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## WRESTLE WITH CIVIC BY-LAWS

### ALDERMAN BANNERMAN MAKES A COMPLAINT

#### An Alleged Attempt to Defeat the Spirit of the Municipal Act

On the by-law providing for the execution of the local improvement work on Dallas road being reached at last evening's meeting of the city council, Ald. Bannerman hinted that there was a disposition on the part of some members of the board to evade the spirit of the Municipal act by refusing to submit large propositions to the judgment of the people.

The city solicitor having offered an opinion that the Dallas road improvement could be divided into two or more parts, Ald. Bannerman said he did not like this method of doing business. The act provided that for any amount in excess of \$15,000 the people should be consulted. This restriction was made for the purpose of protecting the interests of the people.

Ald. Langley contended that as far as Dallas road was concerned there is no attempt whatever to delude the people or evade the spirit of the act. The by-law to provide funds for shore protection will be submitted to the people, but the street improvement by-law can be split into two parts without infringing on the rights of the people.

It was decided to take the matter up at the next meeting of the streets committee.

Cecilia Hunt, of Spring Ridge, forwarded a letter complaining of the existence of a stable owned by Richards. The stable was at times 12 horses in it, and as this was contrary to the by-law she asked that action be taken at once. J. T. Coles forwarded a similar complaint about another stable, where there was no sewer drainage. Several other complaints about stables in various parts of the city were received, and on motion of Ald. Bannerman, seconded by Ald. Langley, it was decided to instruct the sanitary inspector to administer the law without fear or favor.

The recommendations of Health Officer Dr. Hall in respect to the improvements to the isolation hospital were adopted. A by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers at an early date providing for the expenditure of \$50,000 on a new hospital building. Other by-laws to be submitted at the same time are a sewer by-law for \$50,000, the by-law to authorize the transfer to the school board of the site at Spring Ridge for high school purposes and another to raise \$15,000 for a public convenience.

Maurice Cane, A. R. Sherwood, E. C. B. Bagshaw and other property owners on Fort and Belmont streets, petitioned the council not to grant the request of Mr. Justice Martin and others that a portion of the Pearce estate on Fort street be acquired for the purposes of a public park. The petitioners set out that they are the owners of some of the land in question, and they think it unfair that they have not been consulted in the matter. Both petitions will go to the city assessor for report.

## AWAIT REPORT OF ALIENISTS ON CHARLTON

### Confessed Wife Murderer Appears Before Judge at Jersey City and is Remanded

Jersey City, N. J., June 28.—Porter Charlton, confessed wife murderer, was arraigned before Judge Blair here today. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff until July 3rd. His attorneys stated that no attempt would be made to secure his release on habeas corpus or a lunacy writ.

Charlton did not appear interested in the proceedings. On the way to court he objected to having handcuffs on his wrists and they were removed.

Attorneys for Charlton asked a delay of the court order following the arraignment in order to gain an opportunity to learn the attitude of the federal government concerning Charlton's extradition to Italy. Delay was also asked pending the report of the alienists in the case.

R. Floyd Clark, chief counsel for Charlton, declared today that he did not believe his client would be returned to Italy, where Mrs. Charlton was killed. He said he based this belief on the facts in the case of one Caldwell, a witness in the celebrated suit for the estate of the Duke of Portland, who fled to America, was pronounced insane and was not returned to England.

## TWO CHINAMEN KILLED

New York, June 28.—Two Chinamen are dead, a third badly wounded in a hospital and seven others are under arrest as the result of a renewed outbreak in the never-dying tong war in Chinatown. Shu Fio, a Long Island laundryman, was the first victim to succumb to the wounds he received when a fusillade of shots broke loose while the Four Brothers, one of the parties to the conflict, were celebrating an anniversary in Pell street, and the On Lok tong, their rivals, were gathered in Mott street nearby, and are said to have raided the banquet.

## PAYS PENALTY OF MURDER

### ASSASSIN OF EGYPTIAN PREMIER EXECUTED

#### Strong Detachments of Troops on Duty to Prevent Demonstration by Nationalists

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Cairo, Egypt, June 28.—Ibrahim Wardan, assassin of Boutros Pasha, premier of Egypt, was hanged here today following extreme precautions on the part of the British administration to prevent any demonstration by the condemned man's sympathizers.

"I die for the cause of Egyptian liberty," were the last words of the premier's slayer.

The execution took place in the yard of the government prison here and outsiders were excluded by the authorities. Newspapers were barred from witnessing the execution and strong detachments of troops patrolled the streets about the prison. Many soldiers and police in uniform mingled with the crowds that gathered early.

Later the order was issued that no large gatherings would be permitted and the crowds were dispersed. The Nationalists wearing their colored fezes were in evidence, but they made no attempt at a demonstration.

## FIRE ON LINER OANFA AT VANCOUVER

### Smoke Hampers Firemen Engaged Fighting Blaze—No Damage to Steamer or Cargo

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Vancouver, B. C., June 28.—Heavy smoke pouring out of number 5 hold of the Blue Funnel liner Oanfa, unloading at Evans, Coleman & Evans wharf, last night caused a general alarm to be turned in to the city brigade. After 3 hours of hard work dense smoke hampering the firemen, the seat of the fire was got at, it being found that a large pile of seaweed in the almost empty hold was ablaze. The vessel or cargo was not damaged.

## NEW RAILWAY DIVISION

Winnipeg, June 28.—J. J. Scully, superintendent of the C. P. R. at Moose Jaw, has been appointed general superintendent of the new division, with headquarters at Moose Jaw. J. M. Cameron, trainmaster at Vancouver, succeeds Mr. Scully as superintendent at Moose Jaw. W. Martin, assistant engineer at Moose Jaw, is appointed assistant division engineer. A. T. Shortt, district master mechanic at Cranbrook, is appointed master mechanic of the new division at Moose Jaw. H. R. Smart, dispatcher at Moose Jaw, is appointed car service agent of the new division there. R. N. Young, assistant superintendent of telegraphs, Winnipeg, is appointed superintendent of telegraphs of the new division, with headquarters at Moose Jaw. All appointments are effective July 1st.

## MURDER AND SUICIDE

### Demented Man Chokes Niece to Death and Ends Own Life

Rome, Mich., June 28.—William Watson, while demented, today attacked his niece, Ruth Ferguson, 11, in the woods near here and choked her to death. He then committed suicide.

## EIGHT PERSONS FATALLY INJURED

### Police Searching for Man Who Threw Bomb in Theatre in Buenos Ayres

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Buenos Ayres, June 28.—Three hundred men are still delirious and the police are exhausting every means to learn the identity of the person who threw a bomb in the Teatro Colón during a performance when the theatre was filled with people last night.

Eight persons were fatally injured and a panic was barely averted.

While the confusion was at its height the orchestra played the national anthem and the people were calmed.

A reward of \$5,000 has been offered for information leading to the identification of the bomb thrower.

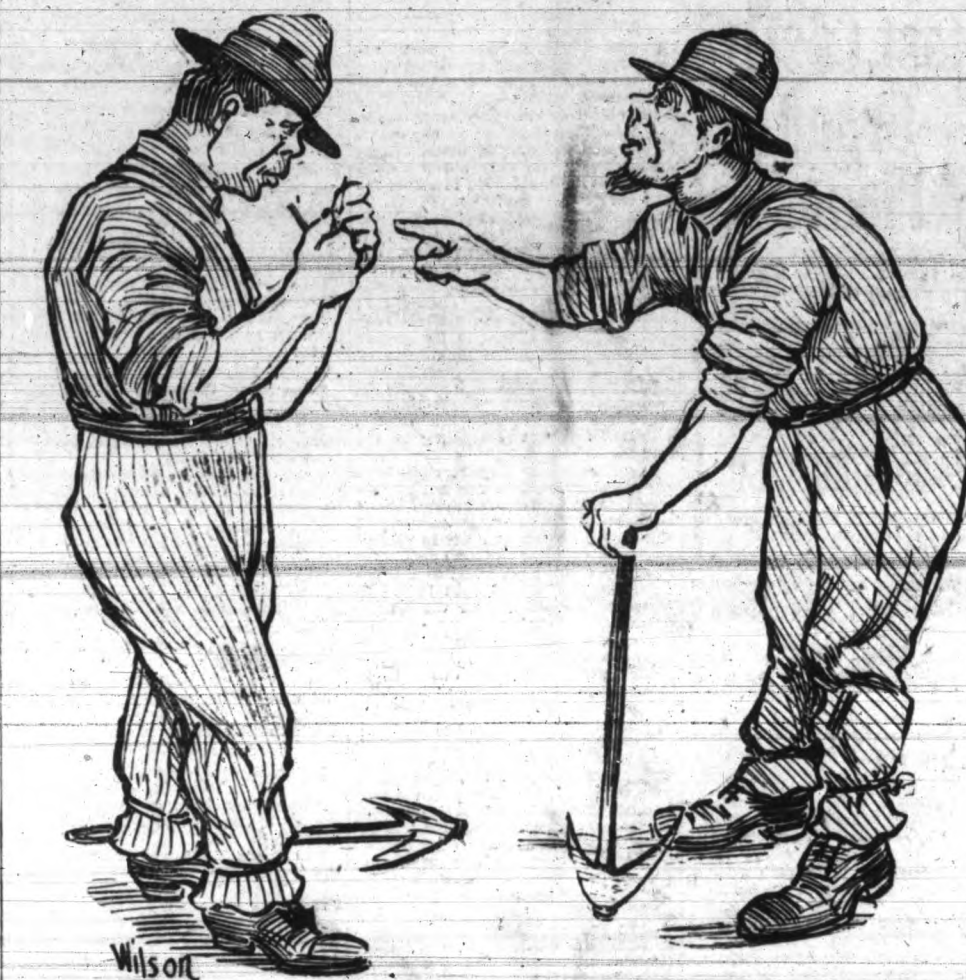
## TWO BOYS DROWNED

Santa Fe, N. M., June 28.—The quicksands of the Rio Grande caught two victims at the little village of Atedes, 20 miles north of Santa Fe. Nine-year-old Max Sanchez walked into the river and sat down in the water, at that point a foot deep. When he tried to wade out he found the sand had him in its grasp. He screamed for help and 14-year-old Leandro Sanchez ran to his aid, only to be himself dragged into the deadly sand.

When other swimmers arrived both boys were drowned, although their heads were above the sand.

## INVESTIGATING LABOR FIELD

Winnipeg, June 28.—Capt. Gamble and Staff Capt. Jennings, officers in charge of the immigration department of the Salvation Army in the eastern provinces, have left for the west. They will go as far as Vancouver and their business will be the investigation of the labor field in the west.



THE GREATER MAN.

PAT—"Sure, that Roosevelt must be a foine man. He makes iverbody stand around."  
MIKE—"Be jabbers, he's not in it with Misther Morrley. Morrley wud make the devil himself stand around, O'im thinkin'."

## INSPECTION OF OVERSEAS FORCES

### SUBJECT IS AGAIN DISCUSSED IN COMMONS

#### Mr. Wyndham Doubts the Wisdom of Policy Proposed by the Government

(Special to the Times.)  
London, June 28.—In the House of Commons yesterday when the question of the Mediterranean command and inspection of overseas forces arose again, Mr. Wyndham said he thought Sir Ian Hamilton's appointment was not wise, pointing out among other things that it might bring him into delicate relationship with the overseas governments.

Hon. Mr. Haldane, in replying on the point, expressed the belief that the foundation of the policy of uniformity in the various armies of the empire had now been laid and an inspector-general was needed who would be able to give a great deal of time to the work of inspection of overseas forces if desired.

Mr. Haldane referred to the fact that General Hamilton had commanded Canadians and Australians in the field as an additional recommendation for that distinguished officer.

## HINDU LABORERS TO BE DEPORTED

### Will Be Sent Home From San Francisco as Result of Commissioner's Investigation

(Times Leased Wire.)  
San Francisco, Cal., June 28.—Eighty Hindu laborers were slated for deportation on the Pacific mail liner Siberia, which sails for the Orient today. The deportation was ordered by a special board of inquiry, following the ruling of Immigration Commissioner Hart H. North that under the present immigration laws it would be impossible to exclude Hindus.

In the past Commissioner North has permitted nearly every immigrant Hindu to land. Complaint was made to the immigration bureau at Washington and Special Commissioner Fred Watt was sent here to investigate. The deportation of the 80 Hindus today is one of the results of his work. He subjected the Hindus to a rigid examination which they could not pass.

## ONTARIO MINERAL OUTPUT

(Special to the Times.)  
Toronto, June 28.—The output of metallic minerals and works of Ontario for the three months ending March 31st last, according to returns just issued, was \$6,300,176. Of this aggregate silver counted for \$3,051,153, nickel \$1,024, and pig iron \$1,227,336.

## PRESSURE POOR IN VICTORIA WEST

### FIRE CHIEF SUBMITS AN ALARMING REPORT

#### Possibility of City Running an Independent Pipe Line Across the Harbor

That the water pressure in Victoria West is so poor as to constitute a menace to the safety of that section of the city, and that immediate steps to remedy the same should be taken by the civic authorities, was the somewhat startling statement conveyed to the council at its meeting last evening by Thomas Davis, chief of the fire department.

Chief Davis set out in his letter that during the progress of the fire at the residence of J. H. Lawrence, 78 Powderly avenue, yesterday afternoon, the pressure at the main was only sufficient to force the water a few feet. He thought the matter a very serious one, and had complained to the Esquimalt Waterworks Company. Officials of the latter had expressed surprise that the pressure was so poor.

Ald. Mable moved that the communication be referred to the fire warden's office, and the committee intended to take the matter up in very vigorous form.

Ald. Ross was of the opinion that in view of the fact that the pressure was inadequate for fire protection purposes the city would be justified in running a pipe across the harbor to meet the difficulty. He could not see how the Esquimalt company could prevent such a move on the part of the corporation.

The acting city solicitor expressed the opinion that the city had the undoubted right of furnishing Victoria West with adequate fire protection. If a pipe were run across the harbor the city could, of course, supply a water service to the people, but all fire fighting purposes could be served.

Ald. Humber thought the question one of the most important which had arisen for a long time. Possibly an investigation by the barrister would show that the Esquimalt Waterworks Company, in failing to furnish an adequate pressure for fire purposes, had forfeited their rights in that section of the city.

## HALIFAX MEMORIAL TOWER

Ottawa, June 28.—Sir Sandford Fleming has received word from the Prime Minister of New Zealand that the government of that Dominion has decided to contribute a sufficient sum to have a New Zealand granite block placed in the Halifax memorial tower.

## COBALT SHIPMENTS

(Special to the Times.)  
Toronto, June 28.—Cobalt ore shipments last week totalled over 90 tons.

## INTENSE HEAT AFFECTS GRAIN

### HEAVY RAINFALL IS BADLY NEEDED

#### Wheat Prices Advance Nearly Five Cents on the Winnipeg Exchange

(Special to the Times.)  
Winnipeg, June 28.—Grave fears are now entertained that grain is suffering from the intense heat. Western Canadian crops, which were in far better condition than those south of the line up to ten days ago, have wilted under the terrible heat of the past week, on which showers have had little effect.

The thermometer is ranging from 90 to 104 and the truth cannot be kept back any longer. Wheat prices advanced almost five cents on the local exchange today.

## GOLD FROM THE YUKON

(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, June 28.—The royal mint today received from the Yukon 11,151 ounces of gold shipped by the Bank of B. N. A. and valued at \$3,000. The mint is not yet ready to coin Canadian pieces and the gold probably will be converted into British sovereigns.

## DRIVEN FROM THEIR HOMES BY FLOODS

### Scores of Families Flee to Higher Ground to Escape Rising Waters

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Whiteboro, Ky., June 28.—Scores of families living in the valley of the middle fork of Beaver creek, along the border between Floyd and Knott counties, are homeless today, following an abnormally heavy rain in the section during the last 48 hours.

Hundreds of farmers with their families have fled to higher ground to escape the rising waters. Crops already have been damaged to the extent of many thousands of dollars, and hundreds of head of live stock destroyed.

Two cloud bursts occurred last night in the Beaver Creek district. A bridge on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad, near here, and a cattle bridge over John creek, were washed away.

Real communication throughout this section is demoralized, and the telegraph and telephone wires are prostrated.

Reports from the mountain districts state that several persons last night lived in a terrific wind storm that preceded the rains. These reports, however, could not be verified.

## BIG DEAL IN TIMBER LAND

### ST. LOUIS PARTIES BUY 20,000 ACRES

#### Fine Property Near Port Renfrew Changes Hand—Over \$100,000 Cash

It was learned today that St. Louis parties have purchased 20,000 acres of timber in the vicinity of Port Renfrew for a cash consideration of over \$100,000. The deal was put through by C. C. Michener, president of the Red Fir Lumber Company, of Nanaimo, but the names of his clients have not been made public. The land was owned by an individual and the transaction is one of the largest ever made for cash in the district.

It is understood that a logging railway will be built from the property, the logging of which will commence shortly, to Port San Juan, to provide water transportation in the event of the Canadian Northern choosing an inland route.

## MONEY PAID FOR THE MINES BACK IN C. N. R.

### Hon. James Dunsuir a Heavy Investor in the Stock of the Company

Toronto, June 28.—Hon. James Dunsuir, who sold his great Vancouver Island coal mines to the Canadian Collieries Company, in which Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, are, of course, the principals, has just purchased six million dollars of the guaranteed bonds of the Canadian Northern Railway Company. It is understood that Mr. Dunsuir received cash for his mine, and that in reinvesting these funds he used six millions for the purchase of the 3½ per cent. Canadian Northern bonds.

## AUTO PLUNGES INTO CREEK

### One of Occupants is Pinned Under Car and Drowned

Hammond, Ind., June 28.—Peter Ripley, of Hammond, was drowned today when his automobile leaped from the road, turned turtle and pinned him beneath it in the waters of a creek. Six companions were rescued.

## U. S. SENATOR DEAD

New Orleans, June 28.—United States Senator Samuel Douglas McEnery died here at 10 a. m. today. Senator McEnery was a native of Louisiana. He was born at Monroe, May 28th, 1837, being among the oldest Democrats in the Senate in point of service.

He served on the Supreme bench of the state and had served in the United States Senate since March 4th, 1887, being among the oldest Democrats in the Senate in point of service.

## FIGHTING CONSUMPTION

London, June 28.—At the opening of the sanitarium for consumptives, Dr. William Oster said we now had the knowledge how to cure consumption, and it rested with the public whether it should be stamped out. In the generations it should be stamped out, unquestionably.

## MORMON OVERSEER RESENTS INVASION

### Conflict Will Follow Dedication of Methodist Chapel Inside Precincts of Zion City

(Times Leased Wire.)  
Chicago, June 28.—A war between the Methodists and General Overseer Glenn Voliva is reported to have started today, following the dedication of a modest chapel by the Methodists inside the precincts of Zion City.

"We will fight this invasion to the death," Voliva is reported as having said when he heard of the dedication.

Bishop McDowell and a large number of Methodist dignitaries assisted in the ceremonies. They say they are in Zion to stay and grow.

The Independents in Zion hailed the advent of the Methodists warmly and sent a delegation of elders to the dedication of the chapel.

The new church will have the backing of business interests outside "and Overseer Voliva will have the battle of his life if he undertakes to exterminate the invaders, according to the Methodists.

The Methodists dedicated their chapel in the forenoon yesterday and in the afternoon Voliva, speaking at the tabernacle, buried his defiance. This draws the lines of battle clearly and some interesting developments may be expected.

## WILL COME TO CANADA

London, June 28.—A number of Major Broderick's company of territorialists have announced that they wish to go to Winnipeg, and after the manoeuvres there they intend to join a similar Dominion force. Major Broderick, who accompanies them, will find their employment.

## DOES ENGINEER GET FAIR PLAY?

### ALDERMAN FULLERTON WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

#### Suggestion of Little Conspiracy Made at Last Night's Meeting of Council

A storm, which was not unanticipated by those in touch with developments at the city hall, broke around the head of the new city engineer, at last night's meeting of the council, when Ald. Fullerton made a spirited protest against the board participating in what appeared to be a conspiracy directed against that official. He resented particularly what he characterized as unwarranted interference on the part of G. H. Bryson, assistant city engineer.

The matter arose for discussion when the Douglas street improvement by-law came up for final reading. Ald. Bannerman asked that the matter stand over for a few days, saying that Deputy City Engineer Bryson, who is superintending the work, had told him that the cost of the sidewalk widening as estimated by Mr. Smith would prove much higher than the amount estimated by the latter. Mr. Bryson had promised to give him the correct cost, but would in the meantime delay the work.

Ald. Fullerton wanted no figures from Mr. Bryson. The city engineer's estimate should be taken. The assistant city engineer had no right coming to the council behind Mr. Smith's back. The latter should be supreme as long as he held the office. He believed that much of the trouble was that there was not full confidence between the two officials.

Ald. Humber put much of the blame on the mayor, declaring that his worship seemed to take a keen delight in having the city officials run their heads against a wall and then laughing at them.

Ald. Bannerman declared that in his opinion there are some civic works now in progress which are costing too much, and that methods under the new city engineer have not improved as much as they should.

Mayor Morley was of the opinion that the city engineer had made a mistake in the cost of sidewalk widening—forgetting to make allowance for the cost of moving and connecting up hydrants. He favored having the by-law stand over and getting the "proper" estimates.

Ald. Mable asked why the crosscutting plant had suspended operations. He had been told that some of the men on the work had walked out. The city engineer had told him he did not know what was the matter.

Mayor Morley said he had no personal knowledge of the trouble at the crosscutting plant but he had been told that some of the men had been discharged when found loafing.

Ald. Humber declared that the fact of the walk-out at the plant were that some one raised the pay for several of the new men employed and the 31 hands walked out.

Mayor Morley, replying to questions said he did not know by whose authority the pay had been raised. His worship himself could explain all the circumstances and it was finally decided to ask the engineer to report.

## RAILWAY ENTRENCHMENT IS ONLY TEMPORARY

### Banker Says There Will Be Renewed Activity After Crops Are Harvested

Seattle, Wash., June 28.—Jacob Schiff, head of the great banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., with his family arrived in Seattle this morning on his way to Alaska.

When asked about the general financial condition, he said:

"Conditions are generally good. I am far from being pessimistic about the future."

"What effect has President Taft had on business?"

"When the public stops to consider it will come to the conclusion that Taft has been a good president. He is a good effect of his policies may not be instantly obvious. But the time will come. His railroad bill is a good one. It is good for no other reason than that it has shown the railroads where they are at. All the railroads need to do is to adjust themselves to the new conditions. This, of course, will take a little time, and will necessitate retrenchment in expenditures. This will last three or four months, but when the crops are harvested all will be well again. Unless we have an absolute crop failure, I look for good substantial business. Uncertainty is the worst business had to contend with."

"As a banker what do you think of the postal savings bill?"

"I think the general effect of this will be good also, but I doubt the plan working out as contemplated as a success."

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## LOCAL NEWS

A baseball match will take place this evening at North Ward park between the Capital team and the Woodworkers.

The damage done by yesterday's fire at the residence of J. H. Lawrie was to-day estimated at \$1,000. The building and contents is insured in the Aetna Insurance Co. through Hall & Goepel.

Building permits have been issued to Sweeney & McConnell for their new block on Langley street, to cost \$125,000; to W. C. Van Munster for a dwelling on Michigan street, \$1,500; to H. Elsmere, dwelling, \$1,000.

A large number of old and dilapidated buildings in various parts of the city have been condemned by the building inspector and the sanitary officer. The usual notices have been ordered sent to the owners and in due process the structures will be torn down.

At the regular meeting of the Natural History Society held in their rooms last evening J. R. Anderson completed his paper on the food and medicinal plants of the province. There were also a large number of specimens examined and general work done.

While engaged in loading lumber on the ship Elginshire, which is lying at the wharf of the Michigan & Puget Sound Lumber Company, a workman was yesterday caught by some falling timber. One of his feet was badly crushed, necessitating the amputation of three toes.

Mary C. Webb is appealing from the assessment upon her property made by the city assessor and endorsed by the court of revision. In county court chambers to-day Thornton Fell appeared for the plaintiff and J. P. Mann for the city, asking for a date to be set for the hearing. Judge Lampman set the case for Monday next.

Among subjects of addresses to be given at the meeting to be held under the auspices of the Conference of Friends of the Indians this evening in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church will be the controversy which has arisen between the Indians and the settlers on the Naas river, the editorials which have appeared in the local press during the past week, and the missionary aspects of the Indian land situation.

The postponed meeting of the executive council to deal with the matter of the crown-granting of certain lots on Blanchard street to the Victoria & Sidney railway will be held to-morrow. The city barrister so notified the city council in the communication coming before that body last evening. The whole intent of the conference with the barrister is to arrange formal terms whereby public utilities shall be preserved and their construction arranged for in the deed ceding the land to the railway company.

Curiosities are common among the letters received at the office of the V. I. Development League in response to its advertisements in Canadian and foreign newspapers. To-day a gentleman, describing himself as a wealthy mine owner, offers to dispose of his mine, which is situated near Hedley, for \$25,000 so that he "can come and live peacefully in Victoria." A gentleman residing at Rincon Antonio, Oaxaca, Mexico, asks the league to furnish him with "information concerning the wall-paper used in British Columbia."

### BROWNE BRIBERY CASE

Chicago, June 28.—The jury in the Browne bribery case has broken the deadlock record for Illinois. The jury late this afternoon had not reached a decision. At that time the jurors had deliberated for over 90 hours. The previous longest record was made by the jury in the famous Dr. Cronin case, when the jury was out 82 hours. Judge McShure summoned the jury this afternoon to give more instructions. He declared they ought to reach a verdict. The jury retired without indicating how it stood. Browne was cheerful this afternoon and denounced the district attorney, whom he termed a "contemptible fellow."

## MANY ENTRIES FOR REGATTA

### THREE HUNDRED BOATS EXPECTED TO ATTEND

Alexandra Club Will Entertain Ladies—Event Will Be Biggest in City's History

## REPORTED WRECK OF DEUTSCHLAND

### BIG AIRSHIP DRIFTS HELPLESS IN STORM

Engine Breaks Down and the Pilot Loses Control of Zeppelin Dirigible

(Times Leased Wire.) Dusseldorf, June 28.—The aerial liner Deutschland, with 20 newspaper reporters aboard, sailed from here to-day. For a time it appeared probable that the trip would have to be postponed because of variable weather. The airship has been lying in the shed here for three days owing to storms, and many passengers who had been booked for voyages were becoming disgusted at the uncertainty of aerial travel. Predictions were freely made that the Deutschland would prove a gigantic failure, but the officers of the company are sanguine of ultimate success of the venture.

### Helpless in Storm

Dusseldorf, Germany, June 28.—(Later.)—Helplessly adrift before a heavy gale the aerial liner Deutschland, with 20 reporters aboard, became unmanageable to-day.

When last seen the Deutschland was being driven before a high wind over the North Sea, which is nearly 150 miles from Dusseldorf. The Deutschland was supposed to descend in two hours, but it has already been aloft ten hours. When the wind arose the pilot was unable to return as the manoeuvre motor was broken. Attempts were made to land at Dortmund and Munster, but both times the plan was abandoned as too dangerous.

### Reported Wrecked

Berlin, June 28.—The Zeppelin passenger airship Deutschland was wrecked near Iburg, West Germany, according to a dispatch received here this evening.

The Deutschland was driven before the wind for many hours while the engine raged. The engine was broken and it was impossible for the vessel to manoeuvre in the wind. Iburg, where the Deutschland came to earth, is in an isolated mountain region 100 miles east of Dusseldorf. No details of the descent have yet been received.

## WILL REPORT IN A FEW WEEKS' TIME

Dean Weldon, of University Site Commission, Says Award Will Be Made Known Shortly

Dean Weldon, of the British Columbia University Site Commission, was seen by the Times this afternoon and asked if he could approximate the date when the decision of that tribunal as to the site of the university would be made known.

"We will render our decision in a few weeks' time," said he. "Beyond that I don't think we can say more at the present time. We are leaving for the east to-day. We have had a most enjoyable time during our stay in the province."

## WRITING ON HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE

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### Helpless in Storm

Dusseldorf, Germany, June 28.—(Later.)—Helplessly adrift before a heavy gale the aerial liner Deutschland, with 20 reporters aboard, became unmanageable to-day.

When last seen the Deutschland was being driven before a high wind over the North Sea, which is nearly 150 miles from Dusseldorf. The Deutschland was supposed to descend in two hours, but it has already been aloft ten hours. When the wind arose the pilot was unable to return as the manoeuvre motor was broken. Attempts were made to land at Dortmund and Munster, but both times the plan was abandoned as too dangerous.

### Reported Wrecked

Berlin, June 28.—The Zeppelin passenger airship Deutschland was wrecked near Iburg, West Germany, according to a dispatch received here this evening.

The Deutschland was driven before the wind for many hours while the engine raged. The engine was broken and it was impossible for the vessel to manoeuvre in the wind. Iburg, where the Deutschland came to earth, is in an isolated mountain region 100 miles east of Dusseldorf. No details of the descent have yet been received.

## WILL REPORT IN A FEW WEEKS' TIME

Dean Weldon, of University Site Commission, Says Award Will Be Made Known Shortly

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**EIGHT FLIGHTS IN AEROPLANES**

**BROOKENS FAILS TO BREAK HIS RECORD**

**Wright Machines Carry Off Honors of Day at the Montreal Aviation Meet**

Montreal, June 28.—Eight successful flights were made by heavier-than-air machines at the aviation park yesterday afternoon, the feature of the day's performance being the fine work of the Wright bi-planes. Four of these machines are here for the meet, and each of the four was in the air for periods varying five to thirty-five minutes. The longest flight was made by Ralph Johnston, the ex-trick bicycle rider, who went up in his Wright machine late in the afternoon and went through an amazing series of tricks which demonstrated the perfect mechanism of the bi-plane and the splendid control of the man at the steering wheel. Johnston was up for thirty-five minutes, soared to a high altitude, came down again, dipped his machine, made quick turns and rocked his machine from side to side in a way that recalled his handling of a bicycle. The Wright machine carried off the honors of the day with the greatest altitude flight, the longest flight and the fastest flight. Walter Brookens made a preliminary try at his own world's record for altitude. He went up steadily for twenty minutes, and claimed he reached a height of thirty-five hundred feet, according to readings of an instrument on his bi-plane. However, the official measurement was only 1,650. Brookens floated out over Lake St. Louis and then returned and landed in front of the stand.

Lachapelle, also in a Wright, forty horse-power machine, made the fastest flight, circling the course twice in three minutes twenty-nine seconds, the total distance being approximately 12,000 feet. De Lesseps, in his light Bleriot monoplane, a less powerful machine than the one he will use later on in the meet, did the same two turns of the course in 4:35. The count was less in the limelight than on the opening day, but made two very successful flights during the afternoon. The one he has so far been working with is a new machine which he ordered just before he left France, and he expects with the older and heavier machines to press the Wrights hard for the laurels of the meet.

Mr. McCurdy, the Canadian among the aviators at the meet, was again unsuccessful in getting up. He made two attempts with his powerful Baddeck No. 2, but did not get going properly and only left the ground a few feet, to descend immediately. The breaking loose of a dirigible created a scare in the crowd. Young Dixon, the 16-year-old aeronaut, when his machine was about ten feet from the ground, dropped out when the power which drives his propellers stopped. He failed to grab the rope as he dropped. The machine shot up in the air about three thousand feet, the gas exploded and the dirigible came down to total wreck on the ground. Hundreds of spectators were in the special train waiting in the siding at Lakeside when the affair happened at 6:30 p.m., and they returned to the city under the impression that Dixon was in the machine when it was wrecked. The attendance was about 3,000. It was splendid from start to finish without a hitch, except possibly the failure of McCurdy to fly with his Baddeck.

**WILL INSPECT CRUISERS NIOBE AND RAINBOW**

Ottawa, June 28.—Admiral Kingsmill goes to England this week to inspect the British cruisers Niobe and Rainbow, which are to form the nucleus of the Canadian navy respectively on the Atlantic and Pacific.

**PUBLIC DECEASED.**

New York, June 28.—W. H. Noyes, a representative of Swift & Co., testified at a hearing at the city hall yesterday that in 1909 the New York public paid \$28,000 for 225,000 pounds of wood spreaders in its meat.

Retail and wholesale butchers alike gathered at the hearing yesterday to hear his side of the case. The city authorities have been trying to remedy short weights for several weeks, and first hand information is sought. Hams and bacon weighed before the assemblage yesterday showed how the public is fooled. A ham, including heavy paper wrapping, marked 15-1-2 pounds, tipped the scales only 12 pounds 14 ounces. Another marked 10-1-2 pounds weighed 9 pounds 7 ounces. Similar shrinkage was shown in bacon.

**NEW MICHEL MINES.**

Nelson, June 28.—The Corbin mines at New Michel are opening up full blast. Two hundred men have been employed there recently, and more are wanted. Thirty-five miners' houses and a big hotel will be built during the summer to accommodate the large number of men required. The company has just closed a contract for 700 tons daily. Adding the usual sales of about 200 tons daily this company will now supply permanent contracts amounting to 1,000 tons a day.

**MAY RUN AGAIN.**

Albany, N. Y., June 27.—Politicians here believe that Governor Hughes will again run for governor of New York if Col. Roosevelt can convince him that he would be re-elected. Hughes, it is reported, thinks that the "machine" planned to "slaughter him" and that if he ran it would do everything in its power to defeat him. Hughes is believed to be ambitious for the presidency and he realizes that he must remain in politics to be a factor in the presidential race.

**AWAKENING OF SCIENCE**

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**FISHERIES OF NEWFOUNDLAND**

**U. S. Claims Right to Reject Regulations Detrimental to the American Citizens**

London, June 28.—A dispatch from The Hague says: The greater part of former Senator Turner's plea before the fisheries tribunal on behalf of the United States has been confined to endeavoring to support by an appeal to a portentous list of authorities a line of argument in favor of the theory of limitation of sovereignty, namely, that the rights of the United States under the treaty of 1818 form an international servitude analogous in some degree to those which commonly existed among the old German states, and which were subject to one great complexity. It may be said that the United States contends that the existence of this servitude over Newfoundland limits Great Britain's sovereignty to that extent, with the result that not only is Great Britain prevented from exercising her sovereignty so as to make regulations which would impair the fishing rights of the United States, but the United States is entitled to exercise sovereignty over its own fishing rights in the territories in question. The United States claims not only the right to concur in fishing regulations, and reject any detrimental to American citizens, but to insist upon as full a participation in the method of their enforcement as that to be exercised by Great Britain herself.

**PIGEON'S LONG FLIGHT.**

Vancouver, B. C., June 27.—After having lost its way and down nearly 1,500 miles out of its course in a 252 mile race from Kamloops, a thoroughbred homing pigeon owned by Jack Betts, a well known pigeon fancier of this city, returned to its home loft late last Saturday afternoon. The bird was more dead than alive and lay in an exhausted condition for some time after it reached the cot. The pigeon was one of a dozen birds liberated by a representative of the Vancouver Homing Club at Kamloops on June 11th for a race to this city.

**ROBBED AND THROWN FROM FREIGHT TRAIN**

**Man Found Lying at Bottom of Ravine With Both Arms and Legs Broken**

Sand Point, Idaho, June 28.—Hurled from a moving freight train on a trestle near Granite, Idaho, a man giving the name of Martin Crossman, fell 152 feet to the ravine at the foot of the trestle, and he lay for 24 hours with both arms and both legs broken before being found by a rancher. Crossman says he was set upon and robbed by four other men on a west-bound train from Sand Point, and that on reaching the middle of the trestle his assailants tied his hands and threw him from a car door. The train was moving rapidly at the time and Crossman says he lost consciousness for many hours following the fall. The robbery and attempted murder occurred Saturday night, and the victim did not recover consciousness until Sunday afternoon. With all his limbs fractured the injured man was helpless when found. A rancher crossing the trestle shortly after dark heard feeble cries coming from the deep ravine, and securing a lantern he headed a searching party.

**CHARGES NOT PROVED.**

Washington, D. C., June 28.—After three months of hearings the House committee to investigate charges reflecting on members of congress in connection with ship subsidy legislation, closed its Washington sessions yesterday with an unofficial announcement to counsel that it had found no corruption on the part of any members of congress. The newspaper editors, J. A. O'Mahoney, of Indianapolis, and W. A. Shaw, editor of the Texas Farmer, testified that they believed there was a lobby here, but neither produced any definite details.

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Drawers of Extra Fine Cotton, umbrella flounce of fine lawn, hemstitched tucks and edged with embroidery, Regular 75c and \$1.00. SALE PRICE ..... 60c  
Drawers of Soft Finished Cotton, deep lawn flounce, cluster of three tucks and trimmed with embroidery, Regular 90c. SALE PRICE ..... 75c  
Drawers of Extra Fine Cotton, finished with one row of embroidered insertion and four inch embroidered flounce, Regular 90c. SALE PRICE 75c

**COLLECTING FUNDS FOR WINNIPEG FAIR**

**E. Martin Says \$2,500,000 Has Been Contributed by Trade Organizations**

Toronto, June 28.—Ed. Martin, ex-president of the Winnipeg Board of Trade, is in the city conferring with others for the purpose of securing better freight rates for the west, both for the farmer and manufacturer. Mr. Martin, who is a brother of Joseph Martin, M. P. for East St. Pancras, London, states that trade organizations have succeeded in collecting \$2,500,000 for the big world's fair to be held there in 1914. Of this amount the G. T. P. has donated \$500,000, the C. P. R. \$500,000, and the C. N. R. \$250,000. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will shortly make a tour of the west, and while in Winnipeg, he will, it is understood, inform the city that the Dominion will give dollar for dollar to advertise the exhibition, the greatest the world has ever seen. This will mean that the government and the city will expend \$5,000,000 between them.

**T. F. MCGUIGAN DEAD.**

Was First to Hold Office of City Clerk in Vancouver.  
Vancouver, June 28.—Thomas F. McGuigan, one of the oldest residents of the city, and for many years city clerk, died Sunday. He was the first to hold the office of clerk, starting in 1886 and remaining in it for twenty years. He was subsequently an alderman for a few years. Mr. McGuigan was a native of Stratford, Ont., and was fifty years of age. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, one son, Mr. Stewart P. McGuigan, and a daughter, Miss Frances. Dr. McGuigan, at one time mayor of Vancouver, was his brother.

**NEW RECORD.**

Vancouver, June 28.—Sixty-nine million feet of logs were measured by the provincial scalers during May. This is a record, exceeding the best previous total by seventeen million feet. At nine dollars per thousand this output is worth \$621,000.

**ROOSEVELT TO MEET TAFT.**

Beverly, Mass., June 28.—President Taft is due to arrive at the summer White House here on Wednesday, Col. Theo. Roosevelt and Governor Hughes of New York will come here Thursday. As yet no date has been set for the conference between Taft and Roosevelt.

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**CIVIC ANARCHY.**

There are signs in the municipal firmament which indicate that the paths of Mr. Angus Smith, the new city engineer, are not going to be paths of peace and tranquility. A suspicion is abroad that a cabal has been organized, whose ramifications include certain elements in both the inside and the outside service, to make the engineer's tenure of office very unpleasant, perhaps impossible. The latter alternative is evidently the objective point. The "insurgents" appear to exercise considerable influence, and they are doubtless filled with a determination to make the most of it. The movement is yet merely in its incipient stages, and it is possible that the city council does not realize the gravity of the situation. Petty jealousy and contemptible enmity is at the bottom of it. There is even a shrewd suspicion that the Mayor is not above fostering and abetting the insurrection or the condition of anarchy, because of a fancied slight which may have been cast upon his pretensions as an engineer of repute and experience and also because if a condition of municipal chaos be precipitated, that will be further proof of the necessity for the constitution of a board of control as the only logical solution of the perplexing problem of administrative efficiency. Everybody knows that a board of control is the pet hobby of His Worship. We hope the council as soon as it understands the nature of the situation will take measures to deal with it in a drastic and determined manner. It should stand unflinchingly behind the city engineer. Mr. Smith should be given absolute control of his department, in accordance with resolution of the council, until his capacity has been proven. Give him the fair chance to which he is entitled even if in doing so it should be necessary that every subordinate official should be compelled to walk the plank. A fine state of affairs has been developed if minor officials are to be permitted to entertain the idea that they have acquired a prescriptive right to "run" the city. If the council is not strong enough to do its duty, its term will soon close, and the people will take a hand in the game.

**"DOWN AND OUT."**

Hon. G. E. Foster is still a "bone of contention" and a cause of division in the Conservative party. One authority tells us that but for the undesirable presence in the party of the member for North Toronto the late Goldwin Smith would have permanently and definitely come forth as a Conservative and that his strength and influence would unquestionably have had the effect of creating a marked change in the political sentiment of Canadians. Hence Mr. Borden is blamed for the lack of strength and determination he has displayed as leader, and inferentially he is responsible for the all but hopeless condition of the party to-day. On the other hand, one Conservative newspaper in the province of Ontario accuses the Conservative leader of heartlessness and ingratitude in permitting attacks on Mr. Foster, pointing out that while it may be true that the ex-Finance Minister has had his day and may be "down and out," the Conservative party owes a great deal to him for his services in the long years gone by, and ordinary gratitude should guarantee him at least a decent amount of fair play. Mr. Borden, it appears, has not had the courage to tell Mr. Foster to his face that "he is down and out." He has left the fact to be inferred from his choice of Mr. Doherty as his first lieutenant in Parliament and as his second in command during the recent disappointing Ontario tour that Mr. Foster is no longer an officer in his company. And, perhaps, in order that there may no longer be any doubt about the situation, one Johnson, a member of the Ontario legislature, was commissioned to get up at a meeting held in Hastings County and make the following significant statement within the hearing of Mr. Borden: "When Mr. Borden is called upon to form a cabinet we shall require from him that it shall contain no man whose record is tainted, no matter how eminent his services to the party may have been in the past. The Conservative party cannot afford to carry any man who has used time or money to his own advantage that he owed to the business in which he was employed, or from the management of a company to promote his own interests. The Conservative party have carried that burden too long."

**BEFORE THE HAGUE TRIBUNAL.**

There is nothing small about the American demand as placed before the Hague tribunal by Mr. Turner; the lawyer who is pleading the case for United States fishermen. His modest claim is that under treaty the United States possesses in Canadian and Newfoundland waters equal rights with British subjects in the taking of fish. Mr. Turner goes farther than that, although the claim would seem to be sufficient to satisfy the most extravagant demands. He contends that Americans have an equal voice in the making and enforcement of regulations. In effect, his plea amounts to this: that the waters in question are not in reality Canadian and Newfoundland waters, but are the common property of the three countries, and that the concession was forced from the British as the price of peace by the victorious "thirteen colonies." Sir Robert Findlay, who opened the case before the august international tribunal, after the British manner, adopted a much more judicial and very much less cocksure tone. Probably his arguments will have none the less weight on that account. Whatever view may prevail, the decision of the court will be of far-reaching importance to the three countries directly concerned. In the meantime the historic origin of the dispute is of considerable interest to Canadian readers. The facts, considered from an impartial point of view, seem to be that in pre-revolution times the fishermen of the thirteen American colonies enjoyed fishery rights in common with the people of the Maritime Provinces, Newfoundland and Labrador. When the separation from Britain was accomplished these privileges came to an end, much to the chagrin of the United States fishermen, and the treaty of 1783 was negotiated. By its terms the United States fishermen were allowed to fish on the Grand Banks of Newfoundland and in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and to dry and cure their fish in the unsettled bays and harbors of British territory. The declaration by the United States of war against Great Britain in 1812 put an end to that treaty. After the war the United States proposed to go on using our fisheries as before. Having failed to wrest the fisheries from Britain, they thought to avail themselves of the former treaty privileges. Great Britain very naturally objected, and set about seizing all foreign vessels found trespassing. Out of that difficulty came the treaty of 1818, which the Hague Court will have to construe. The treaty of 1818 indicated certain fishing grounds in which United States fishermen should have the right to fish in common with British fishermen. These are a part of the southern coast of Newfoundland, part of the west coast, part of the coast of Labrador, and the Magdalen Islands. The treaty also

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gave United States fishermen the right to land on the unsettled parts of Labrador and Newfoundland to dry and cure fish; and it specifically denied them the right to "take, dry or cure fish within three marine miles" of British coasts, bays, creeks or harbors. It permitted them, however, to enter bays or harbors for shelter, repairing damages, or for purchasing wood or obtaining water, but "for no other purposes whatever." Under the old reciprocity treaty which existed from 1854 to 1886, when our fish entered freely into the United States market, things ran smoothly. But when the United States ended that treaty, in pursuance of their policy to squeeze Canada, and shut our fish out, they set about trying to evade or nullify the treaty of 1818. They wanted all the concessions, but to be held to no conditions or obligations. The case is, of course, of more importance to Newfoundland than to Canada. The United States practically deny the competency of Newfoundland to regulate her own fisheries, as far as United States fishing therein is concerned; and that would soon mean the depletion of the fisheries. Canada, too, asks important rulings. The United States claim the right under the treaty to fish in our bays and harbors, as long as they are not within three miles of land. The wording of the clause denies them the privilege "to take, dry or cure fish on or within three miles of any of the coasts, bays, creeks or harbors." The Canadian contention is that the United States fishermen are excluded from the Canadian territorial waters, as the line would be drawn from headland to headland. This view conforms to United States practice along their own coasts and it was upheld in the case of the Alaska boundary settlement. Canada also insists on the observance of the treaty stipulation granting United States fishermen the right to enter our "bays and harbors" for shelter, repairs, wood and water "and for no other purpose whatever." The United States contend that they may license their fishermen, and, in spite of the treaty, authorize them to enter our harbors and to touch and trade. That seems to be a mere repudiation of the treaty. Count Zeppelin's mammoth and sumptuously-fitted airship is not making regular flights and passages according to schedule. German railway directors are not likely to forego their accustomed dividends as a consequence of the competition of Zeppelin III. Hamilton Times: Yesterday Whitney (premier of Ontario) made an attack upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier's loyalty, and charged him with misconstruing and misrepresenting the French-Canadians. Was the man drunk or affected by the heat that he should have talked so absurdly? The British Columbia University Commission has completed its investigations and has announced that its momentous decision as to the future site of the institution of learning may be made before "the snow flies." May we be permitted to call Dr. Weidson's attention to the fact that but little snow flies at any time in this section of Canada? This is the ingenious way in which the rush of immigration to Canada is accounted for by a newspaper which would blush if it found itself giving credit to the Dominion government for any good thing. "In great measure this record influx is due to increased interest being taken by the transcontinental railways. The appearance of the Grand Trunk Pacific on the scene, opening up a large and fertile new area and offering inducements to settlers to locate, has had the effect of stirring the Canadian authorities, and between them these two huge corporations are working in friendly rivalry to enrich Canada with a quality of population that will prove most desirable in the way of citizenship." The people of the east have lately been complaining of the cold, backward summer. Never within the memory of the oldest inhabitant, they aver, was there such a cranky, perverse, capricious, late spring and early summer. And so, as if in answer to their complaint, hot winds commence to blow and the sun glows with an intense heat. The grain, which had been growing amazingly and promising a most bountiful harvest, commences to wither at the roots and to become parched in the stalks. In anticipation of a reduced crop, prices are advancing. It is evidently a rash thing to inveigh against alleged weather caprices.

Mr. Justice Gregory leaves in a few days for the East, where he will visit during the vacation with his father, Hon. G. P. Gregory, a former member of the New Brunswick Supreme court.

J. Harmon, Everett, master carpenter of the Great Northern Railway, is here to inspect works along the Y. & S., and particularly the wharf at Sidney.

R. M. Winslow, provincial horticulturist, left yesterday for Washington and Oregon to look into the crop reporting system in those states.

Albert E. Craddock, secretary of the provincial department of agriculture, has been appointed to succeed R. W. Hodson as secretary of the B. & F. Association, from July 1st.

Miss Elsie Smith, Nanaimo, is visiting Miss Kathleen Dowdall, Michigan street.

Miss M. B. McKay, Woodstock, Ont., is spending a few days in this city as a guest at the Driford hotel.

Mrs. Stephen Jones returned yesterday afternoon from a visit to Seattle.

Capt. Yates left on his return trip to Nanaimo this morning.

H. Fisher, Sooks, spent yesterday in town.

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**Men's Flannel Pants at \$2.50**  
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**Women's Gloves Specially Priced**  
WOMEN'S CANVAS GLOVES, with gauntlet, very useful for housework and gardening; 2 pairs for 25c  
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**Men's White Duck Outing Hats, Regular 50c, Wednesday, 25c**

Nothing better for the boating season, which is here, than a good White Duck Hat. Not only is it light and comfortable, but it will stay on your head just when needed. At this price you cannot do without one. Regular 50c hats. Wednesday, 25c

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A specially fine selection of Boys' Blouses go on sale Wednesday at go-quick prices. These are specially well made, of fancy prints and drills, with trimmed collars and cuffs. Regularly sold for 75c and \$1.00. Wednesday special 50c

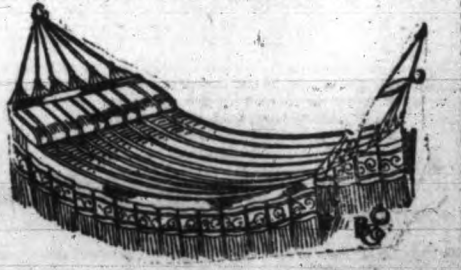
**Boys' White Duck Outing Hats, Wed. 25c**  
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Stage will start running Sunday, April 24th, 1910. Round trips 75c, single trips 50c. Leave Pacific Transfer Stables 9 a.m. every Sunday.

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Excursions Wednesdays and Saturdays. Now is the time to see the beautiful islands, the novelty of this trip cannot be exceeded in any part of the world.

July 1st—Cordova stage will leave Pacific Transfer stables at 9 a.m.

Chief Justice Hunter is holding chambers this afternoon.

The Fifth Regiment will break camp to-night about nine o'clock, and march from Macaulay Plains into the drill hall. No. 1 company will march up from the navy yard to meet the other two companies.

Tenders for printing the voters' lists of the city has been awarded to F. W. Casack at \$1.30 per page. The Victoria Printing & Publishing Co. put in a bid of \$1.90 per page.

The School Board has awarded the tender for flag-poles for the schools to Cousins Brothers. Tenders for painting the high school will be considered at a special meeting to-morrow afternoon.

Thousand Islands—Next Sunday the S.S. Iroquois will make one of those delightful trips among the Gulf Islands, stopping one hour at Mayne, and returning via the picturesque Pender Canal. Take V. & S. leaving Victoria at 9:45 a.m. Tickets and music on board. For further information telephone 511.

The matter of awarding the contract for the garbage bins which will be required by the city has been referred to the health and morals committee of the council, with power to act.

At a meeting of the Buriedecan Chapter recently held, it was unanimously resolved that this Chapter deprecates the holding of funeral services in any other place but the church. The resolution was communicated to Bishop Perrin, who expressed his entire approval with it.

The valuers who are fixing the amount to be paid by the Kettle River Valley Railway for the old Midway & Vernon Railway right-of-way, between Midway & Rock Creek, are advertising for details of claims for wages or materials supplied to the contractors for the old road. These claims will be paid out of the amount paid by the Kettle River Valley.

The Victoria Machinery Depot has complained of the excavations of a penitentiary clause in their contract with the city for the supply of various classes of goods, and last evening wrote to the city council to this effect. They explain that they are delivering the goods as rapidly as possible and contend that the city is being put to no inconvenience. The letter has been referred to the water commissioner for report.

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Seattle \$2.70 round trip by S. S. Iroquois leaving 9 a.m. Good from June 30th to July 5th.

The Hassam Pavement Co. are getting on with the laying of permanent pavements on Parliament Square. A concrete mixer and steam roller have arrived from Buffalo for use on the work.

Charles Nick was sent to jail for three months this morning after having been found guilty of a charge of indecency. The offence occurred at the Yale rooming house, Pandora street, and was directed towards the housekeeper when she was having Nick put out of the house.

There was a large crowd on the first excursion of the season among the islands of the gulf on Sunday. This trip by the V. & S. and the steamer Iroquois continues as popular as ever. It is one of the most enjoyable outings that can be taken about Victoria and should not be missed.

The remains of the late Mrs. Paine were interred in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the family residence, 227 Ontario street, where services were conducted by Rev. W. Leslie Clay, assisted by Rev. J. McCoy. The attendance of friends was very large and many floral offerings were presented. The following acted as pallbearers: W. Norman, T. Gray, C. Gilman, W. Dawson, C. K. Pomeroy and J. Laing.

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### MUSICAL COMEDY AT PANTAGES THEATRE

#### Lewis and Lake Company Scores a Hit With "A New York Girl."

After a long absence the Lewis and Lake Musical Comedy Company opened an engagement at the Pantages theatre yesterday afternoon and was welcomed by two big audiences. The piece presented, "A New York Girl," is a sparkling comedy, and the Johnson street house at both performances echoed with almost unremitting laughter. The company boasts three excellent comedians and a sprightly, tuneful chorus which was yesterday somewhat hampered by the absence of two or three girls.

For an opening day the staging was good and the show quite enjoyable. "A New York Girl," as the title may suggest, is a live, up-to-date production giving the company plenty of opportunity for singing, dancing and fun-making. In all three accomplishments the members of the troupe are adepts and never allow the interest of the audience to flag. The numbers are catchy and were encored several times. "A New York Girl" will be presented for the balance of the week, and judging by the hit which it made yesterday, will fill the Pantages house twice daily. The Lewis and Lake Company returns to the city with increased rank, better equipment and excellent dressing, and its occupation of the cosy Johnson street theatre is a welcome diversion from the usual vaudeville bill.

#### SPECIAL HOLIDAY RATES

For Dominion Day, July 1st, and Independence Day, July 4th, the C. P. R. have put in effect the following rates: Victoria to Vancouver and return, \$2.70. On sale June 20th and July 1st. Final return limit July 4th. Victoria to Seattle and return, \$2.50. On sale June 20th to July 4th. Final return limit July 5th.

#### SPLENDID PICTURES

Victoria Theatre Showing Scene Series Taken Along the C.P.R.

The "From Victoria to Calgary" C. P. R. scenic motion pictures, shown at the Victoria theatre last night, attracted a large number of people, who thoroughly enjoyed this wonderful picture production. It is impossible to over estimate the grandeur and scenic beauty which the pictures portray so clearly and graphically. The address given by Mr. Wynard, who has been touring the Dominion with the series, was most interesting and added color and zest to a very fascinating evening's entertainment.

The pictures give a very clear presentation of the unequalled beauties of the Northwest, and the wonderful engineering feats that have been performed in the upbuilding of the great Northwest, and the very impressive panorama of our national heritage.

The portion of the film devoted to Victoria proved most interesting, the government buildings, Empress hotel, the customs inspectors busily engaged in examining baggage from the Seattle boats, the two Princesses, Charlotte and Victoria, shown while passing each other at top speed outside the harbor—all these familiar scenes were put before the audience in a vivid and life-like manner that was intensely pleasing. The logging industry is also a section of the picture, which is both very interesting and instructive, showing vividly the many details of this important industry.

The pictures will be shown again each evening this week and at matinee Wednesday and Saturday. It is safe to say that the house will be crowded to capacity, when the public have become aware that so interesting and instructive an entertainment is within their reach.

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The dedication of the new steamer for the Columbia Coast Mission, being built at New Westminster, will take place here shortly. The cost will be \$22,000, of which \$2,000 has been collected in Victoria. Bishop Perrin hopes to hear from other friends. Mrs. Wolleston, 1732 Oak Bay avenue, will be glad to receive donations towards furnishing the steamer.

Fire starting in the bathroom of 708 Powderley avenue, yesterday afternoon, did damage amounting to \$3,000. The water pressure was very poor and not till the fire engine from Victoria West pumped a stream on the fire was there enough water. Fire Chief Davis complained to the Esquimalt Waterworks Co. The house is occupied by J. W. Lawrie.

The picnic to be held at Pender Bay on July 1st, is to be given jointly by the Metropolitan and Spring Ridge Methodist Sunday schools. The steamer Venture will leave Gillies wharf at the foot of Yates street at 8.30 and 10.30 a.m. and 1.3 and 3 p.m. Arrangements for this event have been completed and the committees in charge promises all those that attend a good time.

## PRIZE DAY AT THE ACADEMY

### STUDENTS AT ST. ANN'S RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

#### High Standing in All Subjects—Bishop MacDonald Speaks on Education

His Lordship Bishop MacDonald made a plea for greater simplicity in courses of study in a short address at St. Ann's Academy commencement exercises yesterday afternoon. In a forceful address his lordship dealt with the effect of education on character and of character upon religion.

Education, he said, was really a drawing-out and not a putting-in. By this he meant that it developed the innate faculties and did not solely mean the acquisition of information. In the present day, when sciences were reaching out so far, there was always a danger of attempting more than was possible. Moreover, it appeared to him that the true meaning of education was being lost sight of. The bareness of modern education was the multiplicity of subjects, through which the student was led to grasp at the shadow of superficial knowledge and to miss the substance sought. In nineteen years of teaching he had learned that it was better for the student to learn a few things well than to become "Jack of all trades and master of none." Mental food must not be too varied or it could not be easily digested.

The chief aim of education, however, continued his lordship, was to build up character rather than to simply train the mind. He thought that all religion was reared upon character. His lordship read two extracts, one from the writings of Governor Marshall, of Indiana, and one from the pen of "a white-haired man in the Vatican," dealing with this phase of his address, and concluded by exhorting his hearers to make religion their greatest aim and highest ambition.

The exercises were held in the fine new assembly hall, and the pupils, attired in white and bedecked with flowers, presented a pretty sight as they grouped in the gallery. There was a very large attendance, the hall being packed to the doors when the proceedings commenced. Bishop MacDonald presented the medals and diplomas and presided over the gathering. Rev. Edward Hildbrand presented the rosaries awarded for proficiency in Christian doctrine.

Every selection in the programme was given, the vocal and instrumental music alike being excellent. A feature were the two choruses by all the pupils, which were sung with precision and intelligence, reflecting great credit on the instructors. Miss Amy G. Jones rendered a vocal solo, an air from Mendelssohn and another from Rubens. The instrumental selections were: Quartette, Misses Teresa McDonnell, May Tolle, Margaret Carroll and Alice Duthie; duet, Misses Edith Whiting and Jean McGillivray. Most creditably written essays were read by Miss Helen M. Gonnason and Miss Mary S. Egan.

Following is the complete list of prizes and premiums awarded: Gold medal for excellence in the academic cases, conferred by his Lordship Bishop MacDonald—Miss Emma Gonnason.

Gold medal for proficiency in the grammar grades, presented by Mother Anastasia, superior general of the sisters of St. Ann at Lachine, P. Q.—Miss Kezia Sehl.

Amethyst rosary for Christian doctrine in the senior class—Miss Katherine O'Rourke.

Gold medal for Christian doctrine in the intermediate class—Merited—conjointly by Miss Amelia Hall and Miss Maria Teresa Garesche, and drawn by Miss Garesche.

Mother-of-pearl rosary for Christian doctrine in the junior class—Miss Mary Sullivan.

Governor-General's silver medal for observance of the regulations and for politeness among the senior resident pupils—Merited by Misses Eleanor Carroll, Annie Trudell, Constance Hammond, Frances Ferguson, and drawn by Miss Ferguson.

Governor-General's bronze medal for observance of the rules and for politeness among the pupils—Merited conjointly by Misses Zilla Balcom, Helen Gonnason, Katherine O'Rourke, Elsie Sutherland, Frances Hickey, Rubie Tomars, Marjorie Freeman, Charlotte Foot, Bessie Fowkes, Lillie Maas, Margaret McDonald, and drawn by Miss Balcom.

Gold medal for literature and composition, conferred by Rev. Father Fraser—Merited by Miss Mary S. Egan, Helen Gonnason, May Jackson and Katherine O'Rourke, and drawn by Miss Egan.

Gold pen for regular attendance among day scholars—Merited by Misses Frances Briggs, Kezia Sehl, Lillie Maas, Millicent Bloor, and drawn by Miss Maas.

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For each citizen there is a little more than three-fifths of an acre of forest, and though 58 cubic feet of wood to the acre is produced in a year, wood imports have exceeded wood exports for more than 40 years and 3,000,000,000 cubic feet, valued at \$30,000,000, or more than one-sixth of the home consumption is imported each year.

In forestry, Germany has always led in scientific thoroughness; the scientific knowledge has been applied with the greatest technical success; and it has procured an increasing forest output together with an enlargement of profits. It will be interesting at the outset to state the European forestry theory, the basis on which Germany and other nations have conducted their conservation work, and statistics and summaries to come later to show that there has been a profit in the practice of the theory.

### Cultivated Forests.

In the cultivated forests of Germany the absence of underbrush and decayed logs and limbs, the density of the forest, and even the distribution of the trees, often planted in long straight rows, immediately arrest the attention. One can walk through a forest or drive anywhere among them, except where the hills are too steep or stony or where the trees stand too closely together, this always being the case in young woods. The trees are not permitted to reach the full limit of their life and then as the result of decay, to fall and remain rotting on the ground. They are considered as wood capital, which adds interest to itself as long as the trees continue to grow, at first slowly when the trees are small, more rapidly when they are of medium size, and more slowly again when they become large.

When the trees die the wood interest ceases entirely, and as they decay the capital is reduced. The forester leaves this wood capital as long as the interest continues satisfactory. Then, when the growth declines, it is removed by the forester taking the trunks and limbs, and the peasants gathering up the brush and straw, leaving the stumps, although these too frequently are taken care of by the forester, and sold in the market to pay the cost of their removal.

In some German districts all the products are marketed. In Mecklenburg a good layer of leaves and moss rolls for \$16 an acre. In some sections a nominal sum is charged for brushwood; in the Spessart, Bavaria, it has long been the right of peasants to gather forest litter without charge. Sometimes this permission applies to the gathering of nuts, which are used as food for domestic animals.

### State Forestry.

Systematic state forestry began in Germany 150 years ago, when the country felt the pinch of a wood shortage, but there were also contributory causes, such as the effect upon agriculture and stream flow, due directly to erosion. Just across the border, France, denuded of its forests, was having trouble with its mountain torrents, and the Germans, seeing the danger to their own lands, protective forests were provided for by Bavaria in 1852, by Prussia in 1875, and by Wurtemberg in 1878. Now all the German states practice forestry with success.

In Prussia the forests cover nearly 7,000,000 acres, and methods of management adopted call for a sustained yield. In consequence, the productivity has been multiplied three-fold in 75 years. In 1830 the yield was 20 cubic feet per acre; in 1865, 24 cubic feet. Saxony has 420,000 acres of state forests and its yield rose 55 per cent between 1820 and 1904. It is now 33 cubic feet per acre. These increases are not limited to Germany, since other European nations, notably Italy and Switzerland, are now reaping large revenues from timber lands.

### How Forests Are Managed.

The forests are managed largely in compartments, each of which, when the mature trees are considered ready for removal, is cut clean and planted with a new crop. Sometimes the compartments are located so that the cutting proceeds regularly in one direction as a protection against the prevailing winds, and at intervals of perhaps ten years, in which case the forest shows distinctly 10 or 12 "age classes," arranged in a series of progressive heights. If a compartment is harvested and replanted each year, the number of age classes will of course equal the age to which the trees are allowed to grow.

"Cutting clean" is most commonly used in pine and spruce forests, of Germany. These forests are mostly started in nurseries where the seeds are sown. In two years they are transplanted when six inches high. They grow in two or three years more to be 12 or 15 inches tall, and then they are replanted, again to denuded fields and replanted about four feet apart, so that in a short time they will begin to crowd each other.

This condition compels the trees to grow tall and slender and to shed their lower branches, thereby permitting a growth of timber free from knots. The trees are usually planted in straight rows and in about 20 years a thinning is necessary. In spruce forests sometimes more than half the trees are removed at the first "thinning." These are sold for firewood, and various other uses. The fuel wood, laid at the roadside, brings about \$2.25 a cord. Every product of the forest of Ger-

many and southern Europe finds ready utilization. This is due to the good market, population, low wages and good roads. The effect of the market is everywhere apparent in the great economy of wood. In hotels, heat is a luxury for which guests often pay an extra charge. Village and forest houses are seldom constructed of wood. Walls of plaster and cement are the rule. Floors are made of stone in many cases, and tiles and iron take the place of shingles. Wooden fences, board sidewalks and block pavements are uncommon.

### Not Enough Timber.

Yet the forests, which cover one-fourth of the area, fall far short of the requirement. Germany imports more than 300,000,000 feet of timber, paying the duty of 28 cents for every 210 pounds, or one cubic meter (85.3 cubic feet) of dressed timber. Germany's own production of timber amounts to more than 600,000,000 cubic feet. Germany were to supply the demand from its own soil it would need an additional 200,000 acres. The percentage of forestry soil would be increased from 26 to 40 per cent of its area. It is doubtful if there are more than 2,500,000 acres for this purpose. If every available spot were utilized and all the waste lands suitably adapted for agriculture were planted in pine, spruce, fir and other trees, it would require 50 years for them to be ready for market, and then the supply would not equal the demand. Only Bavaria and Wurtemberg have a surplus of home timber.

### DENIES EXTRAVAGANCE IN NORTH SAANICH

#### Reeve Sangster Says Taxes Are Lower and Roads Better Than in Other Municipalities

Reeve Sangster, of North Saanich, is piqued at what he characterizes as a misleading story which appeared in a recent issue of the morning paper, in which it was stated that there was a movement on foot to de-municipalize North Saanich and bring it once more under the direct control of the provincial government. This action, it was said, was to be taken on account of the great increase in taxation in the municipality and the failure of the council to keep the roads in a good state of repair.

Mr. Sangster stated to a Times representative that the taxes in North Saanich were lower than in any other municipality in the province, the present rate being six mills on the dollar, with a reduction of one-sixth for each year, which reduced the rate to five mills. Half of this amount was spent on the schools and would have to be paid even if Saanich were not a municipality. As a matter of fact, the rate of taxation was exactly the same as at the time of incorporation, with a very slight increase in the assessments which were still far below actual value.

"Everyone knows that the roads are in a better state than they have ever been," said the reeve. "The bridges have been fixed in, and the municipality has no debt whatever. Of what other municipality can this be said? We do not like statements like this to be forth uncontradicted, as it is liable to harm the district. There was opposition to the formation of the municipality by Mr. John Taylor and one or two others at the time it was incorporated, and if there was any flaw in the charter it would probably have been found at that time."

### Y. M. C. A. MAY BE ESTABLISHED AT VERNON

#### Proposal Regarding Use of Old School Building Submitted to Board of Trustees

Vernon, June 27.—Mayor Husband was present at the last meeting of the school board and introduced a matter of some importance, and which, if successfully launched, will, Trustee Harwood said, be a lasting credit to the mayor and present administration. Mayor Husband said that of late, and more especially during this, his year of office in connection with police court cases, he had had brought to his mind very forcibly the need of a Young Men's Christian Association in this city. There are a large number of young men around the town whose homes are not here, and the only places which attract them are the hotels, where they frequently get into trouble, and which, at any rate, they would do better not to frequent. As the trustees would soon have a building for which they would have no further use, His Worship came to hear their views on this matter, and thought that if the money sufficient to equip and run a Y. M. C. A. would be forthcoming, the building could not be turned to a better purpose.

All the trustees fell in heartily with the suggestion, and so expressed themselves.

Chairman Harris in his remarks mentioned that there is a Y. M. C. A. at Summerland, and he thought it was up to Vernon to exert a little effort to start an association here.

Trustee Harwood remarked that the trustees will soon have a building which will be of no use to them, being either the present public or High school, according to whichever will be used for High school purposes. The present public school, he said, will cost a considerable sum to get into good repair. He was heartily in accord with Mayor Husband's suggestion, and would much rather see the building devoted to such a purpose than be disposed of.

S. Polson spoke of the present High school building as being in every way suited to the requirements of a Y. M. C. A., and the fact of it being so close to the park made it even more useful. He would hold up both hands for having the building given over to the council for Y. M. C. A. purposes. He was still of the opinion that an artificial lake would be constructed in the park, and this would be a measure to save the cost in the equipment of the building in the matter of swimming baths.

There was some little talk as to the

ownership of the property, and the procedure to be gone through in order to convert one of the school buildings into a Y. M. C. A. Mr. Highman stated that the control of the building is vested in the school board, and he maintained they should still control it and not let pass out of their hands any rights which they hold, and was of the opinion that the building should be leased or rented.

Mayor Husband stated that it would be possible to make a good deal of money in order to properly equip and run the institution, and the people would have to dig down deeply into their pockets in order to launch a Y. M. C. A. Having now presented the matter to the school board, and having their unanimous approval, His Worship purposes to call a public meeting at which the matter can be presented to the ratepayers.

FRUIT MARKET IN PRAIRIE PROVINCES

### J. C. Metcalfe Reports Further as to the Conditions He Found Existing

J. C. Metcalfe, special commissioner of the department of agriculture, reports as follows on his investigations into prairie fruit markets: Portage La Prairie. No B. C. strawberries arrived this point to date. Hood River strawberries here costing retail at Winnipeg \$4.25 per case, Missouri strawberries also costing \$3.90 per case. Express rate by C. N. R. and C. P. R., 60c. per hundred pounds, or about 18c. per case. Dealers here from our strawberries do not arrive in as good condition, nor do they hold up as well after arrival at Hood River or Missouri, but prefer as to flavor, Idaho cherries in now, cost dealer Winnipeg \$2.50 per case. Dealers all supplied from Winnipeg. No jobbing houses here.

### At Smith & Burton, Retailers Here, I saw some B. C. strawberries from Mission. Arrived in good condition and fairly well graded, but baskets not full enough. Our growers generally do not fill baskets enough, in comparison with the American growers and shippers. Washington cherries in here now. Mr. Pauline, manager of Peterson Fruit Company here, stated they cost 70c. per ten pound case, r.a.b., Washington. Were buying California peaches, f.o.b. point of shipment, 60c. per case, and expect to buy them before season was over at 50c. per case, point of shipment.

Shippers here, only in a limited number of shipments of strawberries direct from growers at Hammond and Mission, all of which arrived in pretty good condition, and prefer our strawberries as to flavor in comparison with the American berries from Tennessee, Missouri, Louisiana and even Hood River, but our growers do not grade close enough or fill the baskets as well.

### Regina.

Agent express company here reported two shipments of strawberries arrived here from Mission; twelve on the tenth and thirteen on the thirteenth, for McPherson Fruit Company, and one for W. J. P. M. Co., being in poor condition. Were sold by the express company for 40c. First lot brought \$15 and the second lot \$17. Express charges to be deducted from above. Twenty-five cases more came in from Mission on the 11th, were only in fair condition. Twelve cases more came in the 12th from Mission. These strawberries were bought by their agents for Stratton and Mallinson, some of them arriving on the Saturday night, and by Monday were in very poor condition. Quite a number of them had to be dumped out, being no good. Our growers and shippers must avoid shipping to arrive on Saturday night at any of these points, as they will certainly suffer loss, if more attention is not given to the time of shipment, there is no difficulty in figuring out from time table the proper train and day to ship.

### Saskatoon.

Have had three carloads of strawberries in here this season, Hood River and Missouri. B. C. strawberries are coming in here daily. They do not arrive here in the best condition stock is poorly graded, and baskets not well filled of those I saw at the Northern Fruit Company's warehouse. This stock is bought by their own agent at Mission. These berries are brought in all C. P. R. by way of Kirkella to Saskatoon, being a longer time in transit than via Regina, Saskatoon, 25c. Express rate by Kirkella \$3 per hundred pounds, express rate via Regina \$3.55 per hundred pounds, having to go over the C. P. R. to Regina, then C. N. R. to Saskatoon, but a shorter time in transit. They refused one lot of forty cases, 100 cases in from Mission, and they were sold for charges.

The freight rate on mixed carloads from Lewiston, Idaho, is \$1.33 per hundred pounds; from North Yakima, \$1.42 per hundred pounds.

### Prince Albert.

In conversation with the retailers here, I find a strong feeling in favor of B. C. fruit of all kinds. They have no jobbing houses here and are supplied by the jobbing houses of Saskatoon and Regina, although in past seasons they have had mixed carloads of B. C. fruit, Coombs & Co., Rogers & Co., A. F. Purdy & Co., and Mandell & Co., all dealt largely in fruit, co-operating together sometimes in the buying of the same. A few B. C. strawberries came in here from B. C., but it is a long and expensive trip. They have to go over two roads to reach here, costing via Kirkella \$4. per hundred pounds, but via Regina \$4.15 per hundred pounds, but they could not co-operate and handle mixed carloads of fruit by freight at this point successfully. This morning before leaving I saw some Vashon Island strawberries, came in from Winnipeg, arrived soft and mouldy. Express rate from Winnipeg to Prince Albert, \$2.40 per hundred pounds.

There is certainly better feeling on the part of the jobbing houses and retailers towards buying and handling our fruit this season. They recognize we have a good crop of fruit, and they also are aware that it will come into these markets, and if they do not handle it they will have it in competition anyway.

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contact with that we have an abundant crop of all varieties of fruit, and that it will be to their advantage to handle B. C. fruit for many reasons. Another point our growers and shippers ought to bear in mind is the fact that although all our fruit might be marketed in the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan, it will be advisable to market a percentage of our output in the province of Manitoba, for the purpose of not only selling our fruit but also the advertising of it, and also the possibilities of fruit growing in this province, removing the impression that exists in the minds of some that we are not growing or producing any appreciable quantity of fruit as yet.

It is hoped our growers and shippers will see every endeavor to put up a good product this season for these markets, because prices will be raised to a great extent by Oregon and Washington competitive prices, and we may be prepared to meet them. Prices for B. C. fruit in many instances will be the ruling prices for same variety and grade of fruit in B. C.

SUIT OVER LOTS. Judgment Reserved in Case of Frewen vs. Grand Trunk Pacific Development Company.

Vancouver, June 28.—Yesterday saw the close of the trial of the Supreme court case of Frewen vs. the Grand Trunk Pacific Development Company over 1,000 lots in Prince Rupert, when Chief Justice Hunter reserved his judgment. The opening of the trial was the request of the plaintiff for the plaintiff, C. D. Rand, produce the list of upset prices on Prince Rupert property for the auction sale here last May. The court refused to grant the request, and the case was adjourned to the 29th.

An interesting witness was Mr. Bonthron, the engineer who accompanied Mr. Frewen to Prince Rupert when he made his selection of the 1,000 lots, according to the verbal understanding which he claimed he had had with the president of the G. T. P. Mr. Bonthron said that when he had outlined the whole proposition to Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, at an interview in the East, that gentleman had characterized the deal as a "slick Yankee trick." In the closing arguments the case was narrowed down to the question of whether or not any prices had ever been fixed, and if so, what they were. The plaintiff's counsel for the defence put on the proposition that Mr. Frewen was now suing for.

Counsel for the plaintiff read from a letter written by Mr. Hays to Mr. Frewen, in which the former stated that values would be put on the property as soon as surveys had been completed, and that these values would be asked to pay. He claimed that the Rand values, fixed at the instance of the company, were the offer so referred to in the letter, and that the plaintiff should have got his land, instead of being quoted prices equal to, and in some cases higher than the top bids at the auction sale.

No matter which way the decision goes the case will be appealed.

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## The North Veranda

By B. M. CROKER

A chance meeting in the hall of a Swiss hotel, in the vicinity of the visitors' book, a polite "After you," and a similarity of surnames, led to our acquaintance with two charming Americans. The acquaintance ripened into friendship, and ultimately my sister Lucy and self discovered that Mrs. Washington-Dormer and her son Philip were connected with our family, and that we, the Dormers of Ashley Gardens, Victoria, London, S. W., were cousins (several times removed) of our namesakes of Rochelle, near Lexington, Kentucky, U. S. A.

Mrs. Dormer was a widow with a good figure, snow-white hair, and a bright intelligent face. She had also a cheerful manner, and an air of brisk decision. Having confessed to the national passion for old places, old curiosities, and old pedigrees, she set to work to examine our family tree, from which it appeared that a certain relative had emigrated in the year 1810, settled, married, founded a dynasty in the state so worthily celebrated for its thoroughbred horses and blue grass.

The company of "Cousin" Carolina and "Cousin" Philip we travelled through northern Italy and the Tyrol with mutual enjoyment, and before we separated in Paris, had entered into a solemn league and covenant to visit our Kentucky cousins in the early "fall." I was rather astonished at the alacrity with which Lizzie accepted this invitation, knowing that she was a hopelessly bad sailor and how she hated the sea! It however dawned on me that she liked Cousin Philip, and the least observant could see that he worshipped her.

Behold us arrived and happily established at Rochelle, a stately old "Colonial" house, which, with its pillared verandas on all four sides, presented a dismaying appearance in the midst of spreading turf lawns (the beautiful blue grass) and avenues of walnut trees, clumps of oak and hickory.

In former days Rochelle had been surrounded by an immense estate, worked by slaves who raised and gathered vast crops of hemp, tobacco and corn, but now the shrunken acreage was chiefly devoted to the breeding and rearing of horses; for these, Cousin Philip enjoyed a reputation that extended from New York to New Orleans. My sister Lizzie was in her

element, being a fearless rider and a capital whip. Cousin Carolina, too, was an admirable horsewoman, despite her fifty years. The days were spent in driving racing trotters, galloping young thoroughbreds, visiting distant runs, and inspecting stables. But these joys were not for me! I am naturally timid, and a shameless coward where horses are concerned, distrustful of distant cows and all strange dogs. I believe mine is what is called "the artistic temperament" (I paint, and write poetry), yet I have a certain queer courage of my own. For instance, I am not afraid to discharge a servant, to venture alone into a dark room, and have no belief in ghosts. When my sister, cousins and their friends scoured the neighborhood, I remained contentedly at Rochelle, sketching the best "bits" of scenery, the little black "pickaninnies," and the interior of the house itself. Mr. and Mrs. Gossett, Cousin Carolina's niece and nephew, were a gay young couple, also of the party, which included Cousin Carolina's old school-fellow, Miss Virginia Boone, a lineal descendant of the celebrated David, founder of the state. She was an interesting woman, and had a fund of stories relating to Kentucky and the Civil war, which rent the union in two. One day Lizzie asked her to tell us something about Rochelle itself; it was so mellowed, solid, and in its way delightful, with an atmosphere of age and peace.

"Well, you see," said Miss Boone, clearing her throat, "Carolina has not lived here long; it's not her family place. Rochelle belonged to the Taylors—a great white back, and it was standing empty for quite a spell. The grass is said to be the best in the world for young horses, and Philip was crazy to come here, so he routed his mother out at last; Rochelle was a dead bargain, too, and though Carolina was loathe to come, now she likes it"; then, as if to herself, she added, "she comes from a distance, or maybe she'd never have come at all!"

This was a dark saying, and I hastened to beg for some enlightenment. Miss Boone seemed to hesitate before she replied.

"Well, of course, all great plantations are the same."

"The same?" I echoed.

"Yes, where numbers of slaves have been employed. See," pointing to a row of lines or negro quarters to the north of the house. "I expect in Taylors' time there were hundreds there."

The estate were some of the largest in Kentucky."

"Cousin Carolina still has black servants," I remarked.

"Oh, yes; Uncle Pete, and Mammy, and Jane, were born in the family, the children of children of slaves devoted to the Dormers."

"Do you know that I saw such a forbidding-looking nigger staring in through the breakfast-room window?" said Lizzie. "I've never noticed him as one of the servants or hands, and he looked anything but devoted. He was black and big, and he pressed his hideous face close up against the glass, and scowled at me, and muttered something; when I got up and went to find out what he wanted, he was gone."

"A tramp," I suggested.

"Possibly. I hope I shant see him again," said Lizzie, rising. "Here come the horses and the buggy; you—"

"—to me—will have the house to yourself for the whole afternoon."

"So much the better," I answered. "I intend to make a sketch of Taffy, and there will be no one to distract his attention."

Taffy was a handsome fox terrier, remarkable for a very short tail, and great independence of character. I watched the cavalcade turn down the avenue—Cousin Carolina and Miss Boone driving, followed by two mounted couples—and then set to work to persuade Taffy to sit for his portrait.

By and bye the fierce glare of the setting sun compelled me to retreat with my black paint box and model into the north veranda. This overlooked from a respectful distance—the servants' quarters, and possibly for this reason, was but little frequented. It proved delightfully shady and almost empty, save for a few roomy old cane chairs, but now that I had obtained a satisfactory light, my sitter began to fall me; he became restless, fidgety and disobedient, turning his head and pricking up his ears; finally, he trotted off bodily. His attitude implied grave suspicion of something or somebody, and his air was so uneasy, that he almost gave the impression of there being an intruder in our vicinity, visible only to him.

This, of course, was a ridiculous idea, but as nothing would induce Taffy to "sit," I relinquished the hope of finishing my sketch, and fetching a book from the drawing-room, settled myself comfortably in one of the cane chairs, and prepared to pass an hour of undisturbed enjoyment. The story of "Uncle Tom" proved to be absorbing; I had almost lost consciousness of my surroundings, when I was startled by a very peculiar sound quite close to me—a strange, inarticulate, gurgling noise, as if someone was being choked. I looked about; there was not a soul in the veranda, and I came to the conclusion that Taffy had swallowed a fly, which had gone the wrong way. I called to him; he was not fly catching, but seemed to be staring intently at a certain closed door, and entirely unconscious of my presence.

I resumed my book, only to be again disturbed by this curious choking noise, and Taffy with all his hair bristling on his back, now sought refuge under my chair, uttering low growls. At the same moment I noticed, coming directly from the servants' lines, a gigantic negro, whom I never remembered to have seen

before. His head was bare, his face lowering and sullen, he wore a ragged blue-and-white striped jacket, trousers turned up to his knees, and a pair of clumsy boots. As he advanced, with a deliberate purposeful air, I became conscious of a sensation of fear, which increased with every stride.

The evening was still and warm, not a breath of air was stirring, the very leaves were motionless. Taffy was dumb, and the only sound to be heard was these approaching footsteps.

A door in the veranda suddenly opened, and, to my amazement, there came forth a middle-aged lady, who was a complete stranger; she wore a flowing white dress-gown, with wide sleeves, reddish hair, of which she had a quantity, hung loosely to her waist, her figure was tall and slight, her sallow face—this I only saw in profile—looked hard as flint, the expression of her sharply-cut features was determined and aggressive. She hurried across the veranda with light, pattering footsteps, and reached the railings that enclosed it, almost at the same moment as the huge black. I gathered that she addressed him angrily—her face expressed violent fury—but I could not distinguish a single word. As I sat motionless, an amazed and nervous spectator, Taffy crawled out from under my chair, and with one piercing howl, fled from the scene like a creature possessed.

I observed that the negro listened to his mistress with downcast eyes and an air of dogged indifference, even that, as he waited, he held one hand against his back, and grasped in that hand—

invisible to the woman—was a shining blade about two feet long, which I recognized as the knife used for cancutting, and called a "machete."

Whilst the two figures stood, one on the veranda, the other immediately beneath, I became aware that an immense crowd had assembled outside the quarters—hundreds of colored people—and a sudden hoarse hum arose, resembling the buzzing of angry bees.

Finally the lady raised her clenched fist with a fierce, threatening gesture, and turned away.

As she did so the negro gave a deep guttural laugh, reached but his arm, caught her roughly by the hair, and dragged her head backwards over the edge of the railing. I saw her long, withered throat fully exposed, and it was with a shock of unexampled horror that I beheld the descent of a gleaming blade. With one swift stroke the wretched woman's head was severed from her body. I heard the previous gurgling and choking sound as it fell with a heavy thud upon the lawn, while the trunk collapsed in a hideous heap upon the boards of the veranda, which were instantly deluged with blood. The dreadful tide was flowing towards me, but I was totally unable to stir, hand or foot; I felt as if I was paralyzed.

The murderer, stooping, lifted the head by its hair. I had a view of the blanched and ghastly face, the wide-open eyes fixed in wild astonishment. He held it up towards the lines, and, in response, there rose strange, fierce, and prolonged shouts of jubilation—such, I imagine, as are uttered by savages when exulting over some fallen enemy. Then, with his horrible trophy in one hand and a dripping knife in

the other, the negro turned, and looked straight at me. Instantly everything became blurred; black darkness descended, and I remember no more.

When I came to myself, the clear, imperative voice of Cousin Carolina was saying:

"My dear Marion, do you know that it is very imprudent to sleep out of doors at sundown, even in our exquisite climate?"

"Sleep!" I repeated, with an involuntary shudder. "I've not been sleeping," and with a painful effort I rose, and tottered into a lighted sitting room.

"What has happened to you, Marion?" cried my sister. "You look simply awful—are you ill, or have you seen a ghost?"

"Yes," I answered, looking round at six expectant faces. "I have seen two in the veranda!"

I noticed that Miss Boone gave me a quick, sharp look, but the rest of the company wore indulgent smiles, and Cousin Carolina said:

"No such thing as ghosts, my dear; it's only ignorant people, like the negroes, that believe in them now. You have Scotch blood in your veins—your mother was a Highlander; no doubt you are a bit superstitious, and you have such imagination, dear child, and are so highly strung. You have just dozed off, and had a nightmare."

"Tell me, what do you think you saw?" said Philip, who had brought me a glass of wine.

I slipped this before I answered: "A horrible sight; a lady in a white gown—I believe the owner of the estate—beheaded in the veranda by a huge negro; and all the slaves—hundreds of them—shouted and yelled for joy!"

Mrs. Gossett, who was young and giddy, began to giggle, and then apologized, adding:

"It sounds so screamingly funny—a public execution in the Rochelle veranda!"

"It was just a bad nightmare—the result of a crab salad at lunch and Uncle Tom's Cabin," declared Cousin Carolina, "and nothing else. I believe there is a place, somewhere near Lexington, that has a story, but it is certainly not Rochelle, and sensible folk don't believe in 'boggy tales.'"

"No," I answered, now fortified by company and port wine; "but you will admit that seeing is believing. I've heard that my mother had second sight, and I'm afraid she has bequeathed it to me."

"My dear, you are a little upset," said Cousin Carolina; "don't think of your dream, and you will soon forget it. I dare say it was very vivid. Do not repeat it to any of the servants, like a good child, or we shall have the place in an uproar. Now, just go and lie down, and get a rest before supper; Lizzie will look after you. Another time, we won't leave you to keep house all alone."

Cousin Carolina was a despotic lady in her way, and would never suffer my nightmare in her back north veranda to be discussed. I still stuck to my opinion, but was as one to six, for even my own sister had deserted me, and preached about imagination, and crab salad; but it seemed impossible that a mere nightmare could ever be so vivid in its horror and its nearness. For days I felt ill and nervous, and it was only my pride, Cousin Carolina's forc-

ible character, and Mrs. Gossett's wild giggles that restrained me from reproving myself to an hotel at Lexington.

I never sat alone, and preferred a crowd to solitude. I even thrust my company on Phil and Lizzie, now an engaged couple. Taffy and I were fast friends; we two had shared a unique experience—an experience apart. I was sensible of this bond in his manner, and I read it in the expression of his wistful eyes.

A suspicion, nay, a conviction, took root in my mind. Miss Boone knew more about Rochelle than she pretended. More than once I found her gazing at me with an air of peculiar interest, and more than once curiosity had urged her to angle (very cautiously) for some particulars of the tragedy I thought I had seen, but I declined to indulge her. She was an unbeliever, and I held my tongue.

In the month of January Lizzie once more faced the Atlantic, accompanied by Miss Boone, Philip, and myself. She was obliged to return home in order to arrange about her trousseau and money affairs. We travelled by a big liner, and had on the whole a capital trip. Miss Boone found several friends among the passengers, and one afternoon, as we sat in the library in the idle hour which follows tea, an old lady, her son and daughter, joined our small circle. We discussed a variety of topics and impressions, and at last came to Kentucky State, Lexington, and Rochelle.

"Rochelle?" repeated the lady's daughter. "Is not that the haunted house, mamma?"

"Yes—the Taylors' place," she answered briskly. "There is a dreadful story about it, but I fancy it is more or less forgotten by this time. For years and years it could not find a tenant—the house I mean. The land, of course, is most valuable."

"What is the story?" I inquired, and I glanced with some significance at Lizzie and Philip.

"I remember hearing of it from my mother," continued the old lady, "and it's a gospel truth. The Taylors were wealthy, had a great estate, and slaves, and were well thought of by all, till the time of Mrs. Herman Taylor, a widow, who inherited it from her husband. She was very strange—some said crazy—and lived alone, hoarded her money, and flogged her slaves, and worked them to death. There were stories of terrible scenes at Rochelle; that lovely old place, so dignified and admired, had become a sort of negroes' hell. People could only talk—they did not dare to interfere. Marcella Taylor was a rich woman, and a vindictive enemy, and had overseers as cruel and hard as herself; she got more out of her slaves in the way of return than any mistress or master in the state. When it was moonlight, it was said that she worked them day and night, and her crops were extraordinary."

"At last the situation became intolerable, beyond the endurance of flesh and blood. A field hand, who had been terribly flogged, took the law into his own hands, and one evening, in the sight of the entire community, executed Mrs. Taylor in the north veranda. He had been summoned to receive a punishment; and the story is that he suddenly drew a long knife, which he had concealed, dragged her backwards

by the hair, and beheaded her on the spot. He took the head with him, escaped to the woods, and was never seen or heard of again.

"It was also said that every anniversary the scene was reenacted in the same veranda, but fortunately was only visible to a few. The Villiers, who succeeded to the estates, hated the place, and got rid of it, and so for two generations the house has had a bad name, but now it is apparently recovering its character. I suppose the supernatural has a time limit."

She glanced at me imploringly, and I suffered silence to pass for a moment. In this extraordinary and unexpected fashion my experience was confirmed, my truthfulness vindicated; there was an end to gibes about dreams and crab salad. Subsequently Miss Boone confessed to me that the tale of the north veranda was not new to her, but that she had not wished to frighten Cousin Carolina. As if anything could frighten Cousin Carolina! She has nerves of cast-iron.

As for Lizzie, she assured me, with a rather unsteady laugh, that when, as Mrs. Philip Dormer, she returned to Rochelle, nothing that could be offered will ever induce her to spend an afternoon there alone.

## FIRE ALARMS

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- 4-Government and Battery Sts.
- 5-Menzies and Michigan Sts.
- 6-Menzies and Niagara Sts.
- 7-Montreal and Kingston Sts.
- 8-Montreal and Simcoe Sts.
- 9-Dallas Ave. and Simcoe St.
- 10-Avalon Rd. and Government St.
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- 12-Vancouver St. and Burdette Ave.
- 13-Douglas and Humboldt Sts.
- 14-Rupert and Humboldt Sts.
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- 16-Linden Ave. and Rockland Ave.
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- 20-Yates and Wharf Sts.
- 21-Government and Johnson Sts.
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- 26-Yates and Cook Sts.
- 27-Rockland Ave. and St. Charles St.
- 28-Port St. and Stanley Ave.
- 29-Port St. and Oak Bay Ave.
- 30-Port St. and Richmond Ave.
- 31-Pembroke and Shakespeare Sts.
- 32-Oak Bay Ave. and Davis St.
- 33-Panorama Ave. and Chambers St.
- 34-Blanchard and Caledonia Aves.
- 35-Cook St. and Caledonia Ave.
- 36-Pembroke St. and Spring Rd.
- 37-Gladstone and Stanley Aves.
- 38-Panorama Ave. and Chambers St.
- 39-Government St. and Queen's Ave.
- 40-Douglas and Discovery Sts.
- 41-Government St. and Princess Ave.
- 42-King's Rd. and Blanchard Ave.
- 43-Government and Douglas Sts.
- 44-Oakland Fire Hall.
- 45-Lemon & Gossan's Mill, Orchard St.
- 46-Hillside Ave. and Graham St.
- 47-Cornwall and Store Sts.
- 48-Discovery and Store Sts.
- 49-Bridge and John Sts.
- 50-Clalgflower Rd. and Belton Ave.
- 51-Mary and Lime Sts.
- 52-Pleasant St. at Moore Ave.
- 53-Russell and Wilson Sts.
- 54-Sayward's Mill, Constance St.
- 55-Esquamit Rd. and Rothwell St.
- 56-Gorge Rd. and Garbally Rd.
- 57-Burrows Rd. and Delta St.
- 58-Washington Ave.

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NEW STEAMERS FOR PACIFIC

VESSELS ARE TO COST THREE MILLION EACH

Pacific Mail Steamship Co. to Build Two of Largest and Most Modern Ships

(Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, June 28.—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company is to improve its trans-Pacific service by building two new vessels to cost \$3,000,000 each. They will be the most modern type and as luxurious as any steamship on the Atlantic.

TRICOLOR BRINGS NITRATE TO VICTORIA

Tramp is Being Released by Grace & Co., and Will Carry Coal to Alaska

Norwegian steamer Tricolor arrived this morning with a consignment of 700 tons of nitrate of soda from Iquique for the Victoria Chemical Works. This is being discharged at the Chemical Company's wharf, where the steamer is at present moored.

The steamer brought a full cargo of nitrate and ore up the coast, there being 4,100 tons of the former for export and 2,300 tons of the latter for the Tacoma smelter. Some of the nitrate was discharged at Manzanillo. Speaking of his trip Capt. Edvardson said that they had strong head winds coming up the coast, but there were no bad gales.

MARKET QUIET

As high as 55s. Paid for Sail Craft to South Africa. Chartering for new crop grain is quiet again, but the market remains still firm with owners holding out for above the union minimum, says the Commercial News of San Francisco. Thus far steam tonnage has not entered the grain trade, but judging from the number of tramps which will be in the neighborhood within the next few months, there is likely to be some competition. The government has chartered several more foreign tramp steamers for coal from the Atlantic range to the Sound and Honolulu and also some to Peru. The Australian coal business will continue to bring a fair amount of steam tonnage to the coast, and the movement of ties from Japan to Southern California will help to swell the list. For lumber loading Portland and the Sound has been done since June 1st. Puget Sound to Adelaide at 3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d. and Portland to China at 4s. 3d. on gross register. To South Africa as high as 55s. has been paid for sail.

Offshore lumber rates are quoted as follows: Lumber from Puget Sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 28s. 3d. to 28s. 6d.; Melbourne or Adelaide, 31s. 3d. to 31s. 6d.; Port Pirie, 33s. 3d. to 33s. 6d.; Fremantle, 35s. 3d. to 35s. 6d.; to China direct nitrate, 3s. 3d. to 3s. 6d.; Callao, 4s. 3d. to 4s. 6d. for orders, 4s. 9d. to 5s. 2d. with 2s. 6d. less to direct port; to South Africa ports, 5s. 3d. to 5s. 6d.; Continent, 5s. 3d. to 5s. 6d.; Guaymas, 5s. 3d.; Mazatlan, 5s. 3d.; Santa Rosalia, 5s.; Honolulu, 5s.

U. S. S. YORKTOWN VISITING ESQUIMALT

Commander Blue is One of the Youngest in American Naval Service

U. S. S. Yorktown arrived at Esquimalt last evening from Astoria, bound to Anacortes, and will probably remain a day or two at this port. On arrival she fired a salute of seven guns and later calls were made on Captain Vivian, who is in charge of this station; George Phillips, in charge of the station; and E. S. Consul Smith. Captain Blue, who is in command, is one of the youngest commanders in the service. He distinguished himself at the time of the Spanish American war and to that was probably due his early advancement. The following are the officers of the ship: Commander, Victor Blue; lieutenant-commander, E. F. Eckhardt; ensigns, C. C. Hartigan, Geo. Joerns, C. A. Windsor, J. E. Meredith, C. C. Thomas; P. A. Surgeon, M. E. Lando; Assistant Paymaster, P. T. M. Lathrop; Pay clerk, F. D. Foley.

MAKE SOUTHWESTERN THEIR PORT

London, June 28.—Starting in August, and thereafter, the Thomson liners for Quebec and Montreal will sail from Southampton.

FORMER COMMANDER OF AMPHION DEAD

Rear Admiral John Casement Was Formerly on This Station—An Able Officer

(Special to the Times.) Belfast, Ireland, June 18.—The death has just taken place at Cushendall, County Antrim, of Rear Admiral John Casement, a former commanding officer of the cruiser Amphion when she was serving in the "nineties" on the Pacific station. Captain Casement, as he then was, had command of the Amphion during her lonely cruises, and some good anecdotes are told concerning his physical strength and good nature, for he was a very big, burly man—a typical British tar. On one occasion the Amphion ran on a submerged reef close to an island, and the officer in charge on deck went rushing about giving this and that order. The captain came up, and, taking the whole situation in a glance—the cruiser was still bumping in at a glance—the captain said coolly: "Mr. what do you mean?—if you talk that way you will send the men mad." Pipe all hands to carry on smoking." For fifteen minutes the crew calmly smoked what was left of the pipe while still grinding her keel on the rocks.

At the expiration of that time Captain Casement gave the order to "lighten ship." All portable weights were got into the boats and landed, and after two days the Amphion was floated off. Her double bottom was badly crinkled up, as was seen after she had been dry-docked, but it was the double bottom which saved her, as a single bottom would have been pierced like an egg shell.

Rear Admiral Casement saw active service in the Niger operations of 1887, for which he was promoted, and he was also engaged in the Arctic relief expedition of 1882, and held the rank of a lieutenant in the Royal Naval Reserve at Amoy, China. Since his retirement his health was not so good. His death is greatly regretted throughout County Antrim and the north of Ireland generally.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Government Wireless.) Point Grey, June 28, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; 30.01; 57. Cape Lazo, June 28, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; 29.97; 55; sea smooth. Tootoosh, June 28, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind west 1 mile; 30.07; 51. Out; steamer Stanley Dollar, 8.40 p. m.; barkentine, probably Garden City, during night; 2-masted steamer and schooner Eric, during night. Pachena, June 28, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind S. W.; 29.94; 53; light swell. Estevan, June 28, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind west 1 mile; light swell. Otter passed here eastbound at 7.45 a. m. Triangle, June 28, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind S. W.; 29.42; 40; sea smooth. Leebro at landing. Ikeda, June 28, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind west; sea smooth.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

(Special to the Times.) On the Skeena. Prince Rupert, June 27.—To-day's Skeena river bulletin follows: 8 a. m.—Cloudy, generally cool, calm. Wind S. E. 4 in. above zero, falling. Operator at McLeod's camp discharging. Conveyor about Sheady's camp en route to Hazelton. Hazelton at Kitselas loading. Leaves this afternoon. Inlander passed through the canyon at 8 a. m. en route to Hazelton. Port Simpson left Kitselas at 8 a. m. for Prince Rupert. Distributor and Omieca at Prince Rupert. Skeena about Aberdeen en route up river. Prince Rupert, June 28.—To-day's river bulletin follows: 8 a. m.—Cloudy, cool, rainy. Wind 1 ft. 10 in. above zero, falling. Operator at Kitselas, leaves at 3.30 a. m. for load of lumber at Hazelton. Conveyor about Andimaal en route to Beaver Dam. Hazelton about Bostram's camp en route to Hazelton. Inlander about Andimaal en route to Hazelton. Skeena about Graveyard Point en route to Kitselas. Distributor at Clearwater en route to Kitselas. Omieca about McLeod's camp en route to Kitselas. Port Simpson at Prince Rupert. On the Coast. Seattle—Arrived: Str. Portland from Valdez; str. Spokane from Alaska; str. Humboldt from Alaska; str. Northwest from Valdez; str. Admiral Sampson from San Francisco; str. President from San Francisco; str. Col. E. L. Drake for San Francisco; str. Tamba Maru for Tacoma; str. Stanley Dollar for San Francisco. Aberdeen—Arrived: Str. Tampala from San Francisco. Portland—Arrived: Str. Beaver from San Francisco; str. Catania from San Francisco; str. Fair Oaks from San Francisco; str. Tuba for Northland for San Francisco; str. Tuba for Gray's Harbor. Tacoma—Arrived: Jap. str. Tamba Maru from Seattle; Sailed: Jap. str. Tamba Maru for Seattle. San Francisco—Arrived: Str. Svea from Gray's Harbor; str. Daisy Mitchell from Gray's Harbor; str. Westerner from Gray's Harbor; str. Bear from Portland; str. Yosemite from Astoria; str. George W. Fenwick from Astoria; str. Hugh W. Fenwick from Astoria; str. Delhi from Los Angeles—Arrived: Str. Delhi from Aberdeen; str. Centralia from Seattle; str. Klamath from Seattle; str. G. F. Elder from Portland; str. Alert from Astoria; Sailed: Str. Watson for Seattle; str. Sina Yak for Seattle; str. Sadie for Umpqua River. Astoria—Arrived: Str. Catania from San Francisco for Portland and proceeded; str. Deser from San Francisco for Portland and proceeded; str. Fair Oaks from San Francisco for Portland; str. Rosecrans from San Francisco; str. Quinault from San Francisco; Sailed: Str. J. A. Chanlor in ballast for San Francisco. General. Rotterdam—Arrived: Str. Russian from Liverpool—Arrived: Br. str. Teucer from Seattle. Cherbourg—Sailed: Str. Geo. Washington for New York. Punta Arenas—Sailed: Str. Itauria from Seattle and San Francisco for Hamburg.

HENLEY HERE FROM HAWAII

GONE TO COMOX FOR PART COAL CARGO

Capt. Warsnop Tells of Plans for New Canadian-Mexican Company

Steamer Henley, recently chartered by the Canadian-Mexican Steamship Company, Limited, arrived this morning from Honolulu and came past the quarantine station without being examined, anchoring off the outer wharf. The pilot and Captain Warsnop went out to her, but as there was a sick man aboard, they refused to board her until she had passed Dr. Watt's inspection. It was found to be nothing serious, so she was passed and proceeded to Comox, where she will take on some cargo coal. She will also take a part cargo at Boat Harbor before proceeding to Vancouver to fill up.

The Henley is a fine looking steamer, one of the Watts, Watts fleet of tramps. She has been taken on time until some permanent steamer have been secured. She has a carrying capacity of 5,500 tons and she will be full to the hatches when she leaves. She also has accommodation for a few passengers.

Captain Warsnop, when seen this morning, said that the new company, of which Alderman Heaps of Vancouver is president, and he the vice-president and manager, was formed recently to operate the steamers between British Columbia and Mexico. They intended to do a large business and expected the support of all British Columbians. The Lonsdale would probably be continued on the run, if an examination proved her to be in good condition. They were also negotiating for two fine steamers that would carry thirty passengers each and about 4,000 tons of freight. The Georgia had been laid off permanently. The three steamers he thought would give a good service and regular monthly sailings would be maintained.

PRINCESS MAY MAKES TRIP TO GLACIER

Brings Word That Schooner Eva Marie Was Slightly Damaged and on Beach

Steamer Princess May returned last night from skagway, after making the first run of the season to the famous Taku glacier. There was very little loss to impede the progress of the steamer. The Eva Marie was on the beach and that the Eva Marie was on the beach and that some repairs were necessary before she would be perfectly safe. The Indians refused to rejoin her until these repairs were made, and the general opinion seemed to be that they were justified in the action they took. The Princess May will relieve the Charmer two nights and will sail north on Friday next.

PURCHASED SCHOONER

Fine Fishing Boat Built by Indians at Masset Recently Purchased For Halibut Fishing.

(Special to the Times.) Masset, K. C. I. June 28.—Capt. Clark visited Masset recently and purchased the schooner Victoria from Daniel Stanley. The vessel was constructed by the Haida Indians, and will prove a valuable addition to the halibut fleet. The price paid for the vessel, \$1,500, proves that the Indians of Masset are able to turn out creditable work in the shipbuilding line. Captain Clark informed the Times correspondent that he examined a large number of schooners along the coast, and was astonished at the splendid lines and sailing qualities of his vessel.

AN EXCURSION

Whatecom to Make Four Trips to Port Angeles on Fourth of July.

Victorians who wish to cross to the other side of the straits to join with their neighbors at Port Angeles in celebrating the glorious Fourth will have an opportunity of doing so this year on the commodious steamer Whatecom. This steamer will make four trips each way as follows: Leave Victoria at: 8 a. m., 12 noon, 4 p. m., 9 p. m. Returning leave Port Angeles at: 10 a. m.; 2 p. m.; 7 p. m., 11 p. m. The fare for the round trip will be 50 cents.

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EXPLORER WAS AWAY FOR OVER TWO YEARS

Spent Long Time on Desert Island, Returning by Way of Melbourne

A hardy young explorer, M. Ratier du Baty, who accompanied Dr. Charcot on his previous Antarctic expedition, has just returned from an adventurous voyage, to which he and his brother Henri devoted the whole of their small fortunes. Two and a half years ago they purchased a Boulogne fishing boat, 55 ft. in length, renamed her the J. B. Charcot, and having fitted her out with the aid of some private friends, set sail with a crew of four other young companions for the desert island of Kerguelen, in the south of the Indian ocean.

In the forty-ton fishing boat they had successfully completed a voyage of 15,000 miles. After a fine outward trip as far as Rio-de-Janeiro they encountered a terrible cyclone between that port and the island of Tristan d'Acunha, which was reached in twenty days from Rio. There they found a population of thirty-three souls, which they describe as half-civilized and as of English origin.

From Tristan d'Acunha to Kerguelen took another month's sailing. The little boat was buffeted by heavy storms off the Cape, but the desert life was safely reached in March, 1908. Fifteen months were spent in exploring the island, making scientific observations and hunting seals.

In November the monotonous life was varied by the arrival of a Norwegian steamer, which, besides bringing news of the outside world, left well-comforted. The only other vessel that visited the island during their prolonged stay was a French sealer.

In June last year the party started for Australia. They had a terrible passage of forty-five days, during which one storm after another was encountered and several times all hope was abandoned. It was only by throwing out that the boat was kept afloat.

Melbourne was reached after two years' absence from civilization. The sale of the seal oil collected sufficed to pay the small crew's wages, but for a long time all efforts to sell the now sadly deteriorated fishing boat proved unavailing.

The young explorer was six months in Melbourne before he managed to dispose of the craft to a Numean captain for a "handful of gold." This, he says, was his ransom, and with a heart rather heavy at parting with the vessel that had safely carried him over 15,000 miles of ocean he took the passenger steamer from which he has just landed at Marseilles.

He will report on his voyage and observations to the Academy and the Geographical Society.

NO REPORT FROM AUSTRALIAN LINER

Marama Bringing Fight Enthusiasts En Route to Reno—Wireless for Steamer

Up to noon to-day no word had been received of the Australian liner Marama. She will probably not arrive until to-morrow. As this steamer is not yet equipped with wireless apparatus it is impossible to tell exactly when to expect her. It is understood that arrangements have been made to install the system on her, the United Wireless Company having received the contract for the work.

There are a large number of passengers coming on the steamer en route to see the Johnson-Jeffries fight, including Burns and Fitzsimons. Since the cancellation of the San Francisco engagement, however, the arrangement for the steamer to go to the Golden Gate with a British Columbia crowd has been called off.

Speed The Parting

O, happy day, they've gone away. No more they haunt the house. For COMMON SENSE, without offense, Has killed each rat and mouse. COMMON SENSE is a paste which rats and mice eat in preference to other food. Unlike other preparations, it does not result in offensive odors, for no matter where the animal dies, its carcass completely dissolves up like a mummy. 15c, 25c, 50c and \$1, at all dealers. REMEMBER: Common Sense Rat Killer. The kind is 12, Bebugs and Roaches. COMMON SENSE MFG. CO. 11 361 Queen Street West, Toronto, Ont.

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Monthly sailings to and from British Columbia and Mexican ports and taking cargo to Eastern Canada and Europe via Tehuantepec Railway. Next sailing (S.S. HENLEY, 5,500 TONS) about the end of June. Passenger Agents for the Canadian Northern Steamships, Ltd., Montreal to Bristol; the Anchor Line and Hamburg-American Line from New York to Glasgow, Southampton, Hamburg and other European ports; also through bookings via Mexico to Europe. Apply T. H. WORSNOP, General Manager, 321 Winch Building, Vancouver.

CANADIAN MEXICAN STEAMSHIP LINE All claims against the steamers "Georgia" and "Lonsdale," operated under the name of the Canadian-Mexican Steamship Line, must be presented within ten days after arrival of the said steamers in June and July. The contract with these steamers will expire upon completion of the present voyages and all accounts should be settled before the steamers are released. A. T. CRIGHTON.

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Offer the best cure for the tired brain and that is why

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Travelling in comfort on the finest special train ever equipped in the West. Touring the most wonderful scenic storehouse of the world for five days, amid the Geysers, Lakes, Rushing Streams, Mountains and Canyons and stopping at the beautiful park hotels.

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EXCURSION TO Vancouver and Seattle

Account Dominion Day and Independence Day JULY 1ST. AND JULY 4TH.

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER \$2.70 VICTORIA-SEATTLE AND RETURN AND RETURN

VANCOUVER ROUTE. Tickets on sale June 30 and July 1. Final return limit, July 4th, 1910.

SEATTLE ROUTE. Tickets on Sale June 30 to July 4th, inclusive. Final return limit July 5th, 1910.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY

Dominion Day Celebration At Ladysmith, B. C., July 1st, 1910

Fare and One-Fifth For the Round Trip

Between all stations and Ladysmith. Tickets on sale June 30 and July 1. Final return limit Saturday, July 2. L. D. CHETHAM, City Passenger Agent. 1102 Government Street.

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S.S. "PRINCE RUPERT" FOR— PRINCE RUPERT AND STEWART

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Northern Steamship Company of B. C.

New Steamer "CETRIANA" Sails Monday, June 20, 9 P. M.

Hardy Bay, Bella Bella, Swanson Bay, Estevan, Skeena, Nanaimo, Prince Rupert, Stewart and Portland Canal. LOADING AT GILLIS WHARF.

For freight and passage apply W. F. FLEMING, View Street, Victoria.

ATLANTIC CANADIAN PACIFIC

TO EUROPE Between MONTREAL AND LIVERPOOL. EMPRESS OF BRITAIN, Fri., July 1 and 9 Lake Champlain, Thurs., July 7, Aug. 4 EMPRESS OF IRELAND, Fri., July 15, Aug. 12 Lake Manitoba, Thurs., July 21, Aug. 18

RATES. FIRST—\$50.00 and up. SECOND CLASS—\$27.50 and up. THIRD CLASS—\$17.50 and \$20.00.

NOTE.—The Empresses sail from Quebec upon the arrival of the "EMPIRESS SPECIAL," which leaves Montreal at 9.55 P. M. on the day of sailing. All other steamers sail from Montreal at daylight.

For further information and tickets, write to or call on L. D. CHETHAM, City Pass. Agent. 1102 Govt. St.

SEATTLE ROUTE S.S. 'IROQUOIS'

Leaves Victoria 9 a. m. daily, except Sunday, for Port Townsend and Seattle.

RETURNING Leaves Seattle Midnight. Tickets interchangeable with C. P. R. Steamers. JAMES MCARTHUR, Ast. 321 Wharf St. Phone 294.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO And Southern California's Leaving Victoria at 8 a. m., June 23, July 6, Str. UMATILLA or CITY OF PUEBLO THROUGH SERVICE. Leave Seattle, B. C. on departure GOV. ERNOR or PRESIDENT, July 1, 8. For full information apply to OFFICE OF CITY OF VICTORIA, leaving Seattle 9 p. m., June 23, July 3, 14, 25, 26. TICKET AND FREIGHT OFFICE—411 Wharf St. Phone 4. R. P. BISHOP & CO., LTD., Agents. C. D. DUNNAN, Gen. Passenger Agent, 112 Market St., San Francisco. For further information obtain folder.

TIMES WANT ADS. PAY



### Last Minute Suggestions For Dominion Day

Fit-Reform will serve you to-day just as carefully and satisfactorily as though you had months instead of minutes in which to choose a suit.

This stock is so large and comprehensive that you are certain to see just the suit you want—in just the style and effect you have in your mind's eye.

Two-Piece Suits in Flannel, Worsted and Home-spun, lightweight Suits in Worsteds, Serges, Home-spuns and Cheviots.

Blue Serge Coats and Flannel Trousers are but hints of the completeness of this splendid array of Holiday Garments.

Suits ordered to-day will be delivered to-day.



**Allen & Co.,**  
**Fit-Reform Wardrobe**  
 1201 Government Street, Victoria.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

C. Armstrong returned to Vancouver last night.

C. C. Michener has gone over to Vancouver on business.

Jas. Ashforth, Fernie, is registered at the Empress hotel.

B. C. Hay, Nelson, arrived in this city yesterday on business.

Chas. H. Clapp, Ottawa, is spending a few days in this city.

T. Hooper went over to Vancouver on a business trip last night.

S. Goodacre returned from a visit to the Terminal city yesterday.

Miss McGillyray left last night on the Charming for Vancouver.

S. C. Williams, Toronto, reached this city yesterday on a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Martin are among the Seattle visitors in this city.

H. Wilson was among the passengers on last night's boat for Vancouver.

Col. Strachey crossed over to Vancouver last night on the Charming.

Harvey Hadden is among the visitors in this city from the Old Country.

J. W. Morritt returned yesterday afternoon from a short visit to Ontario.

E. A. Morris was among last night's passengers on the Charming for Vancouver.

### Plain and Fancy Designs In Picture Frames

We have the credit of carrying the largest and most varied stock of Picture Frames obtainable.

**IN STERLING SILVER—**  
 Prices range from as low as 35c to the summit at **\$20.00**

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We have just a few **PICTURE FRAMES** mounted in bronze and mosaic ware. Prices range up from **50c**

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### The Evening Chit-Chat

BY RUTH CAMERON

Willie, aged 3, Died of summer complaint caused by bad milk poisoned by flies.

You would think that an extraordinary epitaph if you saw it on a tombstone, wouldn't you?

And yet, it is tombstones should take to telling the truth, that, or some variation of it, would be placed on a good many of them.

In a circular sent out by one of the most active state boards of health in the United States, that epitaph printed upon a tombstone is displayed in the margin. Besides that, there are also most vividly portrayed a few of the habits and habits of our patient to the baby's bedside, or the cream jug on your dining table, and wiping off all the dirt and germs he has gathered in the first spot in the second, is made pleasantly graphic.

You think all this description needlessly disgusting, no doubt. The circular has provided for that state of mind, for besides the pictures is printed:

"Look at the marginal illustrations. They are disgusting, it is true. So are flies. The disgust that your stomach receives through your eye, is as nothing, however, to the probable and possible benefit which you will receive by giving due heed to the warning suggested by the etchings."

It is a pity that we have several million of these circulars printed and one of them tucked up in every home in the land.

I think if I could accomplish that I should be doing more to save life than by endowing half a dozen hospitals.

The season of the fly is at hand, and now that there shall be fewer flies in your house than ever before, and that those who do escape your vigilance shall have less chance to contaminate you?

How can you accomplish this?

Well, here are a few suggestions: Look after the garbage pail daily. See that it is carefully sprinkled with lime of kerosene oil and effectively covered.

Never leave any garbage in your sink can one moment longer than necessary. See that any manure box near your home is made fly-tight and frequently emptied and sprinkled with lime and sand.

Keep flies from the sick, especially those with contagious diseases. If necessary, cover them with a mosquito netting, as you do a baby.

Of course, have your home thoroughly screened.

Do not leave the food in pantry or icebox, or even on the table, uncovered one minute longer than necessary. A single fly speck may contain 3,000 germs.

Devote a few minutes daily to a personal battle with those flies who have gotten in despite all your precautions.

"All this fuss over such a little thing as a fly is absurd." I know some one is saying.

But some night when you watch helplessly and agonized above the sick bed of your baby, perhaps you won't call that which may have caused the illness a little thing.

*Ruth Cameron*

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Our line of Breakfast Foods embraces every reliable brand. No matter what your wish may be it can be satisfied here.

KELLOG'S TOASTED CORN FLAKES, 3 pkts. ....25¢  
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 QUAKER PUFFED RICE, 2 packets. ....25¢  
 BARLEY FLAKES, per packet. ....15¢  
 PETTJOHN'S BREAKFAST GEMS, 2 packets. ....25¢  
 LAKE OF THE WOODS FLOUR, per sack. ....\$1.80  
 CALGARY HUNGARIAN FLOUR, per sack. ....\$1.75  
 PRESERVING STRAWBERRIES, per crate. ....\$1.75

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### Special Sale To-morrow

(Wednesday)

COTTON CREPE KIMONAS; regular value up to \$1.50. Special price .....**\$1.00**

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 Greatest Scenic Film Produced by C. P. R. at a cost of \$25,000.  
 Of Intense Local Interest.  
 Performances: Evenings, 8 to 10 p. m. Matinee, Wednesday and Saturday at 2 p. m.  
 10c Admission - - - 10c

### New Grand Theatre

WEEK JUNE 27TH, 1910.  
 THREE GORDON HIGHLANDERS. Scotland's Supreme Instrumentalists.  
 MURRAY K. HILL  
 The Jolly Monologist.  
 HARRY TSUDA  
 Marvelous Japanese Equilibrist.  
 WILLIAM ZINELLE AND ROUELLE ADELAIDE  
 In their Merry and Musical Comedy "23 Miles From New York."  
 JAMES TONEY AND NORMAN ANTOINETTE  
 In Droll Diversions and Amusing Capers.  
 THOMAS J. PRICE.  
 NEW MOVING PICTURES.  
 OUR OWN ORCHESTRA.

### PANTAGES THEATRE

MONDAY, JUNE 27TH.  
 PRESENTING  
**Louis and Lake Musical Comedy Co.**  
 Direct from San Francisco.  
 IN CLASSY REPRETOIRE  
 Pretty Singing and Dancing Girls.  
 Funny Comedians, Swell Creations.

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 TRY IT.  
 Admission 10 cents.  
 The "Empress" Leads. Others Follow.

### MAJESTIC THEATRE

YATES STREET.  
 "Where Everybody Goes."  
 MONDAY AND TUESDAY.  
 "AN AFFAIR OF HEARTS," Cupid in a Sportive Mood.  
 "CARMINELLA," a Strong Drama.  
 "ACCIDENTS WILL HAPPEN," a Screen from Start to Finish.  
 "THE RIGHT TO LOVE," Very Funny.  
 "THE ADVENTURES OF A PEDLER," Very Funny.  
 "ON THE CREST OF THE WAVES."  
 ILLUSTRATED SONG.  
 Performances daily from 2 to 5:30, 7 to 11.  
 Admission, 10c; Children 5c; Matinee, 5c.

### ROMANO THEATRE

MONDAY AND TUESDAY.  
 "A SELF-MADE HERO," Imp Comedy.  
 Drama, 1:00 ft. "THE WRONG ROAD."  
 Drama, "HEADLESS MAN," Comic.  
 "ISLAND OF MARKEN," Educational.  
 "LADIES' COMPANION," Drama.  
 "SCENES INCIDENT TO THE OPENING OF THE LAST PARLIAMENT BY THE LATE KING," 20 ft. THE CHRONOPHONE TALKING PICTURES.  
 "Armory's" Song.  
 ROMANO ORCHESTRA.

### SPEAKING FROM EXPERIENCE



**THE DOCTOR—** "Abi ran, restiass, and ferriash. Give his a Steedman's Powder and he will soon be all right."

**Steedman's Soothing Powders**  
 CONTAIN NO POISON

### AMERICAN PICNIC At Sidney

MONDAY, JULY 4th, 1910.  
 All Americans and friends cordially invited. Train leaves Victoria 1 p. m. Train leaves Sidney 7 p. m. Fare round trip, 20 cents for adults, 25 cents for children. Baseball and other games. Races, field sports, etc. Short, lively speeches. Basket picnic. Come and enjoy good time.

### Assembly Hall

FORT STREET  
 For rent by day or week the largest and most comfortable hall in the city.  
 For information call at premises.  
 L. C. POWELL.

### The Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital

Incorporated 1890.  
 The Annual Meeting of the donors and subscribers to the Institution will be held in the City Hall, Victoria, on Wednesday, 29th June, at 4 o'clock p. m.  
 BUSINESS—Receiving the Annual Report of the Directors, the Treasurer's Statement for the year ending 31st May, 1910, and the Election of the Directors.  
 The four following Directors retire, but are eligible for re-election: Mrs. C. W. Rhodes, Messrs. H. E. Newton, A. C. Fumerit, Alexander Wilson.  
 Donors and subscribers can vote for four (4) members only. The City Council nominate five (5), the Provincial Government three (3), and the French Benevolent Society three (3), making a total of fifteen Directors. All donors of money \$5 and upwards, and annual subscribers of \$5 and upwards are eligible to vote for the election of directors.  
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 Victoria, 15th June, 1910.

### HOTEL Washington Annex SEATTLE

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 European Plan—\$150 Per Day, up  
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Never Fails to Restore Gray Hair to its Natural Color and Beauty.  
 No matter how long it has been gray or faded. Promotes a luxuriant growth of healthy hair. Stops its falling out, and positively removes dandruff. Keeps hair soft and glossy. Will not soil skin or linen. Will not injure your hair. Is not a dye.  
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 Hay's Skin Health Ointment cures Eczema, relieves pain, bruises, bites, chapped hands, chafing, sunburn, prickly heat, etc. at druggists. 10¢ per sample tube.

### RELIABLE RECIPES

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Just now, sales of the silk are plentiful and one may pick up pieces at half the prices asked for them when the season first opened. Many of these markdowns are of the small figured smartly with borders that make the groundings and color combinations are shown in them that they are a constant temptation even after the wardrobe is supposed to be fitted out for the summer.

For morning wear, one of the blue and white patterns made up with a simple border pattern makes a cool and practical frock if the wearer is to spend her time on the verandah. The silk does not crease in damp weather as cottons and linens do and will stand out a season without refreshing under ordinary circumstances, while a washable material will need constant pressing and cleaning if it is to look spick and span.

The checked taffetas are playing an important part, too. Among some marvellously cheap little gowns made for the street are models in a combination of fine serge and foulard; the skirts are of the serge, plaited plainly. The blouses with belts at the waist-line have broad waistcoats of black and white checked taffeta with a wide fringe at the fronts. Lapels on the blouses and tiny frills above the turn-over cuffs are of checked silk, and piping finishing the blouses are also of the silk.

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### MODES OF TO-DAY

Wide mesh figures are entirely replacing the heavy lace designs in veils.  
 Bows on the hat this season may be worn at the side, the back or the front.  
 Pearls in many colors are used to embroider taffeta suits instead of braid.  
 Novelty ribbon braid is used for the fringe on many of the handsome parasols.  
 Scarlet cloth is used for extremely short jackets, belted in with patent leather.  
 Coarse blue linen frocks, embroidered with blue and coral silk, are made for young girls.  
 The slippers covered with Irish crochet will be more in vogue this season than last year.  
 A hat which is extremely becoming to the wearer has a square-shaped crown of shirred tulle.  
 The stockings this summer are most of them two-toned, matching or contrasting with the costume.  
 Plain foulard is combined with dotted or striped material for the round length afternoon dresses.  
 Canvas linens are used for little morning dresses, brightened up with rows of tiny brass buttons.  
 The occasional great dot of the new veil is as becoming to fair complexions as patches used to be.  
 A belt of patent leather, preferably a black one, should be worn with a separate waist and skirt.  
 Combinations of blue de roi and black are everywhere seen in chiffon blouses, in wraps and in millinery.  
 One of the favorite shopping bags is of chamolise colored suede, with brass trimming, and the size is immense.  
 There was a time when a tape measure in the shape of Billiken was the fad of the hour; now the Chanteclair has full sway.  
 Some soft, fluffy fringes appear among new trimmings. These are being used at the top of the bands of the shirred skirts.  
 Many of the travelling suits of the stripe and checked materials are trimmed with plain satin or cloth, which finds excellent ground for contrast.

### CREAM CHEESE RECIPES

There are many delicious ways of using cream cheese. It is used in soups, always adds much to the nutritive value of a dish.

Cream cheese sandwiches are always acceptable at afternoon teas and small card parties, and may be varied endlessly. Cream cheese and minced walnuts make a delicious filling. So do jam and cream cheese. Currant jelly may be used instead of the jam, and a change one of the slices of bread that form the sandwich may be brown instead of white. Again, one may spread thin slices of brown bread—the delicious homemade variety—with peach marmalade and cream cheese. Thin slices of preserved ginger and cream cheese makes still another palatable filling. Spread thin slices of homemade bread with a little butter and then with a layer of cream cheese. Lay the ginger over the cheese, not mixing the two together so as to confuse the flavors. Sliced or minced olives and cream cheese make an appetizing combination, and a little mayonnaise enhances the flavor. For a more plebeian sandwich, which though it is not suitable for a social function, will be welcome occasionally on the midday luncheon table, slice and trim some good homemade bread, and after buttering each slice spread with cream cheese flavored very slightly with garlic or a tiny young onion.

Bark of cream cheese may be served with green salad, such as lettuce and escarole, and if desired minced olives or minced celery may be mixed with cheese. Serve these balls upon a bed of delicate lettuce, with a spoonful of mayonnaise upon each. Sometimes the concave side of snowy celery stalks are filled with the cream cheese mixture, placed upon a small salad platter and surrounded by delicate lettuce leaves.

### APIOL & STEEL For Ladies' PILLS

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Fort George 480 ACRES \$10 Per Acre

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San Francisco Market

(Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., June 28.—Wheat—Australian, \$1.56@1.60; Sonora, \$1.56@1.58.

Grain Market

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Wheat—Chicago, June 28. Open High Low Close. July 1901 1911 1901 1911.

LOCAL MARKETS

Onions, per lb., \$1.15. Carrots, per lb., \$1.00. Lemons, per dozen, \$2.00. Walnuts (Cal.), per lb., \$2.00.

New York Stocks

(Times Leased Wire.) New York, June 28.—The volume of business in the stock market was large today.

FIGHT OVER CAR

Conflict Between City and Street Railway Company—Number of Arrests Made.

FARES AT TACOMA

(Times Leased Wire.) Tacoma, Wash., June 28.—Police-men are riding on every car from the ten cent fare zone of the street car company today to see that conductors and citizens do not fight over the five cent war now on.

Table of Wholesale Markets. Onions, per lb., \$1.15. Carrots, per lb., \$1.00. Lemons, per dozen, \$2.00. Walnuts (Cal.), per lb., \$2.00.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS. From the Orient. Due. Ozeano, July 1. Kamakura Maru, July 1.

TIDE TABLE

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### KING'S DAUGHTERS' WORK ADVANCING

#### Convention Discusses Project of Erecting a Home for Convalescents

Vancouver, June 28.—When the annual convention of the King's Daughters and Sons of British Columbia closed its deliberations on Saturday several official appointments were made.  
On the motion of Mrs. D. B. Wilson, seconded by Mrs. Hancock, Miss Leitch, of Victoria, was appointed provincial secretary; and on motion of Miss Leitch, seconded by Mrs. Morley of Victoria, Mrs. George Shaw, the retiring president, was chosen to act as the representative of the provincial order at the meeting of the central council, which will be held later in the year in the city of New York.

Cowichan, Mrs. Hasell seconding, Miss Leitch was chosen to represent the province at the Dominion convention which will be held in Ottawa during October next.

Mrs. G. H. Ferguson, a member of the Golden Rule circle in New Brunswick, was introduced to the convention and welcomed by Mrs. D. B. Wilson.

The question of provincial headquarters being raised Mrs. Morley contended that as Victoria now held this position, no change should be made. This matter was left in the hands of the executive.

Mrs. E. B. Marvin gave an interesting account of the useful work which is being done by the Ministering circle of Victoria.

Very complete and most encouraging reports were submitted by the following ladies on the part of the circles mentioned:—Victoria, of Victoria, by Miss Morley; Hawthorn, Victoria, by Miss Claribeth; Golden Rule and Day Spring, of Victoria, both very recently formed; by Mrs. Dickenson and Mrs. Lort, respectively; Sea-side, Metchosh, by Mrs. Reid; Sunshine, Cloverdale, by Mrs. Whitley; Scattered circle, Cowichan, by Mrs. Holmes and Silver Cross, Cowichan, by Miss Duncan; Look-out, Cowichan, by Miss Stephens; St. Andrew's and Labor of Love, Vancouver, by Mrs. Allase; Practical, Vancouver, by Mrs. Roberts; and Fairview, by Mrs. Fuller.

Notes of thanks brought the convention to a close.

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### CROWN COLONIES.

Viscount Milner attended the annual meeting of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce and delivered an address on "Crown Colonies."

The Liverpool Chamber of Commerce, said Lord Milner, had taken in recent years a great and growing and a most praiseworthy interest in the administration of the crown colonies, and especially in those of West Africa. It was in Africa, east and west and central, without overlooking the great work which had been done by a distinguished band of British administrators in the Straits Settlements and the Malay peninsula generally, some of the most remarkable and greatest developments of the century. Even now there was not that general interest in the crown colonies that one would like to see, and there was nothing like an adequate appreciation on the part of the public of their vast extent, or their still vaster possibilities, but at any rate there was a great change for the better in our attitude, a more progressive and liberal policy, and a growing tendency to regard them not as isolated and unimportant adjuncts of our imperial heritage, but as destined to play a very essential part in its development as a whole. Manufactures once confined to one or two countries had become common to many, and there was much greater competition for raw material, and he was sure that the countries which commanded that supply within their own borders or their own jurisdiction would take very good care to supply their own requirements before they thought of their neighbors. It was therefore of singular importance that in India and the crown colonies we had lands capable of supplying these future products, upon which in the future there was likely to be the greatest pressure. In this connection it must be remembered that India was becoming increasingly an industrial country, but the crown colonies and protectorates, such as East Africa, Northern Rhodesia, the Federated Malay States, and last but not least the Sudan, were important in the supply of the raw material of view. They were enormous in extent with lands of immense fertility, and so far we had only scratched the surface of their natural resources.

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### What Other People Think

#### COMPLIMENTS TO MR. BOWSER.

To the Editor:—And so Mr. Bowser has decided to take to the woods. He is going to rusticate for a month in the wilds of Lillooet, leaving behind him no address by which he can be reached by letter, telegraph or telephone. Brilliant idea that Mr. Bowser has a great head.

A good many think it would be a great blessing to the people of British Columbia if Mr. Bowser were to take to the woods—and stay there, if he should get lost in the wilds of Lillooet and never be found, or, horrible thought, if he should be eaten up by a grizzly bear, while undergoing this much advertised period of rest and recuperation.

Mr. Bowser's career as attorney-general of this province is something that might truly be worshipped. Never was anything like it in the heavens above or in the earth beneath. It is unique, in a class by itself, as is the great Mr. Bowser.

Mr. Bowser is a born fighter. Noy, the world truly loves a fighter, whether it be of the Theosophical, Rosicrucian, or other kind, trusts and corporations in the interest of the common people, or whether it be the great general who leads armies to victory, or only of the Jeffries and Johnson type. Fighters are much in the public eye. They are popular idols, so if Mr. Bowser does not become a popular idol like these others it will not be because he has not done enough fighting.

The first year or two of his career as attorney-general were mostly spent in fighting the Dominion government. He conjured up all kinds of imaginative grievances, rushed into court with many of them, some of which he carried to the Privy Council. He spent thousands of dollars of the people's money in these fights and got knocked out in every round.

Then there was that famous fight of his with Duncan Ross. For a time Mr. Bowser, figuratively speaking, strutted up and down on the centre of the stage and dared Duncan Ross to come out and fight. He just thirsted for the gore of Duncan Ross. He would chase Duncan Ross through every constituency in this province, and upon every platform. David going out to fight Goliath, Sir Galahad and all the other heroes and knights of old were not half as brave as he. That was when Duncan Ross was in Ottawa, two thousand miles away. Afterwards Duncan Ross returned to the province and said he was ready. Then Mr. Bowser hit the road, and Mr. McBrice, G. H. Barnard, G. H. Cowan and even our own Mr. Blakemore went into the interior to fight Mr. Ross, but Mr. Bowser never allowed himself to get within a thousand miles of Duncan Ross till all chance of meeting had passed. Mr. Ross, however, came to Victoria and publicly paid his respects to Mr. Bowser, and when he had finished with him, our attorney-general's reputation for courage, manliness and truthfulness needed fumigating with a ton or two of disinfectants. So, too, did the yarn that Mr. Bowser afterwards fixed up about his connection with his Japanese client Gotoh.

Most of Mr. Bowser's legislation has been as unique and spectacular as Mr. Bowser himself. He openly boasted that the people of Prince Rupert sent him an incorporation act of a hundred pages or more and that he had cut it to a dozen pages. The people of Prince Rupert hit back at Mr. Bowser by defeating his candidate for mayor, Mr. Manson, M. P. P. This they did to show their resentment against Mr. Bowser, and because Mr. Manson had allowed Bowser to walk all over him during the last session.

His Companies' Act of the late session, is another high-handed piece of legislation, even if it be not ultra vires. Business men throughout the province are up in arms against it, and when driven into a corner about it Mr. Bowser asserts that all the eastern provinces have passed similar laws. This assertion seems to bear some relationship to his Gotoh yarn. Methinks it would better Mr. Bowser to quote the chapter and section of similar acts passed in eastern provinces. He solemnly assures a delegation that the Companies' Act will have to be enforced, that neither he nor the executive have any right to hold the law in abeyance. It would be interesting to learn where he and the executive get the right to ignore the civil service act as they have notoriously done during the last two years. During that time they have made many appointments to the civil service, every one of which has been made in direct violation of the civil service act of a few sessions ago. It seems to be above all law when it suits him, does this first law officer of the crown of ours, while at other times he is as guileless as a new-born infant.

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### SUNDAY OBSERVANCE.

To the Editor:—In penning this article it is not by way of dictation or presumption on the writer's part, but rather the contrary. I just humbly desire to unite our interests in maintaining Sunday observance in whatever part of the city we live. Nobody could be more interested than myself in assisting the young people to enjoy the beautiful summer evenings in whatever games they so desire. There is found a very desirable spot in that much sought for residential location known as Rockland Park, which gives the young people the opportunity of enjoying the long summer evenings. My humble purpose in these few lines is to ask the people of Spring Ridge to see to it that their boys may exclude the seventh day from games in this part, for two reasons. First, that our duty as parents may be carried out, and secondly that the sacredness of the Sunday observance may be instilled into the hearts of our young boys to observe the keeping of the Sabbath day as law-abiding citizens, and also to justly give the surrounding neighbor-

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Whatever truth there may be in the story, it is a very feasible one, for it is usually women who prove the most tricky and cunning. "When it comes to trickery and cunning," said a well known detective, "there is no match for a clever woman. If she is pretty in the bargain, I would back her to beat the cleverest men at Scotland Yard nine times out of ten." And, judging from the success of women in secret service work, it would seem that

the confidence of families with the result that numbers of persons were banished to Siberia. Quite recently the French government caused a large number of German women, employed on the eastern frontier as barmaids, to be expelled from the country. These women had been watched, and found to be in the pay of German spies, to whom they gave the information that they acquired from listening to the conversation of drunken soldiers in the taverns.

A more serious affair was that of Rheims. Seven men and three women, alleged to be paid agents of the German war office, were arrested. The three women were in the habit, it is said, of making the acquaintance of soldiers and wheedling military secrets out of them, which information they passed on to the men. Compromising correspondence was found at their lodgings and seemed to reveal wholesale espionage by the women. As a matter of fact, the arrest of these men and women is said to have disclosed the existence of a widespread organization of German spies throughout the country.

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Notice IN THE ESTATE OF THOMAS JOHN PARTIEN, DECEASED. All persons having claims against the estate of the above named deceased are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 2nd day of July, 1910. Dated this 27th day of June, 1910. YATES & JAY, 546 Bastion St., Victoria, B. C. Solicitors for William George Cameron, the Executor.

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Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher There's always some trouble to fill us with woe; in winter the weather is sloppy with snow; in summer it's hot and in spring it is wet, and the autumn's the blamsted calamity yet; and so GRIEF TO we remark, as we push through the crowd: "Oh, why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" When one's back is all itchy there's no place to scratch; when you have a cigar then you can't find a match; when you're hungry as thunder there's nothing to eat, and when you're not hungry there's grub and repeat. You buy a new shirt, and it fits like a shroud—Oh, why should the spirit of Willie be proud? Oh, the sugar is sour and the vinegar's sweet, you've boils on your bosom and corns on your feet, and all that your swallow is poisoned with germs, described by the doctors in dog-Latin terms. And yet you are happy, you alecky chumps! You simply won't stay in the blue-moldy dumps! You simply won't sit 'neath your troubles and fears, and splatter the earth with a cloudburst of tears! You throw up your hats and you laugh with the crowd—and that's why the spirit of mortal is proud! Owe Mason

DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT. PILES. Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for hemorrhoids, piles, itching, bleeding and protruding piles. See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied, 50c. at all dealers or ENO'S FRUIT SYRUP & CO., Toronto.

NO LIQUOR LICENSES FOR POINT GREY. Clause Regarding Licensing Sale of Liquor Struck Out of the Trades By-Law. Vancouver, June 27.—No person need think of being successful in an application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail, wholesale or otherwise in the municipality of Point Grey while the present council is in office.

LOST IN BUSH FOR FOUR DAYS. Vancouver, June 27.—A middle-aged man named John Slater had a rough experience in the bush between this city and New Westminster during the past week. After being four days in the bush without food, he staggered into Cotton's lumber camp, on the old Westminster road, beyond Hastings Townsite, and was from there brought

REMOVAL NOTICE JOHN VAIO. Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Fruit, Produce and Provisions, has removed into his new premises at 630 Johnson Street. Where he will be pleased to see all his old customers and friends.

PASTOR CHOSEN. Prince Rupert, June 27.—At a meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church it was decided to extend a call to Rev. J. S. Sutherland of Halifax, N. S., at a salary of \$1,500 per year and to pay his expenses coming out and to allow him six weeks vacation each year. The committee which has had the matter in hand will continue to act and will arrange for a special meeting of the Presbytery to consider the call. H. F. McRae was instructed to look after a manse and have it ready for Rev. Mr. Sutherland when he gets here.

FISHERMAN DROWNED. Vancouver, June 27.—Caught by a giant wave which boarded the gasoline schooner "America" at midnight June 16th in a storm off Cape Cook, Vancouver Island, Rupert Lipssett, a halibut fisher, was swept off the vessel into the sea and drowned while his mates, frantic in their efforts, were powerless to render aid. Lipssett was single, 36 years old, and was born at Port Mulgrave, Cape Breton.

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 ROSS' LIME JUICE, per bottle, 50c  
 RASPBERRY VINEGAR, per bottle, 75c, 35c and 15c  
 FRUIT SYRUP, quart bottle 50c, small bottle, 25c  
 PERSIAN SHERBET, per bottle, 25c  
 EISEL TOWER LEMONADE, per tin, 25c  
 HIRE'S ROOT BEER, per bottle, 10c  
 GLOBE ROOT BEER, per bottle, 10c

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#### Preliminary Notice.

### Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed by Watson Clark, Esq., will sell by public auction at his farm, "Oaklands" Dairy, Victoria, on

**Thursday, June 30th**  
 AT 10.30 A.M.

The whole of his valuable

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Comprising over sixty of the best grade Durham and Holstein Milch Cows in the province, together with horses, milk carts, cans and other paraphernalia, appertaining to the milk business.

Lunch will be served on the grounds.

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Dry Goods, Ornaments, Cutlery, Notions, Fancy wares, Stationery, Knife Sharpeners, Chinaware, Lace Curtains, Blankets, 20 bolts of Ladies' Dress-goods, Flannel, Muslins, Prints, Gingham, Fancy Stockings, Flannellette, Lace, Velvet and an assortment of other Dry Goods; also 2 rolls of Carpet, Lace Curtains, Watches, Remnants of Denim. This is a bankrupt stock and contains a good deal more than we can specialize. Now on view.

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#### NEW GRAND THEATRE.

Every Scotchman, and every person of every other nationality also will be at the Grand this week to see the three Gordon Highlanders, and to hear them in their up to date and charming musical act which leads the show this week and with which they work continued applause yesterday. Their act opens with bagpipe selections, which appeal more to the Scotchman than to others, but when the Highlanders get down to ordinary musical instruments the work is fully appreciated by the full audience. They play on the banjo, the concertina, the trombone and the chimes, their selection on the latter being specially worth mention and the means of bringing the house to its feet.

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Our stock of Builders' Hardware consists of every reliable kind. We guarantee every article bought at this store to be the best manufactured.

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### MAY SUTTON MAY GIVE AN EXHIBITION HERE

Northwest Clubs Negotiating for Trip Over Circuit—Local Tennis Topics

There is a probability that Miss May Sutton, champion lady tennis player of the world, will play in Victoria later in the year. The secretaries of the tennis clubs throughout the Northwest are now in correspondence with Miss Sutton seeking to arrange a series of matches over the circuit.

A meeting of the Victoria club is being held this afternoon to confirm the appointment of delegates to the International Tennis Tournament at Spokane to be held next month.

### ENJOY RECEPTION AND CRUISE ON MADGE

University Site Commission Entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Watt Yesterday Afternoon

Yesterday afternoon the members of the University Site Commission, with the exception of the secretary, Principal Murray, who was unable to attend, were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Watt at a reception held in their home at William Head. There were many prominent persons present and the perfect weather made the trip to the Head most enjoyable.

The steamer Madge was requisitioned to take the guests from the marine and Fisheries wharf and, following a delightful luncheon, the guests returned and were taken on a trip around Esquimalt harbor.

#### MUST WAIT FOR REWARD.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—Owing to the fact that only \$10,000 is in the government's treasury fund, Richard Parr, who was awarded \$100,000 for discovering the fraudulent underweighing of the sugar trust at New York, will have to wait until the next session of congress to secure the full amount due him.

The \$10,000 probably will be turned over to Parr within a few days. The remainder of the award will be appropriated by congress at the next session.

#### TRAIN ROBBERIES.

Three Bandits Are Believed to Have Hidden in Caves Near Salt Lake.

Salt Lake City, Utah, June 28.—Posses are surrounding "Little Mountain," near the shore of Salt Lake, today, as it is believed the three bandits who held up an Oregon short line train in the outskirts of this city Sunday night are hiding in caves in the mountain. A fight is expected if the bandits are located.

Fourteen suspects are held in jail at Orem.

#### FOUR FIREMEN INJURED.

Struck by Falling Wall—Flames Cause Loss of Half Million Dollars.

Paterson, N. J., June 28.—Fire which threatened destruction of the business district of this city was controlled here today after four firemen had been injured. The firemen were struck by a falling wall, but none was fatally hurt. Loss \$500,000.

#### FIGHT FOR CAPITOL.

Guthrie, Okla., June 28.—The second move on the part of the state officials to block court interference with the removal of the state capitol to Oklahoma City was made today when Attorney-General West argued the second demurrer to the petition for an injunction preventing the removal. The case will be fought out in the state courts, but the battle may not end there. If the state officials succeed in preventing the issuance of an injunction, the state courts the federal courts will be asked to interfere. The federal authorities here say they will not intervene unless the state courts have passed upon the matter.

#### BATHING FATALITY.

Chicago, June 28.—Within sight of a score of men and women, Antonio Vija, 29 years old, and his cousin, George Vija, 25 years old, were drowned in the Grand Calumet river, Gary, Ind. George Vija was swimming and was seized with cramps. His cousin plunged into the water to save him. He attempted to drag him to shore, but the drowning man grabbed him about the throat and he, too, sank.

#### SNAKES IN HIS HAIR.

Indian Yogi's Coiffure Afforded Good Resting Place.

The hair of the Indian yogi or religious mendicant, owing to long years of neglect, becomes matted together in a fashion more easy to imagine than to describe, and certainly could not be brushed out. It is of very great length, and when allowed to hang down trails on the ground. "One night," writes a correspondent in the Wide World Magazine, "one of these yogis was sleeping under a tree, when a snake wormed its way into his tangled coiffure, and he had quite a difficult task to get rid of it in the morning."

A German patent has been granted on a power transmission process using thin, endless steel wires, which are claimed to be as effective as leather belts or metal chains.

## Here's the Go-Cart for Your Baby



**Reclining Go-Cart**  
 Same as above, \$16.00  
 Body is finished in green. Upholstered in green leather cloth—hood same. Gear is all steel, four 12-in. rubber tire wheels. Whitney patent wheel fastener, foot brake. Enamelled finish to match body. Enamelled push bar. Stylish, well built cart. Priced at, each, \$16.00.



**Pullman Sleeper**  
 Same as above, \$16.50  
 The body of this cart is reed, finished in oak finish. Upholstered in plain rep. The hood is of brown leather cloth, enamelled joints. Gear is all steel, four 14-in. rubber tire wheels. Whitney anti-friction wheel fastener. Foot brake. Enamelled to match body. Priced at \$16.50.



**Reclining Go-Cart**  
 Same as above, \$19.00  
 Body is wood, finished in maroon and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth, with mattress cushion. Hood with enamelled joints. Gear is steel tubular, four 14-inch rubber tire wheels. Whitney patent anti-friction wheel fastener, patent foot brake. Priced at \$19.00.



**Pullman Sleeper**  
 Same as above, \$20.00  
 Body of this one is reed, finished in oak finish. Upholstered in plain rep with mattress cushion. Hood of tan cloth. Gear all steel, four 14-inch rubber tire wheels. Whitney patent wheel fastener, foot brake. Priced at \$20.00.

### Rich Coverings

For Your Home's Floor

You cannot deny the importance of having the floor coverings "correct." They do much to make or mar the appearance of the room. The producing of rich effects in floor coverings is an easy matter, if you do your choosing from this store's ample and excellent stocks. Easy not only in the matter of selection, but also in the matter of cost.

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When comparing our prices on carpets don't fail to remember that these carpets are reliable brands—made to give excellent service. Materials are the very best and the colorings don't fade within a few weeks.

A guarantee of satisfaction goes out with every yard of carpet we sell, and you are protected when you choose your carpets from this store's offerings.

Remember, too, that these prices are for carpets made and laid by men who are experts in the work.

TAPESTRY CARPETS from, per yard, 75c  
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 AXMINSTER SQUARES—Prices start at \$18  
 WILTON SQUARES—Prices start from \$25.00

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**Pullman Runabout**  
 Same as above, \$22.50  
 Body is of wood, finished green. Upholstered in leather cloth, with gores. Hood of leather cloth, with side curtains. Gear all steel tubing, automatic collapsible. Four 12-in. rubber tire wheels. Enamel finish. Foot brake. Priced at, each, \$22.50.



**English Carriage**  
 Same as above, \$25.00  
 Body is wood, finished either maroon or green, and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth, lined reversible and removable. Brass joints. Gear English, 14x2 1/2 in. rubber tire wheels. Whitney anti-friction wheel fastener. Foot brake. Enamelled. Price is \$25.00.



**English Carriage**  
 Same as above, \$27.50  
 Body is wood, finished either maroon or green, and varnished. Upholstered in leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth, lined, reversible and removable. Brass joints. Gear English strap, 16x22 in. cushion rubber tire wheels. Anti-friction wheel fastener. Foot brake. Priced at \$27.50.



**English Carriage**  
 Same as above, \$40.00  
 Body is of wood, finished dark green and varnished. Upholstered in English leather cloth. Hood of leather cloth, lined, reversible and removable. Brass joints. Gear English strap, 16x22 in. cushion rubber tire wheels. Patent anti-friction wheel fasteners. Foot brake. Priced at \$40.00.

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#### SHOT BY BASEBALL PLAYER.

Memphis, Tenn., June 28.—Ollie Hollis, 22 years of age, is a prisoner in the county jail to-day charged with the murder of Leslie Pratten, following a ball game at Kerville, near here. Pratten laughed at Hollis when he struck out during the game.

#### FIRE DESTROYS CANNERY.

Vancouver, June 28.—Fire yesterday afternoon destroyed the building and plant of the Eagle Harbor Packing Co., situated just above Point Atkinson on Howe Sound, about ten miles from this city. Preparations were well advanced for the canning season, which opens next month. The loss is estimated at \$50,000, partly insured. The company has been carrying on a salmon packing business at that point for the past ten years.

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