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Shares at par, \$5 per share. This Company
has acquired 100 square miles of coal
lands in the Similkameen, and will work
part this year.

Cherry Creek Copper King

Shares at 10 cents. Property at Cherry
Creek, near Kamloops. Six hundred feet
of development has been done. Twenty-
two thousand eight hundred pounds of ore
shipped in April last to Trail smelter gave
a net return of \$50 per ton.

A. W. MORE & CO., LD.,

50 Government St., Next Bank of Montreal.

Bone Fertilizer

We have just received a shipment
of fine ground bone, suitable for pot
plants and flowers.
Sylvester Feed Co., Ltd.,
CITY MARKET.

Leaped From Windows

Miraculous Escape of the Inmates
of a Butte, Mont., Lodging
House.

Two Men Were Killed and About
a Score Injured, Some
Seriously.

(Associated Press.)

Butte, Mont., July 2.—Two dead, two
severely, if not fatally injured, and a
score more or less hurt, is the result of
a fire which broke out at the Pullman
lodging house, 114 Mercury street, at 2
o'clock this morning.

The dead are: Sam, Mix, waiter, Mis-
sion, Mont., and Ole Berg, carpenter,
Butte, Mont.

The severely injured are: Nelly Ryan,
better known as "Australian Ryan," a
pugilist well known throughout the north-
west, jumped from a third-story window,
seriously injured about the head and
left leg; Camp, jumped from a third-story
window, internally injured and cut about
the head.

A number of men were experimenting
with a gasoline lamp in a saloon on the
lower floor of the lodging house when the
lamp exploded, scattering flames in all
directions.

The lodging house contained about a
hundred guests, none of whom were able
to save anything except what they wore.
Most of them escaped by jumping from the
first and third-story windows, and it is
reckoned that more were not saved. A
number were carried out unconscious by
the firemen, but so far as known all
will recover. It is not believed that any
except the two mentioned perished.

The loss is \$4,000, with no insurance.

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

The Bankruptcy of St. Ellis Ashmead-
Bartlett.

(Associated Press.)

London, July 2.—An adjourned
meeting (today) of the creditors of St. Ellis
Ashmead-Bartlett, against whom a re-
ceiving order was made May 21, it trans-
pired that his brother, Wm. Ashmead-
Bartlett, Buxley-Coutts, had proposed to
provide the funds to pay a composition
of sixteen shillings and sixpence in the
pound.

The accounts filed show the bankrupt's
debts to be £82,214 and assets £27,485.

TO VISIT THE STATES.

Deputation of Scotch Iron and Steel
Makers to Study Conditions.

(Associated Press.)

Glasgow, July 2.—The Scotch iron and
steel makers are preparing to send an
influential deputation of manufacturers to
the United States in September to
study conditions with a view to devising
means for better meeting American
competition in neutral markets.

BANK CLOSED ITS DOORS.

(Associated Press.)

London, July 2.—The National Bank
of Scotland has closed its doors.
The following notice has been posted on
the doors: "I have closed and taken pos-
session of this bank." (Signed) F. D.
K'burn, superintendent of the bank.

KILLED BY TRAIN.

(Associated Press.)

Sydney, C. B., July 2.—John Burns, an
examiner in the employ of the Dominion
Coal Company, was mangled to death by
an express train on the Louisburg track
on Saturday night.

INVESTED IN GERMANY.

(Associated Press.)

Berlin, July 2.—It is asserted in bank-
ing circles that during June a large part
of the German loan of 1897 was bought
up by agents of a French clerical order.

CHEAP HOMES

Small deposit and Monthly Installments of \$10 Each.
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MANUFACTURED BY
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Are Better Than the Best.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS

For Last Financial Year Show an In-
crease of \$200,000.—The Skag-
way Incident.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, July 2.—The customs receipts
of the Dominion for the financial year,
which ended with the month of June,
will reach close on \$30,000,000, an in-
crease over last year of \$200,000.

The Secretary of State, acting for the
Minister of Customs, has issued orders
to Customs Transit Officer Busby, at
Skagway, directing him not to insist on
a display of the British flag, contrary to
popular feeling there. He never had any
orders from Ottawa to set it up.

AFRAID OF ANARCHISTS.

(Associated Press.)

New York, July 2.—The World says
as the result of the many threats against
his life by anarchists an indefinite leave
of absence has been granted to Giovanni
Branchi, the Italian consul of this city.
It is said he has gone back to Italy,
where he will remain until the Patterson
"Reds" are less active. For weeks
before he left the consul employed a
body guard and kept his place of resi-
dence a secret. His personal mail was
received at the Lotus club, but he was
seen there and sent a messenger

to get his letters. It was the ac-
tivity of Consul-General Branchi in ex-
posing the plot to kill King Humbert
that turned on him the hatred of the
anarchists.

Strike on The Fraser

Majority of the Japs Declare
They Will Support White
Fishermen

Rumor That Several Cannery Are
Accepting the Terms of
the Strikers.

(Special to the Times.)

New Westminster, July 2.—The grand
lodge of British Columbia Fishermen's
Luncheon on the Fraser river has declared
a strike for the sockeye season, 1901.

Mr. Beumer, Dominion labor commis-
sioner, tried to settle the deadlock before
the season opened, but was unable to do
so as the cannerymen would not enter-
tain his propositions, which were made
with a view to arranging a compromise.
Only a few Japanese fishermen went
out when the season opened yesterday.
Contrary to expectations, nearly all the
Japanese have decided to stay with the
white fishermen till the strike is over.

It is rumored that several of the lead-
ing cannerymen have broken away from the
British Columbia Cannery Association and
are accepting the terms of the fisher-
men.

NANAIMO NOTES.

(Special to the Times.)

Nanaimo, July 2.—Capt. C. Johnston
has been appointed managing director
of the newly formed Nanaimo Harbour
Fishing Co.

Beece Brewer, a 14-year-old boy, lost
in the woods around Mount Robinson yester-
day, arrived in town this morning,
unharmed, after wandering all night in
the woods. Search parties left this
morning to look for him.

Is Causing Many Deaths

Eastern Cities Are Still Suffering
From the Terrible Heat
Wave.

Fourteen Adults Died on Manhat-
tan Island—Twelve Fatalities
in Philadelphia.

(Associated Press.)

New York, July 2.—Between 2 and 8
a.m. fourteen adults died of the heat on
Manhattan Island. The prostrations
were so numerous that it was impossible
to keep a correct record of them. On the
street the thermometers registered 94 at
8 o'clock.

Warmer Than Yesterday.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 2.—The tempera-
ture at 8 o'clock was 91 degrees, five
degrees higher than at the same hour
yesterday. The minimum temperature
during the night was 85 degrees at 4
o'clock this morning. Since 1:30 o'clock
this morning 12 deaths and about 50 pro-
strations have been reported. All re-
cords for July were broken by the tem-
perature this morning.

No Breeze.

St. Louis, July 2.—There were many
prostrations from heat during the night,
but no additional deaths had been re-
ported up to 8 a.m., when the tempera-
ture was 80 degrees. There was no
breeze and the heat was extremely oppres-
sive.

Heat Wave Unbroken.

Chicago, July 2.—The thermometer on
the street at 8 a.m. registered 86 degrees,
only two degrees lower than at the same
hour yesterday. The heat wave is not
broken yet, and from present indications
it is uncertain when it will be.

Thermometer Lower.

Washington, July 2.—The hot wave
continued with little abatement here to-
day. At 9:30 o'clock this morning the
official thermometer at the weather
bureau registered 80 degrees, which is
several degrees lower than the showing
made in the different thermometers down
town. This, however, is two degrees
lower than for the same time yesterday
morning. No heat prostration have been
reported this morning.

In Eastern Canada.

Montreal, July 2.—The heat in Ontario
and Quebec continues very oppressive.
At London yesterday it registered 97 in
the shade.

Smallpox at Canneries

Two Fishing Stations Quarantined
—No Late Cases Have
Been Reported.

(Associated Press.)

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the Iron Moulders' Union and the Na-
tional Founders' Association after an all-
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the result of to-day's conference.

PATIENTS AND SUSPECTS HAVE ALL BEEN ISOLATED—VACCINATION ENFORCED.

(Associated Press.)

It has been learned that the smallpox
outbreak among the Indians of northern
British Columbia, which has already had
a detrimental effect on the salmon fish-
ing operations of the Naas and Skeena,
has been due to an Indian woman having
brought the disease from an afflicted
point in Alaska. She was one of a load
of four natives who came down from
Ketchikan or some neighboring place
where smallpox is virulent.

In a letter to Indian Agent Vowell,
of this city, Dr. Gibbs, who was sent North
by the Indian department to investigate
the health conditions of the Indians,
states that no new cases have developed
on the Naas since the 17th inst., and that
the cases in quarantine at Ketchikan are
doing well. They are watched over by
Archdeacon Collinson, and every precau-
tion is taken to prevent the further
spread of the disease. All living in the
neighborhood have been vaccinated, that
is on the Naas. There is no other habita-
tion along the river for a distance of
fifteen miles. An Indian village is here
located, but it has not been in communi-
cation with other Indian settlements.

On June 18th some fifty Indians
were sent by Provincial Government
Agent Flewin to Finlayson Island, and
were there quarantined. All were vac-
cinated, although there was but one sus-
picious case. Dr. Gibbs examined them,
and on the 23rd re-examined them, find-
ing on the occasion of his second visit
no sickness. As a result he determined
to lift the quarantine in the course of a
few days from that time.

On the 19th the doctor was summoned
to the Skeena, where several cases were
reported. In all there are eleven canner-
ies on the Skeena and the majority of the
employees are native. All were found
free from the disease but the North
Pacific and Standard. The former is only
a mile from the Inverness cannery, and
quarantine guards were stationed about
in such a manner as to cut off all com-
munication. Two cases were discovered
at the North Pacific. They were at once
removed across the river and their houses
thoroughly fumigated. Later they will
be burned down. Dr. Ardaraugh is in
charge of the place, and is caring for the
sick and suspects, having been author-
ized to examine and isolate actual cases
or suspects. At the Standard seven
cases were located together with 17 sus-
pects. The sick here were removed to

ANCHOR LINER ASHORE.

(Associated Press.)

St. John, N. B., July 2.—The Anchor
line steamer Armetia, bound to this port,
is ashore on Niggardhead, about seven
miles from here and will prove a total
wreck. The crew were safely taken off.
The steamer had no pilot on board com-
ing up the bay of Fundy.

WALL STREET.

(Associated Press.)

New York, July 2.—Business in stocks
started languidly and with only a small
attendance of the board. Only a few stocks
were traded in, but these showed sharp
declines in sympathy with the weakness in
London, where United States Steel had
lost 1 1/2% before the opening here. The first
prices here were not down to the London
parities, but declines reached about a
point in St. Paul, L. N. and Southern Pa-
cific.

The stock market opened weak: Am-
erican, 122 1/2; Atch., 87 1/2; do. 40 1/2; B.
R. T., 81 1/2; Erie, 12 1/2; Iowa Cent., 65 1/2;
L. & N., 100; Mo. Pac., 119 1/2; O. & W.,
37; Reading, 45 1/2; do. 1st pref., 70; St.
Paul, 174 1/2; Sugar, 14 1/2; Southern, 33 1/2;
Southern Pac., 65 1/2; U. P., 108 1/2; U. S.
Steel, 47 1/2; do. pref., 98; W. U., 65.

THE KAISER ON YACHTS.

(Associated Press.)

Berlin, July 2.—Commander Wm. H.
Recher, the naval attaché to the United
States embassy at Berlin, was the recipient
of the distinguished honor of Em-
peror William during the Rio de Janeiro
cruises. During the yachting banquet the Em-
peror engaged Commander Recher in a
long conversation about yachting matters,
saying he thought the present type of
yacht racing was "very good," and that he
highly recommended it, but considered the
highest possible development, and that it
was necessary to return to the schooner
type of yacht capable of going to sea and
of carrying more sail.

London was the best of the Auto-
mobile races to arrive at Boffy.

Moore's Cove, where there had already
been two cases, while the suspects were
placed on an island three miles distant.
The four houses wherein the contagion
existed were destroyed.

Dr. Gibbs, in his letter to Mr. Vowell,
states that the disease is now well in
hand. The health authorities are assist-
ed in every way by the missionaries, and
he hopes to see a big improvement in
the health situation in a few weeks. Fish-
ing operations have not been discontinued
because it is held that by allowing the
work to go on, except of course where
quarantine has been declared, the danger
of contagion is less than it would be by
attempting to keep the Indians within
certain prescribed limits. As it is now,
the Indians are all concentrated at dif-
ferent canneries, and a watch can there-
fore be better kept over them.

As showing the strict precautions for
preventing the spread of the disease in
the North the following notice has been
issued:

Owing to the presence of smallpox
among the Indians on the Skeena river,
and to the possibility of the infection be-
coming wide-spread if strict sanitary
precautions are not at once taken, all
persons are hereby notified that the fol-
lowing orders must be carried out to the
fullest extent possible:

1. That the names of the employees of
each cannery, viz., whites, Japanese,
Chinese, Indians and others, must be re-
corded and that a list of the same be
kept by the management of each cannery,
also a list of the names of the wives and
children of said employees, as also those
who may be living with them in the
village.

2. That those above mentioned (with
the exception of the white women and
children who can be examined as occa-
sion requires in their homes) must pre-
sent themselves daily for examination by
the proper medical examiner, at such a
time as may be convenient. The fisher-
men must be examined each time on
their arrival at the cannery.

3. That all the cases of sickness be at
once reported to the health officer, or to
the authorities nearest at hand.

4. That every house, shack, tent and
premises occupied by Japanese, Chinese
or Indians, and where necessary, by
whites, be put in a sanitary condition by
(a) Thorough cleansing of the floor
by scrubbing; (b) All waste material and
 rubbish in and around such premises be
destroyed by fire; (c) That all clothing
such as will stand boiling be boiled for
at least 20 minutes, and that personal
cleanliness be thoroughly attended to;

(d) That surface drains be opened and
kept open whenever necessary; (e) That
all food be burned or thrown below high
water mark, and that if any be found
lying around premises, the occupants are
liable to a heavy fine.

(Signed) J. GIBBS, M. D.,
Provincial Health Officer,
JNO. FLEWIN,
HORACE G. WRINCH,
Local Medical Examiner.

ANOTHER STRIKE IMMINENT.

Two Thousand Iron Moulders May Be
Ordered Out To-night.

(Associated Press.)

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ANCHOR LINER ASHORE.

(Associated Press.)



Campbell's Prescription Store. We keep the largest stock of Drugs and Toilet Articles in the province. Prescriptions promptly and carefully executed.

Burghers Surrender

Field Cornet Depriez and Sixty-Four Men Lay Down Their Arms

Several Boers Killed by Armored Train-Prisoners at Darrel's Island.

London, June 29.—Lord Kitchener in a dispatch from Pretoria, dated to-day, says:—

"The Boers attacked two block houses on the Delagoa line near Brugspruit on June 26th. An armored train arrived and scattered the Boers, killing four. It is reported that twenty casualties were carried off.

"Field Cornet Depriez has surrendered at Pietersburg with 64 men."

The Boer Prisoners. Hamilton, Jamaica, June 29.—The British transport Arcturion, which arrived in these waters yesterday, brought 630 Boer prisoners. She anchored in the sound, a half mile west of Darrel's Island. The gunboats Medina and Medusa, as guardships, are anchored on either side of the transport. Crowds of people in boats sailed round the transport yesterday. Only government officials are allowed on board.

The Boers, from bearded men of 70 to youths of 17, swarmed the forward deck, laughed and waved their hats to the passers by. Several of the prisoners inquired eagerly for fruit, tobacco and grog. They say they have no cause to complain of their treatment.

Prisoners in Camp. Hamilton, Bermuda, July 1.—The 930 Boer prisoners, who arrived here June 28th on the British transport Arcturion, were to-day moved into the camps prepared for them on Darrel's Island and Tucker's Islands. These Boers are part of Cronje's army and were captured at Paardeberg.

The prisoners are pleased with Bermuda and this afternoon they are enjoying the sea bathing. They expressed themselves as grateful for the treatment accorded them by Great Britain. Some of the more wealthy prisoners have inquired as to their chances of spending money in Bermuda. The gun boats Medina and Medway are guarding the islands.

DOMINION DAY. The Celebrations at Ottawa, Toronto and Winnipeg.

Ottawa, Ont., July 1.—Dominion Day passed off quietly, for although the holiday was generally observed, there was no special celebration, the citizens contenting themselves with jaunts to nearby pleasure resorts, or to the country.

At Toronto. Toronto, July 1.—The thermometer maintained its high level today, reaching 92 during the afternoon. In London it touched 97. It did not, however, interfere with the successful celebration of Dominion Day.

There were over 2,000 at the baseball game this morning and 4,000 at the Toronto-Montreal lacrosse match in the afternoon. The regatta also drew a great crowd. The smaller sports drew proportionately.

The parade and celebration were hardly as successful, few ladies turning out to the parade, partly because of the lack of proper organization, but chiefly because of the heat. There were in all about 600 in the parade, the Boys' Brigade being especially well represented. Four post office automobiles headed the procession. The parade proceeded to Queen's Park, where the speaking occurred. Speaker Borden, of the Dominion House of Commons, and Hon. G. E. Foster were the speakers.

Sports at Winnipeg. Winnipeg, July 1.—There was beautiful weather for Dominion Day and the people enjoyed themselves at excursions and picnics. Sports were held in the city. The Victorians won the lacrosse match from the Winnipeggers by 6 to 3 goals.

DEATHS FROM THE HEAT. Forty-five Persons Killed in Baltimore—Record for Washington.

Washington, July 1.—The hot weather continues here to-day, the climax coming in the afternoon, when the local record for this early in the summer was broken, the weather bureau thermometer recording a temperature of 104 degrees. There were twenty cases of prostration and one death.

Hottest City in States. Baltimore, July 1.—According to weather bureau reports, Baltimore was the hottest city in the United States to-day. The thermometer recorded 80 degrees at 7 a.m. Forty-eight deaths and 20 prostrations reported up to midnight.

As Philadelphia. Philadelphia, July 1.—Up to midnight there were 34 deaths and 100 persons treated at the hospitals owing to heat.

Dropped Dead in Streets. Chicago, July 1.—Five persons dropped dead in the streets, and there were 16 prostrations today. Thermometer 100.

Eleven Boys Killed

They Took Shelter on Pier and Were Struck by Lightning

Chicago, Ill., July 1.—Eleven boys were killed and another fatally injured this afternoon by a single bolt of lightning. The victims were seated on a pier at Lake Michigan at the foot of Montrose Boulevard, on the north side. The fatal bolt struck the pier where they were seated, all being thrown into the lake. Only one boy has been so far recovered. A policeman attracted to the pier by the crashing flubbers, found it impossible to rescue any of the victims. The heavy timbers of the pier had been shattered, and the whole structure toppled over into the water. He hurried to a patrol box and called for assistance.

Nearly half an hour elapsed before aid arrived. Owing to the terrific thunder-storm prevalent, the work of identification was extremely slow. The boys had some bathing, and when the rain began to fall and it became evident a severe electrical storm was coming, they rushed to a shelter they had built on the pier. Willie Anderson, 12 years of age, was the only survivor of the shock, which followed a moment later. To the policeman he gave a bare idea of the horrible ending to an hour's sport, and then fainted. He was carried to a nearby house where medical assistance was rendered. The pier was demolished in a trice, giving the boys not the slightest chance of escape. In all the victims ranged from twelve to fifteen years.

FIGHTING IN PHILIPPINES. A Number of Natives Killed—To Chaso Malvar.

Manila, July 1.—Thursday next, July 4th, will be inaugurated a day for the civil government and moving day for the military headquarters, which will be transferred to the former Spanish headquarters outside the walled city.

General Chaffee is preparing to push Malvar, the insurgent chief in Southern Luzon. He has ordered the transfer of the Fifth Infantry from Northern Luzon to Batangas province. The general has been informed that Malvar's principal headquarters are in a mountain town in Northern Tayabas, whose inhabitants are contributing to Malvar's support. Several insurgent officers and 350-400 men have voluntarily taken the oath of allegiance at Cuiayan, province of Batangas.

Capt. Adams, with ten men scouting in Albay province, has killed ten insurgents and captured a Filipino captain and ten men. A detachment of the Fourth Infantry, scouting on a volcano island in Lake Taal, has captured General, an insurgent leader, his adjutant and several others.

Another detachment of the same regiment has had a running engagement at Kanang and destroyed a Filipino stronghold. Sergeant Brown and Privates Risby and Gaffield of the coast artillery were wounded.

THE ROYAL STEAMER. The Ohlra is Expected at Halifax on September 20th.

Halifax, June 29.—Summer Ohlra is to arrive at Halifax on September 20th. The Juno and St. George, warships, accompanying the Ohlra, are expected on the 14th, and will be the Ohlra will be here while their Royal Highnesses are touring the Dominion. The homeward voyage begins in October.

The Earl of Morley, chairman of the committee in the House of Lords, announces that the trial of Earl Russell, by the House of Lords on the charge of "rump," will begin July 18th.

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A Railway Outrage

Attempt to Wreck a Passenger Train—Destructive Fire at Sturgeon Falls.

Rescued From a Sinking Barge—Death of Sir Thomas Galt.

Midland, July 1.—An attempt was made to wreck a train near here on which was Hon. Mr. Tarte en route to French river. The engineer, however, saw the obstruction on the track.

Death From Hoop. Montreal, June 29.—Yesterday was the hottest of the heat spell. One death from heat prostration was reported. Mrs. Gallery, mother of Wm. Gallery, M.P. Twenty other cases were reported, but none fatal.

German Jew's Suicide. Montreal, July 1.—Leonard Stein, a German Jew, who arrived here a week ago, committed suicide by cutting his throat to-day. Stein left Germany on account of business embarrassments, brought about by endorsing a friend. Since his arrival he had been morose and fearful of arrest. He half sawed his head off with a razor.

Increase Granted. Hamilton, July 1.—There was a short-lived strike on the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville electric railway to-day. The conductors and motormen, fifteen or sixteen in number, went on strike for higher pay. They had been receiving 12 cents per hour and asked for 14 cents, with pay for time lost. They got it.

Death of Sir T. Galt. Toronto, June 29.—Sir Thomas Galt, late chief justice of the Court of Common Pleas, died this morning at his home, 39 Denison street. He was 70 years of age and had been in feeble health and his death was not unexpected. Sir Thomas Galt was born in London, England, in 1831, and came to Canada in his 18th year. He was called to the Ontario bar in 1845 and in 1849 was raised to the bench. In 1887, he became chief justice of the Court of Common Pleas, and was knighted in 1888, and retired from the bench in 1894.

To Fight Corporations. The city authorities have sent out a call for a convention of all municipalities of the Dominion for the purpose of forming a union for common action, the defence of municipal rights and the rights of citizens against the encroachments of great corporations.

Killed by Electric Car. Toronto, July 1.—John Lee, an old army pensioner, crossing Foot street this afternoon as an Avenue road car was passing, stepping in front of the car and was struck down and killed instantly, being terribly mangled. The motorman and conductor had both observed the man and declined to stop the car, it was a case of deliberate suicide.

Orange Grand Lodge. The Grand Orange Lodge will meet in Toronto on July 23rd instead of Winnipeg.

The City of Woodstock. Woodstock, July 1.—Woodstock celebrated Dominion Day by the usual ceremonies as a city. The inauguration ceremonies took place in Victoria park in the presence of a great crowd, the mayor, Dr. Mearns, stipendiary magistrate, Hon. Jas. Sutherland, A. Patten, M.P.P., Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., took an active part in the proceedings. The mayor officially proclaimed Woodstock as a city pursuant to powers granted by the Lieut. Governor, and interesting addresses followed.

Many People Homeless. Sturgeon Falls, July 1.—A fire in Cashier Bay, a few miles from here, did \$50,000 damage, destroying numerous houses and negro huts, and leaving many people homeless. The lumber mills of George Gordon & Co. and Shearer & Brown also suffered severely, but are insured.

Journalist Dead. London, July 1.—Archie Brommer, one of the best known newspaper men in Canada, died at his home in London, Ontario, on Monday. He was 67 years of age and was one of the most popular men in town.

Killed on Track. Paris July 1.—John Acland, aged 72, was run down and killed by a Grand Trunk train while crossing the tracks. He had been a resident here fourteen years.

Thirteen Persons Rescued. Fort William July 1.—The C. P. T. steamer Athabasca, Capt. George MacDougall, rescued 13 persons from the sinking barge Preston of Toledo on Lake Erie.

Charged With Murder. St. Stephen, N.B., June 28.—George McLaughlin has been held for trial on the charge of murdering Harry McLaughlin. The trial takes place in October next.

Another Victim of the Heat. Ottawa, July 1.—J. B. Jonasses, 41, a laborer, 75 years old, was found dead in his chair, a victim of heat, yesterday afternoon.

Lightning Killed Him. Pembroke, June 29.—A man named Campbell was killed by lightning three miles from here yesterday. He was carrying a pitchfork over his shoulder when struck.

THE TRACKMEN'S STRIKE. Comments of Maritime Gazette on President Wilson's Statements.

Montreal, June 29.—The Montreal Gazette under the heading of "A Weak Strike Champion" says this morning:—"Mr. J. W. Wilson, president of the Railway Trackmen's Organization, in his address before the Federated Trades and Labor Council, referred to the statement that other roads were not paying their track workers as much as the Canadian Pacific, admitted its truth and then went on to say that while the sympathy and conception of justice, such a state of affairs had no weight."

"There will be those who will differ from Mr. Wilson, but those who stand aside altogether from the railway management, who will think that it is a factor of marked importance in the situation and one that will turn the sympathy of the public away from the strikers. It is probably the reason why Mr. Wilson and his associates decline to accept the idea of arbitration, because no arbitrator would be likely to decide in favor of strikers who, besides being moderately well paid for the class of work they do, are paid better than those who do like labor on roads with which the Canadian Pacific Railway Company competes. No arbitrator would say that the road which pays the highest wages should be forced to pay more simply as a means of giving the strikers an advantage

when their fellows come to demand an increase from roads which pay less. The more Mr. Wilson talks to the public in the strain of his last address, the less the public sympathize with him. The less he uses the means in his power to convey the idea that because of the strike the road he is fighting is a dangerous one to travel on, the more also will he retain of the little support he is getting outside of the strike makers' organizations.

This is a strike year, one of those recurring periods when the extremists have control of the labor organizations and when the conservatism and reason of the majority are temporarily overruled. Only on such occasions can many of the labor struggles now going on be accounted for. There is the leaders' own statements to show that this trackmen's strike is among the least defensible the fever has produced."

Gen. Hamilton's Tribute to Canadians—"Triumph of Individual Intelligence."

London, July 1.—Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal presided to-day at the Dominion Day dinner given at the Hotel Cecil, London, and attended by 200, the company including Mr. Chamberlain, Lord Aberdeen and other former Canadian governors and generals, Sir Louis Davies, Hon. David Milne, Hon. J. Fisher and the other Canadian ministers now in London, Gen. Ian Hamilton, Rear-Admiral Douglas-Gilbert Parker, a Canadian author, and other well-known men.

Mr. Parker paid a high tribute to the French-Canadians in the South-African war.

Admiral Douglas and Gen. Hamilton responded for the army and navy, the latter characterizing the fighting of the Canadians as the "triumph of individual intelligence."

The work of Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal was highly eulogized.

Mr. Chamberlain, speaking of Canada's material progress, said: "Thirty years ago your thought might have turned to the question of absorption with the United States, but friendly neighbors to the south."

This was received with cries of "No! No!" from Mr. Dobell and the other Canadian ministers.

Mr. Chamberlain—"Yes, you may say 'No,' but you would not have said it thirty years ago. Of one thing I am convinced, step by step, closer connection and will assist us with their counsel and advice, in addition to their arms, there is nothing this country will more ardently desire."

Referring to Great Britain's isolation, the Colonial Secretary said: "I do not think the opinion of civilized Europe today is likely to be the verdict of posterity. It is my prayer for the opinion of our colonies that the interested opinion of Europe, which is based upon lies forced upon Europe by our enemies."

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District Schools Adjourn for the Summer-Holidays—Hold Annual Picnic.

On Friday last the Colwood school held their usual mid-summer closing exercises. There was a large number of visitors present, and the teachers examined the pupils in the various branches of study. J. Shaw gave a brief address, giving the children some excellent advice. He promised three prizes next summer for the three best plants grown from slips he would furnish.

Prizes were then presented and the children adjourned to the picnic grounds, where a most enjoyable time was spent by all. The following is the honor roll: Department Ernest Albert Grant; regularity and punctuality Phyllis Peatt; proficiency, Morrow Stanhope Peatt. The first name entered upon the scroll of honor kindly donated by W. H. Hayward, M.P.P. was Stanhope Peatt. Special prizes were awarded to Dorothy Kant, Daisy Wale, Phyllis Peatt, Muriel Grant and Stanhope Peatt, which were kindly donated by Mrs. A. H. Peatt and the teacher, Mrs. Harding.

The Craigflower school held its mid-summer closing exercises on Friday last. Trustees J. W. Rowlands and E. Wattier and a large number of visitors were in attendance. The usual picnic was held after the rendering of a programme which was much appreciated. The provincial roll of honor was as follows: Department, Annie Maie Rowland; punctuality and regularity, Edith Elzbi; proficiency, Matthew John Rowland. The following were prize winners: Constance Williams, A. Victor Whittier, Edith E. Tridmore, Lily Osborne, Gerald Lawson, the prizes being kindly donated by Mrs. D. M. Eberts, A. C. McCatum, and the teacher, Dr. Pope.

TIDE TABLE. Victoria, B. C., July, 1901. (Issued by the Tidal Survey—Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Table with columns: Day, High Water, Low Water, and sub-columns for time and height in feet and inches.

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London, June 29.—A blue book on India, just issued, shows 118,300,000 was expended for the relief of famine sufferers during the year 1899-1900. The mortality of the plague for the five years ending March, 1901, was nearly 600,000. The census completed in March, 1901, shows that the increase in population during the past ten years was only five to six millions instead of the normal nineteen millions. The loss represents death from famine and the decrease in births in consequence of the famine.

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VICTORIA WEST SCHOOL.

Pupils Successful in Examinations—Winners of the Honor Rolls.

The following promotion and prize lists of Victoria West school, which were held over from Saturday's paper owing to insufficiency of space, are published this evening:

Intermediate to Senior. Marshall Robertson, Iris Pope, Jack Haye, Florence Patton, Bertha Tennant, Colin McKenzie, Hereward Wake, Helen Wright, Kate Corke, Russell Brown, Edith Hall, John Callow, Carl Bergerson, Harry Fielding, Arthur Dickson, Recommended—May Kirke, Aileen Munro, Myra Shakespeare, Nora Geake, Fred Painter.

Senior Division.—Department, Yolande Marshall; grammar, regularity, Ruby Marguerite Grant. Second Division.—Department, Mary Elizabeth Rowe; regularity, Marian Jane Dunlop; proficiency, Cyril James Ledger.

Third Division.—Department, Helen Louise Wright; regularity, Bertha Tennant; proficiency, Florence Patton. Fourth Division.—Department, Gladys Walker; regularity, Arthur Boggs; proficiency, Iris Pope.

Fifth Division.—Department, Kathleen Emma Stretton; regularity, Alfred Leslie McBeth; proficiency, George Williams. Sixth Division.—Department, Mable Patten; regularity, Stanley Ernest Davey; proficiency, Violet May Evans.

ROUTE OF THE V. V. & E.

Surveyors Are Engaged in Running Lines for the Road—Latest Survey.

According to a dispatch from Bolster, Washington, a party of Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway Company's surveyors, headed by Engineer McCoy, have been running their lines there for the past week. The latest survey of the route of the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern was run nearly to the head of Myers creek, through Bosaparts pass, thence down Tonasket valley to the Okanagan, thence down to the Okanagan, where the Similkameen crosses into the former; thence up the Similkameen, tapping a rich mineral district.

This last survey, according to the report of the head engineer, is of better grades than the former one made in that locality a month ago, when the line was run nearly to the head of Myers creek, through Bosaparts pass, thence down Tonasket valley to the Okanagan, thence down to the Okanagan, where the Similkameen crosses into the former; thence up the Similkameen, tapping a rich mineral district.

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High School Building

City Architects Invited to Submit Plans for the New Structure.

Investigation Into Miss Cameron's Case Discussed and Postponed for the Present.

The school trustees met on Saturday night in the superintendent's office. There were present Chairman Hall, Trustees Bolyea, Drury, Huggett, Brown and Jay, and Superintendent Eaton.

The following letter was received from T. C. Sorby urging the board not to throw open for competition the plans for the new High school building:

To the Chairman of the Grounds and Buildings Committee, Victoria School Board:

Sir:—It is generally reported that it is the intention of the board to call for competition designs to be submitted by local architects for the proposed new High school building. As a ratepayer and an architect, I would beg to call your attention to the very unsatisfactory results that have already followed similar competitions, the North and South Ward schools and the residence for the Lieutenant-Governor are too well known to need comment.

A board having a legal adviser would not set him aside as a call for competition designs on a doubtful case; it would not only be a waste of money, but it would be a disgrace to the board.

Your committee, as I understand, have a general idea as to the requirements of the case. They have a professional adviser with whom they have every facility for frequent consultation, whose business it is to consolidate their floating ideas into the concrete form of a successful building.

With the aid of this confidential professional adviser, they should be enabled to gradually weave together the materials for a successful fabric adapted for its purpose and creditable to all concerned.

It is to be regretted that the board would be working independently of the board, and would be precluded from any useful consultation; each one trying to show how far he could exceed his competitors in the race for pre-eminence.

I would therefore respectfully suggest that the proposed public competition be abandoned, simply as a matter of public policy, and that the board avail themselves of the professional advice of their own architect in the usual way, and thus avoid a certain waste of public funds.

I have the honor, to be, Sir, Your obedient servant, THOS. C. SOBRY.

It was decided that the letter be received and instructions sent to him that the board had already formulated its policy regarding the matter. The special committee representing the Agricultural Society, the board of trustees and the Teachers' Association reported as follows:

at \$545, with 233 additional for buckets and seats. A contract has been awarded to D. F. McCreimmon, the lowest tenderer, for four platforms, at \$675 each, and flooring at \$37.50 per M., including removing and replacing desks.

As to the new High school building, your committee submits the following conditions of proposed competition, with the recommendation that they be adopted by the board:

1. Victoria architects are invited to submit designs for competition for the new Victoria High school building, one of whom will be selected, as hereinafter provided, to carry out the work on the usual terms; and authors of the next two plans in order of merit shall receive \$200 and \$100, respectively, as some recompense for their trouble.

A description of the general character of the building follows, copies of which may be seen at Superintendent Eaton's office. The building, it is expected, will be 140 feet by 60 feet, almost the same size as South Park school. It is intended to have 8 rooms beside corridors, etc., each about 25 feet by 30 feet, capable of accommodating about 40 pupils.

The system of ventilation and heating is left open to the architects. Tenders from architects will be received up to July 22nd.

With Trustee Drury in the chair the board went into committee of the whole and discussed the matter very fully. Trustee Drury called attention to the report that no trustee was present at the South Park school on closing day. He said he had gone to three schools himself. He could not get around all of them, and did not mean to discriminate against South Park because he was not present.

Others said that they did not intend to discriminate against the school. Several had a very limited time at their disposal, and Trustee Hall and Huggett had not been able to get away at all.

Trustee Brown asked if the board was prepared to deal with Miss Cameron's letter, asking for an investigation. Trustee Jay said that there was a direct understanding after the conference between her and Mr. Robertson that she would write a letter, Miss Cameron had not written the letter. He was surprised that the board had not received such.

Trustee Brown thought Miss Cameron should be granted an investigation. He thought the board could not expect an answer from Miss Cameron, as they had really asked her to plead guilty. Both sides of the question should have been heard before taking preliminary action.

It was only fair that an investigation follow. Trustee Bolyea thought the matter should drop, as it had been taken out of the hands of the board. Miss Cameron had not only violated the rules, but published what she was ordered not to do.

Trustee Huggett thought an investigation would be wise, as it would perhaps relieve the board. There was considerable feeling in the matter, and it would be wise to reach a satisfactory solution of it.

Chairman Hall said he had practically pledged the board to an investigation upon Miss Cameron acknowledging to submit to this board and its officers. He opposed any hearing until she should reply to the letter.

Two Days' Competition

Lots of Sport in Victoria and Vancouver on Saturday and Yesterday.

Local Men at Nanaimo and the Terminal City—Lava Tennis To-Day.

The baseball match at Nanaimo on Saturday afternoon between the Victoria and Coal City nines resulted in a victory for the Capital City twirlers with a score of four runs to three.

The weather was excellent, and the game was a splendid exhibition. The Victoria fielding was excellent. A wild pitch by Ashman, of the Nanaimo team, gave Victoria the first three runs. Nanaimo was weak in base running. Features of the match were Holness's pitching, Barnswell's work at first base, Schwengers behind the bat and Harrison and Rourke in the field. The score follows:

Table with columns for Nanaimo and Victoria, listing players and their statistics (r, h, p, o, a, e).

Score by Innings. Nanaimo: 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 3. Victoria: 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 4.

Summary. Struck out—By Greenwell, 1; by Holness, 2. Passed balls—Altkon, 1. Two base hits—Culligan, Ashman, Schwengers, Barnswell. Three base hit—Graham. Time of game—1:15. Umpire—L. Vogle.

The standing of the league teams is as follows: Played, Won, Lost, P. C. Vancouver: 4 4 0 1000. Nanaimo: 4 2 2 250. Westminster: 4 1 3 250. Victoria: 4 1 3 250.

VANCOUVER NINE WON. A good sized crowd witnessed the baseball match played by the Westminster and Vancouver teams on Saturday afternoon on the Powell street grounds. Those who looked for the Vancouver players to score another victory were not disappointed, the score standing 12 to 5 at the call of time.

The playing was good, even brilliant in strokes, on both sides, but there was no room for doubt as to where the superiority lay at any stage.

TWO MATCHES YESTERDAY. Two baseball matches were played at Vancouver yesterday. The first was between the Vancouver and New Westminster nines, and was won by the former with a score of 11 to 6.

The game was won by 5 wickets, as 18 runs were scored, which was the number required to win. The five wickets fell as follows: 1 for 1, 2 for 7, 3 for 11, 4 for 16, 5 for 18.

VICTORIANS AT VANCOUVER. The Victoria representatives at the shoot of the Vancouver Gun club yesterday, distinguished themselves royally as the appended score will indicate: Event No. 1, fifteen singles—First, Capt. Sears, 13; second, F. S. Maclure, 12; third, S. Sweet, 11; fourth, J. C. Maclure, W. H. Adams, H. A. Porter, J. H. Mansell, P. N. Thompson, J. T. Hillies, W. N. Lenfesty, D. G. Macdonald, and W. H. Adams (divided money)—10.

terling 3, Vancouver 3, and Ladners 1—Victoria won first with J. C. Maclure, W. N. Lenfesty and Capt. Sears scoring 60 out of 75. Vancouver team, P. N. Thomas, G. Pralley and Dr. Boyle with 54, won second money. The other two Vancouver teams tied for third place, with 46.

Fourth event, 20 singles.—First, H. J. Hitchcock, Ladners, 19; second, Capt. Sears and W. N. Lenfesty, 14; third, J. T. Hillies and J. C. Maclure, 13.

Fifth event, 10 singles and 5 pairs.—First, P. N. Thompson and J. T. Hillies, 17; second, Sweet, 16; third, W. N. Lenfesty and Dr. Boyle, 14; fourth, Capt. Sears and H. A. Porter, 13.

Sixth event, 25 singles.—First, W. N. Lenfesty, 19; second, J. C. Maclure, 19; third, J. H. Mansell, 17; fourth, H. A. Porter and W. G. Henley, 16.

The gold medal for the biggest average in all events was won by J. C. Maclure, Victoria, with a score of 61. W. N. Lenfesty, Victoria, being second highest man with 60.

WESTMINSTER v. VANCOUVER. The lacrosse match in the Senior League series between Westminster and Vancouver, which was played at Vancouver on Dominion Day, resulted in favor of the visiting Drums, who made a score of 19 goals. Vancouver scored only one goal.

INTERMEDIATE MATCH. Westminster Intermediate lacrosse team defeated the Vancouver Intermediate team by a score of 4 to 2 at the Terminal City yesterday afternoon.

THE RIFLE LEAGUE SHOOT THIS WEEK. There was another league shoot at Clover Point yesterday, and these will be continued until the end of the week in order, if possible, to have the series shot off at once. An exception will be made of Saturday afternoon, owing to the D. O. C.'s inspection, when all the men will have to be on parade. It is urgently requested that all who have not completed their shooting do so this week.

CRICKET. WIN FOR THE R. A. The Royal Artillery eleven defeated the Fifth Regiment team on Saturday afternoon with a score of 155 to 98. The score follows:

Table with columns for Royal Artillery and Fifth Regiment, listing players and their statistics (r, h, p, o, a, e).

COLLEGIATE SCHOOL TRIUMPH. The cricket match on Saturday between the Collegiate and High School elevens resulted in a victory for the former by five wickets. The scores follow: High School, first innings, 20; Collegiate School, first innings, 28; High School, second innings, 23; Collegiate school, second innings, 29.

VICTORIA PLAYED VANCOUVER MATCH. Victoria played Vancouver yesterday on the grounds of the latter team. The score for the first innings was as follows: Vancouver: Morley 61, Bury 2, Mailing 2, Crossfield 2, Johnson 5, Burns 5, Grikman 10, Borkner 12, Twayne 19. Victoria: Capt. Wyand 0, Dowd 0, Boden 0, Woodward 21, Ward 0, Lane 4, Stacey 0, Barracough 15, Taylor, not out 18, Burroughs 9, Bury 3.

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made 297. Against this total the Canadians scored 81 for four wickets.

LAWN TENNIS. FOURNEY COMMENCES TO-DAY. The Victoria Lawn Tennis club, handicapped tournament, commenced this afternoon at the Belcher street court. The entries and fixtures for the tourney appeared in these columns on Saturday. The players for to-day follow:

2 p. m.—C. Vernon and Miss M. Pinder, vs. 15.2, vs. W. T. Williams and Miss Williams, scratch. 3 p. m.—H. P. Pooley and Miss E. Loewen, vs. 2-6.15, vs. Capt. Howden and Mrs. Burton, vs. 2-6.15.

3 p. m.—A. T. Goward, vs. 30-1, vs. F. T. Cornwall, vs. 5-6.15. 4 p. m.—P. S. Lammiman, vs. 3-6.15, vs. P. Du Moulin, vs. 15.2. 5 p. m.—P. B. Ward, scratch, vs. J. D. Pemberton, scratch.

TOURNAMENT AT SEATTLE. The annual club championship tournament of the Seattle Tennis Club is scheduled to be held on the club grounds, beginning Wednesday, July 3rd. The tournament will be watched with unusual interest by the local enthusiasts, as it will practically decide Seattle's chances for championship honors in the open tournaments to be held later in the season.

THE OAR. BELGIAN CREW AT HENLEY. Henley, July 2.—The Belgian crew's rowing was the feature of this morning's work. They created such a favorable impression that many of the spectators thought it quite possible that they would beat Leander in the trial heat. The oarsmen from Pennsylvania University did only routine work this morning.

THEIR ANNUAL REGATTA. The annual regatta of the International Yachtsmen's Association of the Northwest takes place at Port Townsend today. Victoria is represented by E. S. Barwardt, Arlaine, Mr. Gore's Dione, and W. H. Langley's Heronby. The annual meeting of the association will be held to-morrow.

AN IMPROVED BOAT. Shamrock, Fifth of Clyde, June 23.—Shamrock II, and Shamrock I, had their first trial this afternoon, since the former was wrecked. A steady 12 to 14 knot breeze was blowing when the yachts left the harbor.

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CAUSES OF PROSPERITY.

The present Canadian Minister of Agriculture may not be an orator of the Britons, or even of the Montague stamp, but he has proved that it is well to have a practical man in charge of the most important department of the government. Mr. Fisher is at present in Great Britain endeavoring to remove the few obstructions that are still interposed to Canadian trade in the country which is so fond of commercial freedom. In an interview with a representative of the London Morning Post Mr. Fisher explained the object of his visit and the reasons he had for seeking more assiduously than ever the favor of the ever increasing British consumer. He dwelt upon the increasing demand which had sprung up for Canadian produce consequent upon the improved means which had been provided for placing the goods upon the market in an attractive condition. If the present ratio of increase in the demand for Canadian produce were maintained, the Minister of Agriculture thinks in ten years we shall be supplying Britain with at least half of the food she requires from abroad. This is a pleasant prospect for Canadians, and it should be no less pleasing to Britons to know that the time seems to be rapidly approaching when the Empire will be capable of producing enough to feed itself.

Opponents of the government have criticized the expenditures upon the waterways of the Dominion on the ground that we have been simply creating avenues for the convenience of American shipping and shippers. It is true that our consuls are by treaty guaranteed the use of our canals upon the same terms as our own people. It is a condition that the same privileges be granted Canadian vessels in American canals and that our slippery friends have broken their part of the contract on the plea that the states, and not the federal authorities, control the waterways. We might, we suppose, denounce this treaty with considerable reasonableness compared with the plea set up in regard to the Clayton-Bulwer instrument, as we have never derived any benefit from it and the Americans have reaped all the advantages. What could not be accomplished by cleanery the coasting laws effected. This is merely a sample of the pig-pick policy which has characterized the dealings of the people who guide the destinies of the United States, and yet when public men assemble in London and under the mellowing influences of good cheer and good fellowship boast of the cordiality of the feelings which should unite us with our neighbors, we are expected to cast aside the memories of a century, to overlook sealing seizures, the characterization of men following a legitimate occupation as pirates, the boundary questions and the general policy of grab and freeze-out, and hypocritically proclaim that we have ever been the best of friends. But all this has nothing to do with the causes of prosperity. It is not for the benefit of Uncle

Sam that we have deepened our canals. That work was carried out for the same purpose as cold storage depots were erected and steamers equipped with modern appliances for the preservation of perishable produce to land cargoes in Great Britain with the least possible loss of time and in the best possible condition. Benefits to the Canadian producer were the objects aimed at; those gathered by American shippers were incidental. But for the barriers erected by McKinley and Dingley and their predecessors we should probably not have paid so much attention to the British market as we have. The farmers of Canada might have struggled along indefinitely dependent upon the goodwill of the fickle neighbors for permission to dispose of their goods in the large cities along the border and in New York and the New England States. But fortunately our hand was forced. The providence which raised McKinley and Dingley on one side of the line put a Liberal government in power on the other and installed a practical and successful farmer in the chair of the Minister of Agriculture. His policy has been to the East what the development of mining in British Columbia and the Northwest has been to the West. Prosperity abounds in all quarters, and yet, as Mr. Fisher says, our exports to the United States of farm produce are practically nil. It was worth a few years of depression and tribulation to have a government raised up to teach us to have faith in our country and her resources.

A DIGNIFIED BOARD.

We think it is an unfortunate thing for Victoria schools that there appears to be an element in the School Board which considers it to be part of its duties to antagonize and criticize the teachers. Miss Cameron's turn is on now; unless a change be made in the personnel of the august body presided over by Chairman Hall the attack will be directed against some one else after the present onslaught has succeeded in its object. The principal of the South Ward School was publicly suspended and she made public the documents relating to her reinstatement. A member of the board says she not only broke the regulations, but published documents she was ordered to keep private. What right has the School Board of Victoria to order a teacher to refrain from taking action upon a matter affecting her professional reputation? The correspondence published reflects no discredit upon the two parties principally concerned in it, whatever light it throws upon the action or disposition of others immediately affected. It is a most regrettable thing to think that a policy of "pinpricks" is to be pursued with the apparent intention if possible of driving out of the teachers' ranks in this city of one whose term of service has been of such inestimable value to the children who have gone forth into the world and so entirely creditable to herself. Miss Cameron no doubt possesses some of the dogmatic qualities which characterize all who have been in the habit of dominating youth and encouraging the young idea, but she has given signal proof of being endowed in a high degree with the qualifications which mark the successful teacher. She has the faculty of imparting her own enthusiasm to her pupils and the knowledge she imparts stays in the mind. There is no cramming in her system. A strict disciplinarian; yet the children who have passed through her classes respect and love her and their testimony furnishes the reason for her success. Doubtless there are many other teachers in Victoria schools doing just as good work as Miss Cameron and their testimony furnishes the reason for her success.

POLITICAL DANGERS.

The views of Mr. Bourassa, who represents Labarre in the House of Commons, are not popular in Canada. The gentleman is somewhat of a power and is not always to be taken seriously. Singularly rather than originally is his chief characteristic. We must have a miniature Labarre here in our House to give spice to our political nourishment. We are not so sure that it is wise to pool-pool the latest utterance of our Canadian eccentric. The thoughts of other people have been running along the same lines as those of Mr. Bourassa when he says: "American capital is breaking down the barrier between Canada and the United States. Americans are not conquering us, but they are buying us up. When this is accomplished it will only need a slight political difference with the home government, and the annexation movement, now dead, will revive." No public man of standing dares venture to express himself thus frankly, but it would not be wise to say none has had his disquieting thoughts upon the subject. The overflow of capital and population from the United States into Canada has just commenced. It will gather volume with each recurring season. Immigration from Britain will be insignificant in comparison with it. The possibilities are that the politicians of the United States, because of an agitation from within and a demand for a closer trade connection with a country which

has proved to be so rich in all the essentials to material prosperity, will be forced to let down the bars a peg or two and that the commercial intercourse between the two countries will become ever greater in proportion than the movement of the population. What will the effect be upon the national sentiment? The numbers of the native-born will also increase rapidly. No matter how loyal the household, the ties that bind to the homeland are bound to become weaker after the first or second generation. The Mother Country is too conservative to take action looking towards a closer relationship. By her commercial position she is precluded from doing anything that would prejudice her case in the eyes of foreign countries. The colonies must act or the ship of empire will surely drift along and the end will be the rocks and dismemberment. For one thing our school system must be maintained. That is the great assimilating agent. Put a youth through a course in the history of the British Empire and place him on an intellectual plane where he can intelligently institute a comparison between life as we enjoy it under our flag and the conditions which prevail in "God's country," as it is termed in ignorance and narrowness, and we have nothing to fear. The present safety and future well-being of this young country lies in education. Let the few cavil at the cost as they may, the majority will do their duty.

The Chicago Inter Ocean prints a picture of Uncle Sam standing in an arrogant, defiant mood upon an Alaska bound with American flags and informing the world that he has "nothing to arbitrate." He made the boundary himself, therefore it cannot be other than very good. Yet statesmen and prominent men from the United States and Great Britain meet in London and beslobber each other with nonsense, protesting that we are neighbors and should ever be good friends. The real rulers of the United States stay at home and run the country, with little regard for the feelings of these nice people. There is no doubt about it; there should be the most cordial relationship between Canada and the United States. We have done our part. Let the other side give some evidence of the sincerity of some of their utterances for a change.

Another of the peculiarities of yacht racing was developed by a contest in American waters last week. The Alisa, one of the first of the notable boats built by Elfe, was bought by an American and brought to this side to test her against the fastest of the American fleet. She beat with ease the Vigilant, the conqueror of Lord Dunsraven's first Valkyrie, although the test in British waters seemed to prove the Dunsraven yacht to be the better one. Here we have further proof either that the best boat has not always been sent after the cup or that conditions have a great deal to do with success or failure in races. British sailors win more races on this side than Americans do on the other, that is clear, notwithstanding the magic which preserves that mysterious cup from capture.

The Toronto Star has commenced an agitation for reform in the manner of collecting water rates in that city. It thinks the small consumer of water is charged prices out of all proportion to those paid by his wealthier neighbors. Our contemporary says charges should be graded according to the value of property, as in all other forms of municipal taxation. There seems to be some strength in its position, too, when you take the trouble to look into the matter. Taxation according to the value of holdings and ability to pay will be reduced to an exact science before the present generation bids adieu to the collector. There will be a tempest in Victoria, but it will blow over.

JAPANESE CURIOSITY.

The foreigner travelling in Japan is soon made aware of the quality of curiosity. On every railroad platform he is surrounded by a crowd of people who, with their mouths as wide open as their interest, regard him slowly from head to foot, and comment upon him among themselves while. These people may have seen hundreds of foreigners, but they see them every day—but they continue to act as if they had never seen one before. I visited some Americans in Tokio who had lived in the same house with the same Japanese neighbors for about a year. Yet each time that we went out to drive, the people in the little Japanese house near by would rush to their windows and stand watching as eagerly as a small Yankee at the circus. This happened every day. It is always possible to tell whether a foreigner happens to be in his garden, for a good-sized crowd of Japanese gathered about the gate announces the important fact. I gave several talks and lectures to school children and young men and women in Japan. They were interpreted, I of course, speaking in English, so that half of the address was understood by only a few. Yet I have never seen audiences more absolutely attentive. Not a word was lost, and the same concentration was shown while I was speaking as when the interpreter was turning it into Japanese. Little school children—boys and girls—sat drinking everything in, with their eyes popping out of their heads until I had finished. I never flattered myself that this was due to the fascination of my discourse, but merely to the great curiosity of my audience, and their power of concentration, and their receptivity. From Anislee's Magazine.

A Welshman proposes to build a ship that will have a speed of 40 miles an hour. It will be 300 feet long and 50 feet wide with a flat bottom, wedge-shaped bow and stern; of 10,000 tons displacement, and with eight paddle-wheels on each side, each making 17 revolutions a minute.

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EXECUTIVE MEETING.

Women's Auxiliary Met in Session Recently—Treasurer's Annual Report.

At the recently held meeting of the executive committee of the Women's Auxiliary Society of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the treasurer's report for the year ending June 30th, 1901, was read as follows:

Receipts. Balance in bank, June 30th, 1900, \$ 6.96. Cash in hand, June 30th, 1900, 7.75. Membership fees and donations, 364.00. Net result of garden party, 270.00. Net result of ball, 435.00. By lawyers' baseball team, 49.00. Mr. Edwin Johnson, 10.00. Sale of lumber, 8.00. Professor Wickens fund, 35.00. Professor Wickens, 80.00. Mrs. Bradley Dyne, 10.00. Total, \$1,455.71.

Expenditure. By cheque, \$ 522.00. Printing, 81.55. Purchasing doctor's, 485.00. Christmas fund, 35.00. Paid to fund for children's ward, 150.00. Professor Wickens (beds), 80.00. Total, \$1,455.71. Total receipts working fund, \$1,455.71. Total expenditure working fund, 1,455.55. Balance in bank, June 30th, 1901, \$ 100.16. This does not include the sum of over \$100 spent by the associate societies, the Daughters of Elfe. Fees paid for year commencing July 1st, 1901, 22.00. Balance in bank, July 1st, 1901, \$ 122.16. Special Fund Maternity Ward.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mrs. A. F. Smith, re-elected; Mrs. Rocke Robertson, vice-president; Mrs. D. M. Elberts and Mrs. E. Tison, honorary vice-presidents representing sister societies. Mrs. Edward Hassell was re-elected secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. W. Dally was appointed assistant secretary-treasurer. The date for the annual garden party was next considered. Friday, July 13th, was named as a suitable date. A meeting will be held to discuss arrangements on Friday, July 13th. It was decided to hold future monthly meetings in the city hall.

DEMOCRACY AT YALE.

On the theme of "Alleged Luxury Among College Students," President Hadley thus champions Yale University in the June Journal: "The increase in students' expenses has not been accompanied by an increase in self-indulgence in its grosser forms. There is decidedly less drunkenness among college students now than was the case thirty years ago. The danger from this movement lies in another quarter. It is not that increased attention to physical

RICE, SILK, INDIGO.

The culture of silk has been attempted several times in Carolina. The first attempts brought over silkworm eggs, that hatched in the spring, but the worms perished for want of food. Sir Nathaniel Johnson, however, at his plantation, Silk Hope, was more successful in 1690. While he was Governor, a few years later, he realized several hundred pounds a year from the industry. But the eggs frequently hatched before the mulberry supplied food, and the experiment failed finally. The cultivation of rice was more successful. Accounts differ as to its introduction. The most interesting is that while Thomas Smith was Governor, 1693, a ship captain from Madagascar gave him a bag of rough rice, which he distributed among the colonists. The experiment was so successful that to-day rice is one of the staple crops of South Carolina. Indigo had been introduced, but its culture had failed, although indigo grew abundantly. A second experiment was made about 1741,

THE STOLEN "DUCHESS."

English Version of the True Story of the Robbery.

We have already described the circumstances in which Gainsborough's famous "Duchess of Devonshire" came into the hands of Messrs. Agnew; we are now able to give in a nutshell the facts attending its robbery and disposal.

In May, 1876, a notorious American thief, Adam Wirth, alias Harry Raymond, was in London, where he committed numerous robberies while occupying luxurious chambers in Piccadilly, over the shop of a well-known purveyor. He had several confederates, also Americans, and one of their schemes was to open a shop as agents for a firm of safe-makers, to obtain orders for safes, and then, by retaining duplicate keys, to rob the safes when they got into the hands of their clients. Later they took a large house at Clapham Common, where the servants, footmen, and all employed about the place were professional thieves.

In May, 1876, the idea occurred to Wirth and his confederates of stealing the Gainsborough, and on the 26th of that month, as is well known, the theft was carried out. Three men, of whom Wirth was one, were engaged in the robbery, and it is believed that Wirth was the man who entered the gallery and cut the picture out of the frame, passing it out to a confederate in the yard. It was taken to a house in St. John's Wood, and for some time there concealed underneath a mattress. Eventually the picture found its way to America, where it remained in the custody of a relative of Wirth's.

In 1893 Wirth engaged in the robbery of the Belgian mail and was caught and sent to seven years' solitary confinement at Loutain. Soon after his conviction he published an article in The Pall Mall Gazette, showing that Wirth was believed to be concerned in the robbery of the Gainsborough. At this time a picture had been taken to America, and it was kept in New York. The stories about it being taken to the West are groundless. All the time the American detectives had been on the lookout for the picture, and when the Wirth's release last year negotiations were opened with the relative for its recovery. These were conducted on the American side by Pinkerton, the detective, with Pat Shedy (whose name has been mentioned in the case) as an intermediary. We may add that we believe that Wirth's present whereabouts are not very far from London, and it remains to be seen what steps the police will take to bring him to justice.—The London Pall Mall Gazette.

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Report of B. C. Mines

Annual Statement of the Minister Demonstrates Industry to be Flourishing. The Total Output Shows an Increase of Thirty-Two Per Cent.

The annual report of the Minister of Mines, which has been delayed somewhat in publication, was issued on Saturday evening and is gratifying in its character, as it shows a material increase in all varieties of mining.

The report has been prepared in the usual creditable style of the printing bureau. The pamphlet extends over 324 pages. There are in addition two maps, one showing the mining districts of the province, and the other the regions of Atlin and Chikita.

In assembling the output of the 100 mines in the tables, the established custom of the department has been adhered to, viz. The output of each mine for the year is considered that amount of ore for which the smelter or mill returns have been received during the year.

For ore shipped in December the smelter returns are not likely to be received until February of the new year, or later, and have, consequently, to be carried over to the credit of such month.

This plan, however, will be found very approximate for each year, and ultimately correct as ore not credited to one year is included in the next.

In the lead tables, the amount of the shipments has been obtained from certified returns received from the various mines, as provided for in the "Inspection of Metalliferous Mines Act, 1897."

Table with 2 columns: B. C. Output, 1900. Columns include Quantity and Value for Gold, Silver, Lead, Copper, Coal, and other materials.

Table with 2 columns: Production by Divisions. Columns include 1900 and 1900 values for Cariboo, Quesnel, Omineca, Cassiar, Kootenay, Nelson, Shocan, Trail, and other parts.

Regarding the standing of the industry and the progress it has made the provincial mineralogist says: "As has previously been said in the reports of this department our actual growth as a mining community must and will be measured by our actual output, as shown by reliable statistics, and it is such actual output alone that can give us, as a province, a standing among the mineral-producing countries of the world."

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ties of the output actually made speak for themselves. The report points out that the total amount which the mining industry of the province has already produced in its infancy, contributed to the wealth of the world, is \$152,155,208, which has been chiefly derived from

"The value of the mineral output of the province for the year 1900, the closing year of the century, amounts to \$16,344,751, as against an output of \$12,385,131 for 1899, an increase of \$3,959,620, and a proportionate growth for last year of nearly 32 per cent.

"Placer gold in 1900 shows a 5 per cent. increase over 1899, and 99 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Lode gold in 1900 shows a 21 per cent. increase over 1899, and 57 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Combined gold in 1900 shows a 12 1/2 per cent. increase over 1899, and 66 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Silver in 1900 shows a 59 per cent. increase over 1899, and a 3 per cent. decrease over 1898.

"Copper in 1900 shows a 19 1/2 per cent. increase over 1899, and 85 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Lead in 1900 shows a 204 per cent. increase over 1899, and 150 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Coal in 1900 shows a 10 per cent. increase over 1899, and 27 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Other materials in 1900 show a 22 per cent. increase over 1899, and 66 per cent. increase over 1898.

"Total output in 1900 shows a 32 per cent. increase over 1899, and 50 per cent. increase over 1898.

"These figures speak so eloquently of the growth of the industry that further comment seems scarcely necessary.

"In 1893 the value of the output of our lode mines had grown to \$2,342,397, and it has increased year by year, reaching the sum of \$6,751,004 in 1900, while in 1900 it amounts to \$10,029,757, an increase over last year of \$3,278,753, and equivalent to a gain of 49 per cent., a growth which is certainly a subject for congratulation.

"The number of producing mines has this year also increased materially, for in 1899 the total number of mines shipped over 100 tons during the year was 43, while in 1900 some 60 mines shipped each over 100 tons, and 39 other mines shipped various quantities of less than 100 tons.

"Of the mines producing in 1899, most of them still remain in the list for 1900, although four have been dropped—two for one year for one cause or another; but the greatly increased tonnage of ore mined, 93 per cent. greater than in 1899, is made up from the increased output of the older mines, an argument in favor of the persistency of the ore bodies.

"The list of producers contains, however, a number of new mines that may be said to have graduated from prospect into producers, and the following table, which speaks for itself, shows the distribution of the mines and the men employed in 1900:

Table with 4 columns: Mines, Shipped, Over 100, Men. Lists locations like Atlin, East Kootenay, Fort Steele, etc.

"The coal mining industry of the province still continues to increase in importance, and has again, this year, broken all previous records with a total output of 1,590,179 tons, of which amount 150,584 tons were converted into fuel, producing \$5,149,708, and leaving a net production of coal of 1,439,595 tons. Of this production 914,183 tons of coal and 51,707 tons of coke were exported.

Advertisement for 900 DROPS CASTORIA. Includes text: 'SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF CHARLES H. FITCHER IS ON THE WRAPPER OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA'. Also mentions 'A Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.'

Advertisement for 'The Best Chance YOU EVER GOT'. Text: 'Go to the Syrian Store, 97 Douglas Street, and buy what you want in Jewellery, Notions and Dry Goods, at just 50 cents on the dollar. Special This Week 20 doz. Assorted Blouses to clear. Black Satteen Blouses, 50c each. RAHY COMPANY.'

The energy of the country is employed in a class of mining which is at the present time productive. Every accessible section of the province is being 'prospected' more or less thoroughly, and many sections are being developed with good promises of success, while still others which are known to contain valuable mineral must necessarily be dormant until the growth of the country provides sufficiently good transportation facilities to enable them to be opened up.

Advertisement for 'Fourth of July Celebration PORT ANGELES'. Text: 'The Popular Excursion Steam City of Nanaimo'. 'FARE FOR ROUND TRIP 50c.' 'Spokane Falls & Northern R'y Co., Nelson & Ft. Sheppard R'y Co., Red Mountain R'y Co.'

Advertisement for SHAWNIGAN LAKE HOTEL. Text: 'Will be found the most comfortable and Best Summer Resort on The E. & N. Ry. G. KOENIG. He sure and stop at Koenig's, the old and reliable hotel.'

Advertisement for WEST DENTAL PARLORS. Text: 'A Revelation in Dentistry. After to-day (May 20th), I will do Prosthetic Dental Work at the following fees: Full upper and lower sets (vulcanite or celluloid), \$10 per set. Combination gold and vulcanite plates (the very best made), \$40 each. Partial plate, gold crowns and bridge work at very reduced rates. Teeth extracted and filled absolutely without pain, and all work will be guaranteed perfectly artistic and of the finest material workmanship. Remember the address: The West Dental Parlor, OVER HIBBEN'S, GOVERNMENT ST., OPPOSITE BANK OF MONTREAL.'

Advertisement for Best Double Screened Household Coal. Text: '\$6.50 Per Ton Delivered. Weight Guaranteed. HALL & WALKER, 100 Government St., Phone 53. F. R. STEWART & CO., WHOLESALE FRUIT AND PROVISION MERCHANTS 40 YATES ST., VICTORIA.'

Advertisement for OCEANIC. Text: 'FOR Hawaii, Samoa, New Zealand and Australia. S.S. ZEALANDIA, to sail Sat., June 29, at 10 a.m. S.S. STERNA, to sail Thursday, July 11, at 10 a.m. S.S. AUSTRALIA, to sail for Tahiti, Aug. 6, at 10 a.m. J. W. CASKEY, Agents, 643 Market Street, San Francisco. Freight office, 327 Market Street, San Francisco.'

Advertisement for THE White Pass and Yukon Route. Text: 'PACIFIC AND ARCTIC RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION CO. BRITISH COLUMBIA YUKON RAILWAY CO. BRITISH YUKON RAILWAY CO. BRITISH YUKON NAVIGATION CO., LD. The Atlin, Klondike and Yukon Gold Fields can be reached via THE WHITE PASS AND YUKON ROUTE. Earlier in the season and quicker than any other way. Daily (except Sunday) winter train service between SKAGWAY AND WHITE HORSE. PASSENGER TRAIN TIME CARD. Lv. 8:30 a.m. Skaguay Ar. 4:40 p.m. Lv. 11:20 a.m. Log Cabin Ar. 2:00 p.m. Lv. 12:15 p.m. Bennett Ar. 1:35 p.m. Lv. 2:00 p.m. Caribou Ar. 1:25 p.m. Ar. 4:35 p.m. White Horse Ar. 9:00 a.m. Through WINTER MAIL AND EXPRESS service maintained to and from Yukon Points. E. C. HAWKINS, General Manager, Seattle, Wash. J. H. GREER, Commercial Agent, 100 Government St., Victoria. J. FRANCIS LEE, Traffic Manager, Seattle and Skaguay.'

Advertisement for Atlantic Steamship Sailings. Text: 'Fr. Montreal. Lake Ontario-Beaver Line June 28. Wausau-Beaver Line July 5. Tullahoma-Alton Line July 12. Nunidlian-Alton Line June 29. Vancouver-Dominion Line July 6. Dominion-Dominion Line July 6. Commonwealth-Dominion Line July 6. New England-Dominion Line July 17. Utopia-Cunard Line July 29. Inverna-Cunard Line July 4. Fr. New York. Lunenburg-Cunard Line July 29. Bruria-Cunard Line July 4. Servis-Cunard Line July 9. Tullahoma-Alton Line July 29. Germanic-White Star Line July 29. State of Nebraska-Alton Line June 29. Elphinstone-Alton Line June 22. Columbia-Hamburg-American Line June 22. Kaiser William Der Grosse-N. G. Line June 25. St. Louis-American Line July 29. Passengers ticketed through to all European ports and prepaid passages arranged for. For reservations, rates and all information apply to B. W. GREER, Agent, Victoria. W. P. F. CUMMINGS, Gen'l. S.S. Agent, Winnipeg.'

Advertisement for Lightning Express To the North. Text: 'Fast mail steamers leave as under for Ketchikan, Juneau and Skagway: STR. VICTORIAN. Sails June 23rd, July 3rd, 13th and 23rd, and every ten days thereafter. STR. CITY OF SEATTLE. Sails June 29th, July 9th, 19th and 29th, and every ten days thereafter. (And alternately every five days thereafter.) Rates same as on other steamers. Accommodation and cuisine unsurpassed. Full particulars apply to DODD & CO.'S, 64 Government Street, Victoria, B.C. Phone 580.'

Advertisement for DOUBLE DAILY SERVICE TO PORT TOWNSEND AND SEATTLE. Text: 'MAIL STEAMER NORTH PACIFIC DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. Leave Seattle at 8:00 a.m. Arrive Victoria at 3:00 p.m. Leave Victoria at 7:00 a.m. Arrive Seattle at 12 noon. DAILY EXCEPT THURSDAY. Leave Seattle at 12 midnight. Arrive Victoria at 8:00 a.m. Leave Victoria at 8:00 a.m. Arrive Seattle at 12 noon. Round trip tickets good for return on either boat. For further information apply to DODD & CO., Agents, 64 Government St., Victoria, B.C. Phone 580.'

Advertisement for Victoria & Sidney RAILWAY. Text: 'Trains will run between Victoria and Sidney as follows: DAILY: Leave Victoria at 7:00 a.m., 4:00 p.m. Leave Sidney at 8:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m. SATURDAY: Leave Victoria at 7:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m. Leave Sidney at 8:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m. SUNDAY: Leave Victoria at 8:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m. Leave Sidney at 10:15 a.m., 5:15 p.m.'

Advertisement for Steamer Iroquois. Text: 'Connecting with the Victoria & Sidney Railway, on and after May 20th, 1901, will sail (weather permitting) as follows: Mondays—Leave Sidney for Nanaimo at 8 a. m., calling at Fairford, Ganges, Mayne, Fernwood and Gabriola. Tuesdays—Leave Nanaimo for Sidney at 7 a. m., calling at Gabriola, Kuper, Chemainus, Vesuvius, Harle Bay, Burgoyne, Genoa, Cowichan and Mill Bay. Wednesdays—Leave Sidney at 8 a. m., calling at Fairford, Beaver Point, Ganges, Galiano, Mayne, Fender and Estrada. Thursdays—Leave Sidney for Nanaimo at 8 a. m., calling at Mill Bay, Cowichan, Genoa, Burgoyne, Maple Bay, Vesuvius, Chemainus, Kuper and Gabriola. Fridays—Leave Nanaimo for Sidney at 7 a. m., calling at Gabriola, Fernwood, Ganges, Mayne and Fender. Saturdays—Leave Sidney at 8 a. m., calling at Saturna, Pender, Mayne, Galiano, Ganges, Beaver Point and Fender. Close connection made at Sidney with evening train for Victoria on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. T. W. PATTERSON.'

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Advertisement for CANADIAN PACIFIC CHEAP RATES. Text: 'JULY 1, 2 AND 3. G. E. Convention Cincinnati, Ohio, and return, \$78.50, limited to August 31. JULY 2 TO Pan-American Exposition Buffalo and return, \$86.00, limited to 30 days. JULY 2 AND 3. National Educational Association Detroit and return, \$81.25, limited to September 1. E. J. COYLE, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, Vancouver, B. C. R. W. GREER, Agent, Victoria. Ticket Office, Cor Government and Yates Streets, Victoria, B. C. CHEAP RATES. EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING, \$27.45. SAN FRANCISCO ROSKELLY AND NORTH PACIFIC, connecting at Seattle with overland travel. JAPAN-AMERICAN LINE. "KAMAHARA MARI" will leave Victoria July 9th, for China, Japan, and all Asiatic ports. O. WURTELE, General Agent. THE GREAT NORTHERN. PASSENGERS can leave and arrive daily by steamship through ROSKELLY and North Pacific, connecting at Seattle with overland travel. JAPAN-AMERICAN LINE. "KAMAHARA MARI" will leave Victoria July 9th, for China, Japan, and all Asiatic ports. O. WURTELE, General Agent. THE NORTH-WESTERN'S Fast Mail. Have added two more trips (the Fast Mail) to their St. Paul-Chicago service, making eight trains daily. THE NORTH-WESTERN LINE. This assures passengers from the West making connections. The 20th Century train, "the finest train in the world," leaves St. Paul every day in the year at 8:10 p. m. F. W. PARKER, General Agent, 151 Yester Way, Seattle, Wash. "The Milwaukee" A familiar name for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, known all over the Union as the Great Railway running the "Pioneer Limited" trains every day and night between St. Paul and Chicago, and Omaha and Chicago. "The only perfect train in the world." Understand! Connections are made with all Transcontinental Lines, assuring to passengers the best service known—Luxurious coaches, electric lights, steam heat, of a variety equalled by no other line. See that your ticket reads via "The Milwaukee" when going to any point in the United States—Canada—All ticket agents sell them. For rates, pamphlets, or other information, address J. W. CASKEY, C. E. EDDY, Trav. Pass. Agt., General Agent, Seattle, Wash., Portland, Ore.'

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Provincial News

VERNON.

A bad accident occurred near Armstrong some nights ago to the young son of Charles C. Foster. The lad, a boy about twelve years of age, was thrown from a wagon by a runaway team and sustained serious injury, resulting in a broken leg and arm. He was taken into Armstrong where surgical aid was speedily secured, and he is now doing as well as could be expected.

NANAIMO.

The customs collections for June were \$7,826.26; collections for the fiscal year, \$100,345.28, the largest on record for Nanaimo custom house. The local Finns will hold a mass meeting to consider whether they will continue the scheme of colonizing Malcom Island with the pulp company as neighbors or arrange a new plan for settlement of a large number of their countrymen exclusively. Anthony Anderson, a well known insurance man, returned from Wreck Bay which he describes as the most wonderful gold mining camp he ever saw in an extended experience. He saw a clean-up of one machine for one day, when over seven hundred dollars was taken up. From what he saw and learned he believes Wreck Bay is a second Klondike.

VANCOUVER.

Dr. Eugene Hannel, superintendent of mines, Ottawa, arrived in the city on Friday evening on business connected with the establishment of the assay office in Vancouver. With him was Charles S. Heurter, of New York, an expert who had been appointed assayer. With Gen. R. Maxwell, M. P., Dr. Hannel and Mr. Heurter were down town on Saturday morning looking up a suitable place for the establishment of the office, and finally selected the Parr & Fee building on Hastings-street opposite the Flack block. This is a very convenient location, and everything will be ready by the 13th of July to carry on business.

ROSSLAND.

The young ladies of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church have completed the organization of a Young Ladies' Guild in connection with the church. Officers have been elected as follows: Mrs. J. Miller, president; Mrs. J. W. Spring, secretary; Miss Gertrude O'Reilly, president; Miss Eleanor Kenning, secretary-treasurer. Frank Albo and Michael Nicoratti appeared at the police court on Wednesday on remand for the charge of violating the Early Closing By-law, both having pleaded that the by-law did not apply to their respective lines of business. This contention was conceded in the case of Albo, who was fined \$10, but Nicoratti having placed himself on remand to answer to the charge of violating the by-law it is not likely that he will be further necessity of prosecutions.

KAMLOOPS.

On Friday, June 21st, the people of Kamloops and vicinity had at their opportunity of witnessing a rather unusual religious spectacle in the presentation of the "Passion Play" by the Indians at the reservation just across the river from the city. The event was one of a series of religious exercises at the mission held by the O. M. I. Fathers. It can hardly be over-stated that the "Passion Play," being a series of tableaux depicting Christ's sufferings, crucifixion and death from the agony in Gethsemane to the final tragedy on Calvary. The different groups, there being twelve in all, were passed entirely by the Indians and the manner in which they acquitted themselves surprised everybody, and showed a natural adaptability on their part. The last three tableaux, "Soldiers Casting Lots for Christ's Garments," "The Crucifixion" and "Christ Haunted on the Cross," were the most impressive and probably best understood by the large audience of visitors. Standard.

NELSON.

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The customs collections for June were \$7,826.26; collections for the fiscal year, \$100,345.28, the largest on record for Nanaimo custom house. The local Finns will hold a mass meeting to consider whether they will continue the scheme of colonizing Malcom Island with the pulp company as neighbors or arrange a new plan for settlement of a large number of their countrymen exclusively. Anthony Anderson, a well known insurance man, returned from Wreck Bay which he describes as the most wonderful gold mining camp he ever saw in an extended experience. He saw a clean-up of one machine for one day, when over seven hundred dollars was taken up. From what he saw and learned he believes Wreck Bay is a second Klondike.

Dr. Eugene Hannel, superintendent of mines, Ottawa, arrived in the city on Friday evening on business connected with the establishment of the assay office in Vancouver. With him was Charles S. Heurter, of New York, an expert who had been appointed assayer. With Gen. R. Maxwell, M. P., Dr. Hannel and Mr. Heurter were down town on Saturday morning looking up a suitable place for the establishment of the office, and finally selected the Parr & Fee building on Hastings-street opposite the Flack block. This is a very convenient location, and everything will be ready by the 13th of July to carry on business.

The young ladies of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church have completed the organization of a Young Ladies' Guild in connection with the church. Officers have been elected as follows: Mrs. J. Miller, president; Mrs. J. W. Spring, secretary; Miss Gertrude O'Reilly, president; Miss Eleanor Kenning, secretary-treasurer. Frank Albo and Michael Nicoratti appeared at the police court on Wednesday on remand for the charge of violating the Early Closing By-law, both having pleaded that the by-law did not apply to their respective lines of business. This contention was conceded in the case of Albo, who was fined \$10, but Nicoratti having placed himself on remand to answer to the charge of violating the by-law it is not likely that he will be further necessity of prosecutions.

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Sir Charles Tupper. The procession in the morning was hardly as good as previous years, but as it inaugurated the day's proceedings it was witnessed by enormous crowds. The feature of the parade was the marching of the marines and blue jackets from the fleet in the harbor. In the evening there was a grand military concert at the opera house, which was packed to suffocation. In the evening all the business streets of the city were brilliantly illuminated by electricity, and presented a very attractive appearance.

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PASSENGERS.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—H. Klummers, Mrs. Shelby, J. E. Corbett, Sam Smith, H. Sankle, Mrs. Rogan, W. J. Laurie, J. Stone, L. Scott, Miss Rogan, W. J. Andrews, J. Brackman, Miss Bell, Miss Reagan, L. S. Hewett, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Gunabek, Miss Coloway, J. Seales, J. K. McAndrews, Miss Mader, Miss Stewart, B. S. Chaffs, W. R. Molemb, Miss Witt, D. Drake, A. McKnight, Mrs. Stringler, H. J. Preese, Mrs. Drake, R. Rowe, Mrs. Shook, Mrs. Moore, B. T. Tait, A. E. Shanks, Miss Shook, Mrs. Shook, Mrs. Shook, F. Baker, Mrs. Vinn, Miss Gurlick, Miss Hutchinson, Miss Way, F. Y. Barnes, Miss Worthington, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Mason, Miss Wallace, Miss Wainbridge, J. W. Whitaker, Mrs. Poe, Miss Chaney, Mrs. Evans, Jas. Thompson, Thos. Brash, Mrs. Stacey, A. Trout, F. Lidgate, G. W. France, W. France, C. Lenz, J. Conleion, Mrs. France, Miss Hobson, Mrs. Richards, C. Kroton, P. McFadden, Mrs. Hobson, Miss Burns, Jas. Corbett, J. E. Fairburn, Jas. Jackson, Joe Jefferson, G. N. Gamble, H. Knapp, W. H. Puffer, W. Gamble, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Patterson.

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Per steamer Utopia from Vancouver—W. Pringle, W. H. Parsons, V. A. Eckstein, H. Shlopand, and wife, Miss McCulloch, Miss J. L. McCulloch, Miss J. Fraser, Miss B. Fraser, Mrs. W. T. Hayes, Miss A. O'Sullivan, Miss O'Sullivan, G. W. Strickland, Capt. and Mrs. Gould, H. Young, Mr. Pearce, Mr. Ward, Mrs. Fraser, Master Fraser, J. Chamberlain, W. Wyming, J. Wilson, R. S. Beyer, S. S. Sherman, Mrs. E. S. Sherman, G. Wilson, D. S. Gray and wife, W. K. Reynolds and wife, W. T. Wilderson, R. M. Smith, Mrs. Metcalf, Mrs. Strickland, Miss Strickland, Mrs. Busby, Miss Busby, M. Lenz and wife, J. T. Dixon and wife, Miss Moore, Miss B. Moore, Miss Noble, H. H. Newell.

CONSIGNEES. Per steamer Utopia from the Sound—R. H. Johnson, Nicholas & R. E. A. Patot Co., H. N. Riecke, B. Anderson & Co. Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound, Robt. Herron, New Vancouver Coal Co., Lenz & Leiser, S. Leiser, Thos. A. Barlow.

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Area 2.—Commencing at the west boundary line of the Indian Reserve on Nimpkish river; thence along both sides of the river with a width on each side of the river of 40 chains.

Area 3.—Extending from the head of Queen's Beach, Jervis Inlet, ten miles up the river, with a width of one mile on each side of each branch thereof.

Area 4.—Extending from the head of Robinson River, Johnson Strait, five miles up the river, with a width on each side of half a mile.

Area 5.—Extending for five miles up Adam's river, Johnson Strait, from its mouth, with a width on each side of one mile.

Area 6.—Extending from the junction of Petchay or White River with Salomon river for a distance of ten miles up said White river, with a width on each side thereof of one mile.

Area 7.—Commencing at a point where the 51st parallel intersects with the Coast Line of British Columbia; thence east on said parallel to a point north of Embury Lagoon; thence south to said Lagoon; thence south and west following the channel between Kinnaird Island and Pandora Head; thence south and west along center of Wells Passage to the Queen's Charlotte Sound; thence northwest to point of beginning.

Area 8.—Malcolm Island. Area 9.—Four Islands. Area 10.—Commencing at the head of Pitt Lake; thence up the river at the head of said lake for a distance of five miles, with a width of half a mile on each side of said river.

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Area 1.—All the surveyed land on both sides of Kingcome Inlet and Bond Sound.

Area 2.—Commencing at the northeast corner of Lot 1; thence following up the river at the head of Thompson's Sound and its branches a distance of ten miles, and having a width on each side thereof of one mile.

Area 3.—Commencing at the northern boundary of Lots 45, 46 and 47, on the Kinnaird River; thence north along the said river and its branches five miles, and having a width on each side of one-half mile, including all surveyed lands.

Area 4.—Commencing on Wakeman Sound at the southwest corner of Lot 61; thence west on the 51st parallel of latitude to a point north of Embury Lagoon; thence south to said lagoon; thence south and west following the passage between Kinnaird Island and Pandora Head to Mills Passage; thence to Queen's Charlotte Sound; thence southeasterly along the shore line of Noel Channel, and easterly along the center of Pitt Sound to Village Point; thence north-westerly to the north of Trivet Island to the north of Kingcome Inlet; thence north along the west shore of Wakeman Sound to the point of commencement.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. In the Matter of Lots 942, 943 and 944 Victoria City, and in the Matter of the Quitting Titles Act.

Notice is hereby given that application is being made by J. H. Whitton for a declaration under the Quitting Titles Act that he is the legal and beneficial owner in fee simple in possession of the above lots free from encumbrances, save and subject as in Section 22 of said Act mentioned, and that the said Honorable Court being of opinion that he is entitled to such declaration the same will be issued to him to the adverse claim to his title to said land is filed pursuant to said Act before the 1st day of August, 1901.

Dated the 13th day of June, 1901. J. H. WHITTON, Solicitors for the Applicant.

NOTICE. All mineral rights are reserved by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the south boundary of Comox District, on the east by the boundary of Georgia, on the north by the 60th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the B. & N. Railway. LEONARD H. SOLL, Land-Commissioner.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners at their next sitting as a Licensing Court for a transfer to Jas. Lawson and Chas. Lawson of my license for the sale of wine and liquors by retail upon the premises situate on the southeast corner of Yates and Bannock streets, Victoria, B. C., known as the Retreat saloon. Dated this 1st day of May, 1901. J. WRIGLESWORTH.

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ORIENTAL LINERS DUE

Two large Oriental steamships are due this week from China and Japan. The first to arrive will be the Empress of China, due to-morrow.

PASSENGERS FOR WEST COAST

Steamer Queen City sailed for the West Coast last evening well loaded with freight and passengers. She carried 19,000 bricks and a carload of piping for Hayes's mine.

MARINE NOTES

The new freight steamer Trader, built for Chas. S. Baxter, of this city, is in port. She is a larger craft than the well known Selkirk, although constructed on about the same lines.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for Wheat, Corn, American Sugar, People's Gas, Manhattan, C. R. L., Amal. Copper, U. S. Steel, Southern Railway, Missouri Pacific, Union Pacific, Southern Pacific, A. T. & S. F., Wabash, Louis. & Nash., Erie, Chic. Great West.

NERVOUSNESS, DYSPYPSIA, INDIGESTION, and kindred ailments, take wings before the healing qualities of South American Nervine—Thomas-Hooking's of Durham, Ont., took his prescriber's advice, followed directions, and was cured permanently of the worst form of Nervous Prostration and Dyspepsia.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE

Old Pensioner Seeks to End His Troubles By Drowning—A Plunge into the Dry Dock.

John Stocks, an old navy pensioner, employed on the day staff of the dry dock at Esquimalt, attempted suicide yesterday morning by jumping into the dry dock there. The old man, who has been drinking heavily for some time, seemed to be in particularly low spirits, and yesterday morning he decided to end his troubles in a summary fashion.

PERSONAL

Wm. Girwood, a recent arrival from Dawson, who is in the city, a guest at the Dominion, brings an interesting budget of news from the North.

WIM WHITSON OF CHICAGO

Wm. Whitson, of Chicago, who is again visiting this city after an absence of three years, is pleased to see the substantial progress made in the paving of our streets.

SLAEN BY ANIMALS

Men are constantly getting the worst of it in fights with animals. The whale, for instance, which is rather a snub than a fish, though it lives in the sea—slays about a thousand people every year.

SOME CHINESE DISHES

Some of the dishes at a Chinese feast are very curious, and a few of them are not at all unpalatable to the taste. Bird's nest is now almost as well known in England as in China—though we generally kill the delicacy of the taste of the glutinous substance by putting it into too strong a consommé and is good to drink all the world over.

RUSSIA'S OIL CITY

Baku, on the Caspian Sea, surrounded by masses of Derivates. On approaching Baku evidences of the oil fields become visible on all sides, and great cities of black derricks, set so close together, that they appear like a dense forest, mark the well-defined area of the productive fields.

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