

THE EMBRYO CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

Future Metropolis of the North in Municipal Swaddling Clothes--Activity at Future Entrepot of Grand Trunk Pacific.

On one of the most perfect harbors to be found on the Pacific coast the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is preparing the way for a model city which is destined to play an important part in the commercial history of British Columbia.

trade. Intercourse between Victoria and Prince Rupert is bound to become very close and in the rivalry for trade between the already established ports in the southern part of the province and on Puget Sound and the northern distributing and gathering centres, there will be brought into existence a vast fleet of coasting steamers.



BEGINNINGS OF CITY

Prince Rupert as it Appears at the Present Time, Showing Company's Buildings.

found a more spacious accommodation for shipping with such perfect protection from all quarters. There can never be the fear of congestion in connection with the accommodation of shipping for the harbor facilities are sufficient for the greatest commercial city of the world.

passenger business will be of importance. The tourist trade to the north has been making rapid advances within the past year or two, and with the attraction of a new city to visit in the north this will be increased very materially.



ENTERING TUCK'S INLET.

Passage 12 Fathoms Deep From Upper Harbor of Prince Rupert Into What is Continuation of Deep Water.

is not so highly favored in point of weather as is Victoria. There is nothing, however, to indicate that there is a rainfall that will interfere with business. Short distances on the coast give wide differences in climatic conditions due to the situation of the mountain ranges.

a new steamer after the same type with few alterations in view of the increase in the coasting trade. The Camosun while adapted for the carrying of a heavy cargo is extremely well equipped for the passenger trade.

derstand the situation prophesied for this new city a scene resembling in some particulars the throwing open of Oklahoma to the investor. Thousands of dollars are being held to-day not alone in Canada but throughout the United States, awaiting permission being given to enter into the new townsite and invest.

But to-day the city is so called only by grace of what it is to be. A substantial pile wharf affords the only means of access. It will be a short time only until from the land side as well as by way of the water means of communication will be afforded with the outside world and through rail service will be possible with the Atlantic and all intervening centres.

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MARKETS FOR CANADIAN GOODS

Opening of the Tehuantepec Railway Will Enable Settlers to Reach Interior.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—A. W. Doney, Canadian commercial agent in Mexico, reports to the department that with the opening of the Tehuantepec International railway on January 1st next, there is no reason why Eastern Canada should not compete for the Pacific coast trade of Mexico, especially in manufactured articles, while British Columbia will be in a position to send her lumber and fish to eastern and central Mexico and the West Indies at a cheaper rate by the new line on the Pacific.

VICTORIA LEADS IN CLEARING INCREASES

Victoria bank clearings for the week ending November 1st show an astonishing increase over the returns for the corresponding week last year. Bradstreet's report on financial affairs for the week contains the following figures: Increase of bank clearings, increase and decreases, in the larger Canadian cities for the corresponding weeks in 1906 and 1905.

Winnipeg—\$14,945,971; increase, 21.2 per cent. Halifax—\$1,368,542; decrease, 18.9 per cent. Quebec—\$1,469,863; decrease, 10.6 per cent. St. John, N. B.—\$1,023,234; decrease, 10.1 per cent. Victoria—\$1,131,456; increase, 32.6 per cent. Edmonton—\$68,653. Toronto—\$3,974,599; increase, 2.9 per cent. Ottawa—\$2,483,351; increase, \$2 per cent. Vancouver—\$1,986,391; increase, 33.1 per cent. Hamilton—\$1,909,412; increase, 18.7 per cent. London—\$1,065,887; decrease, 2.1 per cent. Calgary—\$1,390,809.

From the above it will be seen that this city is so far ahead of other places in the dimensions of its bank clearing increase that competitors seem almost out of place. The total clearings for Victoria amounted to \$1,131,456, an increase of \$244,000, with clearings totaling \$1,909,412, came next, the increase being 22.1 per cent. Winnipeg for many years financially conspicuous, is third, with an increase of 21.2 per cent.

On general trade conditions in Canada, Bradstreet says, "Trade is active throughout Canada and prices of all commodities are firm or advancing. Retail business reflects the effects of the recent cool weather and re-ordering business is good. Shipments of goods west are heavy and a very heavy eastward movement of wheat is noted. Montreal reports all cotton fabrics moving up in price and spring orders are good. Cheese is less active for export. At Toronto druggists were active, as is also hardware of all kinds, and collections are generally satisfactory. Increasing population and large crops help trade in the Northwest. There is some complaint of land speculation taking money out of circulation, but collections are reported better than usual. On the Pacific Coast, trade is brisk and Canadian clearings for October and the past ten months show gains of respectively 21.1 and 17.8 over the best records of preceding years. Canadian failures for October were 24 per cent. fewer than in the same month a year ago, while liabilities were 23.7 per cent. smaller. Failures for the week number 21, as against 29 last week and 26 in this week a year ago.

PEARY'S EXPERIENCES IN THE ARCTIC

HOLD RECORD FOR "FARTHEST NORTH" TRIP

Compelled to Eat Dogs During Return Journey—Message From the Explorer.

New York, Nov. 2.—The United States now holds the record of "Farthest North," 87 degrees, 6 minutes. This feat was accomplished by Commander Peary of the United States Navy.

What Commander Peary did and his experiences during the past year in the frozen north are briefly but vividly summarized in a communication received to-night by Herbert L. Bridgeman, secretary of the Peary Arctic Club. This communication follows:

Hopedale, Labrador (via Twillingate, Newfoundland), Nov. 2. To Herbert L. Bridgeman—The Roosevelt wintered on the north coast of Greenland, somewhat north of Alert winter quarters. We went north with sledges in February via Hecla and Columbia and were delayed by open water, between 84 and 85 degrees. We were beyond 85 degrees for six days.

"A gale disrupted the ice, destroyed our caches, cut off communication with supporting parties and I drifted and drifted. We reached 87 degrees six minutes north latitude, over the ice, drifting steadily eastward. Returning, we ate eight dogs. We drifted eastward, delayed by open water, reached the north coast of Greenland in straightened conditions. We killed musk oxen and returned along the Greenland coast to the ship.

Two supporting parties were driven on the north coast of Greenland. One was rescued by me in a starving condition. After one week's recuperation on the Roosevelt, we sledged west, completing the north coast of Greenland and reached other land near the one hundredth meridian. The homeward voyage was an incessant battle with ice, storms and head winds. The vessel was damaged, the life-boat and sea boat. No deaths or illness in the expedition. (Signed) Peary.

After furnishing these contents of Commander Peary's message to the Associated Press, Mr. Bridgeman said that there was little doubt that Commander Peary was coming home. This seems to be borne out by the routing of the steamer, the Albatross, to Hecla that is a Moravian mission station on the east coast of Labrador. Twillingate is a port on the east coast of Newfoundland. Mr. Bridgeman said the message probably was mailed by Commander Peary from Hopedale to the most accessible cable point.

Commander Peary's Polar steamship the Roosevelt, left New York on her long journey to the Pole, July 16th, 1905. The vessel, for which funds were furnished by the Peary Arctic Club, of New York, was designed particularly for Arctic exploration. She cost about \$100,000. The Roosevelt had a crew of twenty men and Captain Bartlett.

New York, Nov. 3.—Herbert L. Bridgeman, secretary of the Peary Arctic Club, said today that the crew are all Newfoundlanders and could return home after that.

"It is evident Peary has had the same experience of getting on grinding ice and being carried away from his post that other explorers have had. Probably no other man living would get off so well as Peary has. He found himself on ice that had been broken up by storm winds and was taking him in a contrary direction.

"Will Peary ever make the attempt again? I don't know, although it was said by the newspapers when he sailed that if he failed this time he would never try again. He never told me that, and I was quite close to him. The commander will undoubtedly bring back with him a wealth of scientific and geographical matter. I consider that one of the wonderful features of this expedition is the fact that the Roosevelt is coming home with the entire party."

St. John, Nfld., Nov. 2.—The fact that Commander Robert E. Peary's steamer Roosevelt was damaged by ice during the long stay in the Arctic regions while the explorer made his last dash to the Pole, was reported from the Moravian mission station at Hopedale on the Labrador coast, where the Roosevelt has arrived. The extent of the damage is unknown. Commander Peary also reported that the steamer was in need of coal.

TREASURER DISAPPEARS

Also Funds of Danish Brotherhood of America—Wife Will Repay Shortage.

(Associated Press.) Chicago, Nov. 3.—J. Christian Eskilsson, of Chicago, the supreme treasurer of the Danish Brotherhood of America, is missing, and it is found that from forty to fifty thousand dollars of the order's funds is gone. Eskilsson was not seen since October 20th. H. H. Vogt, of Davenport, Ia., supreme president, and Martin Larsen, of Racine, supreme vice-president, yesterday concluded an examination of Eskilsson's accounts, which they say may reveal an immense shortage. They declare that practically all of the reserve fund is gone. Seven thousand dollars of it is said to have been lost in the failure of Paul O. Stensland's bank.

Mrs. Eskilsson at her home last night said that she would repay all the shortage according to reports from Racine, where many prominent members of the order reside, she has already turned over \$7,000 worth of Chicago property. Eskilsson, who has been a resident of Chicago for more than forty years, was a business partner of John J. Wheeler, doing a general roofing business.

According to Wheeler, Eskilsson completed an October 28th of bond \$10,000. He left a note saying: "I am sick and tired. I will go to a sanitarium for a short time to rest and recuperate until I get my strength back."

TO TEST VALIDITY OF MODUS VIVENDI

NEWFOUNDLAND ABOUT TO INSTITUTE ACTIONS

Will Prosecute Fishermen and Take Cases to Privy Council if Necessary.

(Associated Press.) St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 3.—In order to avoid the possibility of any legal defect or technicality vitiating the proposed test cases which the Newfoundland government intends to bring against colonial fishermen employed on board of American herring vessels to determine whether the modus vivendi arranged between the United States and Great Britain is valid or otherwise, the government will send competent legal counsel to the west coast to arrange for these prosecutions, to draft the necessary papers and to oversee the enforcement of the law, etc. It is the purpose of the government to carry these cases to the Privy Council if necessary arises.

IN BASEBALL WORLD

American League Will Advocate a Longer World's Series.

(Associated Press.) Chicago, Nov. 3.—The American League will advocate a longer world's series, a shorter championship season and a greater number of post-season games between teams of the major leagues for next season as a part of the winter baseball campaign, according to an announcement made yesterday by President John Montgomery Ward, as an effort made to curb the practice of independent or city league clubs of hiring players under contract to National agreement clubs, with or without the consent of the teams to which they belong.

Player Fined. Cincinnati, O., Nov. 3.—The National baseball commission yesterday fined V. A. Lindaman, of the Boston National League team, \$100 for playing with the Logan-Squares, an independent team of Chicago. Lindaman will be ineligible to play with any National agreement club until the fine is paid.

CANNED MEAT

War Secretary Will Not at Present Make Public Report of Lieut. Col. Hobbs.

London, Nov. 1.—War Secretary Haldane, replying in the House of Commons to-day to John Henniker Heaton, Progressive Conservative, said the government did not intend to make public the report of Lieut. Col. Hobbs, who went to the United States to inspect meat supplied for the British army shortly after the packing scandal, and a statement on the subject could not be made until a final decision on future contracts had been arrived at. The British army still held about three-quarters of a million pounds of American canned meat, costing \$400,000, and there was no present intention of sending an officer to investigate the question of supplying the army from Australian sources.

ITALIANS LOSE MONEY

Man Who Conducted Savings Bank in Brooklyn Has Disappeared.

New York, Nov. 1.—Police reserves in Brooklyn were called upon to-day to quiet a crowd of angry Italians who were threatening to wreck a building in Navy street where Angelo Compentello had for several years conducted a savings bank in connection with a ticket agency. The depositors told the police that Compentello and his family had disappeared with the result that the bank practically was wiped out. Investigation confirmed this and showed further that the banker had the safe and fixtures carried away early to-day. The depositors number several hundred and it is estimated that the total amount of deposits was \$18,000.

An inquest was held at Whitechapel, London, on an infant child of a tailor named Weiner, who was killed by swallowing a hot cinder which "popped" out of the fire into its mouth.

GENEROUS TERMS TO SONGHEES TRIBE

Splendid Offer Made by Dominion Government to Solve Vexed Question—Superintendent Pedley Leaves To-Night.

Frank Pedley, deputy superintendent general of Indian affairs, who has been here for several weeks engaged in seeking a solution of the Songhees Indian reserve question, expects to start for Ottawa to-night. Mr. Pedley has completed his business and the matter now rests with the Indians.

The offer which Mr. Pedley was able to make to the Indians was as follows:

- 1. \$10,000 in cash or at the time of surrender.
- 2. \$15,000 in cash within a week of ten days.
- 3. \$7,000 in cash on the removal of the Indians to the new reserve.
- 4. The setting aside of a fund of \$10,000 for the purpose of purchasing implements, tools, stock, etc., upon requisition to the Indian agent or superintendent and certified by them as being necessary for use in the business of the particular Indian applying.
- 5. The purchase of a reserve suitable for the Indians within a reasonable distance of the city of Victoria and their removal thereto.
- 6. The compensation of the Indians for their improvements on the old reserve by cash or by improvements on the new reserve as the Indians desired.
- 7. The payment to the Indians of the interest yearly or half yearly on the balance of the money remaining to the credit of the band upon completion of this arrangement.

It was also agreed that should any of the Indians desire to remain in the city they could take their share of the distribution for the purpose of providing themselves a home in the city, still retaining an interest in the lands and money of the band.

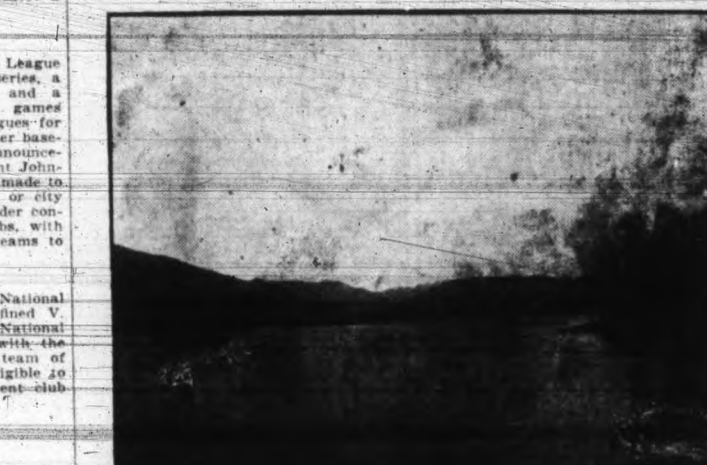
The Dominion government, acting on the advice of Hon. W. Templeman, has made a determined effort to settle this vexed question. Mr. Pedley, acting on behalf of the government, has performed the task committed to him well, displaying patience, tact and great perseverance, and has endeavored to deal fairly with all interests concerned.

Those who know Mr. Pedley will readily understand that the matter could not be placed in better hands to solve. He has, while showing a desire to have the Indians removed, never forgotten his duty to the Songhees and has protected their every interest. There have, however, been great difficulties in the way.

From the first Mr. Pedley, representing the Ottawa administration, endeavored to ascertain exactly what the wishes of the Indians were. He was prepared to meet them fairly.

That the proposition which he was able to make was eminently generous is proved by the fact that the Indians themselves acceded to it. The scheme for rehabilitating the tribe and providing for their removal and preserving their interests in the old reserve were satisfactory. A hitch occurred, however, over the last home quarter on Cadboro Bay, a spot dear to the tribe owing to the fact that they formerly occupied it. In fact the Songhees asked what was impossible to give. Through this delay has followed, and it remains for the Indians to say whether they will accept the generous treatment which the Dominion government is prepared to accord them, or by declaring the negotiations off, forfeit the chance of ever again getting such a liberal scheme of settlement.

Mr. Pedley was asked to-day if the settlement of the question was now off. He replied that he could not say that it was. There had been no direct intimation from the Indians that they would not come to an agreement, although on the other hand they had not committed themselves to the acceptance of his terms. He said he had finished his work and had done all he could to arrange a fair basis for settling the question. He could not hold out any hope that the Indians would ever be able to get better terms than those now offered. In fact he thought favorable conditions being obtained for them if the present negotiations failed.



PRINCE RUPERT HARBOR.

Upper Portion, Taken From the Present Wharf.

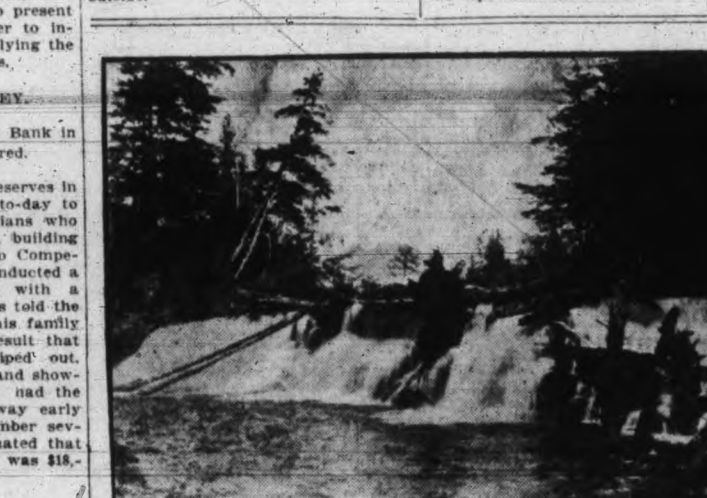
SUICIDE IN MORGUE

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 2.—Patrick Hurley, a policeman attached to the fourth precinct, shot himself in the head this afternoon. He walked into the morgue, and after a brief conversation with the man in charge, placed a revolver to his head and pulled the trigger. Death was instantaneous. His health is given as the cause of the suicide.

SPY CAPTURED.

Jap in Disguise Caught Sketching Fortifications in the Philippines.

(Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 3.—According to a Manila dispatch to the Herald a Japanese captain of engineers, disguised, has been caught sketching fortifications in the Philippines. The Japanese government has been communicated with regarding the deportation of the offender.



PRINCE RUPERT'S WATER SUPPLY.

Falls from Shawathans Lake, Which Will Be Used by the Northern City.

LUNA SALTS

FOR THE LIVER AND KIDNEY.
Have you that depressed feeling accompanied by a dull headache?
Take a dose of Luna Salts in the morning. It clears the brain and fits you for your day's work.

ANTURIC SALT, the great English Rheumatic Remedy, is now in stock.

Campbell's Prescription Store

Corner Douglas and Fort Streets.

WHAT ABOUT

PUTTING IN

Electric Light

THIS WINTER

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....SATURDAY ONLY....

2 More Snaps:

- Rowatt's English Pickles, large bottle each 25c
- Home Made Jelly (All Flavors) 3 jars for 25c

Windsor Grocery Company,

Opposite Post Office. Government St.

REALTY MARKET REMAINS ACTIVE

MANY IMPORTANT SALES DURING THE PAST WEEK

Old Established Business Changes Hands—Properties in Central Situation Fetch Good Figures.

In addition to a number of sales mentioned in the Times during the past week there have been several others of importance. Among them may be mentioned three acres of section 43, Victoria district, \$19,000. This price, \$900 an acre, is an extremely good one. A Camosun street cottage was also sold for \$1,850. An important sale completed during the week was that of sixteen feet on Government street, next to the Bank of Montreal, for \$23,500. Other sales within the past few days include the two water front lots opposite the post office and adjoining the James Bay causeway, which were acquired by Vancouver people for \$35,000. The old Gosselin property, at the corner of Douglas and Cormorant streets, was sold this week for \$25,000. Among the sales of the B. C. Land & Investment Agency during the week, were three acres on Edmonton road, a lot in Calestria park, a cottage with small acreage at Gordon Head, and two lots in Victoria West. Lots 14 and 15 on St. Charles street, one acre each, were sold at \$1,500 an acre.

Owing to the large number of contracts for business blocks in sight, Catterall & Son have ordered the latest pattern motor and hoist for use on tall buildings. This firm has just completed the contract for enlarging the dining room of the Union Club. As seen this morning the large room, presents a beautiful appearance. The walls are covered in crimson burias panelled with polished slash grain fir, afterwards treated with Mander composition. This gives almost the appearance of fumed oak and is one of the most artistic methods of treating native fir. The floor is of Australian red green-wood. Above the paneling is a shield dado for the exhibition of fine pottery. Two open fireplaces heat the room, with decorated mantels inlaid with maple and ebony, brass grates, and olive green Dutch tiles.

Connecting with the main dining room is another for small private parties, which is decorated in a similar manner. Other improvements included in the contract are converting the floor of the basement and building solid concrete steps to replace the old wooden ones.

Two important improvements, consisting of a bottling house, 25 by 100 feet and a wagon house 25 by 50 feet have just been completed at the Victoria-Phoenix Brewery. They are both built with brick walls and galvanized iron roofs.

A very old business firm changed hands a few days ago, that of Nicholles & Renouf, Limited. The purchasers are new arrivals from the Northwest, and they will continue the hardware business of the former owners. Many improvements will be made by the B. C. Land & Investment Agency that control the building. The upstairs will be modernized and the store enlarged to take in the premises formerly occupied by Samuel A. Stoddart, the jeweller.

As an indication of how property is selling at the coast it may be stated that the B. C. Land & Investment Agency sold property in Vancouver worth \$190,000 this week.

R. M. S. Empress of China left Yokohama at 2 p.m. on Thursday.

LUMBER INDUSTRY.

United States Investors Are Seeking British Columbia Timber Resources.

Speaking of the lumber industry in the mountains, George P. Wells, secretary of the Mountain Lumbermen's Association, says that at the present time a large amount of capital, especially American, is looking for investment towards British Columbia. In many of the districts on the other side the timber resources are becoming exhausted, and those who have made their fortunes in this way are now looking to British Columbia as one of the few remaining countries which presents opportunities.

"While there are still," said Mr. Wells, "good areas of timber to be acquired, there is not, perhaps, the vast area of standing timber popularly credited—and with the requirements of the country which is opening up at our very doors in the Northwest there is, certainly, none too much. I do not mean to intimate that the resources of this province in timber are so early exhausted, no matter if the number of mills in operation were largely increased, yet what I do say is that the market in the Northwest is increasing so rapidly and so insistent are its demands that it will take many more mills in operation before the market can be caught up with. Taking the present season for example, with every mill operating to its fullest capacity, there is not as much lumber on hand at the present moment as there was at the beginning of the sawing season. This means that more than the output has been consumed during the best period of production. Now that the winter is coming, on many of the mills will have to close and the reserve stock must undoubtedly be almost completely depleted before the spring. As the early spring demand is generally large, and in view of the good conditions obtaining in the Northwest and in Manitoba this year, that demand should be larger than ever in the early months of 1907. Each year this deficiency in lumber will surely become more marked and the keen perceptions of our American cousins are responsible for the activity in standing timber transactions which is very noticeable at present."

PROTECTING SPANISH RULERS.

Suspected Anarchists Disappear From Barcelona and Malaga Police Are on the Alert.

(Associated Press.)
Malaga, Spain, Nov. 2.—Local police are advised that suspected anarchists have suddenly disappeared from Barcelona and consequently the most vigorous precautions are being taken for the protection of King Alfonso and Queen Victoria during their stay here. All the houses in the streets through which their majesties are to pass have been carefully searched.

The Carlist committee throughout the peninsula will celebrate the name of the Pretender, Don Carlo, to-morrow. A squadron of British warships arrived at Malaga yesterday and King Alfonso and Queen Victoria were expected there to-day.

WILL VISIT WASHINGTON.

Chief of the Utes Will Submit Their Troubles to President Roosevelt.

(Associated Press.)
Sheridan, Wyo., Nov. 2.—A conference between the Indians and troops to-day resulted in an agreement on the part of the Utes to return with Colonel Rogers to Fort Meade, to be taken care of there by the government with Chief Red Cap and Black Whiskers go to Washington to talk the matter over with President Roosevelt. The Utes will go overland with troops of the Sixth Cavalry.

The Indians have not been disarmed and will not be as long as they make no threatening actions.

—Despatches from Dawson convey the information that Governor McInnes was to leave on November 1st on his way out for the winter.

NEW PRINCESS FOR TRIANGULAR RUN

CAPTAIN TROUP AT WORK UPON THE PLANS

Will Be Equipped With Turbines and Will Be Larger Than the Greyhound of Pacific.

When Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was last in Victoria it will be remembered that he promised members of the Board of Trade who waited upon him that a new Princess, greater than the Princess Victoria, now the greyhound of Northern Pacific waters, would be built. A few days later it leaked out that what Sir Thomas contemplated was a turbine liner. This news was duly published in the Times. Following this a similar announcement was made in the Pacific Marine Review, of Seattle, on the authority of a letter written by Mr. Mappole, but no further information was given.

Asked this morning regarding the proposed ship, Capt. Troup said that he was at work upon the plans and was making some headway. It is intended, he said, to provide for as much speed as the Princess Victoria possesses, and in the matter of dimensions to make her larger.

Asked as to whether the steamer will be constructed of steel or wood, the captain's reply was that the vessel would be built of steel, and she will probably be put together in the Old Country as was the Princess Victoria.

It will be recalled that only the superstructure of the latter vessel was built here, the hull and engines having been sent from England.

The new turbine will not be the first vessel of that class to enter these waters, but the second, her predecessor having been the Maheno, the new Canadian-Australian liner which ran to British Columbia ports during the summer months. So far as known, however, the Princess when built will be the first turbine steamer that has yet been turned out for the C. P. Company. It will, therefore, be an experiment with the railway company, and the success or otherwise of the venture will be watched with no small amount of interest. Up to the present the C. P. Company has not been undergoing some changes. The new steamer, Captain Troup stated this morning, was intended to supplement the Princess Victoria on the triangular run between Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle.

BANNER SEASON FOR VICTORIA ORCHARDS

The importance of fruit growing in the district surrounding Victoria is very well shown by statistics furnished the Times by the largest commission house in the city. No statistics are available regarding berries and small fruits, but for the other varieties the table below is a wonderful showing for an industry that is only in its infancy. This is merely a small foreboding of what will be done in the near future, when orchards recently planted come into bearing, and thousands of acres in Saanich peninsula become as they should be, covered with fruit.

The season has now almost concluded and although a fair proportion of the crop remains for winter sales, the following may be relied upon as approximately the correct output of fruit in the five or six-mile circle round Victoria for 1906:

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| Apples | 132,325 |
| Pears | 10,000 |
| Prunes and Plums | 106,312 |
| Total | 348,647 |

Included in the shipments were eight full carloads, and the bulk went to the new provinces and Manitoba.

SHORTAGE AT SUB-TREASURY

Washington, D. C., Nov. 2.—Acting Secretary of the United States Treasury to-day stated that a shortage of \$61,000 had been found in the St. Louis sub-treasury, but when the shortage occurred, or who is responsible for it, he declined to state, saying that the matter was under investigation by treasury officials in conjunction with those of the department of justice.

ASTONISHED THE DOCTOR.

MRS. EATON RECOVERING, ALTHOUGH HER PHYSICIAN SAID SHE MIGHT DROP DEAD AT ANY TIME.



"The doctor told me I had heart disease and was liable to drop on the street at any time," says Mrs. Robert Eaton, of Dufferin, Ont. "My trouble began four years ago with a weak heart. I was often ten afraid to draw my breath, it pained me so. I was bothered with nervousness, shortness of breath, dizziness, loss of appetite, smothering and sinking spells, and could not sleep."

"Sometimes a great weakness would seize me and I would have to lie down to keep from falling. My hands and feet would seem to go to sleep, and a sort of numbness would come all over me and perhaps immediately after the blood, would rush to my head and a series of hot flashes would envelop me."

"I took all kinds of medicines, but kept gradually growing worse until about eight weeks ago, when I began using Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill. From the start I improved until now my appetite has returned, I can sleep well, and have no nervousness, dizziness, palpitation, faintness or any of my other troubles. They have all entirely disappeared. I feel much stronger, look better, and altogether Anti-Pill has made a new woman of me."

"I am entirely cured and cannot say too much for this wonderful remedy. I would most heartily recommend Anti-Pill to any one suffering as I did."

All Druggists or the Wilson-Wyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont. 505

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Will Meet on November 22nd—Adjournment for Christmas Holidays About December 21st.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The proclamation summoning parliament to meet on November 22nd appears in the Canada Gazette to-day.

It is expected that the speech from the throne will be adopted after a week's discussion, so that there will be about three weeks left before the adjournment for the Christmas holidays to debate the tariff. It is more than likely that an adjournment will be made about December 21st until the 7th of 8th of January.

There are four vacancies in the Senate to be filled before the House meets. Two are in Nova Scotia and two in New Brunswick. The election for the House of Commons will take place the day before parliament meets, with the exception of Nicolet, if the postmaster-general decided to sit for Gaspe instead of Nicolet.

SWEEP OVERBOARD.

Carpenter of Steamer Halifax Drowned During Heavy Gale.

(Associated Press.)
Boston, Mass., Nov. 2.—The Plant line steamer Halifax arrived here to-day from Halifax, 20 hours late, after a dangerous passage by a storm during which the ship's carpenter, John McLean, was swept overboard and lost.

The steamer herself was considerably damaged by the gale and heavy sea, doors and windows having been broken and a plate stowed on the starboard side forward. She was hoisted to for 21 hours.

POLICY OF NEW MINISTRY.

Programme of New French Cabinet Approved by the President.

(Associated Press.)
Paris, Nov. 2.—The cabinet held a meeting to-day under the presidency of President Fallieres and approved the ministerial declaration of policy. The president then stated the policy to be introduced on Monday at the re-assembly of parliament for the purchase of the Western Railroad and the abolition of the death penalty.

INDIANS KILL GAME.

Alberta Game Protection Association Are Taking Action.

Energetic action is being taken by the Alberta Game Protection Association to prevent the extermination of big game by the fur traders who ruthlessly slaughter it in season and out, says an exchange. To the west of Red Deer and Lacombe these Indians, who are natural hunters, go about in bands and surround certain animals, and slaughter everything to be found. This they do not only in the hunting season, but at any time of the year, and make use of any kind of way to catch their spoil, sometimes trapping, shooting, and even using cages to catch them wholesale.

THE OUTBREAK OF SMALLPOX.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 2.—Though the provincial authorities continue to issue reassuring reports, the smallpox epidemic is undoubtedly spreading and considerable alarm is felt. In addition to seventy-five cases in Kent county there are about fifty cases of a most virulent type of the disease in Southampton, York County, and one case has developed in St. John.

SHORTAGE OF CARS.

Shippers Claim That They Are Seriously Handicapped in Export Trade.

Montreal is complaining of a shortage of cars. The Star states that dealers on the continent are not so eager to buy Canadian beef as last year, owing to the fact that an enormous amount of frozen meat from Australia and New Zealand has been shipped quite recently to Great Britain and other European countries, and consequently the large demand expected for Canadian cattle has fallen short of expectations. This somewhat relieved the situation as it is doubtful if the transportation facilities would be anywhere near sufficient to handle the cattle trade alone, were the demand equal to expectations. The amount of frozen meat sent to Great Britain and the Continent is such that a prominent cattle dealer doing business in the port of Montreal stated to the Star that on a recent shipment the price dropped as much as \$14 per head, and it is such losses as this that make the exporters somewhat careful of buying on a large scale.

Word comes from Calgary that there is a great outcry being raised by cattlemen in Southern Alberta over a shortage of cars. Sixty thousand export cattle have already left for Great Britain, but there are five thousand more awaiting shipment, and a prominent shipper is authority for the statement that there is not a stock car west of Winnipeg. The situation is rendered serious by the fact that November 20th is the last day on which cattle can leave Montreal, and a bad snow storm may come at any time and stop up shipping operations at the Alberta end. Large bunches of fat cattle are being held at present at Calgary, Brooks, Strathcona and Lethbridge, and owners are unable to obtain trucks. As grass around these stations is eaten off, shippers are forced to buy hay at five dollars a ton and the available supply in the immediate vicinity is limited.

—It is expected that Capt. John Irving is interested with American capitalists in a proposition whereby the Arctic Chief mine and the Best Chance near White Horse are to be fully developed.

The foundation of a distinctly Chinese Christian church for Toronto was prepared at the quarterly meeting of the Toronto Chinese mission held on Thursday night.

VICTORIA DAILY WEATHER

Friday, Nov. 2.
Highest temperature 52
Lowest temperature 46
Mean 48
Rain, trace.

VICTORIA WEATHER

October, 1906.
Highest temperature 62.5
Lowest temperature 32.5
Mean 47.5
Total precipitation for the month, 5.49 inches; average amount, 2.67 inches.
Bright sunshine, 119 hours 24 minutes; mean daily proportion, 0.35 (constant sunshine being 1.0).

CHURCH AND STATE.

Minister of Worship on the Situation in France.

(Associated Press.)

Paris, Nov. 2.—The minister of public instruction and worship, M. Bynaud, to-day announced in an authorized interview that the government did not regard the Catholic church as being in revolt against the law providing for the separation of the church and state or against the state. The Catholic church, having simply declined to take advantage of its privilege under the law as the other religions did in December, it would forfeit \$5,000,000 worth of property, and thereafter would live under the common law. There would be neither martyrdom nor persecutions of the faithful. The church, as state and communal property, would remain open for Catholic worship. The object for which the Republican party in France had struggled for 30 years was at an end, the state would no longer contribute to the support of any religion, and priests would no longer enjoy privileges. In both their duties and obligations they would be on an equality with other citizens; in other words the state at last was neutral towards all religions, and would permit the exercise of all of them with special favors to none.

FUEL FAMINE IN RUSSIA.

A Proposal to Abolish the Duties on Oils.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 2.—A conference was held at the ministry of commerce to-day to consider measures for alleviating the fuel crisis. A project for the abolition of the duties on fuel oil in order to permit the importation of American oils to compete with the Russian fuel residue, the price of which is now almost prohibitive, was discussed. The abolition of the duties on fuel oil is advocated by the minister of commerce and the central Russian industrialists, who claim that oil can be imported by way of Libau at rates twenty per cent. below the present prices. The representatives of the Baku oil interests oppose the proposition.

TO TUNNEL STRAIT.

Trans-Alaska-Siberian Railway Company Formed in Trenton.

A dispatch from Trenton, N. J., says: The Trans-Alaska-Siberian Railway Company, an authorized capital of \$5,000,000, has been incorporated here. The company is to construct a railway from Kasik station, on the Trans-Siberian railway, to Bushong Strait, which is to be tunneled to Cape Prince of Wales, Alaska. The incorporators are: Lotze de Lobel, Paris, France; J. A. Waddell, Kansas City; John Healy, Seattle; W. H. Black, Jersey City; and John R. Turner, New York.

"Ellerslie," Equimault, B. C.

November 1st, 1906.
Having been approached by a large number of the electors of the Equimault Electoral District with the view of ascertaining whether it is my intention to be a candidate for the Provincial Legislature at the next General Election, and as it appears a dissolution and election is not far off, I take this opportunity to inform the electors that it is my intention to be a candidate.

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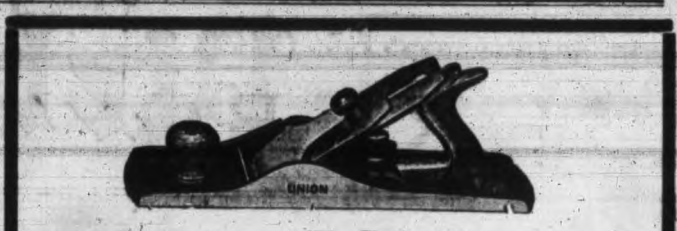
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THE EMBRYO CITY OF PRINCE RUPERT

(Continued from page 1.)

Fronting the water is the nucleus of the future city. On the right stands a comfortable bunk house for the surveying parties engaged on the topographical survey of the townsite. The building although a temporary one has been designed to afford comfort to those who have all summer long been making their home. A large open fire place with each evening with blazing cord-wood makes the reading room for the surveyors a most inviting one. Adjoining it is a room specially set aside as a drying room with a large heater in it. In this way the comfort of the men is well looked after. Arranged above the reading room are the bed chambers. The assistants to the surveyors, to the left of the approach to the wharf is the only other pretentious building. This is given over to the dining room and kitchen, on the lower floor, while the second flat is set aside as office and store room.

Stretching beyond this building are the quarters for the Japs, Chinamen and Indians, the cook-houses for these and the unpretentious blacksmith's shop. Already a clearing has been made back a distance of about an eighth of a mile, and the plank approach to the wharf is being continued back through this forming the main thoroughfare of the temporary town during the laying out of the site. On either side of this will be erected those buildings which are absolutely necessary to the needs of the new place, a larger dining room, sleeping apartments to be put up. As soon as the necessary supplies arrive there will also be built a hospital, residences for those who are obliged to reside on the spot, the stores which are absolutely necessary and other conveniences. These will be put up by the company and rented at a nominal figure. No interest in the property will pass to those occupying these places as they will be removed when the townsite is permanently laid out.

At present there are seventy-five men employed about the place including five survey parties making a thorough plan of the site on a topographical basis. These are under the charge of J. H. Pillsbury, the engineer in charge of the work. Mr. Pillsbury, although a comparatively young man, has been selected on account of his executive ability and his varied experience along the lines of work he is now in charge of. All that is done at the townsite is under his supervision, and nothing escapes his notice.

Nearer the entrance to the harbor and about a mile from the wharf is the camp established by G. B. Dodge in charge of the hydrographic survey of the harbor for the Dominion government, and his assistant, Mr. Parizeau. The site selected was a very pretty one. It was appropriately named "Fairview Camp" by them and all vessels entering the harbor may read the designation in bold characters in front of their temporary home. From the camp Metlakatla, the model Indian village of the north can be seen six miles away through the opening among the intervening islands. Messrs. Dodge and Parizeau have been instructed to remain during the winter and continue the survey so well prosecuted during the summer. They will as soon as the accommodation is provided then break up camp at Fairview and remove to the embryo Prince Rupert.

There is still another centre of population on the townsite. This is the B. C. Lumber Company's mill two or three miles farther up the harbor than the wharf. A model site has been obtained for the purpose. A well protected bay on the passage between Kaien Island and the mainland affords an ideal place for the mooring of the logs. The bay is commodious, and landlocked. Already a good sized mill building has been erected on high ground with a gangway to the water. Mr. Rochester, in charge of the construction, has just taken thirteen men, most of them millwrights and carpenters, to complete the work on the plant. These, with the staff, therefore, are expected to have the mill running by the New Year. It is in fact agreed to complete it by the middle of December, but making due allowance for interruptions the mill is expected to be cutting early in the new year. At the mill site, which will be connected with the spur line from the city by a spur line, a commodious boarding house has been erected, and the men are supplied independent of the town proper. The mill will have a capacity of 50,000 feet daily. In addition to the cutting of the logs, machinery will be installed for manufacturing ordinary lumber of all classes, shingles, laths etc. A dry dock will be installed and also a saw and door factory to supply the demands of the new city in part at least. Situated as it is the mill will be removed a considerable distance from the townsite proper for some time to come. The railway line after crossing the narrow straits from the mainland by bridge to Kaien Island will pass close to the mill on the way to the terminals and can be connected by a spur with the line. Then the mills are most conveniently situated for shipping by water. It is so located that by a short tramway or a slight incline the lumber may be run to a wharf located at the deep water of the harbor, while the logs are taken in at the other side. While there is considerable timber close to the mill site the bulk of the raw material will be obtained on timber claims held by the company on Observatory Inlet and elsewhere along the coast.

Protected by Digby Island the harbor is landlocked with a splendid approach from the outside. The hydrographic survey now in progress under the charge of Mr. Dodge has not revealed anything to interfere with the free navigation of vessels drawing any depth of water.

Capt. Saunders of the steamer Camosun, whose vessel draws about seven feet and a half of water, says if a few lanterns were put up at the entrance to guide him he would enter the harbor at any time at night. At present until the surveys of the entrance have been fully made only a few marks intended for the guidance of Mr. Dodge and his staff are available as

guides to the navigators. With these the masters of vessels, however, have no difficulty in making the entrance. The harbor itself is wide with ample water. Along the waterfront of the townsite the conditions are excellent for wharfage. The coast line is little broken along the waterfront, and miles of wharves may be built in a straight line. The water is deep right up to shore, and the company is contemplating putting in wharves of the most stable character. Stone and cement may be used in the codese of construction and the facilities for shipping will be all that can be desired. There can be no congestion as deep water continues to the head of the inlet, which forms the harbor. Fourteen miles of wharfage thus extend inland, forming a large portion of the waterfront rising from near the edge throughout the greater part of its length.

Nothing could be more picturesque than the surroundings of the place. Directly opposite the site of the city rises Mount Hays, named after the president of the G. T. P. This peak stands out very prominently, rising to a height of 2,000 feet. To the right on the mainland are ranges closely rivaling Mount Hays, and still farther inland appear snow capped peaks.

Back of the townsite a very pretty ridge of mountains regular in outline rises to form a striking background for the city. It is nearly 2,000 feet high, ending in a conical peak opposite the mainland. The ridge gradually descends to the water near the entrance to the harbor, so that Prince Rupert when built under the canopy of the elevation will be largely shut out from view until the vessels near the approach to the harbor. On the intervening space between the water front and the base of the mountains is a wide tract ranging from two miles to four or five miles near the upper end.

The land along the water front is lightly timbered but near the base of the hills it becomes more heavy and hemlock, spruce and cedar of large dimensions are met with. The best of clearing the townsite will not, therefore, be as great as it was in the case of Vancouver. The ground is relieved throughout from all monotony. There are elevations in the interior which command views of the harbor and the country beyond which cannot be shut out by buildings in the foreground. The facilities for drainage are pronounced to be good and no difficulty will be found in draining off all surface water.

The survey now in progress will show the exact topography of the land. With that to guide them the engineers in charge, assisted by the best landscape gardeners that can be obtained, will decide upon the plan for laying out this model city. The mistakes of other cities will be taken advantage of and avoided in the case of Prince Rupert. The intention of the officers of the G. T. P. is to make the terminal city as nearly perfect as can be done. Nothing is being left to chance, and the plans for the city will be based on the promises that Prince Rupert is to be a large place with important industries necessary to it and a great commercial centre. Everything connected with the townsite is therefore being planned with a view to stability.

The final survey for the line of railway from the townsite is now being made under the charge of J. Moore. It is expected that the terminals will be located between the present buildings and wharf and the entrance to the harbor. The opportunities for yards adjacent to an admirable site for permanent wharves are excellent at that point.

The route will then proceed inland, probably, and follow a line within the townsite proper at some distance back from the water front. That done the townsite will be platted and it is expected that by next spring, perhaps, the plans of Prince Rupert will be prepared and the city begun in earnest. Railway construction may commence about June, and from that on all will be activity in the northern terminus.

The environs of the city will be charming. The forest clad mountains at the back will afford scope for delightful drives with the wide view from the summit. A considerable part of the slope may be utilized as residential property also. Across the harbor are a number of pretty salt lakes which will be available for catching trout. The Shannon lakes just across the new passage separating Kaien Island from the mainland contain a vast volume of fresh water which will become the source of supply, in all probability, for Prince Rupert. The waters reach the sea water after falling over a precipice at a height of about 50 feet.

This does not give head enough to supply the city by gravity, but the lakes are now being examined with the object of finding the best source for supplying the city. If it cannot be brought into the city by gravitation it will be an easy task to pump the water into a reservoir at any height on the mountain back of the townsite and thus secure the head desired. The distance involved in the piping of the water will not be great, being easily within six or seven miles. The only water from the Shannon lakes is ample, there being estimated to be enough for a city of over 100,000 inhabitants with a liberal allowance.

In the opinion of some of those interested in northern navigation the coming summer will see Prince Rupert made the base for the trade with the northern interior by way of the Skeena river, taking the place now filled by Port Essington. Only a few hours' time would be required to make the extra run for river steamers to Prince Rupert, and a saving in time would be effected by the coasting steamers.

The interior of northern British Columbia to which the G. T. P. will be the means of communication when completed has great possibilities. There is great activity preparatory to the building of the line. This was evident by the great number who passed in and out of the country during the season. Those who have visited the Bulkley valley are loud in their praises of its fertility. R. Barger, of Alberni, who has established a sawmill at that point during the summer, was on the coast a few weeks ago endeavoring to get a planing outfit. The great difficulty in this is the getting of the plant in over the trail, which is only for pack trains. Mr. Barger has not despaired, however, and the machinery and mill machinery are being carried in by this method. He expressed regret that he had not arranged to bring to the coast cities a representative exhibit of vegetables grown in the Bulkley. No part of the province can produce better vegetables and farm produce than that district, says Mr. Barger.

The mineral resources of the country to be tapped are also proving very valuable. For a year or two prospectors have been quietly traversing the northern sections and all varieties of ore are being located. Silver lead ore positions in the Babine have been located by men who have had experience in the Kootenays and some of the discoveries located by them are pronounced to be excellent. The rich coal deposits of the Telkwa are being thoroughly exploited and by the time the immense country rich in a wide variety of natural resources ready for rapid development. Preliminary work in this is now being done and with railway facilities unlimited capital will flow in to complete the work begun and put the different industries on a commercial basis. The fact that the G. T. P. is lending a hand to further this development of the natural resources is an inestimable advantage.

Tributary to the northern aspect of Prince Rupert have been established or are being built up industries which will contribute to maintain a large coasting trade. Foremost among these are the many salmon canneries extending all along the coast. At Claxton near the mouth of the Skeena the most up-to-date equipment has been installed by Wallace Bros. at their cannery. Run by water power obtained right at hand, a freezing plant has been installed on the most improved plans. Here salmon of the best quality and the famous northern halibut are frozen and made ready for market. At the present time these frozen fish have to be brought down by steamer to Vancouver, then shipped by refrigerator cars east. With the completion of the G. T. P. what now occupies days in getting the frozen fish to the railway line will be accomplished in a few hours.

At many of the canneries along the northern coast similar steps will be taken to that which Messrs. Wallace have done when the means of transportation is provided. At Nome Mr. Draney, the enterprising canneryman, is already preparing to enlarge his salmon cannery, and to enlarge his sawmill also.

On Swanson Bay J. A. McKinnon is developing the pulp concessions which have passed into the control of British capitalists. A force of men are at work and with ample water power right at hand he expects to gradually equip a pulp mill and later a paper factory. These are but a few instances of what is being done in the north without direct rail transportation facilities. With a railway built to the coast these industries will be many times over duplicated and new works will be developed. With Prince Rupert as the gathering centre and in turn the distributing point, New British Columbia will in a few years rival the southern portion of the province. With every facility in the way of harbor accommodation and accessories for large manufacturing concerns now being investigated the modest little survey camp at Prince Rupert will in a few years become one of the great centres of population and will rank among the most important ports on the Pacific ocean.

FIRE ON STEAMER.

Liverpool, Nov. 2.—Fire broke out today on board the White Star liner steamer Baltic, which arrived here on November 1st from New York. The flames were discovered in hold No. 1 containing cotton. For a time a serious conflagration was threatened. A large force of firemen hurried to the scene, flooded the hold with water and confined the fire and damage to that part of the ship.

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The mineral resources of the country to be tapped are also proving very valuable. For a year or two prospectors have been quietly traversing the northern sections and all varieties of ore are being located. Silver lead ore positions in the Babine have been located by men who have had experience in the Kootenays and some of the discoveries located by them are pronounced to be excellent. The rich coal deposits of the Telkwa are being thoroughly exploited and by the time the immense country rich in a wide variety of natural resources ready for rapid development. Preliminary work in this is now being done and with railway facilities unlimited capital will flow in to complete the work begun and put the different industries on a commercial basis. The fact that the G. T. P. is lending a hand to further this development of the natural resources is an inestimable advantage.

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SONGHEES RESERVE

It is perhaps not generally known that for some time an agent of the Dominion government, Mr. Pedley, has been in the city carrying on negotiations with the Indians of the Songhees tribe, with the object of securing their consent to a transfer to another and more suitable reserve.

We venture to say that the closest friends of the Indians, the most zealous advocates of the cause of justice and fair-dealing as between them and the government representing the public at large, will scarcely deny that they have been offered exceedingly liberal terms, unprecedentedly generous terms.

The real friends of the Indians will sincerely regret this possibility. They must realize that the time cannot be far off when negotiations will be followed by measures more likely to achieve results.

THE WATER CONTROVERSY

Mayor Morley asks that in fairness to himself and to the scheme of water improvement he so zealously advocates the press should not in discussing the question attempt to mislead the people. The point is well taken; but its application should be general.

present the case for Elk Lake before the assembly of ratepayers at the City Hall this week will agree with us that his argument left the impression upon their minds that a sufficient supply of water could be procured at Elk Lake to satisfy all the legitimate requirements of the city for a considerable number of years to come.

which she entered into the partnership. But there is no Imperial authority under which the government of the Dominion of Canada is negotiating with this province can alter or amend the Terms of Union. Under the partnership contract all the partners must have an equal voice in and must be assenting parties to any variation or change in the Terms of Union.

cannot evade responsibility. The subject of the reasoning of the defenders of the peculiar course of Premier McBride is worthy of admiration. The other provinces of the Dominion had nothing whatever to say in regard to the terms upon which British Columbia was admitted to confederation.

THE CITY SCHOOLS. Returns of Attendance During Month of October.

Table with columns: School Name, Total Daily Attend., Ave. P.C. Includes High School, Sub High, Boys' Central, Girls' Central, North Ward, South Park, Victoria West, Spring Ridge, Kingston Street, Hillside, Rock Bay.

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New York, Nov. 3.—Hundreds of men were thrown out of employment and money loss in excess of a quarter of a million dollars was caused early today by a fire which destroyed the piano factory of Jacob Bros. Co. in West 23rd street.

Mr. Benjamin Goldstone, an Epping, New South Wales, has just retired, having worked 150,000 miles during his forty years' service.

TRANSFER OF THE PRINCESS LOUISE

HAS BEEN SOLD TO VANCOUVER PARTIES

It is Said Vessel Will Be Converted Into a Coal Carrier—Shipping Note.

Negotiations have practically been completed for the sale of the C. P. R. steamer Princess Louise, an old side-wheeler which for the past year or two has been tied up on the Fraser.

The Princess Louise is one of the oldest vessels in British Columbia waters, and for many years before her retirement from service ran to northern ports and to the Fraser river.

According to the Lewis & Dryden Marine History, "The Olympia went to 'Prisco in July 1871, and soon after her arrival was granted a liberal subsidy for non-interference with the California steamers."

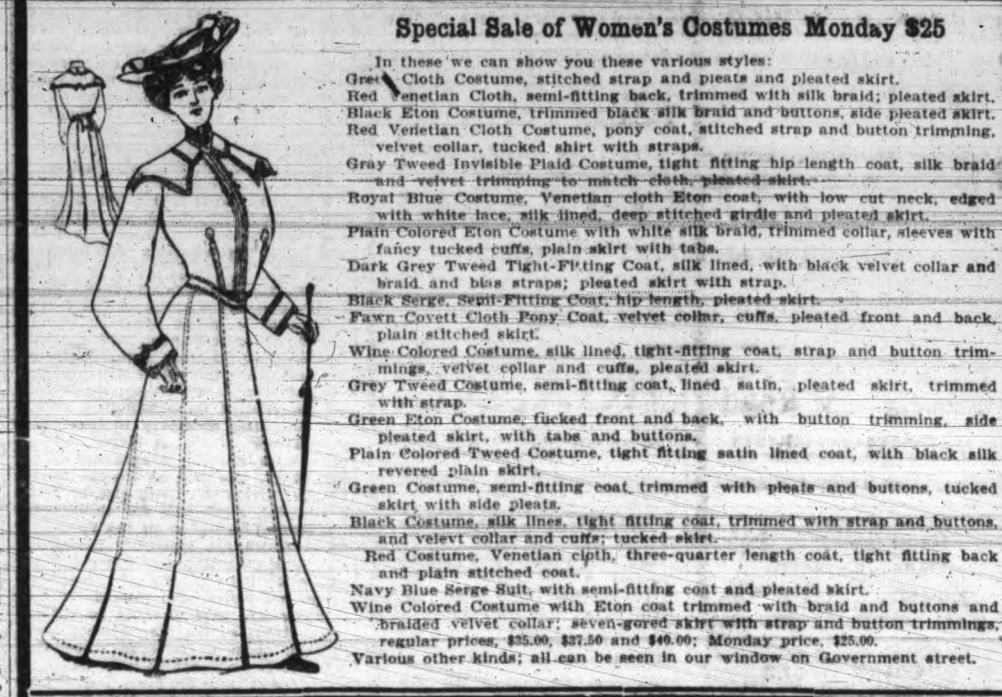
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The body of Capt. Rose, one of the victims of the ill-fated schooner "Skagit," which was recently wrecked at Clisnoose, will be brought to this city by the steamer Tees. According to reports published in the Seattle papers, the captain's widow has announced that she will have her husband's body cremated, after the regular funeral service has been held over the remains, and that she will then take the ashes out past Cape Flattery and scatter them to the winds of the Pacific.

The B. C. Marine Railway Company have offered a trophy for competition among the checker enthusiasts of their employees. The competition will be open to all employees, past and present, and also to employees of the concern's business associates. A meeting will be held at the Soldiers and Sailors' Home, Beaumont, Esquimalt, at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, November 6th, to arrange details, and all interested are invited to attend.

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Philippine Parties

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ON
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THINGS YOU OUGHT TO REMEMBER."

Sunday, November 4th

At 4 p. m., in Y.M.C.A. Auditorium.
Mrs. D. C. Reid will sing.
The Association Orchestra, under the leadership of Sydney Talbot, will play.

MEN ONLY.

A concert will be given to-night at the W. C. T. U. mission by the choir of the Reformed Episcopal church. All men are invited.

Mr. Trumper will take charge of the service at the W. C. T. U. mission at 8 o'clock on Sunday evening. Everyone will be welcomed.

A chrysanthemum show will be held by the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphanage in the Carnegie library in aid of the home on the 14th and 15th of November. The ladies' committee sincerely hope that kind friends of the institution will assist in making this their first floral exhibition, a great success.

Pilbey's Agent. In a recent item published in this paper referring to the famous "House of Gilbey," whose wines and spirits are so widely known, the name of the agent of this city was given wrongly, that of the agent in another city being substituted by mistake. The distributing agents for Messrs. W. & A. Gilbey of this city and district are Messrs. Dixie H. Ross & Co., Victoria.

To-morrow an opportunity will be given of hearing a very gifted woman speaker, Miss Mabelle Biggart, B. A. Some weeks ago Miss Biggart gave very helpful and practical messages, and as she is passing through the city another opportunity is given the public of hearing her. Miss Biggart will speak in the First Congregational church, taking as her subject for the morning "A long journey—but the shortest biography." In the evening the subject will be "I know where you live."

On Thursday evening last a social was held at St. Barnabas church and a fine musical program was presented under the direction of the organist and choirmaster, A. Longfield. Miss Miller, in company with Mr. Longfield, rendered an excellent piano duet; songs were given by Miss Palmer and Messrs. Taylor and Brown; J. Longfield rendered a violin solo, the choir boys contributed sacred selections, and a very humorous exhibition of ventriloquism was given by Mr. Harby. It was decided to hold similar concerts every alternate Thursday evening until Christmas.

About twenty minutes past eight this morning the fire brigade was called out to the house at 210 Yates street, occupied by Mrs. Nell. Some wood that had been placed on the stove to dry had taken fire and the flames spread to the wainscotting, which was slightly burned. The blaze had, however, been extinguished when the brigade arrived, no damage of any consequence resulting. An hour later two chemical engines and a steamer were called out to combat a fire on the roof of 49 Kane street, a house owned by F. Angus. The fire, which was evidently started by sparks from a sawing machine, was put out after a short but strenuous fight. The roof was destroyed and the damage will be about \$100.

The annual meeting of the Local Council of Women of Victoria and Vancouver Island will be held on Monday and Tuesday, December 10th and 11th, and all members of federated societies are specially asked to reserve these dates when making arrangements for entertainments of a public or social nature. Never before in the history of the council have so many resolutions been sent in to be placed upon the agenda for discussion, and as all the meetings will be open to the public it is hoped that all those interested in the true welfare of the community will make it convenient to attend. The members of the executive make a special appeal to all members of the federated societies to do all in their power to make this annual convention an unprecedented success. The full programme will be published in the course of a week or two, when it will be seen that the subjects to be discussed are of interest to all citizens and deserve the support of all in order to be productive of the desired results.

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Only one case was on the docket at the police court this morning. The charge was drunkenness and the fine imposed \$3.50.

A new map of the New Westminster district has been prepared by the provincial government, and will be issued in a few days.

After the steamer Ellerie leaves the dry dock the ship Eliza Lynn, now in the Royal Roads, will be placed on the blocks for a cleaning and painting.

A tug in rounding Trial Island this morning is reported to have got into trouble and to have lost a boom of logs. Particulars of the accident could not be obtained this afternoon.

A dispatch from Quebec received at the provincial government offices gives the information that the shipment of fruit from the province, which is being sent to Britain for exhibition and sale purposes left yesterday on the Empress. The fruit is reported to have been in good condition.

The waterworks by-law will be voted upon Monday next. The polling will take place in room 9 of the public market building between 5 a.m. and 7 p.m., and W. W. Northcott will act as returning officer. Great interest has been shown in this by-law, and no doubt a heavy vote will be polled.

Quite a fleet of steamers is expected on Monday. It includes the Niogchow, which is coming to discharge cargo brought from Europe, the Lyra from the Orient, the Besse Dolar from southern ports with nitrate, and the Bueantaur, outward bound for New Zealand ports with a British Columbia cargo.

Steps are being taken towards securing a commutation of the sentence of death passed upon R. S. Featherstone, for the murder of Miss Dalton at South Wellington. Papers are being collected at the present time bearing on the case, which will be used in urging upon the authorities the commutation of the sentence.

J. Leslie Forster, who was one of the staff of teachers of the Winnipeg College of Music, and Mrs. Forster, intend opening a studio here. They have been teaching in Regina during the summer, but attracted by the climate of Victoria decided to make their home here. Mrs. Forster has made a special study of teaching beginners, taking the course of the Royal Junction College of Music for that purpose.

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There will be a special meeting of the Typographical Union at Labor hall at 2 p. m. to-morrow to consider the rates.

The manager of the home for the aged and infirm acknowledges with thanks the following donations for the month of October: Mrs. L. J. Quaglinotti, San Francisco papers; Mrs. H. D. Helmcken, magazines and illustrated papers; Mrs. B. W. Pearse, illustrated London News; Mrs. Van Tassel, fruit; Mrs. Jeffries, milk; Mrs. H. K. Prior, Seattle papers and Collier's Weekly; Mrs. Munroe, clothing and boots; Mrs. Paul, fruit; Mrs. A. Few, butter and cake; Mrs. McDowell, stove, chair and clothing; Hibben & Co., magazines and periodicals; Mr. Palmer, fruit; Mr. Abbott, vegetables; Mr. Newton, periodicals; St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, apples and pears; H. Coates, Collier's Weekly and Saturday Evening Post; Mr. Shaw, overcoat; N. Shakespeare, reading matter; the Daily Times and Colonist, Mining Exchange, Farmer's Advocate, Western Clarion, and Wild Life. Donations left at F. Carne's, Government street; Porter & Sons, Douglas street, and D. Chunggrammes, Broughton street, will be conveyed to the home gratuitously.

PERSONAL
Frank E. Pannell, of Cowichan; William Jones and the Misses Jones, of Soeris, Man.; and Capt. W. S. Goodrich, of Hongkong, are at the Dominion.

Three Adair, of Dawson, and John Dorsey, of Bulkley, are among the guests at the Driad.

F. M. Dockrill, who has been in the Bulkley during the summer, was in the city yesterday.

N. D. Dain, of Ottawa, and B. R. Brierly, of Seattle, are at the King Edward.

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Grading and macadamizing Transit road, etc.
Constructing sewer on water front.
Constructing septic tank.
Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Clerk of the Municipality, Room 31, Chambers Chambers, Langley street, Victoria.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied and signed with their actual signature.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank (payable to the Receiver of the Municipality) in the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the party declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the work contracted for. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.
The Municipality does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order, J. S. FLOYD, Clerk.
Oak Bay, B. C., October 31st, 1906.

Municipality of Oak Bay.

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
Notice is hereby given that in order to qualify as voters at the forthcoming Municipal Elections as householders, such persons are required, during the month of November, to make and subscribe before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Stipendiary or Police Magistrate, Justice of the Peace or Notary Public, or Clerk of the Municipality, the statutory declaration provided by the Municipal Elections Act.
NOTE.—Assessed real estate owners and those who have bought real estate in the Municipality during 1906, are requested to call at the Municipal Office, 21 Chambers Chambers, Langley street, and, at least, not required to make this declaration, see that their names are duly entered.
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GRAPHIC STORY OF THE OLIGARCHY OF CORRUPTION

Victorian Just Returned Describes the Old Landmarks and Depicts the City To-Day.

"Two birds, one a myth and the other a reality, the phoenix and the vampire, have arisen from the ashes of old San Francisco," said a prominent Victorian who returned a few days ago from an extended visit to the city by the Golden Gate. "When on April 18th the four ancient elements—earth, air, fire and water—conspired to wreck one of the most beautiful but also one of the most reckless cities on this continent, we who knew San Francisco, were appalled at the disaster. The solid element, the earth, trembled, the average flesh broke out and was rained by the ethereal element air, and even the water, generally thought a protection against a conflagration, gushed uselessly through broken mains, and the horror-stricken thousands were compelled to sit supinely by and watch the earnings of a life time crumble in to ashes before the unsparring flames. It was a time to make women weep and men tear their hair. From Telegraph Hill to Bernal Heights, from the water front to the Richmond addition; block after block was swiftly a thing of the past, and for a day or two chaos seemed to have arisen. But it was not for long. While still the ruins were burning, and dangerous walls being blown up with dynamite, the indomitable spirit of the Argonaut, transmitted to his brawny sons, was everywhere visible. It was a mixture of tragedy and humor; of despairing shrieks and laughter, allied with tears. Many, particularly those having branches in nearby cities, were out on the sidewalks with stocks of goods, ready for business, while within a block or two the fire brigade was fighting the flames. Humorous mottoes, like those that decked the tented city of Seattle after the big fire there, were seen everywhere. If ever in this world was seen a spirit triumphant even in adversity, it was apparent in 'Frisco at this time.

"That story has been told, however, better than I can tell it. It is of the later developments I should like to speak. I mentioned the phoenix and the spirit of that bird of fabie is everywhere seen six months after the disaster. Rising from the ashes of its fallen greatness is a newer and greater San Francisco, a city worthy a thousand times more than the old. The fond cognomen of 'Paris of America,' the Italian colony on Montgomery avenue, with its sprinkling of Spanish and Portuguese, is rapidly being established at the old spot. Folsom and Harrison, round Seventh and Eighth streets, are rapidly reassuming their character of the Bowery of the west, and almost on the site of the old home of melodrama, the Central theatre, a new Central has arisen in which tragedy gives place to laughter, and Kobb and Dill, of the burned Alcazar, sing 'The Lonesome Tonic' to the accompaniment of a whistling youthful gallery.

"It used to be a hard thing to get tickets at the old Orpheum at the opening of the week, and now it is moved away out to the 'Chutes, that big auditorium, almost as large as the Mechanics' Pavilion, is sometimes taxed to the utmost. The story of how the denizens of the forest, confined in the Zoo, stood the conflagration and earthquake seems to have been omitted from all published accounts of the calamity. At one time the fire approached very close, and Wallace, the lion without a peer in America, ran roaring round and round his cage, answered by the screams of the tigers opposite. One of the keepers told me how the Japanese waiting mice seemed in their terror to be proudest in a veritable dance of death. In the monkey house all was confusion. Almost human cries, that rose higher and higher as the big pavilion was invaded by heart-broken refugees, interspersed with the wildest gyrations on the different apparatus, usually ceasing laughter, brought a smile to the face of the visitors, but it could only be seen through a mist of tears.

"And the old city hall, a magnificent monument of corruption, with its dome and marble pillars of the main vestibule crumbled almost into nothingness. The library disappeared, all the administrative offices were swept away, and only the hall of records that stood like a miniature of the main building, facing Jones street, remained practically unharmed. But even now there is a weird beauty pervading the scene.

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when moonlight falls on the ruins. It is as if the Parthenon or Acropolis of Greece had been produced in the course of a night, the disintegration of two thousand years magically hurried between dark and daylight.

"Yet already within this vicinity the new Frisco is arising. There are no vestigial buildings, no vestigial merchants are two anxious to get down to business. But there is a general improvement in design in these smaller buildings. For many the old mission style has been adopted, with the adobe replaced by tile brick or stucco, but preserving the curved tiling that in some inexplicable way appears to have been borrowed from the Orient. The locale of the business district has been removed further north, and Van Ness and Golden Gate avenues, formerly bordered by the residences of millionaires, and sacred to automobiles and light carts, no heavy wagons being permitted to traverse them, are now thriving hives of industry and the central retail thoroughfares.

"In the days that are passed the afternoon parade along the upper half of Market street was, with its Junco and splendidly dressed women, a formidable rival to Regent street, London; Fifth avenue, New York, or the fashionable boulevards of Paris. There was nothing to equal it in Germany, for even Unter den Linden has not the appearance of prosperous beauty that characterized the old Market street. But although many of the millionaires of last early spring are practically paupers to-day, the beautiful women of San Francisco are still there, and Fillmore street is now a worthy successor to the old parade ground of Market.

"Chinatown has been improved. Many underground chambers previously unknown, were uncovered by the great fire. The old shacks were swept away in a few hours, and although many of the more prosperous merchants have removed to the new retail district, those that remain are erecting better buildings, and sanitary regulations are being enforced. The Chinese theatre, that was a standing attraction to Europeans since the earthquake, has not yet been rebuilt, and the old gambling clubs of Ross and Sullivan streets have gone to the limbo of the past, and maybe the idea of a new and really Oriental Chinatown, advanced just before the disaster, will become shortly an accomplished fact.

"And then there was the polemic quarter, Grant avenue. Every kind of 'ism' had its exponent there in the days that are gone. Several kinds of Socialists would huff defiance at each other's theories. Theosophists would rave of Nerva, and astrologers tell the glories of star gazing. One enterprising exponent of thought concentration would deliver an animated oration standing on one leg. Perhaps he has not even that to stand on now, for he has disappeared since the earthquake. I must not forget the fish and apple man also who advocated these articles for a steady diet. One did not know whether the best way was to take it—apples and fish sauce or fish and apple sauce. The exponent would never tell. The Chinese herb doctor has gone, with his flowering robes and gold-plated medals. In fact, the most characteristic feature north of Market street—the rival orators of Grant avenue—seem to have sought new regions to proselytize in.

"And what of the old free music halls—the beer drinking wonders of the west. Where is the American ladies' orchestra of the Opera, or Ritzians' fine bore band at the La Boheme, a few doors up. The Bitters, of unsavory reputation, has gone up in smoke, together with the other music hall controlled for a short time by John L. Sullivan. Yes, O'Farrell street is changed. The Tivoli, where Tetratini and our old friend Ferris Hartman, who visited Victoria with 'The Pursuer,' Teddy Webb, whose brother is a well known resident of Vancouver, and all the rest have come up to Seattle, and are continuing there the successful presentation of comic operas that made Mrs. Kreling a vast fortune. For the time being all the old houses of entertainment are out of existence, but others will rise to replace them. Already the Davis and Colonial, the latter a splendid permanent structure, are catering to the music-loving Friscoites. It may take some time to make the old fun-loving city as prolific in houses of amusement as in the past, but don't you forget that time will come, and come shortly.

"South of Market old conditions are rapidly returning. The clang of foundry west of Third street is heard to-day, almost as freely as in the past; the heavy lumber wagons of the numerous wood yards are again traversing the streets. Almost untouched by either earthquake or flame, the Western Fuel Company still receives and ships at the old Dunsmuir premises and wharf, and finds but little diminution in its trade. There is a vitality in this, the iron and lumber quarter, that shows the city is not killed, but rapidly recovering from the appalling shock.

"Newspaper square is almost the same as ever. The seventeen story structure that housed the Call was almost triumphant over both earthquake and flame. Diagonally across the Chronicle building, that had hardly recovered from the burning of its historic clock tower and upper stories, is still standing, filled with tenants, though the low annex on Kearney street went the way of most of the surrounding blocks. The only one of the three big edifices that was much damaged was that of the Examiner. Dynamite completed the work the fire had left unfinished. Some of the sensational attempts to fire a moral from the fate of the Examiner, they say that paper's policy of breaking down met its proper ending in the disaster.

"Then there was the other corner. A swell cigar stand in the angle; the gorgeous Richelieu cafe on the ground floor, and underneath the 'Old Fountain.' What a resort of the sailors on shore leave was the latter. And then the foaming beer with its accompanying green disc of cardboard entitling one to a free lunch, all for the humble nickel. What a crush was there when crabs were in season, and the ever present white coated waiters responded to calls of crabs, clams, clam juice, clam chowder, goulash, chili con carne or Irish stew. Ah, well, some one else or the same smiling two German brothers will build another 'old fountain.'

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French sportsmen are anxious to see the Springboks play in Paris, and it is intended to issue a cordial invitation to the South Africans to visit Paris at the conclusion of their tour, an invitation which will no doubt be heartily accepted. It has been decided not to add to the numerical strength of the team, as there are several South African players available in England, should their services be required. Marburg and Carolin can both play in the three-quarter line; while J. Alexander, a western province three-quarter, is at present in England, and A. Morke, an international wing three-quarter, has not yet appeared in the third line.

PRACTICE AT WORK POINT.

The Fifth Regiment Rugby team are playing a scratch match at Work Point this afternoon between the forwards and backs. Association players from the same regiment are completing the teams.

THE GUN.

SCHOOL OF TAXIDERM.

On Monday next a unique institution in the world of sport will be started in the little town of Cumberland. At the solicitation of a number of friends, O. J. Fechner has consented to start a class in taxidermy. Often a hunter wishes to preserve some of the relics of his marksmanship and prowess, and no better way is known than to have the captured bird or animal undergo the treatment of a taxidermist. If the hunter himself is an expert it is a saving of money to him.

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CLARENCE TOURNAMENT.

Owing to the many wishing to enter in the Clarence hotel pool tournament the date of closing has been adjourned until November 15th. There are already about thirty entries. Handicaps will bring the play to between 100 and 200 points.

CONTINUOUS CHAMPION.

John Hogan, of New York, has once more maintained his title as the continuous champion of the United States. In a recent game with Horace B. Leon, the pride of St. Louis, he won by a score of 600 to 44. He was in grand form, and some of his long drives were marvellous of accuracy and nicely combined strokes.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

COMRADES IN COMBAT.

The match between the Wanderers and Rovers at Oak Bay to-day afternoon, which commenced at 3 o'clock, may almost be termed a fraternal fight. Both the competing teams belong to the Victoria United club, and the red and white of the Rovers, the club colors, will be in sharp contrast to the all white of the other team.

Among the players are the following: Rovers—Northcott, Temple, Blackburn, Shanks, Julien, Hughes, Meredith, T. Peeler, Thompson, Tye and York. Wanderers—A. T. Goward, Lorimer, E. F. Schwengers and J. Hart.

SOUTH PARK AND CENTRAL.

A match in the junior school league is being played at Oak Bay to-day between the South Park and Central school teams. Neither has achieved a victory in the three games played so far, every match ending in a draw, so all will be on the keenest edge to make to-day's game decisive.

Y. M. C. A. PRACTICES.

Both the senior and intermediate branches of the Y. M. C. A. turned out this afternoon at Bessie Hill and saw to having a good practice. The first match will be that of the seniors on the 14th.

FIFTHS IN TRAINING.

Although the Rugby boys are taking part in the practice of the Fifth Regiment team at Work Point, many of the Association players are on the field, too. It appears somewhat likely that these interclub 'scratch' matches will make the players adept at both games.

HOCKEY.

FIRST MATCH TO-DAY.

There is in progress this afternoon the first hockey match of the season between the Garrison and Victoria clubs. Though the Garrison is a new factor in the game the old stand-by of the city club did not appear much troubled when starting out at 2.30. The teams are:

Garrison—Goalkeeper, Brown; full backs, McArthur and Ross; half backs, P. Brown, S. Woods and H. Brown; forwards, J. Brown, Carne, Winsby, Jenkinson and Rochford.

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THE LADIES AS WELL.

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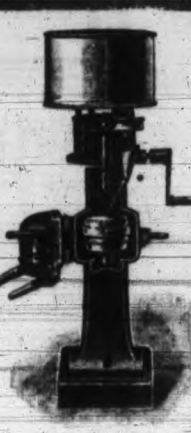
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OVER THE TEA TABLE

The Invitation Skating Club held its weekly gathering on Thursday. There were more than a hundred of the members present to enjoy a few hours of the fascinating pastime. The orchestra supplied by the proprietors of the rink discouraged some fine selections, many being the jaunty airs heard at "Cupid in Posterland" performance. The tea room is now a pleasing feature of the rink. Here tea and refreshments may be had at any time by skaters and their friends. Since the last meeting, a stove has been supplied, so that skaters and spectators may be more comfortable. Some of the members of this club are: Honorary president, Mrs. Dunsmuir; Mrs. Gordon Hunter, Col. and Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Hickey, Miss G. Hickey, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Pemberton, Mrs. J. D. Pemberton, Judge and Mrs. Lammiman, Mrs. C. E. Todd, Miss G. Perry, Miss Wrigley, Mrs. J. D. Little, Miss M. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gbb, Mr. and Mrs. Shallock, Miss A. McQuade, Mrs. (Capt.) Irving, Col. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Ambury, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Barnard, Mr. Cobbett, Miss Cobbett, Mrs. C. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Miss Mason, Miss D. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths, Mrs. H. Robertson, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Irving, Miss Irvine, Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymur, Mr. A. W. Jones, Mrs. Col. Hall, Mrs. Genge, Mrs. Hassell, Miss G. Green, Miss Loewen, Mrs. Tatlow, Miss May Newcombe, Miss Ethel Brown, Miss Coombe, Miss N. Todd, Miss Arbuckle, Miss Cowdry, Miss Angus, Mr. G. G. Pooley, Mr. W. and Mr. R. Todd, Mr. Angus, Mr. Motherwell, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Bell, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Brown, Mr. B. Prior, Mr. Twigg, Mr. H. Cobbett, Mr. Ross, Mr. Berkeley, Mr. Richfort, Mr. P. Keefer, Mr. J. Arbuckle, Mr. Wilby, Mr. B. Bell, Mr. Fitcher, Mr. Ashby, Mr. G. A. Kirk, and Capt. Cullin.

Miss Elmer Dunsmuir returned home to-day from the hospital, where she has been confined for some time suffering from appendicitis. Her friends will be pleased to know that she is now convalescent.

Mrs. Monk of Chematus, spent a few days of the past week with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. Beaver Potts, the former a well known barrister of Conoco, have been enjoying a short holiday here guests at the Balmoral hotel.

Lieut. C. M. L. Scott, formerly of the Shearwater, is now making his headquarters at the Balmoral for a few weeks before he departs for England.

Mrs. T. S. Gore and Miss Arbuckle, her daughter, were hostesses at a charming "Halloween" entertainment which they gave to a large number of their young friends on Wednesday evening. The handsome rooms at Arvan looked extremely artistic with pretty decorations of flowers and vases arranged in the arches and clustered about the different apartments. Chinese lanterns hung about the fine reception hall beside a quaint picture-gallery to all besides which Jack O'Lantern vignettes were to be seen in places. The chief amusement for the evening was a game of five hundred, at which each received a pretty score card, which had been decorated and ornamented with suitable legends for fortune telling, complete and rhymes. Other novel games, too, were pleasantly included in the card game the following won: Ladies' prizes, Miss Adair first, Miss Tuck second, Miss G. Hickey third, and Miss T. Monteth fourth. Gentlemen: Mr. H. Cobbett first, Mr. Moreby second, Mr. Heisterman third, and Mr. J. Gaudin fourth. During the evening many refreshments were visible on the cakes, etc. Among those present were Miss Bullen, Miss Ethel Brown, Miss Pitts, Miss M. Pitts, Miss Little, Miss H. Peters, Miss N. Todd, Miss Tuck, Miss G. Perry, Miss Cobbett, Miss Gaudin, Miss T. Gaudin, Miss Adair, Miss G. Hickey, Miss Loewen, Miss E. Loewen, Miss Lawson, Miss Moreby, Miss Road, Miss B. Irving, Miss G. Green, Miss Mason, Miss D. Mason, Miss Monteth, Miss T. Monteth, Miss W. Johnson, Miss E. Hamilton, Miss Wigley, Miss Eberts, Miss L. Eberts, Miss Cowdry, Miss Heyland, Mr. B. Todd, Mr. W. Todd, Mr. C. Pitts, Mr. D. Bullen, Mr. A. Gore, Mr. J. Gaudin, Mr. Ross, Mr. E. Brown, Mr. J. Brown, Mr. McAllister, Robertson, Mr. H. Cobbett, Mr. C. Berkeley, Mr. J. Lawson, Mr. Bridgman, Mr. Heisterman, Mr. Moreby, Mr. B. Monteth, Mr. J. Arbuckle, Mr. Ashby, Mr. Goddard, Mr. W. Rochfort, Mr. Meredith, Mr. Foot, Mr. Pigot and Mr. Cane.

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Miss Marion Dunsmuir is suffering from a mild attack of typhoid fever. She is now slowly convalescing, however.

W. Manson, M. P. of Nanaimo, spent several days of this week here, where he had business to transact. He made his headquarters at the Balmoral.

The "Cupid in Posterland" dance, which was one of the enjoyable events of this week, was held on Tuesday evening in the Victoria hall. It was arranged during the last evening of the performance by members of the company and those in charge of the play, and was for them and their friends, but unfortunately some could not make

it convenient to be present. Those attending spent a most pleasant evening. The supper was provided by the ladies and was most appetizing. Miss Water supplied her usual excellent dance music. Among those present were: Mr. Justice Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kent, Mrs. Simpson, Miss Gaudin, Miss Foot, Miss Annie McQuade, Miss Marjory Kent, Miss Whitlow, Miss Blossom Fawcett, Miss G. Nicholls, Miss Rose, Miss Read, Miss Lily Clark, Miss Bulwer, the Misses Goddard, Miss Huby, Miss White, Miss Muriel Hall, Mrs. Leary, Miss Leary, Miss Wilson, Mr. Lawson, Mr. L. Foot, Mr. P. Keefer, Mr. Taylor, Mr. W. V. Mason, Mr. Musket, Mr. Godfrey Booth, Mr. G. G. Pooley, Mr. A. J. Fuller, Mr. Fred White, Mr. W. H. Whisby, Mr. J. W. Petch, Mr. Percy Brown, Mr. Rochester, Mr. M. Shaw, Mr. Clifford Jenkinson, Mr. H. Hurdle, Mr. Durrell Kent, Mr. J. M. Collinson, Mr. J. W. Cambie, Mr. A. T. Bain, Mr. T. Patterson, Mr. J. Gaudin, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Beauchamp, Pinder, Messrs. Hilly and Mr. Benson.

Mrs. F. A. McDonald, of Mosquito Harbor is enjoying a short visit here, the guest of Mrs. George Hall, Chatham street.

Mrs. Thomas Davis, who has spent the greater part of the past year here, returned recently from a visit of several weeks to her home in England.

A ROYAL ROMANCE



PRINCE ARTHUR OF CONNAUGHT. LADY MARJORIE MANNERS.

Prince Arthur of Connaught, whose visit to this city is still fresh in the minds of all in connection with the "Garter" mission, has, according to the London correspondent of the Manchester Dispatch, overcome the obstacles that lay in the way of his union to one of the most charming of England's daughters. The same correspondent has excellent authority for stating that his engagement to Lady Marjorie Manners, the daughter of the Duke of Rutland, will be announced before the end of the year. More than three months ago Prince Arthur's strong attachment to the daughter of an English peer had aroused great opposition from members of the court, and from members of the lady's own family, who did not wish her to contract what might appear to be a morganatic marriage. Steps, indeed, were taken to betroth him to a foreign Princess, but the Prince declared that he would either have the lady of his choice or remain unmarried. He has now, it is believed, triumphantly overcome all these obstacles, and is to be married in the near future. Her mother is the grand-daughter of the twenty-fourth Earl of Crawford.

Richardson, Mrs. Wm. McCarter, Mrs. F. R. Rivers, Mrs. Ulin, Mrs. A. A. Humber, Miss Hackett, Mrs. J. Gordon Smith, Mrs. W. B. Shakespeare, Mrs. W. E. Adams, Mrs. Ernest Pendray, Mrs. Greer, Mrs. H. M. Berryman, Mrs. Watkins, Miss Lizette Watkins, Mrs. F. P. Watson, Mrs. A. J. Morris and Mrs. C. E. Watkins.

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Mrs. Dr. Foot is at Okdale the guest of Mrs. Mortimer Lamb, with whom she will remain for several days.

LADY GAY.

SARDOU'S FIRST SUCCESS.

Victorian Sardou has said that he owed his first success on the boards to his excellent handwriting. He had sent in an often-revised play to the Odeon management for consideration, and the manuscript was thrown, with some fifty others, on the table. One day at rehearsal the charming actress, Mlle Berengere, was attracted by the handwriting, and took up the manuscript, crying, "What an excellent hand!" This caused her to read the play, and to accept it. Saturday Journal her strong recommendation to the directors led to its reading and acceptance by them. At the time Sardou was on the brink of starvation. He is now one of the richest authors in Europe.

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amused by Mrs. Little and her daughter Miss Margaret Little, and where all partook of a tempting supper provided for them by their kind hostess. Some of those who were present are the following: Little Miss Loewen, Miss Nora Jones, Miss Phillis Lamb, Miss Arminie Pemberton, Miss Kathleen Jones, Miss Linka-Helmcken, Miss Muriel Collis, Miss Jessie Prior, the little Misses Smith, Miss Ogilvie, Miss Mabel Eberts, little Miss Heyland, Miss Iris Burton, Miss Margaret Eberts, Miss Grace Robertson, Miss Irving, Miss Eberts, little Miss Robertson, Miss Davida Raymur, Miss Agnes Robertson, Miss Ethel Rhodes, Miss Mabel Rhodes, Miss Frenida Dumbledon, the little Misses Burns, Miss Sheila Dumbledon, Miss Thelma Dumbledon, Miss Lottie Day, Miss Sylvia Luxton, Miss Myrtle Luxton, Miss Beanlands, Master Jimmie Andalm, Master Billy Holland, Master Frankie Hollist, Master Kenneth Tattow, Master Eric Burton, Master Loewen, Master Godfrey Rhodes, Master Douglas Robertson and some others.

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The Mikado Bazaar, 138 Government Street, Hotel Victoria Building.

TWO PROFITABLE INVESTMENTS

PROSPECTUS Silica Brick & Lime Co. Ltd.

VICTORIA, B. C.
Authorized Capital, \$150,000.00, divided into 15,000 shares of \$10.00 each. Subscribed Capital, \$33,000.00.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS

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BANKERS: ROYAL BANK.
SOLICITORS: WOOLTON & GOWARD.

OBJECTS

To manufacture Hydrated Lime and to make from sand and lime the now famous German Silica Brick, which is rapidly replacing many bricks of much more costly manufacture in Germany, England, United States and other foreign countries.

It is also the intention of the Company to establish other profitable industries which can be produced from the new waste resources.

James K. Rebeck, Consulting Engineers Report

On property Section 705, Esquimalt, District, known as The Atkins Property.

LIME RESOURCES

That portion of the property which is cut in two by the railway, and which constitutes two sections to the westward, one section to north of E. & N. Railway and one to south of same, the northern part being 5 acres in extent and the southern part being 4 acres. Consist of a hill rising from the banks of the "Mill Stream" River, consisting principally of lime stone, and is covered by a thick layer of sand topped by vegetable mould, through which lime stone outcroppings are scattered over the whole surface at the summit, at the side, and at the base. At the banks of the stream considerable faces are exposed by old workings and by nature.

There is every appearance to indicate that the whole of this portion of the hill is composed of limestone.

The area under which the limestone can with certainty be said to exist, may be put at six acres in the northern section and three acres in the southern section.

The thickness of this limestone formation may be irregular and may equal the entire height of the hill or much more, but basing a calculation on 25 feet of average thickness, the above 9 acres represent 9,000,000 cubic feet, which will produce 4,410,450 barrels of lime for commerce, and which at present prevailing rates represents a market value of \$4,410,450.

There is no reason, however, to suppose that this formation does not consist of four times the above quantity.

SAND DEPOSIT

That portion of the limestone hill above and north of the E. & N. Railway (8 acres in extent) is principally covered by a deposit, extending over an area of about 6 acres of sand, capped by vegetable mould, through which the limestone protrudes and in which there have been small workings. The exposed face of sand near the lime kilns measures about 24 feet in vertical height above the railway, and the deposit extends below the railway level.

I have, however, 12 feet as average thickness of the deposit over the whole area of six acres, believing this to be very much within the actual average depth.

This represents 3,156,320 cubic feet, which will make 53,217,440 bricks, and at the present market value, viz., \$10.00 per 1,000, equals \$532,174.

CLAY DEPOSIT

The eastern section of the property ending eastward against section 88 and bounded to the north by the road and to the south by the stream, contains a deposit of clay which, as far as can be ascertained, covers an area of about 7 acres, which I have, for purposes of calculation, taken at 8 feet thick average, making 1,865,280 cubic feet, which would make 31,712,840 bricks, with a sale value of \$317,128.00.

Although I have calculated upon 6 feet thickness, it must be understood that borings have indicated a thickness greatly in excess of this.

SUMMARY:

Lime, sale value \$4,410,450
Sand, as bricks, sale 532,174
Clay, as bricks, sale 317,128

Total sale values, product \$5,260,752
The above represents the total market values of finished product at present current rates.

Assuming a net profit on sales at the rate of 15 per cent. on the masses calculated on only \$793,114.00, and assuming that it would take 20 years to exhaust this deposit, then the yearly profit would be \$39,655.00.

I would place the value of the land at \$40,000.00. JAMES K. REBECK, P. E.—Referring to section 113, Esquimalt District, I may say that the surveyor's report shows a larger deposit of limestone of an equal quality with the above mentioned property, together with the fact that there is a sufficient supply of timber for fuel for years to come, adds greatly to the above estimated value of the Company's property, to which may also be added the value of agricultural property which the 144 acres on No. 113 section contains. J. K. R.

PROPERTY

With reference to the property I surveyed for you on Section 105, Esquimalt District, consisting of twelve acres of sand and lime, including water privileges, etc., and two acres of brick clay property, I beg to say that the limestone is conveniently situated to the Canadian Pacific Railway, the property being provided already with a siding.

"In my observations I note that the limestone extends over the entire property, and that sand also exists in abundance.

"I may say that I consider the property valuable on account of location, and quantity of material, and the fact that there is a stream of water adjoining the property, which furnishes a natural water supply for the year round. The clay is also adjoining the railroad and is convenient for shipping.

"Yours faithfully,
(Signed) "THOMAS A. PARR,
"B. C. Land Surveyor."

DEMAND

Statistics show that over 7,000,000 brick have been shipped to one port from Victoria alone this season.

In addition to our home market we are assured by responsible San Francisco firms that a ready market can be obtained there for all kinds of building material.

Already several contracts have been submitted to us, which would have taken our entire output for several months to come, if we had been in a position to avail ourselves of the opportunity.

During the past summer the demand for Brick of all kinds has been far beyond the capacity of the brick producing plants.

REASONS FOR DEMAND

- (1) The Silica Sand Brick are better than the best pressed brick.
- (2) No loss from breakage.
- (3) No loss in burning.
- (4) Silica Sand Bricks are produced complete in twelve hours instead of three to four weeks.
- (5) Fuel needed for twelve hours as against ten to twenty days.
- (6) Can be made night and day every month in the year.
- (7) Strength will stand a crushing strain of 2,500 to 5,000 pounds per square inch, as against 200 to 300 of the ordinary clay brick.
- (8) Dries harder and better with age and exposure.
- (9) No kilns or drying sheds needed.
- (10) Stand frost, fire and water better than pressed brick.

PROFIT

In converting waste materials of the earth into valuable articles of commerce, it is more reasonable to expect the profit to be larger than where the raw materials have to be purchased and freight and duties paid before reaching the manufacturing plant.

Figures have been retained from expert report as follows: "We figure that it cost us about \$3.50 per 1,000 for face brick and \$3.00 for common, and this includes all expenses ready to load on cars."

"We pay \$2.00 to \$3.00 per day for labor."
(Signed) W. J. CARMICHAEL,
General Manager for the Silica Brick Co.,
Denver, Colorado.

The cost of production in this country, independent of depreciation, varies from \$2.50 to \$4.00 per 1,000.
The selling price ranges in different localities from \$3.00 to \$15.00 per 1,000. (Taken from the United States Government Report.)

PLANT

Modern genius and science have bestowed upon the present generation a legacy in the form of inexpensive, durable and desirable building materials, and the advance of invention and machinery has steadily kept pace to meet the demand.

Hydrated Lime was but a short time ago an almost unknown commodity. We are, for the first time in Western Canada, installing a plant with a capacity of 200 barrels per day.

This system of producing lime in a pulverized condition unequalled in strength or value, speaks volumes for the future building trade.

A Silica Brick plant, such as we will immediately install, with a daily capacity of not less than 20,000 bricks, which bricks could be built in the wall within twenty-four hours from the first turn of the wheels may sound to be closely related to a miracle.

Nevertheless, this automatic system has attained so high a perfection as to scientifically create perfect sandstone brick from ordinary Silica sand and lime in the above given time.

PROSPECTUS

Nootka Marble Quarries

VICTORIA, B. C.

Capital \$150,000, divided into 15,000 shares of \$10.00 each. Subscribed Capital, \$32,000.

PROVISIONAL DIRECTORS

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ROBT. W. CLARK, SECRETARY, VICTORIA, B. C.
BANKERS: NORTHERN BANK.
SOLICITORS: WOOLTON & GOWARD.

OBJECTS

To quarry and manufacture marble into building blocks, columns, ornamental trimmings and veneer.

To polish slabs for toilet fittings, wash stands, table tops, counters, fountain, wainscoting, floor tile, mantles, stair stepping, store fronts, etc.

The introduction of this beautiful building marble in quantity must revolutionize and create modern types of towns and cities on our Pacific coasts such as are found in no other part of the Continent of America.

For full particulars re this company apply to bondholders.

Shares in these two companies are being rapidly disposed of, only a limited number of shares are being marketed in this city, as it is the intention to sell throughout entire province and Alberta

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What Other People Think

IMPRACTICABILITY OF GRAVITY SCHEME.

To the Editor:—Lack of pressure, lack of storage capacity, entire absence of sufficient pressure for fire fighting protection, which will increase instead of decreasing the rates, thereby increasing the rates. Not being economical, as it will require larger pipes in the redistribution system the filter beds will have to be sufficiently large to filter the maximum hourly draught of six million gallons. The 24-inch main conduit is not large enough to supply the maximum hourly draught of six million gallons without depreciation of pressure to such an extent that will be inconvenient to other users.

Pressure: Positive proof of the inadequacy of pressure by the gravity system from Elk lake is found by looking up the annual reports 1893 and 1894, when this city had an entirely gravity system. The average pressure was stated by the water commissioner at that time to be 35.5 pounds at the city hall. This proves beyond doubt and without necessary calculations that the pressure from a gravity main does not exceed 40 pounds.

That this pressure is insufficient for fire fighting protection will be readily understood by the ordinary lay mind. The following is from the hand book of Fire Protection for Improved Blocks 1904 (page 151): "A Natural or Artificial Reservoir, practically inexhaustible, is the best and where obtainable, at such an elevation as will give 75 pounds pressure or better at fire hydrants. In the average city, with buildings from three to five stories high, maintained hydrant pressure of 75 to 100 pounds are most satisfactory. Streams can readily be handled by firemen and are very efficient. The chief difficulty is to maintain this pressure, due to abnormal draughting at the time of the fire."

This clearly shows that for improved risks in fire insurance a 40 pounds pressure is out of the question.

Expert Adams in his report says: (Page 48.) The elevation of Elk lake above the city is insufficient to afford a gravity pressure.

Why? Because it would only give 40 pounds.

Adams (page 49): "The ideal pressure, most suitable for general purposes, most well suited for affording quite an effective fire stream directly from hydrants is from 65 to 90 pounds." The above authorities are beyond reproach, which clearly shows that 40 pounds pressure would not afford suitable fire protection. Lack of storage capacity. It is unnecessary for me to go into details in this matter, but I will quote from the report of Expert Adams. (Page 47): "To meet the present requirements without the use of reservoirs would require pipe lines and pumping stations from the lake double their present capacities, with considerable increase in the redistribution

system." Further on he says: "The economical and proper remedies are evidently as follows: (a.) Increasing the capacity of the main pipe from filter beds to pumping station. (b.) By constructing a reservoir on Smith's hill."

(Page 48): "In selecting site for reservoir it should be in close proximity to the territory in which the water is to be distributed. Proximity lessens risks of accidental interruption of service, secures more effective and greater uniformity of pressure, and saves cost by reducing to a minimum the pipes of the largest size, which are always required between the reservoir and the territory which it serves. It should be of such an elevation as will give adequate pressure. The ideal pressure most suitable for general purposes for affording quite an effective stream directly from the hydrants is from 65 to 95 pounds." Expert Adams (page 50): "There is about Victoria but one location fulfilling these conditions, and that is known as Smith's hill. This will afford a static pressure in the business district of from 69 to 80 pounds, and will limit the territory necessary to be pumped to a small area. It will, too, permit, under the most trying conditions of draught, the maintenance of a thoroughly effective pressure without the use of street mains of an unusual size." This will give you the minimum rate of fire insurance.

(Page 45) Expert Adams says: "An efficient water works must be equal always to the greatest demands made upon it without reduction of pressure to a degree inconvenient to other users." This means that in the hottest days of summer, when the draught is greatest, the pressure should be maintained. This will be apparent to all as in the summer months the liability of fire is much greater.

(Page 45): "In proportioning the different parts of a system the greatest rate at which water is required any hour during the year is the controlling factor where there is an entire absence of storage. If there are no equalizing reservoir between the source and the consumer it also applies to the main conduit."

(Page 40) Mr. Adams gives a maximum hourly draught of six million.

Imagine the pressure that the 24-inch gravity main would give in the case of a fire when the maximum hourly draught of six million gallons would be upon it.

A. STEWART, Alderman.

WATER AND INSURANCE.

To the Editor:—I am sorry to see a water works by-law put before the financial electors of Victoria in the shape and under the conditions of the present one. In the first place only rough estimates, apparently, are given and no details. There is the item of

\$35,000 for contingencies or incidental expenses. We might just as well have the whole amount of \$300,000 under that same head, and say to the coming council go ahead and spend it as you see fit and if it is not sufficient, then only let us know and we will vote you all you can possibly want.

The whole matter of water supply for domestic use, manufacturing or industrial, for protection from fire, thorough redistribution, and maintenance, of quality by proper flushing valves as well as filtration, the quantity needed and where it can best be obtained, the water rates and what purposes they are collected and disbursed, also the fire department and how that can be made more efficient, and last, but not least, a municipal fire insurance department in the financial department of civic finances should be thoroughly worked out in detail and all details given to the public. I believe that if the scheme were properly worked out and the receipts used only for the department to which they belong we could have an exceedingly low water rate and an exceedingly low insurance rate instead of an excessively high one. In fact, to me it seems almost as if the people did not want to know the details. It is too much trouble or else life is too short to consider the matter thoroughly.

Let the city get legislation to permit them to go into municipal fire insurance. I am satisfied that they could for one half the rates collected now give us a better system than the present one.

Think out the possibilities and vote accordingly on Monday, November 5th. A. R. SHERK.

NEXT IMPORTANT MUSICAL EVENT.

To the Editor:—The members of the Victoria Musical Society met on Wednesday evening last in the drawing room of the Driad hotel (which was very kindly loaned for the occasion by Mr. Harrison) to consider what steps could be taken to remove the dissatisfaction which exists over the fact that the members of the society have the right of access to the seating plan at the theatre a day in advance of the general public.

Without a dissenting voice it was decided to relinquish this privilege; and, further, the price of admission to the concerts for non-subscribers was reduced to \$1.50, \$1.00, and 75 cents per seat.

It may not be generally known that the members of the society by subscribing for the series of concerts in advance enable the committee to engage the world-famed artists named in the society's prospectus, and it is hoped that this action of the members, in foregoing all their privileges, will commend itself to the good will of the music-lovers of the city and will secure the hearty support and co-operation of all in this endeavor to bring the highest and best in music to Victoria at prices within the reach of all.

It has been suggested that the society will find it extremely difficult to maintain the high standard set by the opening concert of the season when Emilio de Gogorza delighted all those who were present. In reply to this I

would mention that the society, working in conjunction with the music-lovers of Seattle, Portland, Los Angeles, etc., is in close touch with the leading managers of New York, and is thereby in a position to engage artists of the foremost rank. Miss Ellen Beach, who visits us on Friday next (bringing with her a solo violinist and pianist) has won golden laurels in London, New York and the musical centres of Europe. No better recommendation can be given than the following extract which is culled from the columns of the London Times of recent date: "Miss Ellen Beach, whose concert took place at St. James' hall, on Friday, shows a decided preference for operatic music, in which style she is obviously at her best. When she first appeared in London a few years ago she made something of a name for herself by her sensational high notes. Since those days her voice production and her technique have improved very much; she can sing florid music with remarkable neatness and ease." The Pall Mall Gazette says of her: "Miss Yaw has an extremely brilliant vocal accomplishment; her voice is very pure, very true, and very effective. She has an extraordinary range. Her upper register seems to know no limit. It flies upward on the scale with astounding facility."

In conclusion I would observe, that every member of the society is imbued with an earnest desire to satisfy the wishes of all those interested in music. With this object in view we invite fair and free criticism of our efforts, for it is only by such means that mistakes, incidental to a new organization, can be rectified. I would ask you, sir, to be so good as to throw your columns open to such criticisms and suggestions so that the greatest good may result to the cause of music in Victoria.

GEORGE PHILLIPS,
Honorary Sec.-Treasurer,
Victoria Musical Society.

THE WATERWORKS BY-LAW.

To the Editor:—In the editorial in yesterday morning's issue of the Colonist and throughout the discussion on this question there has been a misapprehension. The Mayor has never intended Elk lake for a permanent source of supply. If I had so intended I should not have rushed the work on the Highlands and reserved the water on Stock lake. We shall, no doubt, outgrow our present source, but must make it serve till we get another.

As to contamination of our Elk lake supply, it is a poor bird that feeds its nest. The fact is even if there had been danger of germs finding their way through a gravel bed into the lake that as soon as the danger was made known to me, and long before the health officer called the board's attention to it, I had arranged with the railway company to have the closest doors locked between the stations at either end of the lake run. So much for past and present. For the future there need be no difficulty in obtaining an order from the government necessitating the use on the railroad of the sanitary tight pans used on all modern roads, to be emptied at either end of the run.

Now as to the by-law, I will endeavor for the last time to make my intentions plain. The responsibility will then rest on the Mayor and his council. I am neither infatuated with nor tied to Elk lake, but know that we must depend upon it for the next three years' supply. I

good quality can be provided from Elk lake absolutely that plenty of water of that quality for an increased population for these three years. We cannot get this increased supply into the city or distribute it with our present pipes. I suggest, then, that we spend \$75,000 net for a 24-inch main to bring this additional supply into town for the next three years. One good sized fire would cost the city more than this. If you brought your supply from the Highlands or Stock you could not distribute it in the city with your present pipes any more than you can from Elk lake; so I ask you to vote the amount necessary to distribute the supply properly all over the city. This must be done at once, and if done will reduce the cost of any later by-law to that extent.

Now as to the value to the city of the 24-inch main at the end of three years, if we then found it necessary to go elsewhere for a larger supply. If you do not have the 24-inch main you will be obliged to build a large reservoir at a cost of, at least, \$125,000 as a four day safety supply. If you have the 24-inch main you will own a permanent auxiliary supply of 2,000,000 gallons or more per day by gravity for manufacturing or any other purpose, or for present blundering, or a temporary supply by gravity of 4,000,000 gallons per day.

Up to the time we are in a position to do away with all pumping, the 24-inch main will reduce the amount pumped from three-quarters to one-quarter, and save sufficient in cost to pay the interest and sinking fund on the new main.

It was stated by the chairman of the water committee at the city hall meeting that 40 or 45 pounds pressure. The facts are as follows: In 1889 the old 12-inch gravity main registered pressures as follows:

- S. W. corner Douglas and Humboldt streets 62 lbs.
- S. E. corner Trounce avenue 55 lbs.
- Sayward's mill 45 lbs.
- N. W. corner Cook and Pandora streets 42 lbs.
- N. side North Park street 40 lbs.

This was prior to installing of pumps. Pressure taken on our present blundering gravity main, Nov. 1st, 1906: At 10 a.m. At 11 a.m.

- Fort and Government streets 44 lbs. 39 lbs.
- Opposite Weller's 41 lbs. 36 lbs.
- Trounce avenue 40 lbs. 35 lbs.

It is needless to say that with a 24-inch main the pressure would be still better and the volume could not be depleted by the whole fire departments. It is not intended to extend the gravity system any higher than will guarantee efficient pressure and volume at all times and for all purposes.

This letter is now too long, but is not complete without showing the result of turning down the by-law: 1. The water supply will be less satisfactory every year for three years, until a new source is tapped.

2. Systems nuisance to our city, being partly or wholly wiped out by fire from insufficient water and means of distribution.

3. Many would-be settlers turned away on account of existing conditions.

4. The partial or whole future loss of the valuable asset of Elk lake as an auxiliary or other supply, and a greater expense for a less satisfactory and temporary supply as a safety to a new source.

In conclusion, every resident is interested in the "deadlock" being broken, that we may, one and all, benefit in the growth and prosperity that is ours if we will. The same determined effort is being made to defeat as was made to prevent this by-law coming before the ratepayers. Please the Mayor and vote as your good judgment dictates.

A. J. MORLEY, Mayor.

OUR PATCHED-UP WATERWORKS.

To the Editor:—It is to be hoped our citizens in general and the friends of Mayor Morley in particular will think twice before committing on Monday to spending another large sum on Elk lake. And for sufficient reasons. First, that as Expert Adams pointed out it is not a gravity system. That itself should be enough to kill it in the minds of sensible people. Secondly, the capacity of the water shed is limited to 2,400,000 gallons per day. The dream of connecting us with unspoiled water sheds now unused is too mythical for practical purposes. Thirdly, the water has to be filtered during the summer season, and the present filter beds are overtaxed during that time. Fourth, the large expenditure now proposed will not help us before 1908. The pipes cannot be imported and laid down to accomplish any good next year. Fifth, we should never draw our supply permanently from a source with even a suspicion of contamination. I do not wish to enlarge on that. Sixth, we have promise of an abundant supply from High and district with the possibilities of generating electrical power sufficient for our needs for many years to come. Our city is a growing boy. Do not hamper his growth; do not make him an everlasting object of ridicule by insisting on his being treated in a suit of clothes many sizes too small for him.

EX-ALDERMAN.

THE WATERWORKS BY-LAW.

To the Editor:—It is of the utmost importance to the ratepayers that will be before the council Monday. The question is to the ultimate source of our supply is not before them at all. We have a valuable asset at Elk lake and its ramifications in every street in the city, and the object of this by-law is to remove and replace what we already have before we embark in anything else. We are not short of water, we never have been short of water, but the demand for water has altogether outgrown the means of delivery from the source of supply to the consumer. This must be a phase in the life of every growing and expanding city. It is well for us that it is so. Now the object of the by-law is to remove and replace the main arterial supplies delivering the water and thus remove the ascertained deficiencies under which we have been suffering and which will otherwise increase year by year. The present 12-inch and 16-inch pipes from the lake cannot keep the mains filled, cannot supply the draft, cannot maintain the pressure, and it is therefore proposed to lay a 24-inch main direct from the filter beds to the centre of distribution, and to thoroughly remodel the system of distribution itself. This will remove the impediments to a full supply of water; we have all the water we want or can reasonably demand for years to come. Let us, in the name of common sense, thoroughly develop the property we already possess, and find out together whether we want anything more before we throw away hundreds of thousands upon imaginary benefits.

The water was foul last season; we now know and thoroughly understand the cause, and can, at a very small expense, entirely remedy that defect for the future. With the larger mains the volume of water will be immensely increased, and, by the elimination of defects, the pressure will also be increased. We have an ample fire fighting plant and with plenty of water the engines can supply all the requisite pressure, as they do in nine

cities out of ten; so that need not trouble us.

No one has ever heard of a single case of sickness traced to the water we drink, and Mr. Adams in his report says the storage "fulfills all the conditions which, in the light of present knowledge, are considered necessary to remove it from any suspicion of dangerous contamination." Its standing being in the list of 136 cities, 23rd in the order of merit.

Of the sum of \$300,000 in the by-law, \$200,000 is required for conveying and distributing to the ratepayers the water we now possess in full and unstinted quantity; \$50,000 for meters and for such works as may be necessary to conserve to the general use the property from needless and useless waste; \$50,000 for the exploration of other possible sources of supply, should they be found necessary, and only \$7,000 for putting the reservoir in first class condition. The ratepayers owe a great debt to His Worship Mayor Morley for his fearless advocacy of their interests against all opposition, and it is to be hoped they will turn out in full force on Monday and prove their appreciation and carry the by-law by an overwhelming majority.

THOS. C. SORBY.

November 3rd, 1906.

A homing pigeon which was sent to the Isle of Man two years and four months ago returned to its home cote in Black-burn, England, recently.

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"Under Southern Skies" will reappear in this city at the Victoria theatre on Monday evening, and is certain to be greeted by a large and representative audience. "Under Southern Skies" is generally recognized as one of the best of the travelling attractions, and is playing everywhere to the capacity of the theatres. This delightful play is now in its sixth season of undiminished popularity, and is conceded to be the very best play of southern life which has been presented to the public in many years. So much life, fun and gaiety is interwoven with the strong and peculiarly southern story which forms the basis of the play, that

is entirely new and new costumes have been provided.

Ellen Beach Yaw.

On Friday next Victoria music-lovers will be afforded the opportunity of hearing the golden-voiced California singer, Ellen Beach Yaw, who comes to this city fresh from a series of musical triumphs in many parts of the continent.

Ellen Beach Yaw is to-day the greatest of all coloratura sopranos, and is at the very zenith of her powers. No lover of true music can wish for a pleasure greater than to hear her sing.

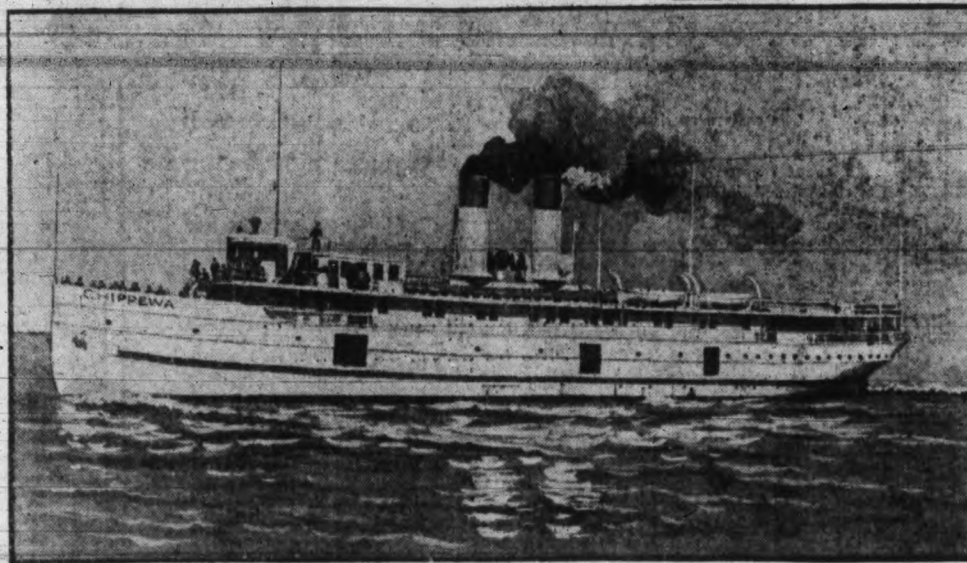
The following pretty story is told of her first triumph. "Years ago a sweet girl attended a Methodist evangelistic meeting in Los Angeles. There she sang with the congregation. So clearly did the childish treble rise above the voices of the big audience that the minister conducting the services asked the little singer to come to the platform. Her fresh young voice was a marvel. She could scarcely read, but the well-trained ear of the director recognized the beauty and quality of her voice above the others and he urged her to sing a solo from the platform. This she did from the good old Moody and Sankey hymns, pausing occasionally to spell a perplexing word. Then the congregation joined in the chorus, and what a feast it really was. It continued thus for many nights during the meetings. The tiny soprano was Ellen Beach Yaw. When she grew to girlhood she went abroad to study and there are none perhaps who have been happier at reading of her line of unbroken triumphs since the first trip to Europe, a decade ago, than those who witnessed her debut in her childhood days when she sang for the Methodist meetings."

The Gerhardt-Helmsman Baby Grand piano will be used at the concert here. Fletcher Bros. Sole agents.

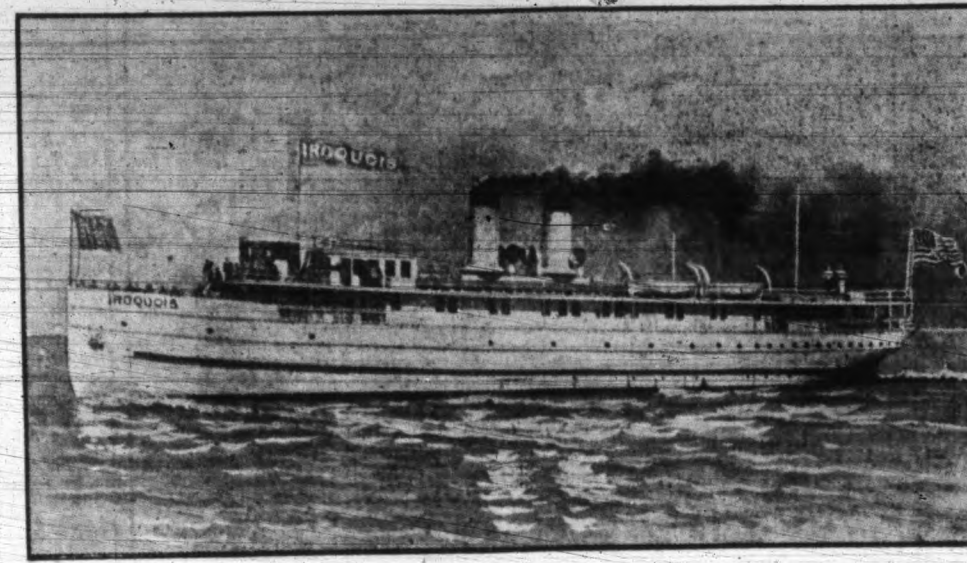
Miss MacLachlan Coming

The many admirers of Miss Jessie MacLachlan will be delighted to learn that she is heading an unusually excellent concert company this season, on tour through Canada and around the world. Miss MacLachlan is booked for a period of about five years, and this will be her farewell tour of Canada. There are five members in the Jessie MacLachlan concert company this season, a larger and stronger one than has ever supported Miss MacLachlan in the past, it being the ambition of her managers to make this farewell tour one to be long remembered by her audiences everywhere. Miss MacLachlan is now in the zenith of her career. She has been commended to appear, before royalty, and has received the highest tributes that have ever been paid to any Scottish artist, being known and loved, not only by the sons and daughters of Scotland, but by all kinds and conditions of men wherever the English language is spoken. The press of the world over has declared that if Miss MacLachlan had not been a great singer she would have been a great actress. She has not only been given a beautiful voice, but a delightful personality as well.

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IROQUOIS.

Her last tour of Canada as piano soloist will also be with her company this season, in the capacity of conductor. The date of the concert at the Victoria theatre is Tuesday evening, November 13th. The New Grand.

An exceptionally good and varied programme has been arranged by Manager Jamieson for the New Grand next week, and the many patrons of this popular amusement house will be well repaid for their attendance. The list of acts includes some star performers, and in addition a splendid dog, monkey and cat circus will be one of the attractions. Mr. and Mrs. Truesdell & Co. will appear in a dramatic comedy playlet entitled "Aunt Louise's Advice," in which the parts are taken by Mr. and Mrs. Truesdell, Mr. Gemp and Miss Thornton. This is said to be one of the best and funniest sketches on the vaudeville stage and has received most flattering notices everywhere on the circuit. The three Banta Bros. have a strong musical act. Fred Palmer is a good magician, and Prof. Clarke's dog, monkey, and cat minstrel is one of the best trained and most intelligent animal acts ever given at the Grand. Frederic Roberts will sing the illustrated song, "Dear Old Dixie," and the new moving pictures are entitled "The Voyage Around the Stars" and "Stop Thief." The arrangement of next week's programme necessitates two overtures, of which the first will be the "Toreador" Song from "Carmen" as a concert solo by W. North, and the second the Grand March from "Tannhauser" by Richard Wagner.

There will be a matinee on Monday at 3 o'clock.

The Empress Theatre.

The gratifying success of "The Squaw and the Man," which has played in popular audiences for the last two nights at the Empress theatre, has led the management to prepare a high-class bill of fare for the coming week. In the belief that the patrons of the house will better appreciate a high-grade line of productions than the melodramatic class of plays which are too often served up by stock companies, Miss Bertha Knutson and S. Diamond, who have made great hits in the respective roles Alice and John Roseleigh in "The Squaw and the Man," will both play important roles in "The Mysterious Duke of Devon" and "The Private Secretary," which will be staged next week. "The Private Secretary" will be put on for the first three nights and the other play will run from Thursday to the week end.

On Monday an enlarged orchestra will have charge of the musical programme, under the capable direction of Kurt Berger. Both attractions for next week are of a light character, coming within the category of legitimate comedies, and, as they are sufficiently well known to prove their own advertisement, the Empress stock company can look forward to the continued support of the theatre-going public.

MOUNTAINEERING MADE EASY.

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LOTTIE BLAIR PARKER

AUTHOR OF "UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES," WHICH WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE VICTORIA ON MONDAY.

the interest of the spectator is never allowed to flag. This is undoubtedly one of the secrets of the great success achieved by the play.

The management has made strenuous efforts to keep up the standard of excellence set by the production in previous seasons. Every year something new has been offered in the Halloween celebration to give novelty from season to season, and this year still carries out that policy. The arrangement of dances and the songs will be entirely different from those of last season. Every bit of scenery used in the play

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

FRIENDSHIP'S GREATEST MONUMENT.

The International Sunday school lesson for November 3, 1906, is "The Lord's Supper," Matthew 26: 17-30. The Golden Text is, "This do in remembrance of Me," 1 Corinthians 11: 24.

By William T. Ellis.

In all New England I do not know a single town or village that has not its soldier's monument. The simple, true monuments of other cities and smaller communities throughout the South and the North. Some of these are the most beautiful objects in their place. These are memorials of a great service and a great sacrifice, designed to keep fresh in the memory of oncoming generations the patriotism and heroism of men long dead. But they will fail of this purpose. All over Japan one may see huge slabs of stone, marked with the praises of great men now forgotten. The very inscriptions are now indistinguishable to most persons because of the change in language. So it is with the mighty pyramids and other monuments of Egypt: so far from telling to all the world the story of their builders' greatness, their very meaning was unknown until recent years. But there is one memorial, the most widely known and observed in the universe, which has persisted through two thousand years, and is better understood to-day, and more generally recognized, than ever before. This is that monument of Jesus which is called the Lord's Supper, or the Holy Communion, or the Eucharist, or the Holy Sacrament. Many significances has this ceremony, but it is primarily a memorial to His Saviour, Jesus, who died to be remembered. His heart loved the faithful and fearless affection of His friends. "Having loved his own which were in the world, he loved them unto the end." And He wanted them so to love Him. The thought of passing away and being forgotten is repugnant to every one of us. This is the last assertion of our identity as individuals—we want to be remembered.

A World-Wide Celebration.

No man knows another's heart; but in His own words we have the evidence that Jesus' friends were never forgotten. He was the prince of friends. Love meant more to Him than to others. Therefore He prized with a passion which no other spirit can comprehend, the constancy of this little band of disciples. Therein is the point of "This do in remembrance of Me," and of that other touching sentence, "With desire have I desired to eat this passover with you." Jesus yearned for a friendship with you, which would last.

The way this trust has been kept in the imagination. Through long centuries, many of them dark, constant friends whose hearts have responded to the soulery of the Man of Nazareth as He was about to go forth to His death, have met with Him at the sacramental table, showing forth their remembrance of Him. The mystic significance of this simple feast to lives which never reveal their deeper emotions may be inferred from their actions. Consider the communion services of which each of us has knowledge, personal or indirect. Before my mind as I write, is a picture of a company of boyish soldiers, looking forward to the battlefield, rising at dawn and kneeling on a rough pine board before an improvised altar to receive from their captain the tokens of their Master's dying thought of them. Again I recall a scene far away in the mountains of the West, distant from a railroad, in a little chapel which could not afford communion vessels, where the Master himself seemed to sit as a guest at the table when the missionary broke the bread. Still again there is before me a picture of a gathering of Christians in the remote interior of Japan, and as the bread and wine were being passed I saw the Westerner, curious faces, dark-skinned, bearded, children and men and women peeping in through the doors and windows. All around the

STORY IS THE BLACK FACT OF THE PRESENCE OF JUDAS, THE TRAITOR.

Among the twelve closest friends, one was false—and Jesus knew it. The hatred of the Pharisees, and the murderous plotting with the priests, did not stab Him to the heart like the knowledge that one of His own, who shared with Him the common death, was willing to sell Him for a price.

THE SQUABBING OF THE DISCIPLES OVER THE CHIEF SEATS AT TABLE WAS BAD ENOUGH—HOW IT MUST HAVE JARRED UPON THE SENSITIVE SPIRIT OF THE GREAT TEACHER WHO ALONE KNEW HOW SACRED AND MOMENTOUS WAS THAT HOUR—BUT THIS WAS DUE ONLY TO THEIR CRUDENESS AND IGNORANCE, WHICH WOULD LATER BE OVERTAKEN BY THE LIGHT OF TRUTH.

It was made the occasion of the great lesson in humility when the Master of us all, fully conscious of His divinity, took upon Himself the office of a slave, and with His own hands washed the feet of the bickering, jealous, proud disciples. "I have given you an example," He said, most pointedly. Knowing that His Master knew of his perfidy, though he had with lying lips just protested his innocence, Judas went forth to his evil deed. We wonder sometimes how it is possible for Christian America to produce such wickedness, for churches to be torn by mischief-makers, for bad men to sit year after year in church offices, for men to attend divine services and then go forth to sin. How is it possible for them to resist such holy influences? Yet here was Judas, who for more than two years had followed in the personal train of the Lord himself, now going out to make traffic for his Master's murderer!

WHEN HEARTS OPEN.

Every sensitive person knows what it is to be chilled by a hostile presence. We speak colloquially of certain characters "getting on our nerves." There is some deep psychological reason for this. Many fine natures, like flowers, can blossom only in the sunshine of love and appreciation. Few can be at their best in the presence of opposition. Even Jesus seemed under constraint so long as Judas sat at the table. But when the latter had gone forth, His heart overflowed in mellow, tender words. Then it was, at the close of the regular Passover meal, that He instituted the new memorial Supper for His friends.

THESE WERE SELF-CONTAINED ANGELS IN THE GARDEN.

There is self-contained anguish in the heart of a man, and by a bloody way. He knows it full well. Thoughts of his own death and their bereavement filled Him. So He opened His heart to them in fullness. There must have been a sob in His voice as He gave them the bread that was to signify His broken body, and poured forth the cup that should forever represent His blood. On this mystical sustenance their spirits were to be sustained, until, faithful to His memory and eager for reunion with Him, they should eat and drink anew with Him in the kingdom where goodness has no enemies and covetousness and hate cannot enter.

LET A MAN EXAMINE HIMSELF.

It is the junction of Holy Writ concerning the Lord's Supper and the feast should always lead to profitable introspection. Whatever inspires purity of heart in the individual naturally is the surest contribution to the welfare of the whole. So this memorial has served mankind.

A TRAITOR AT THE FEAST.

An air of mystery envelops the plans made by Jesus for the keeping of this feast. He wanted to be free, during these last hours with his dearest friends, from the interruptions of His enemies, who hourly grew more blood-thirsty. The needed privacy he had secured by prearrangement with some disciple, possibly Mark. This friend was to meet the two disciples who were to make arrangements for the feast, and they would know Him by the pitcher of water upon His shoulder. Without questions they were to follow Him and ask a certain question, possibly a sort of code. All this was doubtless to prevent Judas from knowing in advance the exact spot, lest He should give warning to the priests. The tragic undertone of the great

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THE CLERGY OF THE ORTHODOX GREEK CHURCH IN RUSSIA STAND WITH THE REACTIONARY POLITICAL FORCES AND RAISE NO PROTEST AGAINST THE MASSACRE OF THE JEWS, WHILE THE CHRISTIAN LABOR ORGANIZATIONS OF THE EMPIRE ANNOUNCE THAT IN CASE OF FRESH OUTBREAKS THEY WILL DEFEND THE CAUSE OF THE PERSECUTED JEWS.

CHRISTIAN WORKERS ON THE CONGO WILL HEREAFTER BE SAFEGUARDED BY THE RECENT APPOINTMENT BY THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT OF A CONSUL-GENERAL TO THE CONGO STATE, AN ACTION WHICH WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE SENATE ON THE INITIATIVE OF SECRETARY ROOT. FOR THE FIRST TIME THE UNITED STATES WILL HAVE NOW ITS OWN OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVE IN THIS GREAT TERRITORY. OFFICIAL ATTENTION TO THE WRONGS PERPETRATED CAN NOW BE SECURED.

A TESTIMONY TO THE EFFICACY OF MISSION WORK IN LABRADOR WAS GIVEN BY SIR WILLIAM MACGREGOR, THE GOVERNOR OF NEWFOUNDLAND, AFTER A VISIT TO THAT COLONY. HE STATES THAT NO PRISON, NO MAGISTRATE, NO POLICE WERE TO BE SEEN ON THE INUIT COAST, AND FURTHER ADDED, "BUT IT WOULD NOT APPEAR THAT THESE ADJUTANTS OF CIVILIZATION, NECESSARY STAGES WHEREAS ARE REQUIRED THERE. THE MORAL CONTROL OF THE MISSION, WHICH HAS BEEN SO EFFECTIVE IN THE PAST, WOULD APPEAR TO BE SUFFICIENT AT THE PRESENT TIME."

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We cannot choose our way if we would walk with Christ. His will must prevail in the companionship between Himself and a disciple. Self-surrender is the first condition of union.

NEARNESS TO CHRIST DOES NOT MEAN DISTANCE FROM OUR FELLOW MEN.

Nothing that is great enough to affect the life of a disciple is too small to touch the heart of God.

CHRIST'S LIFE WAS FULL OF PRAYING NIGHTS ON THE MOUNTAIN TOPS. THE BUSIER HE WAS AMONG MEN, THE MORE HE FELT THE NEED OF THESE TIMES APART FROM THE WORLD IN COMMUNION WITH THE FATHER.

In our hurrying, restless lives we should make more of the nights of prayer. If we insist upon having quiet times alone with God, when we can look up into His face, and pour out to Him our full souls we shall find that the very power and peace of God will steal into our lives to enrich and strengthen them.

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Christian workers on the Congo will hereafter be safeguarded by the recent appointment by the American government of a consul-general to the Congo State, an action which was authorized by the senate on the initiative of Secretary Root. For the first time the United States will have now its own official representative in this great territory. Official attention to the wrongs perpetrated can now be secured.

A testimony to the efficacy of mission work in Labrador was given by Sir William MacGregor, the Governor of Newfoundland, after a visit to that colony. He states that no prison, no magistrate, no police were to be seen on the Inuit coast, and further added, "But it would not appear that these adjutants of civilization, necessary stages whereas are required there. The moral control of the mission, which has been so effective in the past, would appear to be sufficient at the present time."

Out of the slums of London, for the last twenty-two years, a party of boys have been gathered annually, trained in some useful work and sent to Canada where they are settled in country homes. The entire cost of placing a boy is fifty dollars. In the year, the institution of this philanthropy more than three hundred of these boys have sent back the cost of their transportation, and more than \$25,000 have been contributed by them to this cause, "to give some other poor fellow a chance in life."

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Children's Column

A WHISTLER.

Mary Spaulding Hatch, Nashville, Tenn. Teddy and Benny were trying to learn to do something. They were practicing every day, talking about it and trying hard.

Every one about the house knew what they were trying to do, for they went about with their lips out and drawn into puckers, making a queer little noise. You have guessed it, haven't you? They were trying to whistle. Benny learned first; but it seemed as if Teddy would never learn. Benny, however, went about with his head tipped to one side whistling, all the time he wasn't in school.

Foor Teddy! he tried and tried as hard as any boy could try. But that was a funny little wheezy sound came from his pursed up lips; and that would make Benny laugh; then he would say, "Just look at me; I will show you how; and of he would go whistling a pretty tune.

Wasn't it provoking!

Teddy thought so; and he thought he would give anything in the world to be able to do it. Why, he would have given his new Rugby football that was a Christmas present.

So the days went by with Teddy trying to whistle, and Benny whistling better and louder every day. Finally, one afternoon Benny said to Benny, "You're so loud, Benny! Benny, you make my head ache." "Do be quiet, dear," and the one day big brother Will was trying to study, and he called out to Benny, "For mercy sake, do hush that racket!"

"Well," said Teddy, "if I can't whistle, I don't have to stand every body scolding me on account of it." But that wasn't all; for Teddy found out one day that there were other boys in the world besides whistling; and at the same time Benny almost wished he had never whistled a single whistle.

It was when Uncle Lacey came to take grandma out to ride. He was going to take her away out in the country to show her the home of President Jackson. "I think," said grandma, "that we might take one of the boys with us—it would teach him something, as well as being a pleasure."

"Very well," said Uncle Lacey. "Which one will you have?" "Which one will you have?" "I think we'd better take Teddy; for he will be quiet when we want to talk; but Benny will blab all the time, I fear."

Benny wanted to cry out that he could and would keep very still if they would let him go; but he looked at little Teddy, and he couldn't help seeing how very much Teddy wanted to share the ride; then he thought how he had been hearing such a good time lately learning to whistle, while Teddy had been disappointed, so he said, "Oh, no, Ted! I'll stay at home and keep myself company a-whistling."

"You're a fine little man," cried Uncle Lacey, catching him up, and kissing him on the cheek. "I wish you were just a little lower when in the house, and to keep still sometimes. You shall have a ride, too, one of these days."

THE KIWIKIWI.

"Wouldn't a little bird look funny if he didn't have any wings?" Puss said, and Johnny was sitting on the steps watching some robins.

"A bird wouldn't be a bird if he didn't have his wings, would he?" Puss asked.

"O, yes, it would," said Uncle Fred. The uncle was sitting in a chair near reading his paper. He had heard what they said.

"I can tell you about a bird that has no wings, but it's not a bird at all. It's called the kiwikaui, and it's a very queer bird; indeed it would make you laugh to see one."

"Indeed I did," replied her uncle, as he sat on a one which he was in New Zealand. "It was called the kiwikaui, and it's a very queer bird; indeed it would make you laugh to see one."

"How large is it?" Puss asked.

"About as large as a full grown hen. Its feathers are very soft and pretty. The New Zealanders use them to trim their dresses."

"The skin with the feathers on it is used to make the mantle of a chief. No person of lower order is allowed to wear one."

"The kiwikaui has a very long beak. When it is resting, it puts its beak down on the ground. Then it looks like a bull on three legs."

"It does not move about much in the daytime. It is a night bird. It lives on worms, and its bill is big like that of the ground."

"And doesn't it really have any wings or tail?" Johnny asked. He could not quite believe that a bird could live without wings or tail.

"No," Uncle Fred said, "hardly a sign of either."

"It must be a strange bird," Johnny said. Puss thought so, too.—Our Little Ones.

THINGS YOU KNOW.

As you walk out at morning Below the shady tree, You'll often see a spider's web— The spider, whose web is there, You pull away the films of silk; And these he comes to mend; The little hidden spider waits Away just at the end.

You walk about the forest, And you see the leaves of trees, You may not know what kind it is, But you see the berries soize; And yet the tree, "known by its fruit," Is clear as clear can be, And so the little berries put You right as A. B. C.

And do you know as little boys And girls, 'tis just the same— The web is yours, and 'at its end, Of course, you must remain. The things you laugh at stamp, you know.

The things that make you sad, Reveal as clear as flowers that blow The sort of lass or lad. Alice E. Argentine.

RIDDLES.

What is the difference between a thoughtless lady and her looking-glass? The one talks without reflecting, and the other reflects without talking.

Why are teeth like verbs? Because they are regular, irregular and defective.

Which is the most dangerous bat that flies in the air?—A brickbat.

Why is a woman deformed when she is mending her stockings?—Because her heels are worn where her feet should be.

Why are authors who treat of physiognomy like soldiers?—Because they write (right) about faces.

What is the best bird to represent a band and chorus?—The hawk kestrel (orchestral).

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TWO RAILROADS

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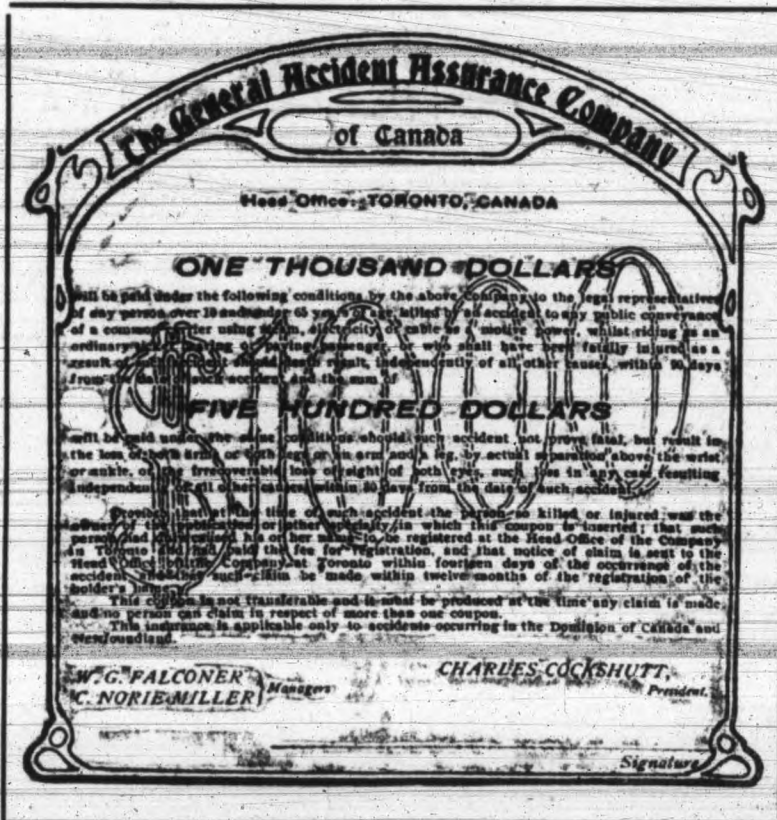
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CURIOUS CHATTER

London, Oct. 2.—The chorus of disapprobation which came from all parties with regard to the proposed deputations to Russia to express British sympathy with the Duma has happily succeeded in deciding the would-be missionaries to defer their visit. Acting under the advice of their friend and guide, Mr. Stead, the deputations on the very eve of departure allowed some gleam of common-sense to prevail. They were made aware that the foreign secretary thought it inexpedient to put it mildly, to visit St. Petersburg, but the British ambassador in that city expressed his disapproval in much stronger language. There is certainly no desire in this country to add to the bitterness of the controversy that rage in Russia, and if a deputation should be sent from the British Empire for any particular purpose at any time, the country would certainly wish to send representatives worthy of this great nation and not a few fussy nobodies without the least political significance.

Death of Madame Ristori.

Few of the younger generation would remember Madame Ristori, the famous actress whose death is announced this week in her eighty-fifth year. A quarter of a century has passed since she performed in London, yet when you speak to old play-goers in praise of Bernhardt and Duse and maintain that their perfections must be unequalled you are met with the sighing comment: "You should have seen Ristori." From what one hears she must have been a Siddons, a Bernhardt and a Duse in one personality. Not otherwise can one explain the spell she cast over those who saw and heard her, not otherwise understand the enthusiasm which the memory of her greatness still arouses.

Memorial of Boer War.

Another memorial of the Boer war was unveiled in St. Paul's Cathedral this week. A large contingent of yeomanry marched to the cathedral amid the cheers of admirers, and amongst those in attendance were several military men who won distinction in South Africa. The memorial is to the officers and men of the Middlesex Terynary and beneath it the names of those who lost their lives while campaigning. As may be supposed, Lord Roberts, who performed the ceremony of unveiling, utilized the occasion for another appeal to the patriotism of Englishmen whose sacred duty it is to be prepared for national defence.

Ironclads.

The announcement that the government were about to provide three more Dreadnoughts for the fleet, caused in the form in which it was made in some of the newspapers, a feeling of momentary surprise. With the knowledge that the government had reduced by one ironclad the naval programme of their predecessor, people wondered why there should have been such a sudden change of policy as the laying down of three new battleships. But it seems that these vessels were authorized in the spring of last year and are to be as powerful as the Dreadnought itself, whose trial this week has evidently given the greatest satisfaction. With the addition of those now in course of construction—two on the Clyde and one on the Tyne—there is not much danger that any rival naval power will be better equipped or more powerful than we.

The Cotton Situation.

The lesson which Lancashire learnt with regard to its cotton industry in the past is bearing fruit to-day, as the

report of the commission appointed by the leading cotton firms, which has just been issued, bears evidence. In this report a recommendation of vast importance to the English cotton industry is made. Briefly, it recommends the Lancashire spinners to buy land in the Southern States of America and establish large cotton plantations with the object of providing part of their supply and also for keeping them more closely in touch with the cotton fields. To quote the commission's own summing-up: "The growth of their raw materials cannot be hazardous provided land is obtained at a reasonable price, and taking the present price of cotton, it is a very favorable opportunity for beginning such an undertaking." Another commission has been appointed and is to sail for America immediately in order to obtain fuller information on these points.

Book Clubs.

When the Times Book Club started, many wiseacres prophesied the present book war. The prophecy has come true with a vengeance, but it was the retail bookseller who first appealed against the policy which was spelling ruin to the whole trade. When the book club started, great things were promised to author and publisher alike. The author was to have his works read by the world and the publisher to reap the benefit of such widely advertised commodities. It did not take long to show both of them that the Times' system of buying books at trade prices and selling them afterwards at a second hand at greatly reduced prices was a system which benefited the Times alone, and they are now roused to a realization of the real facts. The publishers contend that this is not legitimate and insist that no reduction in price should take place under six months. The Times defy this restriction and the publishers have combined to force them to pay full price for all books published. The ultimate issue is of great interest to the reading public.

Enter "Candlelight."

There are evidences of a "boom" in candles, for the fair sex have discovered that the candle is the most becoming of all to their complexion. Hence the introduction to the dinner table of the candleabra that graced our grandmother's dining-room when electric light was unknown. The old fable that that so dim a light is depressing is cast aside since nowadays we realize that quantity makes up for deficiencies in this respect. We shall not content ourselves with a single candle, but provide one for each guest and as many as twenty-four candlesticks may grace a dining table. Pretty designs in shades are, of course, the first consideration, and the color schemes involved give scope for artistic taste to an unusual degree. Already pretty designs are being manufactured by expert fingers and an idea which will no doubt be widely adopted is to have shades composed of velvet and silken petals to represent the hostess's favorite flower. Even games are introduced in these novelties which are already usurping the "book teas" and "flower teas" which have now become suburban. One called the "eye game" has at least the charm of novelty. Each shade bears the eye of a distinguished man or woman painted on mica which lights up and the guests are provided with pencil and card and at dessert the shades are passed from one to the other, the person who guesses the largest number correctly being awarded a prize.

Memoirs of Hohenzollerns.

The publication of the memoirs of

Prince Hohenzollern, the successor to the chancellorship after Prince Bismarck, has caused no end of excitement in Germany and the sale of the two massive volumes, so report says, is nothing short of extraordinary. The indignation of the Emperor at their publication gives an added flip to this literary sensation; particularly as it is believed they were published without his permission. Certainly the disclosures in regard to court intrigues and the conversations recorded which bear on living rulers and statesmen are said to be most sensational. Reference is freely made to the Kaiser and even members of the British and Russian royal houses. The furor caused by these volumes has roused extreme curiosity here, and the British demand for the book is enormous. It is believed that the Emperor will take steps to stop further editions coming through.

Visit to France.

In French eyes we labor under the suspicion that we are a dull and sombre people. Perhaps that is the reason why the Lord Mayor and sheriffs have decided to wear their state robes during their visit to "gay Paris" next week. Parisians cannot dissociate the funeral frock coat and top hat from the Englishman of their imagination. How will they view the rich apparel of scarlet and ermine and the cocked hats of our civic dignitaries? It was even proposed to take over the Lord Mayor's state coach, but at the last moment the idea was abandoned, it being rather a cumbersome vehicle to ship. These neighborly calls between this country and France are now becoming of everyday occurrence and the good work they accomplish by cementing the friendship of the two nations is very great.

The Play.

The return of Miss Phyllis Dare to the theatrical world to take up Miss Edna May's part in the "Belle of Mayfair" was the result of such sensational occurrences that a record attendance was assured on her first appearance. This was certainly borne out by the event. People were standing outside the theatre from six o'clock in the morning and the vaudeville could have been filled to its eyes with the desire to be present at the performance. Curiosity was doubtless the main reason, and if the proprietors had been looking out for a means of "booming" this piece, they could hardly have hit upon a better expedient. The ways of theatrical managers are strange and wonderful, and the British public is ever ready to fall into the advertising traps laid for them by the wily. Wherefore then should we cast a doubt nor give ear to the rumor, which is pretty widely whispered, that Miss Edna's resignation was the result of the uncomfortable atmosphere surrounding her, which made it practically impossible for her to stay. Box office receipts could probably solve the mystery. Meantime Miss Phyllis Dare has made an instantaneous success in the part.

Visit to Africa.

Whether there are any official reasons for the revival of the rumor that the Prince and Princess of Wales will go to South Africa next year for the purpose of opening the new Transvaal parliament, I have not been able to discover. The King would, of course, have the determining power in the matter, but it is certainly receiving consideration and it is understood that South Africaners in London are using their influence to urge a favorable decision in the matter.

AUTUMN TINTS.

Bad season of the year dull Autumn seems. When all the summer flowers are dead, When underneath the shivering pines The leaves are lying brown and red.

"Tis as the dusk of summer day, Its charm lies in its tragic mood, When all sad thoughts of woe and pain Are whisp'ring, felt and understood.

Alone in solitude at Autumn's close We hear the message of sad farewell, The lonely leaf that whirrs o'erhead, Bespeaks the sorrow in hearts that dwell.

Yet is there glory in the Autumn tints, Glory in lying that speaks to all, Nature's score of death is but a jest, Then why should we sad thoughts recall?

The leaf may sigh more gorgeous hues When clothed in all its living green, But death must claim it in its own, Before those brighter hues are seen.

In living the greatest good is naught, With all we sigh to reach in vain; Dying, we shall like nature change, And changing shall rich glories gain.

NELLO.

THE INCOMES OF BRITONS.

The board of inland revenue has just issued some interesting statistics on the wealth of the inhabitants of the United Kingdom. It appears that 6,500 persons enjoy an income of from \$5,000 to \$50,000; 2,500 an income of from \$3,000 to \$5,000; 10,000 an income of from \$1,000 to \$3,000; and 500 an income of more than \$100,000. The total income of these 10,250 persons is about \$600,000,000.

This may be said to represent a capital of \$2,000,000,000. Divided among the 60,000 inhabitants of the United Kingdom, it would mean that each person got more than \$400.

After a chase of 15 years all over the world, a letter has just caught up with the man to whom it was addressed. He was a French sailor, and the letter was posted to him to a port in America. When it reached there he had just sailed. The same at his next port, to which the letter was redirected. At length the sailor retired and settled down, and the letter has just been delivered to him.

THE HOUSE WITH THE GREEN SHUTTERS

BY GEORGE DOUGLAS.

CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued.)

To him, indeed, reading was never more than a means of escape from something else; he never thought of a book so long as there were things to see. Some things were different from others, it is true. Things of the outer world, where he swaggered among his fellows and was thrashed, or bungled his lessons and was thrashed again, imprinted themselves vividly on his mind, and he hated the impressions. When Swispey Iron was hot the sweat pores always glistened distinctly on the end of his mottled nose—John, as he thought angrily of Swispey this afternoon, saw the glistening sweat pores before him and wanted to bash them. The varnish smell of the desks, the smell of the wallflowers at Mrs. Manstons on the way to school, the smell of the school itself to all these he was morbidly alive, and he loathed them. But he loved the impressions of his home. His mind was full of perceptions of which he was unconscious, till he found one of them recorded in a book, and that was the book for him. The curious physical always drew his mind to hate it or to love. In summer he would crawl into the bottom of an old hedge, among the black mould and the withered sticks, and watch a red-eyed beetle creep slowly up a bit of wood till near the top, and fall suddenly down, and creep patiently again—this he would watch with curious interest and remember always. "Johnny," said his mother once, "what do you breathe into the bushes to watch those nasty things for?"

"They're queer," he said meekly. "Even if he was a little dull w't' the book, she was sure he would come to something, for, eh, he was such a noticing boy."

But there was nothing to touch him in "The Wooing of Angelina"; he was moving in an alien world. It was a complicated plot, and some of the numbers being lost, he was not sharp enough to catch the idea of the story. He read slowly and without interest; the sounds of the outer world reached him in his loneliness and annoyed him, because, while wondering what they were, he dared not look out to see. He heard the rattle of wheels entering the big yard; that would be Peter's state coach, but he was not sharp enough to hear the hiss of his father's voice in the lobby and his mother speaking in shrill protest, and then—oh, horror!—his father came up the stairs. Would he come into the garage? John, lying on his left side, felt his quickened heart thud against the boards, and he could not take his big frightened eyes from the bottom of the door. But the heavy step passed and went into another room. John's own mouth was dry, and his shirt was sticking to his back.

The heavy steps came back to the landing. "Whaur's my ginsie?!" yelled his father down the stairs. "Oh, I lost the corkscrew, and took it to open a bottle," cried the mother, wearily. "Ere, it is, man, in the kitchen drawer."

"Hah!," his father barked, and he knew he was infernal angry, if he should come in!

But he went tramping down the stairs, and John, after waiting till his pulses were stilled, resumed his reading. He heard the masons in the kitchen, bustled with the range, and he dared not go down till after four, it was lonely up here by himself. A hot wind had sprung up, and it crooned through the keyhole drearily: "oo-woo-oo." It cried, and the sound drenched him in a vague depression. The splash of yellow light had shifted round to the fireplace; Janet had kindled a fire there last winter, and the ashes had never been removed, and now the light lay, yellow and vivid, on a red cinder of coal, and a charred piece of stick. A piece of glossy white paper had been flung in the untidy grate, and in the hollow curve of it a thin slit of black dust had gathered; the light showed it plainly. All these things the boy marked and was subtly aware of their unpleasantness. He was forced to read to escape the sense of them. But it was words, words, words that he read; the substance mattered not at all. His head leaned heavy on his left hand and his mouth hung open, as his eye travelled dreamily along the lines. He succeeded in hypnotizing his brain at last, by the mere process of staring at the page.

At last he heard Janet in the lobby. That meant that school was over. He crept down the stairs. "You were playing the truant," said Janet, and she nodded her head in accusation. "I've a good mind to tell my father."

"If ye wud—" he said, and shook his fist at her threateningly. She shrank away from him. They went into the kitchen together.

The range had been successfully installed, and Mr. Gourlay was showing it to Grant of Loranogie, the foremost farmer of the shire. Mrs. Gourlay, standing by the kitchen table, viewed her new possession with a faded shimmer of approval. She was pleased that Mr. Grant should see the grand new thing that they had gotten. She listened to the talk of the man with a faint smile about her heavy lips, her eyes upon the sony range.

"Dod, it's a handsome piece of furniture," said Loranogie. "How did ye get it brought here, Mr. Gourlay?"

"I went to Glasgow and ordered it special. It came to Skelighan by the train, and my own beast brought it over. That fender's a feature," he added, complacently. "It's unusual w't' a range."

The massive fender ran from end to end of the fireplace, projecting a little in front; its rim, a square bar of heavy steel, with bright sharp edges.

"And that poker, too, man, there's a history w't' that. I made a point of making it. He was an ill-bred little chap, the body in Glasgow. I happened to say till him I would like a poker-head just the same size as the rim of the fender! 'What'd ye want w't' a heavy-headed poker?' says he: 'a ye need's a bit sma' thing to rype the ribs w't'.' Is that aa?" says I. "How do you ken what I want? I made short work o' him! The poker-head the identical size o' the rim. I had it made to fit!"

Loranogie thought it a silly thing of Gourlay to concern himself about a poker. But that was just like him, of course. The moment the body in Glasgow opposed his whim, Gourlay, he knew, would make a point o' it.

The grain-merchant took the bar of heavy metal in his hand. "Dod, it's an awful weapon," he said, meaning to be jocose. "You could murder a man w't'."

"Deed you could," said Loranogie. "You could kill him w't' the one lick."

The elders, engaged with more important matters, paid no attention to the children, who had pushed between them to the front and were looking up at their faces, as they talked, with curious watching eyes. John, with his instinct to notice things, took the poker-up when his father said it down, to see if it was really the size of the rim. It was too heavy for him to raise by the handle; he had to lift it by the middle. Janet was at his elbow, watching him. "You could kill a man with that," he told her, importantly, though she had heard it long herself. Janet stared and shuddered. Then the boy laid the poker-head along the rim, fitting edge to edge with a nice precision.

"Mother," he cried, turning towards her in his interest, "Mother, look here! It's exactly the same size!"

"Put it down, sir," said his father with a grim smile at Loranogie. "You'll be killing folk next."

CHAPTER IX.

"Are ye packit, Peter?" said Gourlay.

"Yes, sir," said Peter Riney, running round to the other side of a cart, to fasten a horse's bellyband to the shaft.

"Yes, sir, we're a' ready."

"Have the carriers a big load?"

"Aye, just as a' when parcels, but Rishie's as fu' as he can haul. And there's a gey pickie stuff waiting at the Cross."

The hot wind of yesterday had brought lightning through the night, and this morning there was the gentle drizzle that sometimes follows a heavy thunderstorm. Hints of the further blue showed themselves in a lofty sky of delicate and drifting grey. The blackbirds and thrushes welcomed the cooler air with a gush of musical piping, as if the liquid tenderness of the morning had actually got into their throats and made them softer.

"You had better noo' away then," said Gourlay. "Donnerton's five miles ayont Fieckle, and by the time you deliver the meal there, and load the ironwork, it'll be late ere you get back."

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Shove away, Peter; shove away!"

Peter shuffled uneasily, and his pale blue eyes blinked at Gourlay from beneath their grazed row nests of red hair.

"Are we a' to start together, sir?" he hesitated. "D'ye mean—d'ye mean the carriers, too?"

"Atweel, Peter," said Gourlay. "What for no?"

Peter took a great old watch, with a yellow case, from his fob, and, "It wants a while o' aicht, sir," he volunteered.

"Aye, man, Peter, and what of that?" said Gourlay.

There was almost a twinkle in his eye. Peter Riney was the only human being with whom he was ever really at ease. It is only when a mind feels secure in itself that it can laugh unconcernedly at others. Peter was so simple that in his presence Gourlay felt secure; and he used to banter him.

"The folk at the Cross winna expect the carriers till aicht, sir," said Peter, "and I doubt their stuff won't be ready."

"Aye, man, Peter," Gourlay joked lazily, as if Peter was a little boy. "Aye, man, Peter: You think the folk at the Cross winna be prepared?"

"No, sir," said Peter, opening his eyes very solemnly, "they winna be prepared."

"It'll do them good to hurry a little for once," growled Gourlay, humor yielding to spite at the thought of his enemies. "It'll do them good to hurry a little for once! Be off, the lot o' ye!"

After ordering his carriers to start, to back down and postpone their departure, just to suit the convenience of his neighbors, would derogate from his own importance. His men might think he was afraid of Barbie.

He stroled out to the big gate and watched his teams going down the brae.

There were only four carts this morning because the two last went to the mill; he rubbed his chin slowly, would not be back till the afternoon; and another had already turned west to Auchenroo, to bring slates for the fletcher's new house. Of the four that went down the street two were the usual carrier's carts, the other two were off to Fieckle with meal, and Gourlay had started them the sooner since they were to bring back the ironwork which Templandmuir needed for his new improvements. Though the Templar had reformed greatly since he married his birkie wife, he was still far from having his place in proper order, and he had often to depend on Gourlay for the carrying of stuff which a man in his position should have had hoses of his own to bring.

As Gourlay stood at his gate he pondered with heavy cunning how much he might charge Templandmuir for bringing the ironwork from Fieckle. He decided to charge him for the whole day, though half of it would be spent in taking his own meal to Donnerton. In that he was carrying out his usual policy—which was to make each side of his business help the other. As he stood puzzling his wits over Templandmuir's account, his lips worked in and out, to assist the slow process of his brain. His eyes narrowed between peering lids, and their light seemed to turn inward as he fixed them abstractedly on a stone in the middle of the road. His head was tilted that he might keep his eyes upon the stone; and every now and then, as he mused, he rubbed his chin slowly between the thumb and fingers of his left hand. Entirely given up to the thought of Templandmuir's account he failed to see the figure advancing up the street.

At last the crunch of a boot on the wet road struck his ear. He turned with his best glower on the man who was approaching; more of the "What-the-hell-are-you?" look than ever in his eyes—because he had been caught unawares.

The stranger wore a light-yellow overcoat, and he had been walking a long time in the rain, apparently, for the shoulders of the coat were quite black with the wet, these black patches showing in strong contrast with the dryer, therefore yellowed, front of it.

CITY OF LONDON CHURCHES.

Within the narrow limits of the city of London, England, with its mere handful of residents—only sufficient to people a small provincial town—there are still so many churches that you might worship in a different one every Sunday of the year without putting foot inside them all. Within the Rural Deanery of the East City there are to-day no fewer than ten churches, each of which ministers to a population of less than 500, the aggregate number of parishioners being 1,673, while the churches have accommodation for 2,560, thus providing almost two seats for every possible worshipper, including the infants in arms—Sunday Bazaar.

A thief at Capetown was recently convicted on the evidence of a blind woman, who said that she knew by touch a tablecloth he had stolen, and recognized the thief by his voice.

At a post-mortem examination of a cow at Warraoknabal, Australia, a hank of tissue and a quantity of needles, safety pins and a few links of chain were found in the animal's stomach.

Jetsam, Jokes and Jingles

CURATES.

The Church Times has been much annoyed about the lack of respect paid by the public to curates. Curates, this journal suggests, are regarded in the light of comedians and mirthmakers for the nation.

All curates are not funny. Some curates are brainy men, ripe scholars, and deep thinkers. But the bulk of them are not. When the fool of the family is handsome he goes on the stage. When he is not he goes into the church. Curates, in fact, become a clergyman than it is to become a doctor, a barrister, or a vet. If the qualifications were made higher there would be fewer comedians in the church, where they are required, and more on the stage, where they are very much wanted.

Vincent was altogether too garrulous in school to please his teachers. Such punishments as the institution offered to be met out were tried without any apparent effect upon the boy, until at last the head master decided to mention the lad's faults upon his monthly report, where they are read to his father had these words:

"Vincent talks a great deal."

Back came the report by mail duly signed, but with this written in red ink under the comment:

"You ought to hear his mother."

Philadelphia Ledger.

LITERAL BUT TRUTHFUL.

Two gentlemen were travelling in one of the hill counties of Kentucky not long ago, bound on an exploration for pitch pine. They had been driving for two hours without encountering a human being, when they came in sight of a cabin in a clearing. It was very still. The hogs lay where they had fallen, the thin

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They will cure

slayback music graced round and round in a great circle, to save the trouble of walking, and one lean, lank man, whose garments were the color of the claybank mud, leaned against a tree and let time roll by.

"Wonder if he can speak?" said one traveller to the other.

"Try him," said his companion.

"How do you do?" said the Northerner.

"Howdy?" remarked the Southerner, languidly.

"Pleasant country."

"Fur them that likes it."

"Lived here all your life?"

The Southerner spat pensively in the dust.

"Not yet," he said.

Mrs. Justgott Herrmann—My new home has stained glass in all the windows. But death must claim it in its own bad. Can't you find something that'll take it out?—Cleveland Leader.

Take her up tenderly, Mind her back hair, Fashioned so slenderly, Fetch her a chair! What on the matter be? What's her complaint? Send for the doctor, she is off in a faint! What is the mystery? Tell us the history, Tell us for pity's sake, See she is now awake, Give me a fan! Oh, what an awful moan! Get me salts and cologne Quick from the house! Give her air, keep away! What does the lady say? She saw a mouse!

A deaf and dumb man applied to the referees' council of Lancashire for a certificate, entitling him to act as a referee. The application was refused.

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YOUR TEACHER IS HERE BUSTER.

HE'S VERY, VERY ILL.

GOOD MORNING THOMAS - WE CAN HEAR YOUR LESSON IN BED

WE HAVE SUCH AN INTERESTING LESSON TO-DAY - ITS TOO BAD TO MISS IT

NOW LET US CONJUGATE THE VERB TO HAVE AND THE VERB TO GET

AW, QUIT YOUR LAUGHING

RESOLVED! THAT THERE IS GOOD HONEST OIL AND THERE'S GOOD HONEST WATER BOTH PURE AND RIGHT, BUT THEY WON'T MIX. BECAUSE NATURE DIDN'T MAKE THEM TO MIX. THATS THE WAY WITH THAT TEACHER AND ME. SHE'S ALL RIGHT AND SO ARE LOTS OF OTHER PEOPLE I KNOW. BUT NATURE DIDN'T MAKE ME SO I COULD CARE TO ASSOCIATE WITH THEM. I'M NOT A SNOB BUT I ONLY LIKE MY OWN KIND. EVERY ONE IS NOT IN THE SAME CLASS. B.B.

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WANTED-Driver for dairy cart. Apply 78 Rock Bay avenue.

DRIVER WANTED-72 Yates street.

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ENERGETIC MEN WANTED in every locality throughout Canada to post up advertising matter and generally advertise our new patented invention. Highest salary and expenses paid, or liberal commission, steady employment. No experience necessary. Write for particulars, Wm. R. Warner & Co., London, Ont.

WANTED-Salesmen-Many make \$100 to \$150 per month; some even more. Stock clean, accurate, no restriction, far from old orchards. Cash advanced weekly. Choice of territory. Address: Washington Nursery Company, 1075 Pennsylvania, Washington.

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WANTED-General servant. Apply Mrs. Wythe-912-8221 street.

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K. O. P. No. 1, 1st West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora streets. H. Weber, K. of R. & S. Box 64.

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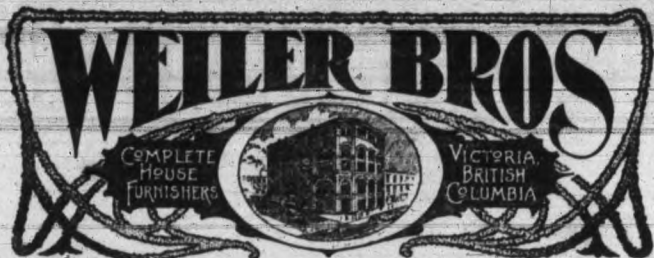
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REAL ESTATE DIRECTORY. LEE & FRASER, REAL ESTATE AGENTS, 11 TROUCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C. HOUSES FOR SALE. \$2,500-Eight roomed house, on Superior street, 4 minutes' walk from Post Office.
MICHIGAN STREET-2 houses and half lot, near Hirdcage; walk, only \$1,500; terms.
\$2,400-Seven roomed two story house, well located, near Goodby's lake, modern conveniences.
\$4,300-Eight roomed house and one acre of cleared land in orchard, on Burnside road.
\$5,000-Six roomed 1 1/2 story house, newly built, all modern conveniences, lot 15 ft. x 120 ft., price includes all household furniture.
\$1,150-Eight roomed house, all conveniences, brick foundation, close to city.
\$2,100-Eight roomed house, on Chatham street, near connection, electric light, hot and cold water.
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\$2,500-Near Burnside road, 2 acres, all cleared, 5 rooms, house, good walk, 1/2 fruit trees.
\$2,200-For 12 acres, inside city limits, good lot to sub-divide.
\$2,500-For 2 acres on water front, inside city limits; choice price.
\$4,000-Good farm, on water front, new house, barn, implements, etc.
\$200-For 100 acres, Meador Bay.
\$1,600-For 14 acres, near city limits, 2 roomed house, fine fruit and out-houses.
\$1,600-25 acres cleared land, on Glenford avenue, well fenced.
\$1,200-Five acres, partly cleared, and fenced, Glenford avenue.
\$3,000-Twenty-five a.c., of which seven acres are cleared, small house and out-houses, price includes furniture, horse, wagon, cows, tools and about 30 chickens.
\$2,000-Carey road, 4 acres, house, barn, orchard, etc.
\$1,150-Thirty-five acres, of which five acres are cleared, good land, North Saanich.
\$2,100-For twenty acres of cleared land in North Saanich.
LOTS FOR SALE. \$250-For 2 lots, near Cadboro Bay road.
\$400-Lots on Batter St. and Niagara St.
\$400-Two lots, Delta St.
\$200 only for a good building site on Chatham street.
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THE DOMINION REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, 24 1/2 Government Street, Telephone 1291. 22 Trounce Avenue, Telephone 296. WE HAVE on our list about a score of choice fruit and chicken ranches, or acreage suitable for fruit or chicken raising, both inside and outside the city limits. There are several decided snags among those properties. CALL for particulars of them. CALL and inspect our farm list. CALL and inspect our house list. CALL and inspect our lot list. CALL and list your property. THE DOMINION REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE, 24 1/2 Government Street, Telephone 1291. 22 Trounce Avenue, Telephone 296. SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS. Any seven numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 3 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less. Application for homesteaded entry or inspection must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent. An application for entry or inspection made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be wired to the local Agent by the Sub-Agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the telegram such application will be given priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received. In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily cancelled and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim. An applicant for inspection must be eligible for homesteaded entry, and only one application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of. An applicant whose entry is in good standing and not liable to cancellation, may, subject to approval of Department, be substituted in the event of his death, by his wife, daughter, brother or sister, if eligible, but to no one else, on filing declaration of abandonment. Where an entry is summarily cancelled, or voluntarily abandoned, subsequent to institution of inspection proceedings, the applicant for inspection will be entitled to prior right of entry. Application for inspection must state in what particular the homesteader is in default, and if subsequently the statement is found to be incorrect in material particulars the applicant will lose all prior right of re-entry, should the land become vacant, or if entry has been granted it may be summarily cancelled. DUFFES-A settler is required to perform the conditions under one of the following plans: (1) At least six months' residence upon cultivation of the land in each year during the term of the year. (2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader resides upon the land in the vicinity of the land entered for by such homesteader the requirement as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother. (3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of the homestead, the requirement may be satisfied by residence upon such land. (4) Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so. SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS. COAL-Coal lands may be purchased at \$2 per acre for soft coal and \$3 for anthracite. Not more than 250 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per acre of 1,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output. QUARZES-A free miner's certificate is granted upon payment to the Government of \$5 per acre for an individual, and from \$5 to \$10 per annum for a company, according to the rate of tonnage. A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet. The fee for recording a claim is \$5. At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year during the mining period, in the form of labor. When the fee has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1 per acre. The patent proceeds for the payment of a royalty of 2 1/2 per cent on the sales. Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee \$5, renewable yearly. A free miner may obtain two leases to dredge for gold of five miles each for a term of ten years, subject to the approval of the Minister of the Interior. The leases shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental \$10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 10 per cent on the gross output after deducting the cost of the dredge. LAND REGISTRY ACT. In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Sub-Division Lot 19, of Sub-Section XXXIX, Rectory Farm, Victoria, City. Notice is hereby given that it is my intention, at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to said land, issued by Frank Albany on the 24th day of January, 1892, and numbered 2148. S. Y. WOOLTON, Registrar-General. Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., this 1st October, 1906. Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date, I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described forewharves and tidal lands, situate in Clayquot District, water rights for fishing purposes, viz.: Commencing at a post planted at high water mark on the shore of the bay opposite Section 5, Metchoke District, thence running north one-half mile and extending east to deep water. Agent for H. B. Thompson, Victoria, B. C., July 4th, 1906. Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the next sitting of the Licensing Board for a transfer of my liquor license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail lot in Tongue Harbour, thence N. 80° Ch. thence E. 30° to point of commencement, containing 60 acres more or less. Located 1 1/2 miles S. of Locators. H. J. HILLIER, W. L. THOMPSON, Locators. A BUSINESS PROPOSITION given publicly in Times want ads is sure of consideration. 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BEAUMONT BOGGS REAL ESTATE AGENT, 6 FORT STREET. Established 1881. Phone 20. SAANICH-Water front, close to station, 60 acres part cultivated and pasture, good stream, dwelling, barn and orchard, cows, horses, implements and tools, price \$2,000. SAANICH-Farm of 60 acres, 40 cultivated, 20 all choice land, dwelling, barn, etc., one of the best. GORDON HEAD-Fruit land, cleared, drained and cut to suit purchasers. TO LET-Dwelling, close to Beacon Hill 24 1/2, rent only \$12. FARMS-"Home List" contains over 50 farms on Vancouver Island, and is sent free on application. ESQUIMALT-Water frontage, suitable for sub-division. FRUIT LAND-25 acres, 1 1/2 miles from Duncan, quarter of a mile from Cowichan river, 10 acres cultivated, 15 acres cleared, 200 fruit trees, large number of strawberries and other small fruits, 1 story seven roomed cottage, large barn and sheds, two good wells. This is some of the best fruit land in Cowichan district. Price \$2,000. FARM TO LEASE-with option of purchase. Stock must be paid for. RICHMOND ROAD, west of Jubilee Hospital, over 60 lots of wide streets, fine situations; price from \$15 to \$200 per lot, on terms. SPECULATION-Blocks of the above at liberal discount for quick sale. BEACON HILL-Northwest corner, Niagara street and Beacon Hill, 1/2 acre, choice site for dwelling, two very large lots. For quick sale, price \$2,000. GLENORA-4 miles from Duncan, improved farm, 115 acres, 30 cultivated, 15 pasture, buildings, stock, 6 cows, 1 bull, 1 horse, wagon, implements, etc. Quick sale price, \$4,000. SAANICH-60 acres very choice land, with water frontage, price \$2,100. METCHOKE-100 acres with water frontage, 50 acres cultivated, large barn, stock, implements, a bargain. CORDOVA BAY-Beautiful home, with fine furniture, 60 acres land; a bargain. COWICHAN VALLEY-100-acre farm, over 20 acres cultivated and pasture, 1 room house, barn, etc., 1/2 house, 5 cows from church, school and post office; a going concern; cheap, \$4,500. COWICHAN RIVER-100 acres, 15 acres cultivated, 15 acres cleared, 1/2 mile river frontage, 1/2 mile from Duncan, price \$2,000. COTTAGE-20 acres, at Tye Station, 2 acres cultivated, 2 pasture; price only \$1,500. SWINERTON & ODDY, 102 GOVERNMENT STREET. 15 07-100 ACRES. This is a very choice piece about 1 mile from the Tolmie Avenue car line. Suitable for fruit, with sufficient rich bottom land for vegetables. \$2,000. Terms Given. SWINERTON & ODDY, 102 GOVERNMENT ST. J. STUART YATES 22 BASTION ST., VICTORIA. FOR SALE. TWO LOTS, fronting Victoria harbor, 24 1/2 feet on Wharf street by 117 feet deep, with two large warehouses, the wharf in front of both. LOTS 198 and 199, Victoria city, situate at corner of Yates and Wharf streets; a snip. FRUIT LAND, in quantities to suit purchaser, close to town. CRAIGIE LRA FARM-Property having been sub-divided into lots affords excellent sites for suburban residences. The Gorge car line within a few minutes' walk of most of the property renders this especially desirable property. SEVENTY-NINE ACRES, with frontage on Sooke harbor. THREE ACRES LAND in Esquimalt town, at car terminus. For particulars apply to J. STUART YATES, 22 Bastion Street, Victoria. PEMBERTON & SON 4 FORT STREET. FOR RENT. CARBERRY GARDENS-8 rooms, \$25 per month. SYLVIA STREET-Cottage, 3 rooms, \$14 per month. FORT STREET-Cottage, 5 rooms, \$14 per month.



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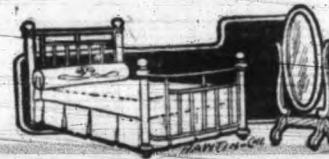
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BRITAIN AND STATES.

Ambassador Reid Says Statements Should Strive to Preserve Present Cordial Relations.

Dundee, Scotland, Nov. 2.—The freedom of the city was to-day conferred on William Reid, the American ambassador. In the course of his speech thanking the municipality, the ambassador referring to the relations between the United States and Great Britain said the statesmen of either country had no higher task than to preserve them. When it was remembered that nearly one-third of the entire trade of New York and nearly half the whole trade of the United States were with the British Empire, all would recognize that there were billions of reasons for maintaining and perpetuating the present cordial relations.

FAREWELL RECEPTION.

Tendered to Miss Fraser on Her Returning as Matron of Chemist's Hospital.

Miss H. E. Fraser, who for a number of years has been matron of the Chemist's hospital, was tendered a farewell reception followed by a dance on Monday evening. Miss Fraser has been signally successful in her conduct of the hospital during her term of office. The citizens of the town of Chemist in no uncertain way showed their appreciation of the work she had done.

During the course of the evening a presentation was made to her on behalf of the directors of the hospital and the Ladies' auxiliary. A cheque covering a very substantial amount was presented to her by these societies, the presentation being made by Mr. Seaborne, who expressed his deep regret at the retirement of Miss Fraser. In addition to this two large valuable emeralds were presented to Miss Fraser during the reception.

Dr. Fraser, of this city, who was present, replied on behalf of his associates and thanked the people of Chemist for the kindness they had shown her. He took occasion also to refer to the general efficiency of the hospital and the way in which it was conducted.

An orchestra from Lady Smith provided music for the dance. Refreshments were served, the tables being decorated in a very pretty manner with autumn foliage and chrysanthemums.

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"THE SIGN OF THE CROSS."

Wilson Barrett's Famous Play Will Be Presented at the Victoria on Wednesday.

"The Sign of the Cross." Wilson Barrett's famous play, will be seen at the Victoria theatre on Wednesday, November 7th. This stirring drama, one of the most ennobling plays in dramatic history, will be given by a strong company carefully chosen by R. G. Crarein, who has been the manager for five years, having purchased the sole rights for the United States and Canada. The scenery and costumes of the company are of the richest design, and the massive architecture and luxurious surroundings of Rome in the days of Nero are combined in elaborate spectacular effects.

Ladies' fannellette night gowns in plain white, pink or stripes, worth 60c and 75c; 1st month, 45c. Robinson's cash store, 85 Yates street.

The frigate bird can remain in the air for a longer period without perching than any other bird.

ALD. HALL SPEAKS ON WATER BY-LAW

SAYS IT IS ONLY TEMPORARY SCHEME

Favors Delay Until Complete Surveys and Returns From the Highland District are Available.

Ald. Hall had the following to say this morning regarding the Mayor's by-law, which is to be voted upon next Monday:

"I see that, in a letter published in the daily papers, the Mayor advances some very arguments in favor of his scheme. He stated at Wednesday evening's meeting that what I had said regarding the possibilities of the contamination of Elk lake through its proximity to the V. & S. railway was not justified by fact; yet, in this letter, he admits that he had the toilet on the train locked while passing the lake both ways, and also admits that it was at my suggestion that he did so. Although this admission should prove that I was right in my contention, I will again throw out the challenge I made at the meeting, and if the Mayor can get any three medical men in the city to say that my statements were not supported by fact, I will pay for the submitting of the by-law next Monday. As this would save the city a sum of about \$200, I think that His Worship should either openly admit that I was right or else do his duty to the city and save the expense of putting the by-law before the ratepayers.

The Mayor mentions a deadlock in his letter. I fail to see how a deadlock can exist when there is only one alderman supporting the by-law, the rest having voted for its passing, although opposed to it, just to give His Worship an opportunity to put it before the people.

The Mayor states that the gravity pressure on the 24-inch main would be sufficient to guarantee a good water supply, yet he must know that such a statement is incorrect, for he has been informed during the last few days, by city officials, that this gravity system will not give a pressure of over 45 lbs. The high pressure mentioned by His Worship on Wednesday evening is sustained by the present North Dairy farm pump, on the 16-inch main, and not by gravity, as he would have the ratepayers believe.

"According to figures submitted by the water officials and himself regarding a main to the Highland district, the total cost would not be over \$200,000, yet, at the public meeting, this week, the Mayor stated that it would be \$300,000. I claim that the present by-law is misleading as regards the item of \$38,000 set aside for contingencies. It practically means that \$8,000 would have to be expended for a pump on the 12-inch main in order to get water into the city next summer, as experts have informed me that it will be impossible to get the 24-inch main manufactured and laid ready for service, early enough to assure an adequate water supply for next summer. His Worship must therefore be endeavoring to secure meters under the veil of contingencies. That is what he terms a square deal. He admits that his scheme is only a temporary one. Then, I say, wait until the surveys and returns from the Highland district are available, which will be about next March, and then a permanent and complete scheme can be submitted to the people instead of the temporary solution on which the by-law proposes to expend so much money.

The Highland district has so far surpassed all expectations, and in the ten days during which the water has been measured at the main weir, a daily volume of 18,000,000 gallons has been recorded, although the rainy season has not yet commenced. The city officials tell us that there is not enough water at present in Elk lake to keep up the supply, the level being five feet below high-water mark. This means that a rainfall of 50 inches will be required to replenish the lake, and when it is considered that only one rainfall of such proportions has been experienced during the last ten years, there seems little hope of Elk lake

keeping the city well supplied with water."

HARMONY HALL MISSION.

Miss Biggart Will Speak in the Afternoon and Mrs. Arnold Foster in Evening.

Miss Mabel Biggart, B. A., of New York city, will give a special address on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Harmony hall mission, View street. Subject, "Our Storm and Battle King." Those who heard Miss Biggart when in the city three weeks since will no doubt be extremely glad of the opportunity to hear her again.

Mrs. Arnold Foster, of Yorkshire, England, a prominent figure in emigration work in the old country, and wife of E. P. Arnold Foster, J. P., and sister-in-law of Right Hon. H. A. Arnold Foster, M. P., will speak in the evening at 7 o'clock. She will give a special address on the religious side of her emigration work, and all who are interested should not miss the opportunity of hearing Mrs. Foster.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 3.—A storm area of considerable force maintains its position on the Vancouver Island and Washington coast, and strong winds prevail on the Straits and a southeasterly gale on the outside waters. Showers have fallen in Western Oregon and Washington, and the weather is unsettled and cold. East of the Rockies the pressure is high, but the centre of this area is now over the Great Lakes; cold but fairer weather is general in all parts.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours, ending 5 p.m. Sunday: Victoria and vicinity—Moderate or fresh easterly and southerly winds; cloudy and cold; with showers to-night or Sunday.
Lower Mainland—Winds chiefly easterly, cloudy and cold, with showers to-night or Sunday.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.6; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 24 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 29.56; temperature, 41; minimum, 41; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.7; temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, fair.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.4; temperature, 28; minimum, 24; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 56; minimum, 52; wind, 6 miles S. W.; rain, 20; weather, rain.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 30; minimum, 28; wind, 5 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.

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