from political discussion thereafter. I do not regard it as a matter of sectional interest. I believe it will inure in a large measure to the benefit of this whole country. "I earnestly appeal to the young men of the south to take up these and other political issues from a broad and liberal standpoint, to eliminate from their consideration narrow partisanship and sectionalism and to come fully into our national communion with the patriotic purpose of stimulating the progress of our civilization in every right direction and accumulating its wealth, but always in subordination to higher ethical standards and standards and to the promotion of righteousness and justice."

**THINKING THEMES**  
BY DR. FRANK CRANE  
I would speak of the soul's penumbra. It is as if the soul, as we see the sun in an eclipse, had a thin, gaseous envelope, extending far out.

Who shall say that my personality is bounded by my body? I live also in my friend remote, in my beloved by me, in my mother long dead, in my grandchildren, yet unborn, and certain noxious rays of me are in my enemies in the head-waggers that line my path, like weeds that wave and warn by the roadside.

In my penumbra are all the best and worst parts of myself. It is there I am holy, it is there I am vile; in the real core of me things are mixed. It is this circumambient halo of me that one sees and loves, another sees and loathes. Nobody, not even I, loves me or hates me, for nobody knows me.  
Here are my dreams, my ideals, my temptations, my glory, my shame, all that intricate mesh of psychic forces that impinge upon me.  
I am neither so good or so bad as I do, say and think; for when one speaks of himself he is really speaking of the heights above him and of the depths below him; and he knows both better than himself.  
I am a compound of many numbers, of which God alone knows the greatest Common Divisor.—me.

**ACTIONS FOLLOW PROPOSED MERGER**  
Coal Company Shareholders Bring Suits in Court at Montreal

Montreal, March 11.—A series of complicated actions are being taken in the Superior court on behalf of a number of shareholders of the Pacific Pass Coal Fields Limited, in order to prevent the proposed merger of that company with several others and an action to prevent the issue of \$1,000,000 worth of stock. There are various other phases to the case.

The action entered Thursday as part of the proceedings was taken by Messrs. Benjamin A. Scott of Quebec, and Leon Colinet of Montreal, against Messrs. E. B. Greenhalgh, H. A. Lovett, K. C. J. W. McConnell, Senator Robert Mackay, Controller F. L. Wanklin of Montreal, A. H. Cook, K. C. W. Molson Macpherson and Senator Choquet of Quebec, R. Brutinel of Edmonton, A. A. Deberis of Calgary, the Pacific Pass Coal Fields Limited, the Montreal Securities Corporation, Limited, and the Corporation Agencies, Limited, of Montreal. The latter two firms are added as interested in promoting the alleged merger. The action is taken on behalf of shareholders to prevent the directors of the Pacific Pass Company from transferring a controlling interest in the company. At the same time quo-warranto proceedings are being taken to annul the election of the directors, on the ground that their election was illegal.

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ENDS HER LIFE.

St. Petersburg, March 11.—Madame Verestchagin, widow of the famous Russian artist, is reported in Moscow dispatches to have committed suicide as a result of suffering from cancer.  
RUSSIAN METHODS.  
Helsingfors, March 11.—Russia's disastrous work in Finland goes on apace with a cynical indifference to the feelings of the people. The latest evidence of this is an amazing appointment which has just been made by the Russian authorities.  
Some time ago the Viborg police chief was dismissed, and he has been succeeded by Herr Pekonen, whose

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MR. BALFOUR'S FALLACY

The two minds which run in the same groove, those of the Right Honorable A. J. Balfour and of the editor of the morning paper, do not seem to have yet grasped the fact that the trade agreement with the United States may be abrogated at any time either interested country may see fit.

A great many of those who object to reciprocity claim that the country should have been consulted before any such agreement was entered into.

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ENGINEER REPORTS ON REPAIRS TO RESERVOIR

Angus Smith Presents Interim Suggestions as to How to Proceed

At last evening's meeting of the city council, the city engineer, Angus Smith, submitted an important report relative to the proposed repairs to the Smith's Hill reservoir.

There is now thirteen feet of water in the reservoir and the leakage is between 25,000 and 30,000 gallons per day.

There are two reservoirs at Beacon Hill, Seattle, with a dividing wall between them, a capacity of 40 and 40 million gallons.

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CONVENTION CALLED BY THE TEACHERS

Educational Gathering at Victoria After Easter to Review and Plan Work

Next month the city of Victoria will be the scene of one of the great educational influences of the province of British Columbia.

The Teachers' Convention is probably one of the most important functions that will take place in the city within the year.

The executive committee met this afternoon at the office of E. B. Paul, the superintendent, to make the final arrangements for the convention.

The ladies of England are now playing lacrosse. A picture in a recent number of the London Daily Mail shows the Southern Ladies' Lacrosse Club playing against Bedford Physical Training College.

The London Patriotic Club, a number of the members of which are ladies, at a banquet recently discussed the problem of the right of everyone to be well born and the limitation of the production of the unfit.

A French-Canadian girl, seventeen years of age, living in Montreal, wanted to marry a Chinaman, but her father would not permit it.

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The British News of Canada has been advising inquirers that it will be difficult for them to secure government land near enough to a market on Vancouver Island.

Admiral Togo and General Nogi, of Japan, are to accompany Prince Pushimi to Great Britain for the coronation ceremonies.

Montreal, March 11.—Chief Campeau was notified yesterday that Ernest Joseph Grise had deserted from the cruiser Niobe.

Notice to Advertisers

Owing to the rapidly increasing circulation of the Times and the growing demands for space, it has become absolutely necessary to place a limit upon the time at which changes for advertisements will be accepted and guaranteed publication.

CONSERVATIVES AND THE PREFERENCE

How silent the "only truly loyal" part is in regard to the increase of the British Preference. The suggestion has been made on several occasions that the preference might be increased from thirty-three to fifty per cent.

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Men's Tweed Pants, To-Night at 7:30. We are placing a large assortment of Men's Canadian Tweed Pants, in dark colors, on sale Saturday at 7:30.

To-Night 7.30 p.m.—Staple Dept. We have arranged a special sale of Remnants and Oddments in the Staple Departments, consisting of Sheetting, Towelling, Gingham, Prints, Cottons, Duck, Canton Flannel, Flannellette, Muslins, etc.

Men's and Boys' Shirts, To-Night, 7.30 p.m. MEN'S COAT-SHAPED SHIRTS, made of cambrie with self colored hairline stripe. Starched cuffs attached. Colors, light blue, tan and grey.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred yesterday of Mrs. Emma Frost MacDonald, aged 89 years, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Cowan, 234 Shelburne street.

The remains of the late J. W. Spring, victim of a shooting accident at Carstairs, Alberta, are expected to reach Victoria this evening by the steamer Princess Royal.

The funeral of the Chinese, Jong-Jong Chun, who was accidentally killed yesterday, will take place on Monday afternoon from the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's parlors.

Another Victory for Wales. (Special to the Times.) Cardiff, Wales, March 11.—Wales had a decisive victory over Ireland in the International Rugby game to decide the championship.









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A VISIT to the Semi-ready tailor shops is most interesting at this season of the year, when all the new style creations are being shown in patterns and weaves which are the pride of the English woolen mills.

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Miss Lena Ashwell, the celebrated London actress, has invited Henry Miller to appear with her next season in London at the King's Highway theatre in an English production of Mr. Miller's new success, "The Havoc."

Manager Shaffer, who is held in kind remembrance here as manager for a considerable period of Pantages theatre, is now in Kamloops, where he is manager of the Isis theatre, said to be one of the best and most successful houses in the interior.

While a critical audience was applauding the final dress rehearsal in Daly's theatre, New York, of Henry W. Savage's production of the morality play "Everywoman," the author Walter Browne, who regarded the drama as his life's work, lay dying in the Audubon Sanitarium.

stage, creating the part of the Colonel in "Patience." During the eighties several of his plays enjoyed successful runs in London and the provinces.

Edward Sheldon, who won his spurs as a playwright with "Salvation Nell," which was produced here by Mrs. Fiske; who confirmed the first im-



JERE SANFORD The yodling wonder of the day. He is billed on the Grand Theatre show next week.

pressions in regard to his genius with "The Nigger," which was one of the New Theatre's greatest successes, and who has achieved a third notable success in "The Boss," in which Holbrook Hill is appearing at the Astor Theatre, New York, is undoubtedly the youngest among the young generation of successful American playwrights.

short her tour in "The Awakening of Helena Richie" last fall, and she is now playing in "Green Stockings," described as a light, fanciful and agreeable comedy, in which her abilities as a comedienne get more scope than in many of her recent ventures.



Wm. H. Turner in "Father and the Boys."

Next Tuesday, March 14, the Victoria theatre will offer as its attraction Wm. H. Turner in "Father and the Boys," a bright and breezy comedy of men and affairs of to-day written in George Ade's inimitable style and constructed with his deft hand as a playwright.

This leading role shows him as a country-bred and highly prosperous New York merchant, the man who has grown old in the harness, who has fallen into a routine, who has dropped "behind the procession." He is abreast of the times, even a little bit ahead of the times in his business, but in all else he clings to old habits, old ideas and old styles.

Mr. Ade wrote this play and in doing so in the role of "father" fitted Mr. Turner with a part well suited to him. He is such a thorough artist that his work is a constant delight. He makes every line effective and gets all the humor possible out of each scene and situation.

The Grand theatre bill for the coming week is one that is going to keep the patrons of the Government Street amusement palace guessing. For the acts, five in number, are all different, embracing acrobatic, musical comedy, yodling and whistling, juggling and a mother-in-law sketch.

letting the performers two in number, claim to offer novelty, fun and ability combined.

Everyone who is a frequenter of the Grand "Where Everybody Goes," will remember Jere Sanford, the melodious yodeler and whistler who was in Victoria last year for only one week.

While juggling has to be good to draw crowds, it is long since the novelty and always mysterious turn came along through the stage door of the Grand.

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Confidential Agent of the Provisional Government on Present Situation

Washington, D. C., March 11.—Dr. Francisco Vasquez Gomez, authorized confidential agent of the provisional government of Mexico, of which Francisco I. Madero is the head, commenting on the army mobilization on the American frontier, gave the following interview to the United Press:

We have not the slightest fear with respect to the alleged purpose of the American government to intervene in the present struggle in Mexico. In the first place, this government knows that the vast majority of the Mexican people are unalterably opposed to further continuance of the Diaz regime and the system he represents.

We have absolute faith that the United States, under the circumstances, will not intervene to prevent a vast majority from executing the popular will. If there exists menace to life and property it has been created by Diaz, for everyone knows that the revolutionists have taken pains to protect foreigners and their property. They have gone so far as to pay in coin for quartermaster and commissary sup-

plies which they have been forced to seize, and you have yet to hear of a single American citizen having been molested by our troops.

If this government believes chaos and anarchy are imminent in Mexico it may be said that this condition only will arise when some tumultuous outbreak demands "the system's" destruction.

All revolutionary movements and all spontaneous uprisings of the people are and will be directed to this end alone. All that is desired is the elimination of graft, the right of popular suffrage and no more re-elections.

In regard to creating a human military chain along the frontier composed of American troops in order to prevent alleged violations of neutrality, it may surprise you to know that our forces have received munitions from America for a considerable period, and do not expect to receive any more. We have our own means now of manufacturing and loading cartridges and ample supplies of smokeless powder and small arms. We really have no need for further material of this sort.

We submit our case to the conscience of the free American people who certainly will not sympathize with a grafting oligarchy as against a people struggling for the rights guaranteed them by their constitution.

#### Will Continue Struggle.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 11.—"If the United States insists upon interfering with our fight in Mexico we will shoot its soldiers the same as we would the soldiers of Porfirio Diaz. This is a fight between Mexicans, and every member of our army in lower California will die before they will give up the fight they have so nobly begun," said Librado Rivera, chief director of the Liberal branch of the Mexican revolution, commenting on the mobilization of American troops on the Mexi-

can frontier. With Ricardo Flores Magon, Rivera is the leader of the Los Angeles revolutionary junta which controls the insurgent movement in lower California.

"We, of the revolutionary junta in Los Angeles, have been harassed in every way by the federal authorities. Threats to prevent publication of our paper have been made. But we will keep right on and if it is suppressed here we will move to Mexico and print it there.

"The American residents of Mexico need no protection from the United States troops, for both federal and rebel soldiers have been very considerate of them.

"We admit that it is our intention in case of victory to prevent the selling of land to foreigners in Mexico, but that is no reason why the United States should interfere."

#### No Concessions to Japan.

Mexico City, March 11.—The Mexico has granted to Japan no concession for the maintenance of a naval station and no privileges on the Tehuantepec railway, are statements which Foreign Minister Creel yesterday authorized ambassador La Barra, Mexican ambassador at Washington, to make.

The increasing rumor in the United States that Mexico had entered into an agreement with Japan whereby the latter was to be permitted to use certain ports along the coast of lower California and be granted special privileges for the transportation of supplies over the Isthmian railway caused the ambassador to send to the foreign office a request that he be permitted to make a definite statement regarding the charges. Mr. Creel also has asked ambassador La Barra to extend to President Taft his thanks for the latter's friendly attitude and for the explanation he sent to President Diaz relative to the mobilization of American troops.

In another message of the ambassador to Minister Creel regarding a conference he had with President Taft, he says:

"President Taft warmly eulogized President Diaz, and added that the American government would try to aid, within proper limits, the cause of peace and order in Mexico; that it could not be indifferent, as much on account of Mexico being a neighbor, as because of American capital invested in Mexico. He ended by saying the United States was determined to fulfill its international duties, among which was the maintenance of the sovereignty of other countries, and especially in dealing with Mexico, with which it had such friendly relations."

The health of President Diaz, which appears to have been made a factor in the situation in some quarters, seemingly has not been impaired in the slightest degree by the business of the last few months. Instead of being the sick man that he has been painted he is said not to have been in better health for a long time.

#### COMOX FALL FAIR.

Cumberland, March 10.—A meeting of the directors of the Comox Agricultural Society was held in the agricultural hall, Courtenay, when the different committees for the year were struck and the date of the fall fair set for September 26 and 27.

W. W. Willard, of this city, president of the association, was selected to have charge of the exhibits from the Comox district at New Westminster fair. A committee was appointed to go into the matter of securing new grounds, the committee to report at the next meeting on the second Tuesday in April.

It is the intention of the society to have these grounds fixed up in a first class manner for sports of all kinds and to have a race track built in connection.

#### NELSON MINISTER RESIGNS.

Rev. Dr. Ferguson Forced to Give Up Pastorate Owing to Ill Health.

Nelson, March 10.—Rev. Dr. J. T. Ferguson, pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church here, and moderator of the Presbyterian synod of British Columbia, and one of the most scholarly divines in Canada, has resigned his pastorate on account of ill-health. His resignation was accepted by the congregation with deep regret.

Dr. Ferguson, who recently had the degree of D. D. conferred by the Manitoba university, has presided over the church here for six years with great success. He came from a large and wealthy congregation in Fifeshire, Scotland. He was until last year in charge of the home missionary department of the Presbyterian church in British Columbia. His illness is due to overwork. After a rest he will probably resume his labors in Canada.

#### DAMAGE TO RESIDENCE.

Revelstoke, March 10.—Damage by fire, smoke and water to the extent of close on to \$1,000, was done to the resi-

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BY MRS. A. T. ASHMORE.

THE theatre and restaurant gown—one and the same—has suddenly become of almost paramount importance in the fashionable wardrobe, and the woman who makes a point of attending all the new plays and incidentally enjoys dining in public is forced to bestow a bit of time upon these same gowns.

The wearing of the low gown at the theatre has become almost universal, and, while there is no law enforcing it, the unwritten law which compels women to dress in what Dame Fashion decrees is the latest style exercises a most far-reaching influence. There is much that is practical in this same decree of fashion.

To begin with, the waist cut low at the neck is much cooler and more comfortable; then nothing injures a heavy gown of velvet, or indeed any material, more than to wear it at the theatre, when it gets so crushed in the limited space allowed for each individual. It makes possible the wearing of the most inexpensive



Gray Silk Gown with Silver Embroidered Trimming  
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gown, provided that the waist is effective and becoming, and an old waist can with- out great trouble or expense be converted into one most effective for the theatre.

This applies only to what is worn at the theatre, for there is no place where all the details of a costume show more distinctly than at a restaurant.



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Gray Silk Voile Gown with Silver Embroidery  
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Pink Liberty Satin Gown with Gold Embroidered Tunic  
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There is a most extraordinary change in the appearance of all restaurants now from even five years ago. Low gowns are fashionable and the majority of women do not wear hats. If hats are worn they are either of enormous size and of the most costly description or are small, eccentric, but very smart, on the head dress order, and incidentally very expensive also. At first glance there is not any marked difference between the theatre and the ball gown, but a closer inspection reveals there is a decided difference in the cut of the waist. It is not so low in the neck; in fact, is much more on the order of what in our grandmother's day were known as V shapes and square necks. The shoulders are more covered, veiled as are the upper arms with folds of the material of the gown—voile de soie, chiffon or some semi-transparent material of the same color, outlined with a fold of black or white, preferably the latter if not becoming. At the back the V shape

not exaggerated low is the fashion, but always in keeping with the line of the material over the shoulders. Too much attention cannot be given to this and also to the back of the waist being becoming and perfect in every detail. The clever dressmaker realizes this and respects the shoulders of her customers in consequence, knowing that an inch too much or too narrow in the V will ruin the smartest gown ever designed.

This is a season when the ball gown that has served its time, lost its freshness and yet retains its good lines proves of great service, for over it can be put one of the pattern robes now sold at a great reduction from the original price, or draperies of some transparent fabric not necessarily expensive. The too low line of the ball gown can be hidden under the transparent or semi-transparent fabric of the new tunic or overdress, and the color and design of the skirt will show through most effectively. With a white or light

## Practical and Smart Model.

For the woman who does not have to count pennies nor calculate as to the cost of clothes the ordering of theatre and restaurant gowns is this season a keen delight, so fascinatingly attractive are most of the models. Practical and smart is one model, which might be called conservative in its distinctive note. The gown is of gray striped voile de soie of the softest pearl shade, and the skirt, quite unlike the majority, is in side pleats that fall straight from waist to hem. The waist is made of bands of silver lace with pearl and silver beads that are in surplus effect, and the ends are caught under a high belt of velvet with jewelled buckle. Extremely simple but intensely smart, this is a most popular model.

Much more striking and also more on the order of a ball gown is a model of satin with overdress or front panel of bead-embroidered net or tulle. The upper part of the waist and the back of the entire gown are of the satin. On the front of the waist is a wide choux of velvet ribbon or a large velvet flower of some color in direct contrast to the color of the gown. A pale blue satin with the flower of deep pink, a choux of mauve; a rose pink gown with deep crimson flower, pale yellow with deep orange, are a few instances of what has been made up.

## Black and White Fashionable.

Whether a dark or a light gown is the more practical is often discussed, but no consensus of opinion has ever been obtained. Putting black out of the question, there is much to be said on both sides. The white and light colors clean best and can be remodelled oftener, the darker colors wear longer without requiring cleaning and are extremely distinctive. This winter there have been a great number of blue theatre gowns. One brilliant dark blue with blue or black jet trimmings has been most popular, while a fascinating changeable blue and mauve has been in constant demand. Bright pinks and one

color satin ball gown wonders can be worked by this method. Black and white is fashionable, exceedingly fashionable, at present, and theatre gowns of this combination are to be seen in infinite variety of design. A light mauve gown with a tunic of jet is a popular model, while a black satin with a white chiffon and lace tunic is even more novel. For the latter there are two different kinds of lace used in the waist, while above the hem of the tunic is an inch band of the finest flax with an edge of guipure. The pattern of the lace shows out with marvellous distinctness against the black background, while the band of black cutting the folds over the shoulders, finishing the elbow sleeves and in the high girle, is most striking. In fact, this combination of black and white is almost without exception strikingly distinctive.

Asbes of roses was years and years ago a most fashionable color. In the winter just past and now again this spring it is in style, and for a theatre gown combined with black lace is very smart. It is not to be worn by a young girl and is one of the few colors most becoming to older women. With a touch of soft cream white lace, jewelled trimmings, in which are pink amethysts, a color scheme can be worked out most effectively. There is a smart combination sometimes attempted of a touch of blue with the shades of roses, but this can only be satisfactorily worked out by some one who is an artist in colors as well as clothes.



Long Cloth Coat with Satin Revers and Collar.

In the meantime such a gown is essentially smart and expensive. Fancy silks and satins are good investments, and they can be bought, especially just now, at most reasonable prices, and make up effectively. They are excellent for theatre gowns, and it is a good plan to select the more unusual designs and colorings. They are often far less expensive and much smarter. The color may in itself be dull and not becoming. Trimmings of some contrasting color that is becoming will then transform the gown and besides give an original touch that will make it far smarter. Such a gown of a rather dull gray figured satin is transformed by its trimmings of pale blue panne velvet.

When cost is not considered the brocade crepe de Chine combined with plain satin is extremely popular for the new theatre and restaurant gowns. The material drapes so perfectly that it is especially well suited to the newest models on the classic lines; it is to be found in all shades and colors and will be unquestionably a most popular material this season.

## Spring Suggestions for Smart Street Costumes

STREET gowns are the first to demand attention in the spring, and just what is best to buy is not always easy to determine. Unfortunately, in spite of the Weather Bureau and the wise

to semi-tropical heat, when even a light weight cloth costume is quite impossible, and this same temperature will continue until the summer season is firmly established. Again will come a season when furs will not be uncomfortable and when spring gowns of anything but heavy material will be equally impossible.

### Late Winter Suits.

Prudent and rightly known as truly economical women contend the purchase of a medium weight street costume late in the winter is essential. They look ahead at the light weight and light colored gowns that on a typical spring day are so fascinatingly attractive, knowing that on a bleak, cold day the same gown will be hideously ugly and unbecoming. An all wool material of medium or really light weight can be worn in quite cold weather if a thin knitted sweater or sacque be worn underneath, but this will not be necessary often. The plainer models of skirt and coat are the best to choose for the spring street costume, as this will be used later for travelling and always for some practical purpose.

Silk, satin or voile are better adapted to the more elaborate styles, and this year there is a satin finish extremely light weight cloth that will be included in the latter category.

Jackets are to be much shorter; and already the return of the bolero and Elton jacket has been more than indicated in many of the newest models. In the everyday first spring gown the short or rather medium straight coat is the best, more in keeping with the straight plain skirt. With the more elaborate skirts the shorter,

more fanciful coat is the more appropriate. Straight lines for coat and skirt are to



Straited Cloth Costume.

be the rule, and, while the achieving of just the right effect is difficult at first, the fashion is not an impossible one to copy if it is realized that the finish must be perfect and that there must be sufficient width across the shoulders to give that straight loose appearance that is required.



The Clock Costume.

predictions of almanacs, there can be no positively reliable information that will help solve the problem of whether a medium or light weight material shall be selected, so often does winter cold linger,







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Greenwood, March 10.—The big tunnel is in 1,500 feet. It is not expected that much ore will be encountered until the tunnel has been driven a distance of 2,300 feet.

PRINCE RUPERT'S NEW HOSPITAL

Formal Opening Largely Attended—Number of Wards Are Already Furnished

Prince Rupert, March 10.—The opening of the new hospital reception was largely attended, among those present being the board of directors, the ladies auxiliary and the acting mayor and members of the city council.

Among the visitors to the hospital was an interested member of the first hospital committee of which John Houston was chairman.

ROSSLAND, March 10.—According to a statement recently issued the operations of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company's smelter at Trail for January make a very favorable showing.

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GRANBY SMELTER IN FULL BLAST New Record for Month May Be Established—Aerial Tram Line

Grand Forks, March 10.—After a partial shutdown for the past ten days, owing to the breakage of some of the machinery at the mines at Phoenix, the Granby smelter will again be in full blast.

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CITY OF VICTORIA A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

STREET CLOSED Notice is hereby given that Fort Street between Yates street and St. Charles street will be closed to traffic until further notice.

RE LOCAL IMPROVEMENT WORKS The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, having determined that it is desirable:

COUNCIL WILL PAY. New Westminster, March 10.—After lying on the table for a week, the council confirmed the financial committee's report to pay Auditor Cotworth the sum of \$900 as an honorarium for services rendered to the city of Westminster in working for nothing for many months.

NO SUNDAY FUNERALS. New Westminster, March 10.—The Ministerial Association of the lower Fraser Valley at their regular monthly meeting took a stand against Sunday funerals.

Tenders are invited up to 1 p. m. of Wednesday, March 15th, 1911, for the erection and completion of a Biscuit Factory for Messrs. Popham Bros., on Russell Street, Victoria West.

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