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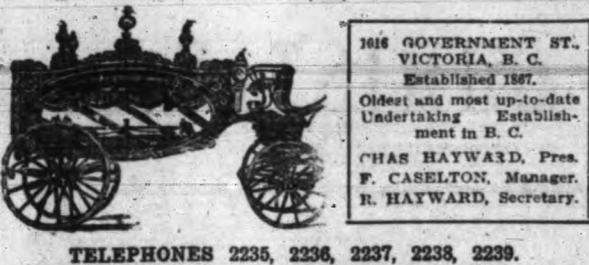
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CHINESE GOVERNMENT FEARS TROUBLE

Shake Up Occurs in Foreign Office
Following Resignation of
Vice-President

Peking, July 29.—An important shake up in the foreign office occurred yesterday following the publication of an imperial edict announcing that Liang Tun Yen had been "permitted to resign as senior vice-president, owing to ill-health." All important officials of the foreign office, with the exception of Prince Ching, president of the council, were transferred to other departments of the government.

Reason for the changes is not given but it is believed that the imperial government is taking preliminary steps to avert demonstrations over the recent Russo-Japanese Manchurian convention and over certain railway concessions in the empire.

Liang Tun Yen three years ago was appointed minister at Washington, but a week after his selection the appointment was cancelled. Later he was appointed assistant director, general of customs and afterward transferred to the foreign office because of his knowledge of Manchurian conditions.

Prince Ching, uncle of the emperor, is one of the most distinguished men in Chinese public life. He at one time was high commissioner in negotiating a treaty with Japan relative to Manchuria. He has been president of the board of foreign affairs of Taung-Li-Pamen since 1905.

He is disliked by the emperor, but his power is shown by his ability to hold his office in spite of the removal of all his leading subordinate officers.

FAIL TO REACH SUMMIT OF MCKINLEY

Members of Party Headed by
Rusk on Way Back to
Seward

Seward, Alaska, July 29.—The Portland Oregonian and New York Herald Mount McKinley expedition, headed by C. E. Rusk, of Chelan, Wash., which sailed from Seattle on the revenue cutter Tahoma, on April 24th, and which followed Dr. Cook's route up the Shushitna and Chulitna rivers, failed to reach the summit of Mount McKinley, and is now on the way back to Seward.

Members of the party reached the peak which Cook alleged to be the summit, but it is ten miles from the topmost point of the mountain, they said. The Rusk party was unable to see the flag which the Thomas Lloyd party is alleged to have planted on the summit last April, and the members are disinclined to believe the story told by the Fairbanks expedition.

The party headed by Prof. Herschel Parker, of New York, and Belmont Brown, of Tacoma, is still endeavoring to ascend the mountain.

This news was brought to Seward yesterday by W. McDougall, president of the Cache Creek Mining Company, who met the Rusk party a few days ago at Shushitna station.

SHORTAGE AMOUNTS TO HALF MILLION

Cashier of the Russo-Chinese Bank
Has Not Yet Been
Found

New York, July 29.—The New York agency of the Russo-Chinese bank issued a cheerful statement last night, lightening by \$100,000 the stock shortage with which its youthful cashier, Erwin Wider, now a fugitive from justice, stands accused. The bank's loss, says the statement, will not exceed \$500,000. Heretofore the most conservative estimates placed the value of the missing securities at \$600,000.

With the grand jury investigation of the case now under way, Wider's whereabouts are still a mystery. Although it was reported yesterday that he was under surveillance at White Plains, New York, only twenty-two miles from New York City, this could not be confirmed. Witnesses, including representatives of stock exchange houses with which the young speculator had dealings, were examined by the grand jury.

Whether Wider was at any time successfully in his stock market affairs is a matter of debate. At any rate his operations were on a small scale. During a twelve-month, it was learned yesterday, one of the firm

bought \$200,000 of stocks for his account, and it is assumed that he must have been on the right side of the market at times, although he is said to have lost heavily as a bear during one of the great bull movements in cotton. The statement issued last night by the bank says in part: "A full examination shows that the loss cannot in any event exceed \$500,000, and of that amount a large sum is certain to be recovered by the bank. The robbery covered by the bank in no way affects the normal course of business of the bank nor exerts any influence upon the bank's dividends."

PREDICTS SLUMP IN WHEAT PRICES

Portland Miller Declares Drop
Will Come Unless Foreign
Markets Advance

Portland, Ore., July 29.—Unless foreign markets range considerably higher the man who sells wheat during July and August will receive a better price than the man who holds.

This is the declaration made by Theo. R. Wilcox, president of the Portland Flouring Mills, the owner of a string of mills in Oregon, and on Puget Sound, and the biggest wheat buyer on the Pacific Coast.

Continuing, he said: "The Pacific Northwest produces a surplus of wheat each year and as long as we do we must sell at whatever price the other fellow is willing to give. Just now a few men who bought flour short at low prices are covering, and have been forced into the market at high prices."

"I believe, however, that everyone is getting too excited over high prices. Last year it was the same. For a while we paid prices that were not in the least justified by local conditions or the market elsewhere. The slump at the close of the season was the result. Personally, I will not stand for putting the price of local flour to a basis where we would simply invite the eastern millers to take our trade."

Wilcox would make a big profit by a sharp advance in the price of wheat. It is estimated that he holds fully a million bushels of wheat and flour that he paid record breaking prices for last year.



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TO-MORROW—FINIS

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To-Morrow, Saturday

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ROUMANIA'S QUEEN WILL TOUR STATES

Expected to Arrive at Portland,
Ore., During Month of
September

Portland, Ore., July 29.—Elizabeth, Queen of Roumania (Carmen Sylva), will come to Portland, probably in September. While here she will be the guest of the Better Citizenship association, and will participate in a national anniversary meeting of the organization, according to announcements made by the general secretary, E. M. Rosenthal.

Queen Elizabeth expects to make a tour of the United States that will take her to the principal cities of the nation. The date of her arrival in Portland has not been definitely fixed, but she is expected the latter part of September.

The anniversary conference of the Better Citizenship association had been set for Tuesday but when word came to Mr. Rosenthal of Queen Elizabeth's coming it was instantly decided that it would be better to postpone the meeting until the arrival of the Queen.

HALIFAX DRYDOCK.

Halifax, July 29.—The city council's drydock committee met yesterday to listen to the proposal of M. Brookfield, manager of the drydock, to President Johnson of the board of trade and others. Mr. Brookfield stated that the dock would be extended to 300 feet if the government will give a subsidy for the additional cost.

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an expression of its attitude towards the industry, so that the English shareholders would be encouraged to go ahead.

President Johnson, of the board of trade, is asked meeting the request of the drydock company, claiming that other cities would give concessions, which would enable them to put the drydock at Halifax out of commission. He favored a plebiscite on voting \$200,000 for a steel shipbuilding industry at the same time. The committee will report to the city council next week.

ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED.

Vancouver, July 28.—"Accidental drowning" was the verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Captain Bolderstone, of the British barque Holt Hill, whose body was recovered from Burrard Inlet last Saturday. Owing to the absence of Coroner Jeffs, the inquest was conducted by Captain Pittendrigh, the New Westminster coroner.

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CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE POLITICAL LEAGUE.

The party of distinguished statesmen now touring the Canadian Northwest occasionally unbend, divest their minds of weighty affairs of state, and indulge in the popular pastimes of the "common people."

But the result is not considered conclusive. Championships of great leagues are not decided on the issue of one game. The usual custom is to play a series. So we presume the struggle will be continued at intervals along the route of travel.

the matter can be arranged and the final game be played at the Oak Bay or the Royal Athletic grounds, with the Prime Minister of Canada and the Premier of British Columbia occupying the prominent places sacred to the "rooters."

GROWTH AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF RAILWAYS.

This is a big continent in which mighty things are being accomplished and powerful institutions are being established. Canadians view with pride, mingled possibly with some apprehension, the development of such great corporations as the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Grand Trunk Railway.

The Grand Trunk Railway has been a trifle slow in following the example set by its young and powerful rival, and we hope also competitor. But if the G. T. R. has been a little slow in taking up the running, it is setting a swift pace at last.

A short time ago there was some danger that both the C. P. R. and G. T. R. would become involved in strife with their tens of thousands of employes. Fortunately in the case of the C. P. R. this modern form of civil war was avoided.

What a transformation there would be in the appearance of the streets of Victoria if all the unsightly, disfiguring poles were cut down and the wires they bear were buried under ground.

The Methodist people of this city deserve every commendation for the energy with which they are endeavoring to provide homes and entertainment for the members of the General Conference of the Methodist church, which meets in this city on August 14th.

month of August. We commend this work to the public of Victoria, and if any are able to assist in the entertainment of the delegates the committee in charge will be very glad to hear from them.

LIQUOR BY-LAW TO BE TESTED

The validity of the liquor regulations by-law, under which licenses of hotels and saloons are required to keep the window blinds up during Sundays, will be argued on Monday in the police court, and if a conviction is recorded the case will go to the higher court.

The Kaiser has recounted. His Majesty not so long ago declared that the sphere of woman should be confined strictly to the church and the kitchen, with a liberal interpretation of the latter word of course.

The expansive waters afford no refuge for desperate criminals in these days of the wireless telegraph. Dr. Crippen and his guilty companion will realize this as soon as they attempt to land at a Canadian port.

A great many people seem anxious to know what Dan Mann is going to announce within the next few days. The Times is anxious to know what is going to do. Announcements have been made before.

"Citizen's" deductions from the attitude of pavement contractors to the inspectors appointed by the civic authorities may be justifiable and correct, but the Times cannot undertake the responsibility of giving them publicity.

The British Woman's Suffrage Bill is buried for the present. Now the ladies will buckle their armor on and prepare to carry the war into the enemy's territory.

Mrs. J. E. Austen, Toronto, Dominion treasurer of the King's Daughters, who has been visiting Mrs. G. J. Burnett, left yesterday for Vancouver, where she will be the guest of her son, F. R. Austen, for a few weeks before returning to her home in the East.

C. C. Chapman, Portland, the well-known publicity expert, is expected to reach here to-morrow on a visit to the local branch of the Vancouver Island Development League.

H. S. Turner, Western secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will preach at St. Saviour's church on Sunday evening. The service begins at 7.30 p. m.

W. A. Dowler, of Fort William, and formerly of Tilsonburg, Ont., a brother of City Clerk Dowler, has purchased the Fort William Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton Richardson, North Bend, B. C., returned home to-day after visiting Mr. Richardson's mother at 802 Blanchard street.

Mrs. John Cotford will not receive until the second Monday in October.

Mrs. Martindale and family, Portland, Ore., are visiting Mrs. E. Martindale, 2613 Work street.

ENGINEER KILLED.

Salem, Ore., July 29.—Engineer P. H. Greeny was instantly killed and Fireman Coleman fatally injured when a Santa Fe freight engine, which they were driving, blew up at McConico, Arizona, to-day.

WANTED: LATEST ALLMENT.

"Well, here I am," announced the fashionable physician in his breezy way. "And now, what do you think is the matter with you?"

"Doctor, I hardly know," murmured the fashionable patient. "What is new?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

AT TIMES

"A farmer's life is often hard, isn't it?" "Yes; at times, it is harrowing."—Baltimore American.

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CASE COMMENCED IN THE POLICE COURT

Penalty Upon Conviction Clause Held Ultra Vires—Will Be Argued on Monday

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The city prosecutor and the city solicitor, both of whom were heard for the prosecution, held that even if the penalty clause is bad the balance of the by-law will stand good.

The case was adjourned for further argument until Monday. Alphonse O. Roy, on remand charged with obstructing the B. C. Electric Company, was this morning fined \$50.

CLASH BETWEEN EXILES AND TROOPS

Madrid, July 29.—Thousands of Spanish exiles gathered on the Franco-Spanish frontier were prevented from entering Spain to-day to take part in the proposed demonstration at Barcelona against the monarchy.

Carlisle Pretender to the Spanish Throne Reported to Be Leader of Movement

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This was the official statement made public here this afternoon. No mention of conditions at Barcelona, where a general strike was threatened, is made.

Cerbere, France, Spanish Frontier, July 29.—Scattered conflicts between the forces of Spanish exiles planning to enter Spain and the Spanish troops are reported to-day.

Don Jaime, the Carlisle pretender to the Spanish throne, is leading the movements of the exiles and a serious clash is feared. Courier reports received late this evening indicate that the exiles have camped on the Spanish frontier and will proceed to Barcelona as soon as the Royal army is decreased in number.

NEWFOUNDLAND FISHERIES.

Sir William Robson Continues His Argument Before The Hague Tribunal.

The Hague, July 29.—After having refuted the assertion that after the decision in the arbitration case at Halifax the United States had only paid indemnity to Great Britain after having received assurance from the British government that Great Britain certainly had no right to exercise jurisdiction over American fishermen, Sir William Robson, before the fisheries tribunal Wednesday, dealt with the doctrine of the United States based its claim that its rights to fish were not subject to British laws.

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Men's Flannelette Night Shirts, Very Special at 75c. A very special bargain is offered to the men folks here Friday and Saturday. These Night Shirts are made of a very fine quality flannelette. Special to-day at 75c.

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If You Have Not Attended This Shoe Sale Yet, Do So To-Day. Men's Shoes, regular values up to \$6.00. For \$2.95. It will pay every man handsomely to attend this Shoe Sale to-day.

Wind-Up Prices on Men's Straw Hats. Values to \$1.50 to Clear, To-Day at 25c. Stop just a moment and think what a tremendous saving can be made here to-day in MEN'S STRAW HATS.

Clean-Up Sale of Dutch Collars To-Morrow at 15c Worth 35c. To-morrow the neckwear department will be a busy place, as we are placing a splendid assortment of Dutch Collars on sale. These are made of lawn with Valenciennes lace insertion and lace edges.

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SPORTS MEET AT SHAWNIGAN

ANNUAL EVENT TO BE HELD TO-MORROW

Water and Land Athletes Competing—Dance Takes Place During Evening

Shawnigan to-morrow will hold its annual land and water sports, which have in the past attracted a large delegation of Victoria people, and for the convenience of these the association has arranged with the E. & N. Railway Company for a special train which will leave the depot at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The train will return to the city after the dance at night, so that all who do not wish to stay overnight at the summer resort can return to the city.

The Shawnigan Lake rowing club will hold a special race for fours, two new boats having recently been purchased. The crews for this event are: Crew No. 1—H. Koenig, bow; J. Potter, 2; R. Elford, 3; G. Frayne, stroke. Crew No. 2—L. Head, bow; C. F. Morris, 2; E. W. Blake, Jr., 3; D. Chapman, stroke.

The programme will commence at 1:30 and the Victoria train will arrive a few minutes after, making a straight run through. There is also the regular train going up at 9 a.m. by which the early visitors can travel. The prizes will be presented at the close of the day by Mrs. Gordon Hunter. These will be on exhibition during the day at the club house.

Bantley's orchestra will provide the dance music in the evening. The list of land events, besides which there are the swimming races and the J. B. A. rowing events, is as follows:

- Two-mile race—Members of the S. L. A. A. only; 1st prize cup, presented by R. D. Finlayson; 2nd prize cup, presented by R. D. Finlayson.
- Tug of war—1st prize, presented by Harvey & Briggs; consolation prize, presented by Harvey & Briggs.
- Hop, step and jump—1st prize box cigars, presented by S. A. Bantley; 2nd

prize box cigarettes, presented by R. Rick.

4. Putting the shot—1st prize triple mouth organ, presented by Fletcher Bros.; 2nd prize folding chair, presented by Jeune Bros.

5. Long jump—1st prize meerschaum pipe, presented by Dudley.

6. High jump—1st prize, presented by B. J. Johnson.

7. 100 yards race, ladies—1st prize biscuit jar, presented by R. D. Finlayson; 2nd prize, half dozen table napkins, presented by Mrs. A. Koenig.

One mile road race—1st prize, by R. Elford; 2nd, by S. L. A. A.

100 yard dash—1st and 2nd prizes, donated by the S. L. A. A.

All races strictly amateur; two starters or no race; three starters or no second prize; local boat races to be competed in boats selected by the committee; in all cases the judge's decision to be final; no entry received without fee; motor and yacht race and tug-of-war fee, \$1. Any of the others 25c.

TO-MORROW'S SPORTS

Lacrosse.

Victoria v. Westminster, in the Kilmarnock cup series, at Royal park.

Cricket.

Victoria v. Vancouver, at Jubilee hospital, all day.

Empress v. Garrison, at Work Point.

Albion v. Saanich, at Beacon Hill.

At Shawnigan.

Annual water and land sports and boat races.

At Vancouver.

Northwest athletic championships.

B. C. swimming championships.

TO PLAY THREE

CRICKET MATCHES

Victoria vs. Vancouver, Garrison vs. Empress, Albions vs. Saanich Team.

Three cricket matches are slated for to-morrow. Victoria plays the Vancouver eleven at the hospital ground in an all-day match, commencing at 10:30 and continuing until lunch, when an interval will be called. The game will continue in the afternoon. The Garrison eleven meets the Empress club at the Work Point barracks and the Empress players expect, after their win against the Albions, to beat the soldiers. The third game is at Beacon Hill, between the Albions and Saanich. The teams playing in the Victoria and Vancouver match are as follows:—The Victoria team will be: L. S. V. York, J. W. D. York, J. H. Gillespie, A. Martin, T. B. Tye, J. C. Barnacle, F. J. Marshall, F. Gallher, M. Cane, J. Lowery and Thomas.

The Vancouver team is: W. E. Hodges (captain), F. J. Peers, F. J. Morris, W. H. Crossfield, H. Arthur, K. A. Dancesborough, E. Winearls, L. F. Murphy, E. H. Neil, W. Snee, G. S. Sharp, H. Shotton, W. H. Carnsea (umpire).

In the Vancouver team is Murphy, who this week in a mid-week game at Brockton Point hit up 63 against Cedar Cottage and then secured three wickets. Vancouver won by a big margin.

SELECTED TEAM TO MEET ROYALS

STRONG DEFENCE AND NEW HOME MEN CHOSEN

Leo Sweeney Off First Time in Big Match for Eight Years—Brynjolfsson Centre

The selection committee of the Victoria lacrosse club last night selected twelve players to represent Victoria to-morrow in the Kilmarnock cup lacrosse match against Westminster at Royal Park, and while the defence is the same as that against which six goals were recorded at Vancouver, the home is altered and strengthened by the inclusion of Pettierow, while Julien and Johnson are in the home in place of McDonald and Young, the latter being among the spares and Leo Sweeney giving the centre position to Brynjolfsson.

The full team selected is: Goal, Johnson; point, Sweeney (F.); cover point, Stiles; 1st defence, J. Dakers; 2nd defence, S. Okell; 3rd defence, F. Kroeger; centre, Brynjolfsson; 3rd home, Pettierow; 2nd home, Sargison; 1st home, Carss; outside home, Julien; inside home, J. Johnson. Sparesmen; Young, Sweeney, Noel and Ross.

The lacrosse men to-day are wondering what kind of glasses the selection committee was looking through when they passed up Leo Sweeney for the centre position last night. Sweeney is one of the three hardest lacrosse workers on the field the Victoria team has every known; and in all the matches this year he has played a star game. He has been on every representative twelve of Victoria lacrosse for the last twelve years, and his exclusion this match is a puzzle. The inclusion of Johnson on the home is an experiment that is doubtful for an important game. Johnson has played once only in senior lacrosse, and has been in the intermediate ranks hitherto.

The match will commence at 3

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(Times Leased Wire.)

San Francisco, July 28.—Tom Jones, Ad. Wolgast's manager, is on his way to San Francisco to-day to confer with Jim Coffroth, fight promoter. It is said Jones' object is to fix up the match between Wolgast and Owen Moran that was called off several days ago.

Coffroth has been hunting for the past few weeks for a good card for the

San Francisco fight fans the latter part of August.

No details have been given out but the general belief is that Jones and Coffroth already have arranged the preliminaries so that Wolgast and Moran can get together in three or four weeks.

CALIFORNIA HAS A NEW FOOTBALL UNION

San Francisco, July 28.—The American football teams of the Century club

of Oakland, and the Winged V team of Vallejo are preparing to-day to form a state football league for 1911-12, the winner to receive the title of champions of California. The Vallejo team last season had an unbroken string of victories and won the title. The games were few, however, because of the lack of teams playing the American style of football. Other cities of the state will be asked to form teams.

The ratable value of the city of London is shown by the quinquennial revaluation to have increased by \$1,700,000 gross and \$1,000,000 net during the past five years.

THORPE'S SODA WATER

Made From Water From Which All Germs
Have Been Removed

Soap making is declared by the British consul to be the most important industry in Jerusalem, and next to it comes the manufacture of so-called religious articles.

Friday and Saturday Will Be Hat Days

We Intend to Make a

Clean Sweep in Our Hat Dept.

In order to make these Straw Hats move out quickly, we are offering them for Friday and Saturday at remarkable reductions. These are all new seasonable goods, having only just been opened up. Our reason for such reductions lies in the fact that they came to hand late, having been delayed in transit.

All Our Light Shade Fedora and Crush Hats to Go at \$2.00

REGULAR \$3.50 HATS for **\$2.50** | REGULAR \$1.50 HATS for **\$1.00**
 REGULAR \$2.50 HATS for **\$1.50** | REGULAR \$3.00 HATS for **\$2.00**

Some of these were priced to sell at \$4.00 and \$4.50, but we are left with a number of light shades on hand, consisting of Fedora, Crush, Telescope, etc. Friday and Saturday **\$2.00**

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Victoria goes to Vancouver, and will be held after the game there.

The Capital ball team beat the North Ward nine last night at North Ward Park by ten to one. On Sunday Manager Brynjolfsson will take the Capital to Ladysmith and the team will be: White, p.; Pike, c.; James, 1st; Irving, 2nd; Milne, 3rd; Bray, s.s.; Hawke, s.f.; Croghan, l.f.; Simpson, r.f.

SWIMMERS AND SPRINTERS OFF

TO COMPETE IN THE CHAMPIONSHIP MEETS

Northwest Amateur Track Events and B. C. Swimming Races at Vancouver To-morrow

Victoria sends seven athletes to the mainland to-morrow. Four of these will take part in the Northwest athletic amateur championships against the best of the Washington and mainland clubs, and the other three will compete in the B. C. swimming championships at English Bay.

The track team, with the events in which the men will run, is as follows: Charles Brown, V. W. A. A.—5 miles; J. P. Sweeney, J. B. A. A.—1 mile; J. Winsby, J. B. A. A.—Quarter mile; P. Beasley, J. B. A. A.—100 and 220 yard dashes.

The swimming team from Victoria will be as follows: Frank Crompton, 100 and 440 senior events.

J. Hannah, mile championships.

J. Cameron, 100 and 220 junior events and 100 yards under 16.

In the track events it is the Seattle Athletic club team that is considered the most dangerous by the local athletes. And not without reason, for at the "A. T." championship meet last year the S. A. C. team won the championship of America against some of the greatest athletes on the continent.

This time, Major Inglis and other officials of the Seattle Athletic club are making no secret of the fact that they are not only out after fresh laurels, but they have an idea that the big championship cup would look prettily in their trophy room of the new building the club will move into soon.

Following the usual policy of the S. A. C. when they go after anything like that in real earnest, the officials of the Sound City organization have been combing all Washington and the adjoining States to secure all the best athletes as point winners. Their team is headed by Bradley Gish, the phenomenal sprinter, who is going east immediately after the meet to compete for the world's all-round championship.

One of the latest acquisitions to the S. A. C. track team is Billy Martin, the

former Whitman College crack sprinter, who won the 100-yard American amateur championship last year, and lately has been turning his attention to the low hurdles with great success. He has a record of 25 seconds for the 220-yard low hurdles, which, if he can duplicate it, should win here, although there are several local sprinters who will make him extend himself to win.

In the swimming fixtures Victoria should be able to hold its own without difficulty, for if there is one thing the Y. M. C. A. is strong on it is swimming. The burden of the senior events rests with Crompton, who made a clean-up last year, but the new man Hannah should be able to take care of the mile. This will be contested on an oval course, eight laps of 220 yards each. It is for a handsome trophy donated by Mayor Taylor and should prove one of the classic races ever seen at the bay. George Simpson, last year's winner, and Ercout, who won the event two years ago, will be strong contenders for first place. It may be that this prize will go to some of the new men entered and Sacks and Murdoch are to be considered.

Washington..... R. H. E. 6 12
 Philadelphia..... 5 5 4
 Philadelphia..... 5 5 4
 Boston..... 1 7 1
 New York..... 14 14 3
 Boston..... 14 14 3

Batteries—Quinn and Mitchell; Hall, Collins and Carrigan.

NATIONAL.
 Brooklyn, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Boston..... 0 5 2
 Brooklyn..... 1 7 1
 Batteries—Curtis and Graham; Barger and Bergen; Erwin.

New York, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Philadelphia..... 3 4 1
 New York..... 4 10 1
 Batteries—McQuillen and Doolin; Mathewson, Dickson and Meyers.

Cincinnati, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game, 14 innings, follow:
 R. H. E.
 Pittsburgh..... 4 10 1
 Cincinnati..... 2 10 1
 Batteries—Adams, Leever and Gibson; Suggs and McLean.

Cleveland, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 St. Louis..... 1 4 0
 Cleveland..... 2 5 1

St. Louis, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Chicago..... 3 8 1
 St. Louis..... 0 5 0
 Batteries—Overall and King; Willis and Bresnahan.

PACIFIC COAST.
 San Francisco, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Portland..... 0 5 0
 San Francisco..... 1 7 2
 Batteries—Seaton and Fisher; Browning and Williams.

Los Angeles, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Vernon..... 3 5 2
 Oakland..... 8 11 8
 Batteries—Raleigh, Shafer, Hensling and Hogan; Hasty; Lively and Mitze.

Sacramento, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Los Angeles..... 0 5 2
 Sacramento..... 0 5 0
 Batteries—Nagel and Smith; Hunt and Spleman.

NORTHWESTERN.
 Tacoma, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Tacoma..... 2 13 9
 Spokane..... 1 7 2
 Batteries—Hall and Blankenship; Helm and Shea.

Vancouver, July 29.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
 R. H. E.
 Seattle..... 0 8 0
 Vancouver..... 3 13 2
 Batteries—Belford, Hinkle and Custer; Gardner and Lewis.

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SPORT NOTES

The Vancouver Island fish and game club will meet on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock at the Driad hotel to discuss the early opening of the shooting season. The club wishes to obtain the views of sportsmen on the matter. Delegates to the meeting are expected from the up-island districts.

The Cloverdale lacrosse team will hold the final practice to-night. In view of the match in the Claxton cup series against North Ward on Monday night,

the club officers want a full turn out.

Dr. E. F. Roller, of Seattle, the American wrestler, has been matched with Gama, the champion of India. The contest will be held next month, and there will be a side bet of \$500. The information came from London. Dr. Roller, although a consistent worker, has not shown himself to be a brilliant mat artist, although he may, in time, claim Frank Gotch's title if Gotch refuses to wrestle any more.

A dispatch by the Times leased wire to-day says that former middleweight champion Joe Thomas last night broke Terry Keller's jaw in the first round of a fight at Ogden. Keller did not make mention of the broken jaw until

the twelfth round. He wanted to continue, but his seconds stopped him.

The Vancouver St. Andrew's Society will hold its Caledonian games at Brockton Point on August 6th. Invitations are extended to all Victorian Scotchmen and athletes to take part.

The Vancouver amateur lacrosse team, playing in the Kilmarnock cup league this year, defeated the newly formed Shamrocks pro team in an exhibition game this week by 7 to 5.

The B. C. lacrosse league meeting, which it was planned to hold to-morrow night in Victoria, will probably be postponed until August 6th, when

A Tornado of Shoe Bargains!

All day to-morrow at the great Shoe Sale at Watson's. Practically every day we are unloading shipments of new goods, and still there are more on the way. Our store is crowded for room and it becomes an increasingly pressing problem, that of storage. There's only one way out, that of selling at prices that will help move the surplus. Therefore we have cut, and cut, and cut again at the prices of every pair of summer shoes in Men's and Ladies', Boys' and Girls' low and high style, in the store.

Prices Count Where the Quality is Right



MEN'S TAN AND BLACK BOOTS, the best stocks, box calf and vici. Up to \$5.00. Saturday **\$2.90**

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LADIES' WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS. Reg. price \$2.00. Saturday **95c**

MEN'S FRANK SLATER "STRIDER" SHOES, in box calf. Regular \$5.00. Saturday **\$3.65**

LADIES' TAN AND BROWN OXFORDS, up to \$3.50. Saturday **\$1.95**

LADIES' 1-STRAP AND 3-STRAP SLIPPERS. All sizes. Saturday **\$1.35**

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MISSSES' OXFORDS AND SLIPPERS in tan and vici kid. Up to \$2. Saturday **\$1.35**

CHILDREN'S ASSORTED LINES, some of the very best makes. Up to sizes 7 1/2. Saturday **75c**

MEN'S PATENT BOX CALF BOOTS, up to \$6. Saturday **\$3.95**

MISSSES' WHITE CANVAS OXFORD. Sizes 11 to 2. Regular price \$1.50. Saturday **\$1.15**

CHILD'S TAN AND BLACK VICI KID SLIPPERS AND SHOES, up to \$1.25. Saturday price **65c**

WATSON'S MATCH-LESS SHOE POLISH. Reg. 10c tin. Saturday **5c**



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CHASE & SANBORN, MONTREAL.

BORROWED AUTO FOR EARLY MORNING RIDE

Youth Remains in Jail for Two Days and is Then Acquitted on Charge of Theft

Owing to the fact that several complaints of automobiles being stolen had reached the police, Harold Regan, aged 18, appeared in the police court on remand this morning, charged with having stolen an automobile valued at over \$1,000, from the Western Motor Supply Company, Broad street, of which R. P. Clarke is manager.

Regan admitted having had the machine in his possession for some time during the early morning of July 26th, but the evidence for the prosecution showed that he had been at the garage on the night before, and had driven with John Hickey, an employee of the company, to the latter's house, 851 Cormorant street.

Regan had been seen careering down town in the machine by Constable Smith, and his arrest followed later in the morning.

City Engineer Angus Smith, for driving his automobile to the common danger, and W. C. Todd, for driving in excess of the speed limit, were each fined \$20.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of Mrs. Maude Marguerite Greene, who passed away at the Jubilee hospital in her twenty-seventh year yesterday, will take place this afternoon from the Hanna parlors at 1:30 o'clock.

Arrangements for the funeral of the late Edward Shute, whose remains are still at the Hanna parlors, have not yet been completed.

VICTORIA DOESN'T GET IT.

Oscar C. Bass Says Local Merchants Are Not Securing Proper Share of Northern Trade.

Oscar C. Bass, who has just returned from a trip to Stewart, is of the opinion that the merchants of Victoria are not taking advantage of the trade opportunities which Prince Rupert and Stewart offer.

KILBURN SOLD.

At a public auction at Suva, the steamer Kilburn, which stranded near there some time ago, was sold for \$27.

Most of the cargo and deck fittings were salvaged, and were moved to Suva. As a result of the inquiry into the cause of the stranding the captain's certificate was suspended for three months, and the chief officer and second officer were censured.

Dr. Chase's Ointment. Men's and women's ailments. Guaranteed cure for hemorrhoids, piles, itching, bleeding, and protruding piles.

HEAVY WEATHER FOR STEAMER UMATILLA

Waves Washed Upper Decks of Vessel and Delayed Her Several Hours

With breakers washing the upper deck and furious head winds retarding her progress the steamer Umatilla, Captain Rilly, had a hard time the day after she left San Francisco.

The Umatilla had a big cargo, consisting mostly of fruit, vegetables and hardware. Some of the fruit was stowed on her decks and will be none the better for the washing with salt water.

MONTCALM MAY NOT VISIT ESQUIMALT

French Cruiser Going Direct to Seattle From Honolulu and is Now Due

Official advices received here state that the French cruiser Montcalm, which is now about due in the straits from Honolulu on her cruise around the world, will go direct to Seattle and will remain there until August 10.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department. Victoria, July 29-5 a.m.—The barometer remains high over Northern British Columbia and along the Coast, and fine weather continues from this eastward to Manitoba.

LIQUOR ACT CIRCULAR.

Preparations to enforce the Provincial Liquor Act, passed at the last session, which comes into force on Monday next, are being made by the provincial police.

Steamer Claverley Will Finish Loading her Cargo of Lumber to-morrow and will Leave at Once for Australia.

Ship Marichen has completed loading her cargo in Vancouver harbor and is now waiting for her crew before leaving.

EXCURSIONISTS FROM ALASKA

SPEND WHOLE DAY SEEING VICTORIA

Captain of Queen Says Earthquake Broke Icebergs From Foot of Taku Glacier

Passengers on the Queen, Captain George H. Zeh, were agreeably surprised on the way south from their Alaska tour at the announcement that they would be given a whole day in Victoria.

The passengers state that the voyage was a most enjoyable one. They visited Sitka, where there is a fine museum of Indian and other relics, most of which were gathered by the fathers of the Greek church during the time of the Russian occupation.

At the Taku Glacier there was a great deal of ice. Captain Zeh gave it as his opinion that there had been an earthquake shock in the neighborhood and that this had broken off a quantity of ice from the foot of the glacier.

GRACE AT FAULT.

Captain of Belfast Says He Did Not Crowd Tug to Shore.

Capt. F. Glasgow, of the steamer Belfast, giving his story of the accident which occurred to the Edna Grace a few days ago, says that he took the starboard course and left the port channel to the tug.

STEAMERS LEAVING FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Prince George Left This Morning and Princess May Gets Away This Evening

Two steamers from this port will be on their way north to-night. The G. T. P. steamer Prince George pulled out soon after 10 o'clock this morning with passengers and freight for Prince Rupert and Stewart.

TIDE TABLE

Table with columns: Date, Time High, Time Low, Height. Rows for July 29 and 30, 1910.

NEEDLES CHARTERED BY ANDREW WEIR & CO.

Will Take Sailing of Celtic King in September, Sailing for Australia

Frank Waterhouse & Co. announced yesterday that the British steamer Needles had been fixed to take the September steaming in the Australian Mail line in place of the Celtic King.

Under command of Captain Turner the Needles left June 19th from Surabaya for San Francisco. She was last reported June 27th at Probolinggo. For her September steaming she is scheduled to leave Vancouver September 14th, and Tacoma three days later.

NOT SOLD.

The auction of the British steamer Knight of St. George, withdrawn when Auctioneer Made Error in Taking of Bids.

The auction of the British steamer Knight of St. George, at San Francisco, came to naught. Captain William Watson started the bidding at \$25,000 and under bids from Captain Eichen, Robert Dollar, William Smellie and William Wood of the Hart-Wood Lumber Company, the price was run up to \$74,000 that figure being named by Wood.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

On the Skeena. Prince Rupert, July 28.—The Skeena River report is as follows: 8 a.m.—Part cloudy, cool, calm. Water 1 ft. 3 in. above zero, stationary.

On the Coast.

Seattle—Arrived: Str. Portland from Valdez; str. Jefferson from Skagway; Br. str. Prince George from Portland Canal; str. Humboldt from Skagway; str. Argyle from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Wasp for Everett; str. Prince George for Portland Canal.

SLACK WATER—Active Pass. B. C.

July, 1910. Date, H.W., Slack, L.W., Slack. Table showing tide times for various dates in July.

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RENDER ASSISTANCE TO CHINESE TROOPS

German Torpedo Boat Despatched to Lai Yang—Ministers' Residences Guarded

More troubles are promised from China. The Prince Regent and a majority of the grand council have rejected the proposals for an early opening of a parliament and as a result the reformers are very much disturbed.

A rebellion has broken out at Lai Yang, in Shantung province. The military have taken the matter in hand and the German officers have been rendered the troops assistance in accordance with a treaty between the German and Chinese governments.

Gramps, Dysentery and Diarrhoea

Warm weather, bad hygienic surroundings, indigestion, exposure to cold or wet while in a run-down condition, eating unripe fruit or drinking impure water will cause cramps, dysentery and diarrhoea.

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Shawnigan Lake Fifth Annual Regatta

Saturday, July 30, 1910. A Special Train will leave Victoria at 1 p.m. Returning leaves Koenig's at 12:30 a.m.

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For Prince Rupert, Stewart, Queen-Charlotte Islands. S. S. PRINCE RUPERT, 3000 Tons, S. S. PRINCE GEORGE. THE INTERNATIONAL DOUBLE-TRACK ROUTE.



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See our windows teeming with bargains. This gigantic shoe sale will commence to-morrow, Saturday, 9 o'clock, and last 14 days. Fourteen days of the most sensational selling. Boots and Shoes almost given away as we want every one to become acquainted with Victoria's popular shoe store. See our offerings below and come early and investigate and speculate. Come early as we shall be crowded during the afternoon and evening.



**Shoes
For Women**

MEN'S VICI KID BLUCHER BALS, with double soles, light uppers. Good value at \$4. Opening Sale..... **\$1.95**

MEN'S PATENT SILVER COLT BLUCHER BOOTS, with new wing toe caps, sewn soles and military heels. Values to \$5.50. Opening Sale..... **\$3.25**

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MEN'S OLD COUNTRY WORKING BOOTS, with heavy nailed soles; solid all through. Regular \$3.50. Opening Sale..... **\$2.50**

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MEN'S CHROME TAN CALF BOOTS, with double soles and new wing toe caps, reinforced uppers and military heels. Values to \$5.50. Opening Sale Price..... **\$3.50**

MEN'S BOX CALF BLUCHER BOOTS, with leather lining, full round toe and Scotch welts. Regular \$4.50. Opening Sale..... **\$2.90**

MEN'S FINE TAN WILLOW CALF OXFORDS, made on the new toe, with military heels. Values up to \$5. Opening Sale..... **\$2.95**

MEN'S PATENT COLT BLUCHER OXFORDS, with dull kid leg and patent collar, high military heels. Regular \$6. Opening Sale..... **\$3.50**

MEN'S VICI KID OXFORDS, with double soles, full toe; \$3.50 values. Opening Sale..... **\$1.95**

WOMEN'S CHOCOLATE OXFORDS, with double sewn soles; good stock. Regular \$3.00 value. Opening Sale..... **\$1.50**

LADIES' COLORED TOP PATENT COLT BALS, made by C. P. Ford. Reg. \$7. Opening Sale..... **\$3.50**

LADIES' PATENT COLT OXFORDS, with colored tops; military heels; all new stock. Regular \$4.00. Opening Sale..... **\$1.95**

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WOMEN'S TAN CALF AND CHOCOLATE KID PUMPS, with military and low heels. Regular \$3.50. Opening Sale..... **\$1.95**

WOMEN'S OXFORDS AND SLIPPERS, small sizes. A little off style. None of these are worth less than \$2. Opening Sale..... **25c**

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WOMEN'S WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS, military and low heels; \$2.00 values. Opening Sale..... **\$1.00**

LADIES' PATENT PUMPS, with ankle straps and military heels. Reg. \$3.50. Opening Sale..... **\$1.95**

EMPRESS WINE COLORED SHOES; Stamped \$4.50. Opening Sale Price..... **\$1.95**

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BOYS' BOSTON CALF BOOTS, neat uppers and slugged sole. Regular \$2. Opening Sale..... **\$1.40**

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The Evening Chit-Chat



"And how old is your daughter?" I inquired when an old school friend called on me the other day, bringing his little daughter, who is making her first visit to her father's boyhood home.

"I declare, I've forgotten which it is, six or seven. How old are you, Joan?" "Why, papa," most reproachfully, "I'm not six or seven at all. I'm eight, eight and a quarter, too. I'm s'prised at you for not knowing."

"I wasn't, though, I've seen too many fathers like that before. And I'll wager right now that a good many fathers who are reading this couldn't do much better offhand than he."

"Perhaps twenty-five or thirty fathers out of a hundred are fairly well acquainted with their sons, but I don't believe ten out of a hundred have more than a speaking acquaintance with their daughters."

"I was in a college girls' room the other day where a group of girls were gathered, talking, studying and otherwise occupying themselves. One girl was writing a letter."

"Who you writing to, Marie?" called one of the idlers. (No, that "who" is not an error of mine. I don't know any college girl in ten who uses any better grammar than that.)

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Dr. G. L. Milne is visiting Vancouver. E. Baynes Reed was at Kamloops Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Thompson are visiting Vancouver friends.

W. J. Manson, M. P. P., is over from Dewdney for a few days. Mrs. J. W. Phillips has gone to Shawnigan Lake for a few days.

Hon. Thomas Taylor leaves Tuesday on an official visit to Alberni. Mr. and Mrs. Grahame are visiting for a few days with Vancouver friends.

P. J. Nolan, K. C., and M. S. McCarthy, M. P., both of Calgary, are at the Empress. A. E. Hayward left via the C. P. R. last night for a three months' trip to England.

Premier Mc Bride is leaving on Tuesday for Kamloops to attend the irrigation congress. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, with the Hon. Rose O'Neill, are summering at Shawnigan.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Finlayson went to Vancouver on Wednesday to spend a few days with friends. Mrs. W. H. Grigson, Ottawa, left on Monday for her home after a very enjoyable visit to friends.

Mrs. W. H. Willkerson and family are visiting Mrs. W. Munsie at her summer home, Shawnigan Lake. Miss Olive Hayes left last night on a trip to Havre, Mont. where she will spend a month visiting relatives.

C. M. McLeod, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Cahler and Stuart S. Cougal are visitors in Victoria from Queensland. Mrs. and Miss C. J. Loat, New Westminster, are spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Charles Holmes, 548 Niagara street.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bass, Miss Erminie Bass and Master Oswald Bass have returned from a trip to Prince Rupert and Stewart. Mrs. William McKilligan, of St. Paul, is spending some weeks with her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. McKilligan, "Craigmere," Rockland avenue.

Among the passengers booked for the north on the steamship Princess May to-night is Miss Lottie Dodd, one of the most popular nurses at the St. Joseph's hospital, who is going to Dawson, Y. T.

Among those who made the round trip north on the G. T. P. steamer Prince George were W. H. Hayward, M. P. P.; Miss Hayward and Mr. Hayward, senior, who is here from England on a visit to his son.

The wedding of Mr. Frederick Ray, of Union Bay, and Miss Mary Haggart, niece of Mrs. John Shaw, Nanaimo, took place in this city yesterday. Among the guests from Nanaimo were Miss Shaw and the bride's grandfather, Mr. Haggart.

Dr. E. B. Paul, grand master, A. F. & A. M., British Columbia, will visit New Westminster on Aug. 8 to formally constitute Lewis Lodge No. 87. The new lodge was established on May 24, 1909, but its charter has only just arrived.

Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Longstaff, of Wimbledon, England, who have been spending the past few weeks in British Columbia, have returned from an enjoyable trip up the island. Lieut.-Col. Longstaff is well-known in England as a wealthy supporter of polar research, having been largely interested in the fitting out of the famous Discovery expedition to the south pole and the Terra Nova expedition which recently left England.

ADVANCE SALE FOR "BECKY SHARP" OPENS

Mrs. Fiske Appears at the Victoria Theatre Monday in One of Her Greatest Roles

This morning the advance sale opened for Mrs. Fiske's appearance in the Victoria theatre in "Becky Sharp," which takes place on Monday evening. There is every indication that not a seat will be available on Monday, as the advance sale, both at the ticket and by mail, is exceptionally heavy.

One of the greatest triumphs in stage direction that this country has seen was secured by Mr. and Mrs. Fiske in the famous ballroom scene in "Becky Sharp" when originally presented in New York. The entire production was a startling demonstration of the realization of a play from the manuscript.

Much was expected of the great scene depicting the Duchess of Richmond's ball on the eve of the Battle of Waterloo, owing to the fixed place it holds in historical literature, and the fondest expectations were fully realized, as the production was found to be filled with surprises in its accuracy, realism and the thrilling nature of its climax.

"Becky Sharp" is an integral part of the fame of Mrs. Fiske and the most popular of the many plays in her repertoire. What "Tess" brought to her in the realms of emotional achievement "Becky" brought in those of comedy, and its selection as the principal offering of her present tour was due to her own delight and that of the public in the role which she has made so completely her own.

Parisian Sage, the quick acting hair restorer, is now for sale in Victoria at the drug store of D. E. Campbell, and is sold with a rigid guarantee at 50 cents a bottle. Parisian Sage has an immense sale, and here are the reasons: It cures dandruff in two weeks, by killing the dandruff germ. It stops falling hair. It promptly stops itching of the scalp. It makes the hair soft and luxuriant. It gives life and beauty to the hair. It is not sticky or greasy. It is the daintiest perfumed hair tonic made. It is the best, the most pleasant and invigorating hair dressing made. Fight shy of the druggist who offers you a substitute, he is unworthy of your confidence.

After spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. M. Salmon, of this city, Mrs. M. B. Ferguson has returned to her home in Havre, Mont. In the treatment of torturing, disgusting itching, scaly, crusty and pimply humors of the skin and scalp, with loss of hair, of infants, children and adults, CUTICURA SOAP, CUTICURA OINTMENT and CUTICURA RESOLVENT are priceless.

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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

OVER HUNDRED MILLION MARK
EARNINGS OF C. P. R. FOR PAST YEAR
 All Previous Records in History of the Company Have Been Broken

(Special to the Times)
 Montreal, July 29.—Well over \$100,000,000 were the figures issued yesterday by Vice-President I. G. Ogden, of the C. P. R. in charge of the finances, giving the earnings for June, the last month of the financial year, and also the gross earnings of the railway proper for the twelve months which were reported as \$94,982,496, or nearer the \$100,000,000 mark than ever before. But the railway earnings are a long way from covering all the activities of the company.
 No statement of the gross earnings of the steamship service is issued but the boats make a good deal better than ten per cent profits. On this basis \$30,000,000 could easily be added as the gross earnings of the steamship and other outside service bringing the probable total takings of the Canadian Pacific up to something like \$129,000,000 for the year. This is by far the greatest year in the company's history and with which few but of the greatest transportation companies of the world can compare.
 The gross earnings of the C. P. R. for the year since July 1, 1909, were \$94,982,496 as compared with \$76,313,829 last year, an increase of \$18,678,667. The net profits for the same year were \$33,823,950, as compared with \$22,955,572 last year, an increase of \$10,868,378.
 For the month of June just passed, the gross earnings of the company were \$8,807,815 as against \$6,550,153 last year, an increase for the month of \$2,257,662. Working expenses for June this year were \$6,809,901 as against \$4,461,772 last year, an increase of \$1,428,173. This left net profits for the month at \$2,117,915 as compared with \$1,888,429 for June last year, an increase of \$229,490.
 Despite the great increases in wages and other expenses during the year the past twelve months was by all odds the best the Canadian Pacific has yet known and practically assured its entry into the \$100,000,000 class of railroads for all time.
 The value of the electrical industries of the United States at the close of last year was estimated at \$1,450,000,000, railroads being valued at \$475,000,000, and central stations and telephones each at \$250,000,000. The damage and waste caused by smoke in the larger cities of the United States each year is estimated at \$500,000,000 by an official of the Geological Survey, who says his figures are conservative.

SHIPPING REPORT
 (By Dominion Wireless)
 July 29, 8 a. m.
 Point Grey—Thick seaward; 30.01; 64.
 Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 30.05; 62.
 Estevan—Cloudy; calm; gentle breeze; 56; light swell.
 Pachena—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.12; 54; light swell.
 Triangle—Dense fog; light S. W. breeze; 29.48; 44; spoke Empress of China westbound, 9:20 p. m.
 Prince Rupert—Cloudy; calm; 29.30; 63; spoke City of Seattle, 8:15 p. m. northbound, pass in 9:30 p. m. Raimona, 8:30 p. m. southbound arrive Prince Rupert 10 p. m.
 Tatooosh—Cloudy; S. W.; 4 miles; 30.15; 51; in Umatilla, 6:25 a. m.; out, schooner Lottie Bennett, 6:45 a. m. Noon.
 Estevan—Cloudy; west; 58; light swell.
 Cape Lazo—Overcast; south; 30.07; 67.
 Pachena—Clear; west; 30; 54; light swell.
 Prince Rupert—Clear; N. W.; 29.30; 78; sea smooth.
 Triangle—Dense fog; light S. W. wind; 30.20; 50.
 Tatooosh—Cloudy; S. 7 miles; 30.18; 55; sea smooth.
 Point Grey—Clear; S. E.; thick seaward; 30.02; 70.

DYNAMITE EXPLODES
 Man Instantly Killed—Another Man and Boy Injured.
 Lebanon, Ore., July 29.—W. J. Gatts was instantly killed and James Johnson and Charles Houck, a 12-year-old boy, were seriously injured by the premature explosion of dynamite being used to deepen a well on Johnson's farm last night, according to information received here today.
 After a two inch iron pipe had been driven into the ground, Gatts, who was supervising operations, dropped a lighted stick of dynamite into it. Instead of slipping to the bottom the explosive lodged near the top of the pipe where it exploded.
 Gatts was struck by a piece of iron, dying instantly. Johnson's leg was broken and the boy was seriously hurt. Gatts was 61 years of age. He leaves a widow and six children.
FATAL MISTAKE
 London, Ont., July 29.—While groping in the dark at his home early yesterday morning for the purpose of getting a drink of water, John Beal, 43 years old, drank carbolic acid and died in the Victoria hospital two hours later.
 In trying to catch a soap bubble which he had blown, a 6-year-old boy, living at buildings in Holburn, London, fell out of the window and sustained fatal injuries.
 An Argentine official publication predicts that that country in the near future will produce 5,000,000 tons more wheat a year than it will consume.

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 (Times Leased Wire.)
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 Eggs—California fresh, including cases, extras, 30c; firsts, 28c; seconds, 25c; thirds, 20c.
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 New Cheese—New California flats, fancy, 14c; firsts, 13c; seconds, 12c; California Young America, fancy, 14c; firsts, 13c; Oregon, fancy, 14c; second, 13c.
 Potatoes—New River Whites, choice, per box, 60c@75c; extra, 75c@85c; per cental, \$1.00@1.10.
 Onions—Per sack, \$1.50@1.80.
 Oranges—Choice, \$1.50@2.50; extra choice, \$2.00@2.25; Valencia, \$2.00 for choice, and \$2.00 for fancy.

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NEW YORK STOCKS
 (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 New York, July 29.
 High, Low, Bid.
 Amer. Copper 61 58 52
 Amer. Car. & Foundry 46 45 44
 Amer. Cot. Oil 19 18 18
 Amer. Loco. 30 31 34
 Amer. Smelting 68 66 62
 Amer. Tel. 137 131 131
 Amer. Woollen 30 29 28
 Atlantic Coast 103 103 107
 Atchafon 97 8 94
 B. & O. 101 102 102
 C. C. & St. L. 74 74 74
 C. P. R. 180 185 184
 C. & O. 72 71 74
 C. & G. W. 111 111 111
 C. & N. W. 123 120 121
 C. M. & St. P. 141 141 141
 Do., pref. 140 140 145
 Central Leather 218 207 211
 C. F. & I. 281 282 282
 Con. Gas 84 80 83
 Harvesting 136 135 133
 D. & H. A. 29 28 28
 D. & R. G. 281 281 28
 Erie 141 140 134
 Do., 1st pref. 292 291 284
 Do., 2nd pref. 292 291 284
 Gen. Elec. 141 140 134
 G. N. Ore. etis. 52 53 51
 G. N. pref. 124 123 123
 Ill. Cen. 37 36 35
 Int. Mer. 47 46 45
 Iowa Central 164 165 164
 Mackay 83 82 81
 Nevada Cons. 191 191 191
 Mex. Cen. etis. 121 121 121
 M., St. P. & S. M. 121 121 121
 M., N. & T. 21 21 21
 Do., pref. 21 21 21
 Mo. Pac. 202 202 211
 Nat. Lead 91 91 91
 Sinter Creek 194 194 194
 N. Y. C. 111 110 110
 N. Y. O. & W. 41 40 40
 N. & W. 38 38 37
 N. P. 114 113 113
 M., St. P. & S. M. 11 21 24
 Penny. 1284 1271 1271
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 Nicola Valley Coal & Coke 75
 Royal Collieries 29
 Western Coal & Coke 150 104
 R. C. Permanent Loan 130 100
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 Main Reef 30
 O. K. Fraction 13
 Portland Canal 33 34
 Red Cliff 140
 Stewart M. & D. 50 00
 Nugget Gold 20
 Lasqueti Island 69 12
 Lucky Calumet 63 66
 Snowstorm 50 58
 Rambler Cariboo 30 38

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 Chicago, July 29.
 Open High Low Close
 Wheat—
 July 105 110 109 109
 Sept. 104 104 103 103
 Dec. 103 103 102 102
 May 104 104 103 103
 Corn—
 July 62 62 61 61
 Sept. 61 61 60 60
 Dec. 61 61 60 60
 May 61 61 60 60
 Oats—
 July 30 30 29 29
 Sept. 29 29 28 28
 Dec. 29 29 28 28
 May 29 29 28 28
 Pork—
 July 5.65 5.65 5.65 5.65
 Sept. 5.65 5.65 5.65 5.65
 Jan. 5.65 5.65 5.65 5.65
 Lard—
 July 11.50 11.50 11.50 11.50
 Sept. 11.50 11.50 11.50 11.50
 Oct. 11.50 11.50 11.50 11.50
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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

Victoria Building Society

The SEMI-ANNUAL GENERAL meeting of the above Society will be held at the secretary's office, 617 Trounce avenue, Saturday, 30th July, 1910, at 8 p.m., to receive the secretary's report and financial statement, together with the auditor's report and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.
By order,
A. S. G. FLINT, Secretary.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders are invited for taking possession and removing 2-story frame house from off lot on Rae street owned by Alexander Club.
For information see D. C. Frame, architect, Five Sisters Block. Tenders to be in office on Friday, 29th, at 11 a. m.

NOTICE

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WILLING TO LEAVE IT TO THE CITY ENGINEER

Property Owners on Fort Street Don't Wish to Dictate Class of Pavement

Property owners on Fort street deny the report to the effect that they are desirous of having asphalt instead of wood blocks for a pavement on that thoroughfare when the widening project is undertaken. A. E. Todd, one of the principal owners, said to the Times this morning that he personally took the position that the question of the class of material to be employed in the pavement should be left in the hands of the city engineer. He had communicated with a number of other owners and found them of the same mind.

The question of the appointment of alleged incompetent inspectors to supervise the work of laying down cement sidewalks by contractors will be ventilated. On Tuesday J. Stedham, who has a contract, had a clash with one of the inspectors. In order to advance the work while the cement was in proper shape Mr. Stedham ordered the men to stay on the job after 5 o'clock. The inspector interfered, and the contractor says that because of this interference the cement had hardened overnight to such an extent that it was impossible to proceed with the top-dressing the next morning.

Other contractors of the city who have put in tenders for other works to be let by contract are standing fast by their determination not to tender for any civic work until such time as the city is willing to appoint competent inspectors.

In Britain, the annual consumption of sugar amounts to 35 lbs. for each individual, and in the United States to 61 lbs. A smooth-haired terrier was, at Sunderland, presented by the mayor with a decorated collar for saving life. The animal alarmed its master and mistress, Mr. and Mrs. Brewster, of the Queen's hotel, where a fire broke out while they were asleep.

One hundred and twenty-three thousand eight hundred and sixty-six pounds a year is spent on the British museum.

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MORE FOREST FIRES IN THE INTERIOR

High Winds and Hot Weather Cause Renewal of Trouble at Several Points

Nelson, July 29.—Heavy winds and hot weather are again renewing the forest fires. They are being very promptly dealt with by Government Agent Teetzel, who has dispatched men to Granite, and Hall's siding, where the big fire of last week is now threatening again.

Fire started at Bonnington but it was under control Wednesday morning and the men were transferred to Winlaw, where assistance was asked for. Bad fires were raging at Kitchener and at Erickson. Fully fifty men are employed in fighting fire at these two places. The high wind of Tuesday acted as a great stimulus to the fiery fiend and it was during this gale that was blowing that both of these fires started up. On Wednesday the gale subsided and the latest reports are that the fire is now under control both at Kitchener and at Erickson.

After burning quietly at different places along Bald Creek mountain near New Michel bush fires suddenly became threatening on Monday, when, fanned by a high wind, they got beyond control on the Brewery Flat, although several men had been kept on the ground watching and guarding the fire. Sixty men were quickly gathered and dispatched to the fire which was put under control by clearing and ploughing firebrakes.

Mr. Cox, accountant at the brewery, had a narrow escape from suffocation while working to stop the flames. Surrounded by smoke and fire he finally managed to gain safety. Ten men were placed on watch during the night.

FOR GOOD ROADS.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., July 29.—With delegates from all parts of the country attending the National Good-Roads convention opened its sessions here yesterday. The convention was presided over by Congressman William Sulzer, who made a stirring speech after calling the delegates to order, urging especially the need for high expenditures of money in the near future for the improvement of the country's roads.

PRAISE CAPTAIN.

New Orleans, July 29.—It was announced to-day that the Momus would leave on her return trip to New York carrying all the passengers originally booked for the passage north. The passengers who passed through the fight with the flames off the coast of Florida last Saturday framed a set of resolutions thanking Captain John S. Boyd for what they termed his "heroic kindness at sea."

The Danish national flag is the oldest in the world, having been in use since 1133.

Of Interest to Home Seekers.

DAVE STREET, brand new modern 1½ storey bungalow of six rooms, viz., drawing room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, basement, sewer, electric light; piped for furnace, fire-places, 3 bedrooms, bath, toilet. This place is well built in every respect. Large lot

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What Other People Think

WATER QUESTION.

To the Editor:—Let us have the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth in discussing the water question during the next few weeks. If we are to reach a wise solution of this important question it is necessary that the people, upon whose verdict the decision depends, shall be honestly dealt with and have placed before them all the facts regarding this many-sided question.

Recently the citizens' committee delegated three of its members to interview the Esquimalt Water Company and ascertain the price asked for the company's holdings. This was a judicious move. It is now reported in the press that this committee was informed that the company's annual revenue from its water services and from the water sold to the B. C. Electric Company for power purposes is \$50,000 per annum, \$20,000 from the B. C. Electric Company and \$30,000 in water rates; that the contract with the B. C. Electric Company, which was originally for 30 years, has been running for several years and should the city purchase the Waterworks Company's holdings the contract would still hold.

That statement is only a part of the truth, and as such it is very misleading. There is a contract between the two companies under which the Electric Company now pays the other \$20,000 per annum for water for power purposes, but under that contract the former company is bound to take only \$7,000 worth of power annually. All the B. C. Electric takes over this latter amount is taken voluntarily. As soon as its works at Jordan river are completed the Electric Company will no doubt have all the power it needs, and it will take from the Esquimalt Company only the \$7,000 worth an-

nually, so that \$27,000 instead of \$50,000 is about all the annual income the city could count on as additional revenue from water should it acquire the Esquimalt Company's holdings. It might be added, also, that the latter company will lose that amount, \$27,000, of its income as soon as the Jordan river works are completed. If the city does not acquire the Esquimalt Company's property.

Under the agreement entered into last year between the city and the B. C. Electric Company the city has bound itself not to sell power or electric light in opposition to the company, so if we now acquire the Esquimalt Company's works we shall find ourselves with \$22,000 worth of power on hand which we have bound ourselves not to use in opposition to the B. C. Electric Company. Without that agreement we might have turned it into a municipal electric light plant and supplied ourselves with cheap light. Under that agreement that amount of power will probably be wasted if we acquire the Esquimalt property. That is why that agreement with the B. C. Electric seemed ill-advised and detrimental to the best interest of the city.

However, the thing is done, and it is no use in crying over spilt milk. One cannot forbear asking, though, at this date, what we got for giving the B. C. Electric this monopoly. The company is constructing its works at Jordan river as promised, it is true, but it is doing that to get cheap power and to get out of the clutches of the Esquimalt Company. The company, we were told, would also extend its line to the Saanich peninsula. This was held up as one of the benefits Victoria was to receive in return for giving the company its monopoly. Now we hear it stated that the people of Saanich must bonus the road or it will not be built. There was nothing heard last year about a bonus from the people of Saanich.

This letter is not written in any spirit of hostility to the Esquimalt Company or with any wish to throw obstacles in the

way of its acquisition by the city, but in view of the fact that the city seems generally to get the worst of it in all its encounters with the big corporations, I do plead earnestly for a full, frank and honest discussion of the water question at this stage.
TAXPAYER.

NOTICE

"NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT"

Notice is hereby given that John Raymond, of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the plans and descriptions of site, of works proposed to be constructed by him in Victoria, Harbor, immediately fronting Lot 562A, Block 41, Beckley Farm, Victoria, B. C., and has deposited the said plans and descriptions of site with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the "Canada Gazette."

Dated this 26th day of July, 1910,
W. H. LANGLEY,
1111 Government St., Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Applicant.

TRUANT OFFICER.

Applications are invited by the Victoria School Board up to the 1st August for the position of truant officer. Salary \$60 per month.
ISABELLE MOORE,
Secretary of Victoria School Board.

To-morrow, Last Day

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J. STEWART YATES 22 BASTION STREET, VICTORIA. THE LAST OF THE YATES ESTATE. FOR SALE. 50 ACRES—Sooke District, just inside Sooke Harbor.



STREET IMPROVEMENTS AT CHILLIWACK. City Council Places Orders for a Roller and Rock Crusher—New City Hall.

WILL PURCHASE SITE FOR NEW DAM. Vancouver Authorities Negotiating With Owner of Property on Seymour Creek.

BRITISH-AMERICAN TRUST CO., LIMITED. Cor. Broad and View Streets. The Cheapest Property on the Fairfield Estate To-day.

THE B. C. LAND INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD. 822 GOVERNMENT STREET. GANGES HARBOR, 26% ACRES. The entire property is fenced, half of it slashed, 5 acres cleared, and the balance is only underbrush.

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TOLLER & CO. Room 1. IMPERIAL BANK CHAMBERS. FOR SALE. 1850 acres of land, partly fenced. A good part SEA FRONTAGE, wharf, TELEPHONE, roads, etc. 40 acres cleared, houses, 16 x 20; also 10-room house, 1 1/2 story; 800 acres good arable land; LAKE 350 feet above sea level; PROPERTY fronts on both SALT and FRESH WATER.

VANCOUVER SYNDICATE SECURES CLAIMS Pays \$45,000 for Property in Hazelton District—Development Work to Begin Soon.

Chilliwack, July 28.—The city council has lost no time in preparing to carry out the improvement work provided by the road money by-law when the expenditure for \$10,000 for the purchase of a rock crusher, road grader, etc., was approved by the ratepayers.

Vancouver, July 28.—So pleased was the civic delegation, which went up the valley of the Seymour creek yesterday, with the proposal to construct a dam at the falls four miles beyond the intake, so as to create a reservoir for the future needs of the city, that negotiations are to be opened up.

W. N. MITCHELL 575 YATES STREET. FOR SALE. Lots in different parts of the city \$25, \$10 monthly.

SPECIAL BARGAIN. Handsome modern 9-room dwelling in first-class condition, equal to new, and situated on two lots, double corner, ornamental trees and pleasantly shaded. Cement basement, conservatory, and the attic is finished—not in the rough. Handy to two car lines. Location—a most desirable neighborhood. Price, on terms, \$5,900.

207 ACRES ON SOOKE HARBOR. Plenty of good water, magnificent view of Harbor, Straits and Olympic Mountains, about one half million feet of orchards. Property most suitable for sheep, horses, poultry, dairy cattle or orchards. Barclay Sound Railway surveys run within a quarter of a mile of either side of this property. The price is \$1,500 with terms to suit purchaser.

A. M. GREGG REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, ETC. 629 JOHNSON ST. \$200 EACH will buy a few fine lots, all cleared and commanding a splendid view. Very easy terms; 10 minutes from car.

YOUTHS WHO STOLE BOAT ARRESTED. Three Young Sailors Allowed to Go by Magistrate on Payment of \$80 Costs.

There is an issue over the control of the fair grounds. The Agricultural Society claims the right to the control because of the fact that it has expended a great deal of money, over \$6,000, in preparing the track and fitting up the grounds and contemplating the expenditure of \$1,000 on \$1,000 more.

Those who made the trip were Mayor Taylor, Ald. McTaggart, chairman of the water committee; Ald. Crowe, Roberts and Stevens, Water Superintendent Maddison, Fire Chief Carlisle, Consulting Engineer Burwell and J. C. Keith.

PRINCE RUPERT TELEPHONES. Prince Rupert, July 28.—The telephone by-law has passed its final reading in the council, and there remains the poll of the electorate to ratify the action of the board.

LAKE DISTRICT, 23 ACRES. South Saanich. Eight acres cultivated and two acres slashed. Plenty of good water and numerous essential outbuildings, including stabling, two barns and granaries. With this acreage goes a six room Bungalow. There are 200 fruit trees, 1,000 strawberry plants and lots of small fruit. The entire stock in use is included in the purchase price, which is, on favorable terms, \$7,500.

L. U. CONYERS & CO. 620 VIEW STREET. "MORE SNAPS FOR THE WISE INVESTOR." \$1,250—James Bay; fine building lot, one block from car, local improvements on street. Reasonable terms can be arranged.

RE GEORGE-JAQUES, DECEASED. TENDERS will be received by the undersigned for the purchase, in one lot, of the whole of the stock-in-trade, including of Jewellery, Watches, Clocks, Silver Ware, and other material and effects, of the above-named deceased, up to 12 o'clock, noon, on Friday, the 29th day of July, 1910.

Vancouver, July 28.—Three young boat pirates captured by Provincial Constable Minty, of Rock Bay, while heading for Union Bay with a boat stolen from A. P. Aash, of Welbore Channel, were let off with a warning by Magistrate Alexander.

PRINCE RUPERT WATER SUPPLY. Engineer Submits Report on Visit to Woodworth Lake—To Secure Estimate of Cost.

The dam owned by Mr. Keith runs on all sides of the falls, extending, as has been said, a considerable distance up stream. It is stated to be very level and in every way suitable for reservoir purposes.

THREE SENTENCED. Kamloops, July 28.—Judge Grant, of Vancouver, held county court here and among the cases that came before him were three speedy trials.

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE AND ONE LOT ON FERNWOOD ROAD. \$700 cash and balance at 7 per cent. Price, \$2,500.

S. A. BAIRD Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agent. 1210 DOUGLAS STREET. 3 1/2 ACRES, FOURTH ST. near Hill-side Ave., \$6,000. Easy terms.

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LOGGER BREAKS LEG. Vancouver, July 28.—Olaf Olson, a logger employed by the Burrard Lumber Company in one of their logging camps up the coast, was brought to the city on the steamer Cowichan, suffering from a broken leg, caused by a log rolling on it. He was taken to the general hospital in the ambulance.

TO REBUILD NANAIMO CHURCH AND CONVENT. Work Will Commence as Soon as Necessary Funds Are Available.

Nanaimo, July 28.—Preliminary steps have been taken toward rebuilding the Catholic church and St. Ann's convent, which two buildings were destroyed by fire several weeks ago, involving a loss of over \$20,000 with only \$3,000 insurance.

FELL DOWN OPEN HATCH. Vancouver, July 28.—Placido Burrato, a member of the crew of the steamer Armoro, lying at the foot of Gore avenue, was found by one of his companions yesterday afternoon lying at the bottom of an open hatch. He was unconscious when found, and upon being taken to St. Paul's hospital it was discovered that he had received a bad fracture of the skull, three pieces of bone having to be removed from the head. It is the opinion of the doctors that he will recover.

QUADRA STREET, 3 ACRES. Under cultivation. First class soil, suitable for fruit growing. Property is located next to Pumping Station. Price, on terms, \$3,000.

MONEY TO LOAN. FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN AT LOWEST RATES.

Tenders for Supplies. Sealed tenders will be received for supplying the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, from 1st August, 1910, to 31st July, 1911, with the following articles: Meat, Poultry, Vegetables, Groceries, Milk, Fresh Butter, Fresh Eggs, New Laid Eggs, Tea, Coffee, Spices and Extracts, and Printing the Annual Report.

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Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher. Sing me something low and tender, sing it softly Susan Jane, for I could not bear the splendor of a loud heroic strain.

THE DOCTOR: "Ah! yes, restless and feverish. Give him a Steedman's Peppermint and he will soon be all right." Steedman's Soothing Powders. OFFERING A SUGGESTION. It is one thing, but putting it into practice is an entirely different proposition.

