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GOVERNOR OF FINLAND.
The Czar's Letter to Prince John Obolensky, Appointed Successor to Gen. Bobrikoff.

(Associated Press.)
St. Petersburg, July 5.—In confirming the appointment of Prince John Obolensky as Governor-General of Finland, the Emperor sent an autograph letter to the Prince relative to the situation there. His letter, which is in the nature of an Imperial rescript, was published to-day. The Emperor therein expressed his conviction that it will be possible to maintain the local autonomy and the privilege of legislating for herself enjoyed by Finland since union with Russia.

"I consider," writes the Emperor, "that the murder of Gen. Bobrikoff was merely the work of a madman and a few like-minded confederates, and the Finnish people had no part in the nefarious act. The executive power must inflexibly strive for the closest union of Finland and the Empire. I imposed upon General Bobrikoff, when he was appointed, the gradual attainment of this, and as being his first duty, he fulfilled it with rational firmness until death ended his honorable services, which have won him an enduring name in history.

"I also expect that the new Governor-General will most assiduously follow the instructions now given him. I admonish him before all things to strengthen in the minds of the Finnish people the conviction that their historic destinies are indissolubly bound in those of Russia, and that the future prosperity of Finland under the Russian sceptre, as well as the future of the political institutions granted her, depend on a successful order of things taking form in the Empire."

IS MENACED BY JAPANESE GUNS

SOLDIERS STEADILY MOVING ON FORTRESS

Russians Defeated at Maotien Pass With Loss of Two Hundred Men.

(Associated Press.)
Chefoo, July 5.—Chinese just arrived here, who left Port Arthur on July 2nd, say that only nine of the larger Russian warships were there. On June 23rd, when the fleet engaged the Japanese squadron outside Port Arthur harbor, it consisted of eleven of the larger ships.

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On July 3rd, the Russian and Japanese armies outside Port Arthur, according to reports, were only separated one from the other by a mile, the Japanese advancing steadily from hill to hill, on all of which they are placing big guns. It is said they landed 150 of these guns.

EIGHTY RUSSIANS KILLED AND WOUNDED.

Tokio, July 4.—3 p. m.—Gen. Kuroki reports that two battalions of Russians attacked the Japanese outposts at Maotien pass at dawn on July 4th, under cover of a dense fog.

RUSSIANS RETIRE BURYING SUPPLIES.

Tokio, July 5.—Noon.—General Kuroki has arrived at Maotien pass without resistance. The Russians have abandoned the Tain Shan Kwan burying the supplies.

ADMITS THEY LOST TWO HUNDRED MEN.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—10 p. m.—Thirteen companies of Russian troops sent out by Lieut.-Gen. Keller in the reconnaissance force to ascertain the strength of the Japanese advance force moving on Lia Yang, came in collision with the Japanese between Maotien and Fenchui passes. Sharp fighting ensued, and the Russians retired before overwhelming numbers after ascertaining the exact strength of the Japanese forces.

JAPANESE QUIET NEAR LIAO YANG.

Liao Yang, July 4.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Rain is again falling in torrents, and the thermometer registers twenty degrees centigrade. The Russian lines to the east and south are quiet and seem to have vanished along the Russian outposts.

SPARING NO MONEY TO SECURE TRANSPORTS.

Vladivostok, July 5.—Many Japanese fishboats taken from schooners in the recent raid of the Vladivostok squadron, were sent to Ekutok to-day.

NEW CHAIRMAN.

Rev. J. O. Dykes Head of International Alliance of the Reformed Presbyteries.

KOREANS SAY THEY WILL AID RUSSIANS.

Vladivostok, July 5.—A thick fog enveloped Vladivostok to-day. All is quiet.

PROTECTING THE BEALS.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—The Russian press commends the gallant act of Great Britain in offering to police and protect the seal fisheries of the Commander and Copper Islands, off Kamchatka, during the war, as regarded as highly significant.

IMPORTATION OF LIQUOR TO YUKON

PROVISIONS OF THE ORDER-IN-COUNCIL

Labor Men Interview Ministers—They Are Seeking Amendments to the Criminal Code.

TRYING TO TURN RUSSIAN LEFT FLANK.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—The general staff has received the following dispatch from Lieut.-General Sakharoff, the chief of the staff of General Kouropatkin, dated July 4th:

STAKELBERG'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Taitchekiao, July 5.—Lieut.-General Baron Stakelberg narrowly escaped drowning to-day owing to the sudden flooding of the headquarters of the army corps. He was rescued by soldiers.

RUSSIAN PRESS ON TOLSTOI'S COMMENTS.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—The Russian newspapers refer adversely to the article on the Russo-Japanese war by Count Tolstoi, recently published in the London Times. A few speak of it in denunciatory terms.

CHARGES AGAINST JAP'S NOT CONFIRMED.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—3.15.—The foreign office has no official information bearing on the charges of mutilation against the Japanese, and no action will be taken in the absence of complete confirmation.

WINNIPEG NOTES.

New Fire Engine and Water Tower Wanted—Stock Going to Montreal.

LOBBIES INVADDED.

Remarkable Scenes in House of Commons—Premier Balfour's Closure Proposal Carried.

PARANIC AT TACOMA.

Tacoma, Wash., July 5.—The fireworks, which were to have been set off in Wright park as a finish to a big Fourth of July celebration, caught fire from almost the first rocket that was sent up, and in an instant the entire heap of explosives was flying in every direction.

PREMATURE EXPLOSION.

Ogden, Utah, July 5.—By the premature explosion of a fireworks mortar at Glenwood park, 2 persons were killed and 5 injured in the presence of about 3,000 people.

DEATHS AT HARTFORD.

Hartford, Conn., July 5.—As the result of the celebration of the Fourth of July 20 persons are in the hospital and 2 have died. More accidents happened here yesterday than on any July 4th for years.

BROOKLYN BLAZE.

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FULL COURT WILL DECIDE QUESTION

IMMIGRATION ACT TO BE TESTED THERE

Chief Justice Hunter Suggested Course When Habeas Corpus Proceedings Came Up To-Day.

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When ordering medicines desires certain results. His desire will be fulfilled if we dispense his prescriptions. Our drugs are of the highest quality. Our work is high grade and our prices are reasonable. Let us do your dispensing.

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THE LOSS OF AN EMIGRANT SHIP

CAPTAIN GUNDELL TELLS OF DISASTER

Steamer Went Down Twelve Minutes After She Struck Rock - Statements of Survivors.

Grimsby, Eng., July 4.—A lone pile of granite rising sheer out of the Atlantic 200 miles from the Scottish mainland, is now a monument to almost seven hundred dead. The bodies washed against the rocks or lie in the ocean bed at its base. Nearly hidden by the water, is the Scandinavian-American liner *Norje*, which was carrying eight hundred Danes, Norwegians, Swedes and Finns to join relatives or friends in America. Of these only about 130 were saved.

No tragedy has had more appalling consequences and none has occurred in a shorter time. The passengers were suddenly aroused from their sleep, terrified by the contact of the bow of the ship with the solid granite, followed by a springing, rattling sound as if the hull was being shoved overboard, and heard a stentorian voice give the terrifying order: "All hands on deck; hurry, or you may sink." Immediately there was a rush for the narrow companion-ways, and men, women and children pushed and struggled and made every effort to reach the deck where the boats swung from the davits. Many persons, retaining their presence of mind, seized life preservers, only to find, in some instances, that the strings were rotten and that they could not be quickly put around their bodies.

Thoughts of Their Own Safety.

A jacket was tied to an oar, which was in turn fastened to the bow of the boat, and a sailor took charge. Men and women were put to work keeping the boat afloat as a hole had been stove in her bow when it was lowered from the ship. An examination of the water creek showed that it did not contain a drop of water. There were some biscuits, however, and these were eaten by the shipwrecked people during the twenty-four hours from the time the ship struck, at 7 a. m., June 28th, until they were picked up by the Grimsby trawler *Sylvia*.

Retrospect.

It is an evil day for the wife and mother when she scans her worn face in the mirror, and asks the question, "Does it pay? Does it pay to sacrifice health and happiness to wedded love?" But there is another question which rightly takes precedence of Does it pay? It is this: Is it necessary to sacrifice health and happiness to wedded love? Half a million women answer, No! They have been weak and have been made strong by Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. They were sick and "Favorite Prescription" made them well. It will do the same for almost every woman who gives it a fair and faithful trial. It stops weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It tranquilizes the nerves and encourages the appetite.

Deeds of Heroism

That of Jas. Peter Janson, who has relatives in Brooklyn, is told with admiration by the survivors. He was one of the engineers of the *Norje*. When the ship struck he learned the extent of the damage and went below to find his relations and told them and those nearby to go at once to the upper deck. He accompanied them to the boats and saw them safely on board. He was urged to join them, but said he must remain in the engine room and shouted a farewell to his friends.

Some of the main passengers, without a thought of self, placed women and children in the boats preferring to remain behind rather than take advantage of their strength. The mate of the *Norje* who left the ship in the boat which arrived here, seeing that it was overcrowded, leaped into the water for the purpose of swimming to a second boat not far away. He had only gone a short distance when, weighed down by his clothing, his strength gave out and he sank.

Captain Among Survivors.

Stornoway, Scotland, July 4.—Thirty-two survivors of the Danish steamer *Norje* were landed here today by the British steamer *Servona*. Seventy survivors were also taken off the German steamer *Energie*. They were all in a pitiful condition. Many were taken to the hospital and most of them had to be carried ashore.

RUSSIANS SAYS JAPS LACK PROVISIONS.

Liao Yang, July 4.—The Japanese are evidently nonplussed at General Kouropatkin's tactics, as proved by their alternate advance on Liao Yang and subsequent retreat. The Japanese are suffering greatly from lack of provisions, the country being devastated. Two divisions are reported to have fallen back on Feng Huang Cheng.

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nothing about the ship's arrangements in case of collision or fire. He had never been instructed in fire drill and did not understand what it meant. He was on deck when the vessel struck, but did not know until he heard the captain shouting the order to man the boats that the damage was great. Mathieson said to the reporter of the Associated Press:

"I worked with the third mate and followed him to the different boats. The first we attempted to lower fouled her tackle, keeping her stern fixed while her bow fell and shot the occupants into the water. A heavy sea washed the boat against the ship's side. We went to another, a crowd of shrieking women and children following. The launching operations were not conducted simultaneously, the officers and crew going from one to another. Had men been set to work at each boat many would have been saved. Some of the crew were worse than the passengers, and but for the officers would have put off in the boats themselves. They were driven back by being threatened with death unless they obeyed orders. The captain never left the bridge, but he shouted so many orders that the crew did not know what to do. Therefore, I stuck to the third mate. Together we jumped into a small boat just before the vessel went down, but we did not think so many were left behind as appeared on the ship when the *Norje* went down. Those who put out were chiefly women and children. I saw the other boats, one a lifeboat easily carrying 60 persons and the other a small boat, carrying possibly 40. No other boats got away."

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MORE JAPANESE TROOPS LANDED

WILL TAKE PART IN ASSAULT ON FORTRESS

Russians Say They Will Take the Offensive When the Heavy Rains Cease.

London, July 5.—The Standard's Tientsin correspondent, under date of July 4th, states that since June 27th the Japanese main squadron has been engaged in landing men at Dalny, preparatory to a final attack on Port Arthur. He adds that the Japanese land operations in the rear of Port Arthur will probably bring them to a finish within the next few days.

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FOR SALE—Niagara street, on car line, modern bungalow of 7 rooms; \$2,500.
FOR SALE—Oak Bay avenue, new cottage and two lots, on car line; only \$2,625.
FOR SALE—Oak Bay, 2 1/2 acres, 4 roomed house, good soil, city water laid on; price \$2,625.
FOR SALE—Lot, 60x120, and 7 roomed house, McClure street; \$1,000.
FOR SALE—Oak Bay avenue, near Rockland avenue, 2 vacant lots; only \$750.
FOR SALE—Shawnigan Lake, 3/4 acre and cottage, with furniture; only \$300.
FOR SALE—Lot, 60x120, new cottage of 5 rooms, bath and pantry, Old Esquimalt road, \$1,500; particularly easy terms.
FOR SALE—Pembroke street, near Douglas street, lot 60x120, 5 roomed cottage, modern conveniences; only \$1,000.
FOR SALE—150 acres, South Cowichan, 20 acres cultivated, dwelling, 2 large barns, one mile from wharf, 2 1/2 miles from railway; only \$2,100.
FOR SALE—175 acres, six miles from town, small house and barn; \$5,000.
FOR SALE—7 1/2 acres and small dwelling near the exhibition buildings; \$500 cash and balance in small monthly payments, no interest.
FOR SALE—Water lot and dwelling, near the new C. P. R. wharf, James Bay; price and terms on application.
FOR SALE—Gomalkin District, 200 acres, 50 cultivated, stream runs through property; dwelling, barns, sheds, etc.; only \$3,150.
FOR SALE—Oak Bay avenue, 2 lots and 7 roomed cottage; \$2,000.
FOR SALE—Henry street, Victoria West, 3 vacant lots; only \$525.
FOR SALE—Esquimalt road, 1/2 acre and 5 roomed cottage; \$1,500.
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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, July 5.—5 a. m.—Showers have fallen at Barkerville and Walla Walla, where thunderstorms occurred yesterday, but fine summer weather now prevails over the entire North Pacific. The wind from the Rockies light showers have fallen in Manitoba, but the weather is general throughout all sections. Present indications are favorable for fine weather in this province during the next 48 hours.

Forecasts. For 26 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—High wind, fair and warm to-day and Wednesday. Lower Mainland—Light wind, fair and warm to-day and Wednesday.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 51; minimum, 51; wind, 8 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, calm; rain, .14; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.94; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles S. E.; weather, clear.

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At St. Trond, Belgium, a major of cavalry, whose two horses failed to win a race, solemnly sentenced the animals to be shot, and they were executed within an hour.

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CHARGES AGAINST THE CONTRACTOR

EX-ALDERMAN YATES IS ON THE WARPATH

Claims Plans and Specifications for the Carnegie Library Building Are Not Being Carried Out.

Ex-Ald. James S. Yates, in a letter to the city council, makes certain charges against the contractor of the Carnegie library building which a special committee will investigate. He alleges that the contract is not being carried out in accordance with the plans and specifications, and he mentions a number of technical instances in which this has not been done. The letter, which was read at last night's meeting of the council, is as follows:

Gentlemen—I have been informed on good authority that the contractor of the Carnegie library building is not carrying out his contract according to the plans and specifications, and I think it right to let you know the fact in order that you may ascertain how far such is the case.

I will mention some of the particulars given to me wherein the building, so far as it is at present erected, varies from the plans and specifications:

1. The base to the main entrance should be in one stone, showing no joints. They are not so in the building.
2. The dias above bases to main entrance are also shown to be in one stone. They are in two or more in the building.
3. The caps at the same place are also to be in one stone; but they are not so in the building.
4. The caps to the first story windows should be plain-faced between moldings, whereas they are simply rock-faced.
5. One course of ashlar over first story lintels should be tooled; instead of which it is rock-faced.
6. In the cornice over main entrance, under the columns, each stone should run clear through under sill in one piece; instead of so doing, the stones, only, fit a small part of the way. The balance will probably be covered with tin or copper.
7. The wall of the stock room should have alternate courses clean cut; but instead all courses are rock-faced.
8. The moulded coping of the stock room has been dispensed with entirely, and a simple plain course has been substituted therefor.
9. In the basement walls, concrete has (I believe with your consent and approval) been substituted for the rubble walls, and that if proper concrete is made is possibly an improvement; but I am informed that the concrete was filled in with large pieces of trap rock, instead of small rock and gravel. Moreover, this class of work (concrete) has been carried up to the highest grade line on a level, leaving the same height of gravel all round. The plans show that there should be about 2 feet 3 inches of granite in front and increasing as the wall runs back to the rear to about 5 1/2 feet. And this amount is shown to be built in two and three courses, whereas in the building there is simply one course of granite of about two feet.
10. As yet there are no granite sills in the basement windows (29 in number), nor does there appear to be any preparation for having them put in.
11. In some parts of the upper story the ashlar (I am told) is only plain chiselled instead of being tooled.

I have had the plans and specifications placed before a practical man, and had him to estimate the cost of doing the work as it ought to have been done and as it is done, and his estimate shows a saving to the contractor of an amount slightly over one thousand dollars.

This amount I do not think should be allowed to go into the contractor's pocket, for he has not done the work specified. It should be saved either to the public by making him make good the work omitted, or by making a deduction from his contract price—or to Mr. Carnegie, if the cost of the building does not reach the amount of his donation. It frequently happens in the erection of a building that certain deductions from the work specified are allowed to be offset against any extras that may be made, and it may be that some of these alterations

may have been so allowed. But in view of the large amount of work eliminated from the stonework contract above, I think it behooves the council to examine very carefully into any extras which may have arisen or may yet arise before the building is completed.

I trust, gentlemen, that you will not regard my action as being officious; but I deemed it right to let you know what had come to my ears in connection with the matter.

I know you have an inspector of the works, and it may be that he has unwittingly allowed variations to occur. That is for your honorable board to inquire into. I will only add that I am ready on any investigation you deem necessary to hold to produce the person who made the estimate for me. The building is there and the plans and specifications are in your possession. Trusting that you will regard this communication in the spirit in which it is sent, viz., as from one of Victoria's well-wishers, I have the honor to be,

Your obedient servant,
J. STUART YATES.

Ald. Vincent—I think the proper course is to refer that to the building inspector, the architect and the clerk of the works for report.

Ald. Beckwith did not think anybody connected with the building should be on the committee. Grave charges were made, and no doubt the officials on the work would court the fullest investigation. He moved that the matter be referred to the building inspector and a committee of the council.

Ald. Grahame seconded the motion; Ald. Vincent withdrew his motion, and that of Ald. Beckwith was carried, and Ald. Stewart and Elford were appointed to the committee.

Capt. Gaudin, agent of marine and fisheries department, acknowledged receipt of plans and the council's application for permission to extend certain wharfage facilities. The writer promised to report favorably on the application.

R. S. Day and E. A. Lewis thanked the council for appointment to the hospital board. Received and filed.

Selma Mann requested the council to remove certain rock from the south side of David street. Referred to the city engineer.

Messrs. Moore & Whittington expressed their thanks for orders from the council. Received and filed.

The Office Specialty Company submitted a tender for furnishing steel shelves for the Carnegie library, the figure mentioned being \$1,400. Referred to purchasing agent and the architect for report.

The water commissioner recommended that tenders be called for 12,000 feet of four-inch cast iron water pipe, to be delivered next year, also for 750 cubic yards of sand for filtering purposes. He also recommended the borrowing of pipe for laying on Selkirk street from the Esquimalt Water Works Company, and further that some pipe be laid on Davis street. The report was adopted.

A. E. Wood, vice-president of the Victoria Terminal Railway Company, applied for the payment of \$15,000 in purchase of the contract between the city and the railway company.

On motion of Ald. Vincent the communication was laid on the table to be considered at a meeting.

The city engineer reported the cost of laying a permanent sidewalk on the west side of Langley street, between Yates street and Chancery lane, to be \$274. Adopted.

The same official reported that the total cost of laying a permanent sidewalk on the north side of Cormorant street, between Store and Government streets, would be \$1,525.

Mr. Topp also submitted specifications for the removal of the fence around the old Quadra cemetery and the construction of a new one along the east boundary. Referred to the streets, bridges and sewers committee, to be taken up on Friday night.

The finance committee recommended that a grant of \$250 be made for advertising the city in the tour of the Fifth Regiment band which will play at the St. Louis exposition.

Ald. Grahame endorsed the recommendation, and explained the nature of the advertisement the city would derive. He moved the report be adopted.

Ald. Stewart opposed the adoption of the report, as he thought the sum was too much for the benefit that would be gained.

The report was lost on a vote of four to three.

The finance committee recommended the appropriation of \$4,183 for the usual purpose. Adopted.

The council then resolved itself into a committee of the whole to consider the tax by-law which was passed; after which an adjournment was taken.

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THE UNHEAVENLY TWINS.

British Columbia's two leading statesmen have been touring the interior and making promises. In case the public has any doubts about the identity of these notables, we may say Hon. Messrs. McBride and Green are the gentlemen who lead the distinguished cortege of public men who undertake to enunciate immortal principles in the name of the Conservative party of Canada.

The Premier and his chief lieutenant are the kindred spirits of the cabinet. In thought and deed and disposition they are so much alike that separation even for a short time would be intolerable. In some manner the truth has been borne in upon their souls that the government has lost popularity—if it ever had any—in the interior. They went forth, the Premier with his winning, irresistible smile, and his open, glad hand; the Chief Commissioner with his insinuating, deprecating, apologetic, and it must be confessed somewhat repellent manner—together they went forth to remove wrong impressions and to make strong professions.

As a measure of atonement for the wrong it has done because it had not the strength to do right, the government is going to "undertake" a "strong" railway policy very soon. At the next session of the Legislature it will take up the question of the "opening up of the province." During the late session it had scores of schemes before it, but they were all of a doubtful, speculative character, and not worthy of the serious attention of a government bent upon serious business and led by such a serious-minded man as the Premier of the Thoughtful Brow and his Lieutenant of the Poriforous Front. As the administration is such a genuine, hall-marked affair, founded upon good faith and created in a frank and noble spirit of general disinterestedness and unimpeachable integrity, it is natural that anything of a spurious character should prove repugnant to its spirit. Therefore Messrs. McBride and Green, with the assistance of the keen and watchful and suspicious Wilson, the Attorney-General whose presence is immaterial in the conduct of business across the Bay, have consumed all the false-railway schemes in the scorching flames of investigation, and will present the others to their supporters of divergent views. If the boss of the concern from Nanaimo approves the policy will be developed and brought forth in an act. If the evil divinity which shapes the ends of the government favors, then what can a Premier do but withdraw his policy? Surely he cannot be expected to resign as a matter of principle. That would be an absurd climax to the career of an administrator that has hitherto shaped its course in accordance with the grand and unassailable Conservative principle of expediency! The price of the support of the master spirit of the combination must be placed at a very high figure before Premier McBride will consider it too dear. As he has himself admitted, he values office; so we may take the liberty of saying for him, he would probably serve under Premier Hawthornthwaite rather than step out of public life.

Now as regards the railway policy which is to do wonderful things for the development of our "unparalleled resources," the Premier has no hesitation in saying that he has sifted out several genuine schemes, of which the oft-discussed Coast-Kootenay railway is the most important. There is thought to be some connection between this project, the present tour of the ministers, and the bye-election which will shortly be held in Lillooet if the circumstances appear favorable. One of the remarkable features of our political life is the close affinity between railway policies and elections. The electors have been duped time and again, but there never was a government that did not think them as eager as ever to rise to the lure.

LIGHTNING'S PLAYFUL TRICKS.

At times the people on the other side of the mountains must be very careful what they take in their hands. A short time ago a young man who was carrying a hay fork was struck by lightning and instantly killed. The steel points of the implement attracted the bolt, which passed through his body. In another case a knife was wrested from the hand of a man and broken into three pieces. The individual was permitted to retain his life; but the feat was performed with such celerity that he had not time to think, much less to ejaculate, "this is so sudden!" A little girl had the heels of her shoes torn off, probably as a demonstration of the merciful powers of lightning in its benign humor. It is seldom indeed that those struck by lightning live to tell of the sensations they experience when the shock is applied. As the population of the East thickens storms are beginning to be regarded as of alarming import. Lightning does a large amount of damage yearly to property, and takes a large and constantly increasing number of human lives. The con-



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General Piet Cronje, whom we think we have read of before, was one of the special features of the fourth of July celebration at the world's fair in St. Louis. It seems the general has descended from an estate that was lofty in comparison with his present status. He is an attraction in a "Boer-encampment" in the fair grounds. He is on an equality with the Filipinos and other Asiatics who have passed through here to the part of freaks at St. Louis. But the general has created of himself a special feature. His admiration for the American people and the American system of government, to say nothing of American dollars and the easy manner in which they may be acquired by celebrities of doubtful calibre, was aroused to such an extent that the general decided to acquire an American wife of Dutch extraction. Piet has not lost all the piety which distinguished his character before he became an American and an attraction. He could not consent to a public wedding. He still regards the marriage relation as sacred. Therefore he was married privately. But immediately after the ceremony he became a public character again, as we are told he drove around the city in a Cape cart drawn by four horses, and was the chief guest at a public banquet given in the Boer encampment. May the hero live long and prosper with his bride, "which she was a widow." May there be no reason for his becoming enamored with that other great American institution, the divorce court.

THE "FOURTH'S" VICTIMS.

We suppose the doctors knew all along the cause of so many deaths from wounds received during the celebration of Independence days in the United States. The general public in its ignorance was perhaps not aware of the reason why the wounds inflicted by fireworks so often prove fatal. The New York Times has explained. It gives the medical profession and the medical journals great praise for their disinterested efforts to suppress a custom that must be of great value to them in practice. It says the number of people killed outright on Fourth of July or the victims of injuries serious as injuries, is not very large, considering the large fraction of our enormous population that is put on that day, the smallness of the number speaks very well for the intelligence and carefulness with which most of us handle the assorted explosives of which we are once a year so barbarously fond. The worst consequences of the day follow trivial wounds into which enter the bacilli of tetanus. This happens, not when a boy burns himself in setting off a firecracker, big or little, or in the manipulation of roman candles and similar toys, but when he drives the grime on his own hands deep into his flesh with one of the wretched little pistols that are his favorite exponent of patriotism. Every such injury, however small the showing it makes on the surface, is a menace of frightful death, and the menace can be removed only by immediate resort to heroic measures. These are of two kinds—the injection of an antitoxin and the opening up of the wound to its deepest and furthest incision. The tetanus bacillus is of the sort called anaerobic, that is, it develops without, and only when protected from, the free atmospheric oxygen. To heal the wound under which it lies is therefore a fatal error, for just as the patient congratulates himself on complete recovery, or forgets his scratch, the period of incubation ends and he is attacked by lockjaw. He may be saved even then, but the chances are terribly against it. The treatment of a wound suspected of harboring the bacilli of tetanus is a serious surgical operation, requiring the use of an anaesthetic, and the apparent need of it is so slight that in few instances is anything done in time. The sensible course is to discriminate in the choice of noise-producers. A superficial hurt, though big and painful, is a trifle compared with one that sends germ-bearing dirt deep into the flesh.

Comfortable Shoes, 25c.

For 25 cents you can make new shoes comfortable and easy to wear. Foot Elm stops the chafing, allays the inflammation and preserves the leather. All Drug Stores, or postage free from D. V. Stott & Jury, Bowmanville, Ont.

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Flannels, Worsteds and Light-weight Scotch Tweeds. Style and finish strictly first-class.

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... In All Departments Commenced To-day ... FOR A MORE COMPLETE LIST SEE YESTERDAY'S PAPER AND SALE CATALOGUE

Oilcloths, Summer Sale of Blankets, Men's Furnishings, Japanese Cushion Tops, Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Linens, Towels, Sheetings, Dress Goods, Children's Dresses, Children's Coats, Parasols, Black Dress Goods, Black Sateen Waists, White Cotton Pillow Cases, White Cottons, Comfortable Shoes, 25c, Summer Suitings, Straw Hats, Children's Parasols, Fancy Department, Upholstery Goods, Millinery Department, Lace Department, Men's and Boys' Clothing Department. Goods Purchased at Special Discounts. BLOUSES, HOSIERY, SWEATERS, EMBROIDERIES, GOLF JACKETS, SHAWLS, FICHUES, WOOL VEILS, CARDIGANS, FANCY VESTS AND ALLOVER EMBROIDERIES, 500 ROLLS OF JAPANESE MATTINGS, 50c FOR LADIES' BLOUSES, WORTH 75c TO \$1.50; 75c FOR SHIRT WAISTS, WORTH \$1.50 AND \$2.00; \$1.50 FOR SHIRT WAISTS, WORTH \$3.00; JAPANESE MATTINGS, \$4.75 TO \$7.50 PER ROLL, WORTH \$6.50 TO \$12.50, ROLL OF 40 YARDS EACH. A LARGE STOCK OF CLOTHING REDUCED FOR THIS SALE—OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF OVER 2,000 SUITS FOR SALE AT \$4.75, REGULAR \$7.50 AND \$10.00; \$8.75, REGULAR \$10.00 AND \$12.50; \$11.75, REGULAR \$15.00, \$17.50 AND \$20.00. IN THE \$4.75 LOT ARE 65 COATS AND VESTS AND CUTAWAY SUITS, WEIR \$10.00, \$12.50 AND \$15.00. EVERY ONE AT \$4.75 SUIT OR COAT AND VEST.

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A gentle, nourishing face cream for softening and preserving the skin, removing tan, sunburn, spots and affections of the skin.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

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Sewing machine motors. See our window. Hinton Electric Co.

We put on baby carriage tires. Waites Bros., 58 Fort street.

Victoria Hive, Ladies of Macabees, will hold a garden fete at the residence of Mrs. W. Jackson, 93 Carr street, Wednesday, July 8th, at 7.30 p.m.

Sewing machine motors, \$35 installed. Hinton Electric Co.

Both those files! Just telephone 106 for some Tanglefoot, and order some lime juice at 25 cents per large bottle, or sweet cherry phosphate for summer drinks.

For Skagway and way ports. Fast steamer Dolphin, sailing July 3rd, 13th and 23rd. Office, No. 100 Government street.

PROF. HOFF'S Consumption Cure

The genuine, at \$1.25 a bottle. We are sole agents. Have you tried our Ice Cream Soda? It is delicious. All fruit flavors.

Sewing machine motors. Best yet, \$35. Hinton Electric Co.

To-morrow morning, commencing at 10 o'clock, the steamer Dominion will inaugurate her regular trips up the Gorge.

Camper's outfits cheap, at Filiton's, 129 Douglas street.

The only place in the city to get Bass XXXX Lumber Wool English Burton Ale. On draught at the Clarence bar.

Grand demonstration of Orangemen will be held in Vancouver, Tuesday, July 12th.

Good dry cordwood at Johns Bros., 259 Douglas street.

Lever's Y-Z (Wise Head) Disinfectant Soap Powder is better than other soap powders, as it also acts as a disinfectant.

Sewing machine motors. You need one. Hinton Electric Co.

Carpet cleaning and upholstery. Repairing well and promptly done at Smith & Champion's, 100 Douglas street.

Window blinds, awnings, etc., made to order at Smith & Champion's.

For second-hand furniture, cook stoves, window blind, etc., try Filiton, 129 Douglas street.

Camping parties cannot do better than place their orders at Erskine's grocery. Free delivery for any reasonable distance. Telephone 100.

Smith & Champion, upholsters, etc., 100 Douglas street, have a nice line of campers' woven wire and canvas cots, mattresses, pillows, etc.

Have you seen the new arrival of Devon pottery, the "Aller Vale ware" at Weiler Bros.? If not, don't miss it, its simply fascinating—so uncommon and delightfully decorative and very inexpensive.

If You Want SOMETHING GOOD AND CHEAP, get one of the Flannel Suits

That are being sold at a big reduction; the finest quality to be had.

PEDEN'S

36 Fort St. Merchant Tailor.

A Question of Speed

When you go hunting around for a "To Let" sign to place in the window of that house, it shows that you are not in a hurry to secure a tenant.

SHANWIGAN LAKE SNAP

Water front lot and good 4 roomed cottage, now and furnished, boats, etc. We offer a special bargain in this property.

TO LET

Five roomed furnished cottage on Fort street, piano, etc.; rent reasonable to good tenant.

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Mr. Asa M. Pierce and Mrs. Adie Wilcox Dowd, both of Ballard, Wash., were united in marriage yesterday afternoon by Rev. J. F. Vichert.

The installation of officers of United Service Lodge, No. 24, A. F. & A. M., Esquimalt, will take place to-morrow night, after which a banquet will be given.

The installation of officers for the ensuing term of Victoria Lodge, No. 17, Knights of Pythias, will take place on Thursday evening next, when E. Dickenson, Jr., G. C., will perform the ceremony.

Ald. Vincent has given notice of motion providing for the construction of a permanent sidewalk of concrete with granite curbs on the south side of Fort street, between Langley and Wharf streets, the work to be done by day labor, and under the provisions of the streets by-law.

To-day will be completed the second trap planted on the southern shores of Vancouver Island. It is located at Otter Point, and belongs to the same owners, Messrs. Holt & Munroe, who built the trap at Sooke. A large sea lion was caught in the new concern this morning, and created considerable excitement until killed.

Intelligence of the death of Mrs. Lindsay, of Vancouver, has been received here. She has been a resident of that city for many years, and has often visited in Victoria her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Clark, of Cadboro Bay road, and her son, J. A. Lindsay, of R. Dunsmuir & Sons. She leaves in addition to the two mentioned four daughters.

The library returns for June are as follows: Books issued, 1,513; to ladies, 790; to gentlemen, 723; highest number issued in one day, 110; average number, 58; new members, 23; ladies, 12; gentlemen, 11. Books added: New Science Library in eight volumes; the Mistle of the Pasture, by Allen; Bob, Son of Battle, by Oliphant; The Island, by Whiteing, and many others.

Last evening Mrs. Stephens, of San Francisco, passed away suddenly at the Dallas hotel. She was 73 years of age and was taking a trip to the north in company with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin. The party have been guests at the Dallas for a few days, taking in the points of interest about Victoria before proceeding northward. Her death was due to heart failure.

The following officers were elected at the quarterly meeting of Court Vancouver, No. 5,755, A. O. F., last evening: F. L. Smith, C. I.; J. T. Falay, S. R.; A. P. Mansell, S. W.; J. Renfrew, J. W.; R. Hoff, S. B.; P. J. Davies, J. B.; S. Wilson, secretary; W. B. Hall, treasurer; Frank Hall, surgeon; J. H. Mansell, scribe. A joint installation of the courts, Vancouver, Victoria and Northern Light, will be held on July 18th, when Bro. A. Forrester, H. D. C. R., of Nanaimo, will be present to install the officers.

A. E. Wood, vice-president of the Victoria Terminal Railway Company, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of applying to the council for the payment of \$15,000, the first year's bonus claimed by the company under the terms of the contract. A communication to this effect from Mr. Wood was read at last night's meeting of the council, but consideration of the matter was deferred until the next session. Clause 21 of the agreement provides that the first payment shall be made on the 30th of June in the year following the completion and operation of the road.

In view of the recent revival of Biblical criticism, it is interesting to note that during the week of June 6th last the demands made on the British and Foreign Bible Society for Scriptures from all parts of the world attained a record. At the present time in London all the available space in its warehouse is occupied with stacks of packing cases, and a huge overflow lines the corridors awaiting shipment to the far ends of the earth. On June 1st 81 cases were despatched, representing a total of nine tons of Scriptures in 28 different languages. The local branch of the society is well represented in this province, where aggressive and successful work is being carried on in circulating the Scriptures. Depositories are located at Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria.

The manager of the Home for Aged and Infirm acknowledges with thanks the following donations to the Home for the month of June: Mrs. L. J. Quasliotti, newspapers; Mrs. H. D. Helmecken, illustrated papers and magazines; Mrs. W. F. Pease, illustrated papers; Mrs. McLeod, clothing and slippers; Mrs. Van Tassel, rubarb and magazines; Mrs. L. G. McQuade, magazines; A. Friend, clothing and boots; N. Shakespeare, reading matter; G. Winter, sr., rubarb and clams; Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, magazines and reading matter; a cheque for \$10 from Messrs. Hiram Walker & Sons, of Walkerville, Ont., and the Times and Colonist, daily papers, also the Mining Exchange. Through the kindness of the management of the Le Petit Crystal there were the inmates of the Home can attend any of the matinees daily.

—Steamer Princess-Victoria left Vancouver at 1.30, after connecting with the train from the East.

—Columbia Royal Arch Chapter meets. The Craigflower road fence destroying case occupied the attention of the police court this morning. It was adjourned until to-morrow.

—It is hardly likely that the work of assessing the damages to the Driard resulting from the recent fire will be completed for several days yet. The assessor is still engaged with the furniture, which in itself is a task of considerable magnitude.

—Capt. C. Goodwin's steam launch Dominion will begin her regular summer service on the Arm about Wednesday of Thursday of this week. The little steamer is admirably adapted for its use, is comfortable and comfortable, and should prove very popular.

—A consignment of 1,000 barrels of Portland cement for use on the streets of Victoria was received from Seattle on the steamer Oscar yesterday. The shipment was received to the order of the city council, the supply of this kind of cement having run short in Victoria.

—C. J. Spratt, contractor, reports given out by the Colonist that R. L. Newman, of New York, is a shareholder in the Victoria Machinery Depot. Mr. Newman holds no stock whatever in the company, which is being conducted under the same management and directorate as in the past.

—The Orangemen of the province will celebrate the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne, 12th of July, in Vancouver this year. The celebration will be one of the largest ever held in the province, as Orangemen will be present from all parts of the Dominion. The Orangemen of this city will run an excursion to Vancouver and return on July 12th. The C. P. R. steamer Princess-Victoria will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 7.30 a. m. For the return trip the Charmer will leave Vancouver at 8 p. m.

—Attention is called to the garden fete to be held to-morrow evening in the grounds of E. E. Wootton, corner of Moss and Richardson streets. The Longfield orchestra, which will play during the evening, will be assisted by Mesdames Stansland and Bishop and Mr. Shackleton, vocalists. A fairy fountain will play at the entrance, and the grounds will be effectively illuminated with colored lights and Japanese lanterns, and the large refreshment tent will be prettily decorated. Fortunes will be told, and ice cream, fruit and candies dispensed for a nominal charge. Altogether a most enjoyable evening may be spent.

—The Crystal theatre opened another week last night with an exceptionally good show. Every member on the bill is strong. Alfred Samuels, the Irish comedian, is first on the bill, and takes the part well. He is evidently one of the best in the business. Deely and Sloan come next with a singing and talking act that is thoroughly up-to-date, the jokes being new and good. These men are from the Haverly Musical Co. Mr. Deely's subject is appreciated very highly. Walter Kellogg sings "I Will Meet You in the Golden Summer Time," illustrated. Sanford and Darlington, late of "The McFadden Row of Flats Co.," follow with a very pleasing sketch, in which Mr. Sanford makes three distinct changes and does some clever impersonating. Miss Darlington makes two changes during the same act. The moving pictures are of the great Train Robbery. This picture alone is worth the price of admission. The show runs about one hour, and is extra good throughout. Mr. Boyd says he has several excellent feature acts coming in the near future.

—Off with a rush at the start with not a dull moment to the end goes the programme at the Grand theatre on Johnson street this week, one which will compare with any of the offerings to date; may indeed claim it to be better. It doesn't take the public long to become used to anything in these days, and people have come to look upon the light standard of attractions seen weekly at Manager Jamieson's popular theatre as quite a matter of course, particularly as nothing else was looked for in a house with which he was connected. Not so the strangers, who, all, whether from the sister coast cities, from San Francisco, from the East or even from England, as was the case with a lady last evening, unite in expressing their surprise at the length and uniform excellence of the programmes presented each week at such a low price. The bill this week deserves all the complimentary things that were said of it by the highly pleased audiences who filled the house for three performances last night. Clans and Montez, song and dance soubrettes, became popular with a lively act which will prove one of the hits of the show for the week. Miss Jennie Bentley is a very clever foot juggler, the only lady artist in that line, it is said, in America. Carl Raymond's acrobatic singing and dancing speciality is very great as is also the contortion act of the Fishers, the wee one of which team seems to thoroughly enjoy pulling her little limbs out of shape. Fields and Whalen keep the house in a roar for fifteen minutes with their Bowery sketch interspersed with song and dance, and new jokes and old, and a new lot of moving pictures close the show.

JUST ONE MORE REMARKABLE CURE

DIABETES IS AGAIN VANQUISHED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Donat Laflamme, of St. Marguerite, Que., the Man Cured—Further Proof of the Far-Reaching Power of the Great Kidney Remedy.

St. Marguerite, Dorchester Co., Que., July 4.—(Special).—That all varieties and stages of Kidney Disease yield readily to Dodd's Kidney Pills has been proved almost daily for years, but when another victory over the deadly Diabetes is scored it is always worthy of mention. Such a case has happened here.

Donat Laflamme is the man cured, and the cure was quick as well as complete. Speaking of his cure Dr. Laflamme says: "For two years I suffered from Diabetes. I was attended by the doctor, but all his remedies did me no good. Then I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills and two boxes cured me completely."

What will cure Diabetes will cure any Kidney disease in an old saying. And no doubt remains that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure Diabetes.

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DEATH OF LEWIS LEWIS

A Pioneer of This City—Passed Away Last Evening at 145 Pandora Street.

The death last evening of Lewis Lewis at 65 Pandora street removed one of the pioneers of the province. He was born in Kolar, Russian Poland, in 1828. The deceased left his native land at the early age of nine years, and resided in Germany for some years. Later he went to England, and after five years spent in that country he came to America. After a short time in New York he joined in the rush for gold in California. Coming round by Cape Horn in the ship Robert Bone he arrived in San Francisco in 1849. The rush for gold in British Columbia again attracted him, and in 1858 he came to this city. He has always resided ever since, following business until about four years ago, when he retired.

He has been identified with many organizations in Victoria. Among them were the French Benevolent Society and Victoria Lodge, No. 141, O. O. F. He was also a member of the first volunteer fire brigade in this city. He has always been identified prominently with the Congregation Emanuel, being its president for eight years. He leaves one son, Aaron Lewis, a grandson, Emanuel Phillips Lewis, and a daughter, Mrs. E. P. Nathan. The funeral will take place on Wednesday next at 2 p. m. from Odd Fellows' hall.

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J. T. Braden's Plumbing and Hot Water Fitting Establishment Has Removed from 70 Fort Street to 78 1-2 Douglas Street

And will be pleased to receive all their old customers at the new stand. Bicycle and instrument repairing a specialty.

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J. Coughlan & Co. PLUMBING, HEATING AND ROOFING, SKYLIGHTS AND CORNICE. Has removed from Porter Block, Douglas Street, to Dawson Hotel Building, Broad Street Entrance, Next to Colonel Building. PHONE 758.

LA CROSSE

CALEDONIA GROUNDS 7 O'clock, To-Night, TUESDAY, JULY 5th. The Melrose Co., Ltd., VS. Westside and Hinton Electric Co., (Combined.) Proceeds to go to Orphans' Home.

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The Smoker's Headquarters For the choicest lines of cigars, cigarettes and tobaccos. Agents for all the local and Pacific Coast daily and Sunday papers. GEO. C. ANDERSON, Prop.

TIDE TABLE

Victoria, B. C., July, 1904. (Issued by the tidal survey branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Table with columns: Date, Time, Height, Time, Height, Time, Height, Time, Height. Rows for various dates in July.

The Paterson Shoe Co.'s Stores. Just Received per Express A fresh supply of the well-known Witchell & Son's Baseball and Sprinting Shoes Canvas Shoes FOR THE HOLIDAYS. Boys' Grey Canvas Oxfords, leather soles, sizes 11 to 13 ... 70c. Boys' Grey Canvas Oxfords, leather soles, sizes 1 to 5 ... 80c. Men's Grey Canvas Oxfords, leather soles, sizes 6 to 11 ... 90c. Sand Shoes, Tennis Shoes, Sandals. The Paterson Shoe Co., Ltd.

Biscuits, Biscuits! Fresh and Crisp. Just to Hand a Shipment of Christie-Brown's, Huntley & Palmer's, Peek-Frean & Co.'s Choicest Selection. THE SAUNDERS GROCERY COMPANY, LIMITED PHONE 25. 39 AND 41 JOHNSON STREET. THE "WEST END" GROCERY COMPANY, LIMITED PHONE 88. 42 GOVERNMENT STREET.

Get One To-Day Boys' Duck Sailor Suits Cotton and Crash Blouses At Get Out Prices. See Window. The S. Reid Co.'s Summer Clearance Sale.

Esquimalt Road Choice Building Lots At \$275.00 Easy Terms MONEY TO LOAN. FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN. P. R. Brown, Ltd., 30 BROAD ST.

These Hot Evenings You want to be outside, and there is no better companion for the lawn or veranda than a COLUMBIA GRAPHOPHONE, OR AN EDISON PHONOGRAPH. We have both the Cylinder and Disc Machines, at prices ranging from \$5.00 to \$75.00. Records at 35c., 50c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$2.00. M. W. Waitt & Co., LIMITED, 44 GOVERNMENT ST.

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The Latest Popular SONG HITS I've Got a Feelin' for You. The Man Behind. The Little Girl Who Went to Town. The Wise Old Owl. For the Lady's Sake, Feed My Dog. Good-Bye, Eliza Jane. In Zanibar. Under a Panama. And Many Others. We Try Them Over for You. FLETCHER BROS., TEL. 88.

THIRST

Such as prevails during this hot weather is easily quenched if you use our prepared

Lemon Squash	15c.	Strawberry Syrup	25c.
Lime Juice	25c.	Raspberry Syrup	25c.
Fresh Lemons	25c.	Persian Sherbet	25c.
		Eiffel Tower Lemonade	25c.

All easily made into palatable drinks by the addition of a little water.

MOWAT'S GROCERY

WIDEAWAKE WON KEY CITY TROPHY

INTERESTING YACHT RACES YESTERDAY

Next Meet Will Be at Vancouver—Victoria Baseball Team Defeated by Sedro-Wolley.

Yesterday proved an ideal day for the races under the Northwest International Yacht Racing Association. There was a splendid breeze, which gave the crews every opportunity to test the mettle of their craft and to show their seamanship. From start to finish there was not a dull moment in the races. The coveted Key City trophy was carried off by the Wideawake, of Vancouver, she having made the fastest time for yachts of classes A and B. Her time was 2 hours and 33 minutes and 40 seconds. The distance round the course is considered to be seven miles. Class A and B had to go round it twice, making about fourteen miles.

In class A there was another boat entered other than those which took part on Saturday. That was Gwendol, of Victoria, Gwendolyn, of Seattle; Linda, of Seattle; Lavita, of Seattle, and Falcon, of Seattle.

The strong wind proved too much for the Gwendolyn, which in the light breezes of Saturday made such good time. She heeled over before the wind, being unable to stand up in it. The weather was strictly adapted for the Linda and the Lavita, which are both heavily built. The race between these two was very keen. The Linda kept up a slight lead throughout the course, but at the finish she only a few seconds ahead. In making for the buoy of Albert Head the Lavita gained somewhat on the Linda, and passed round not more than two minutes behind her. With a fair wind to the finishing point the two yachts prepared to make their best time. The Lavita hoisted her top sail and gradually gained on the leader. The Linda attempted to set her spinaker, but failed to adjust it. The Linda finished first, having occupied 2 hours, 37 minutes and 40 seconds on the course. The Lavita followed in 2 hours 38 minutes and 34 seconds. The Gwendol made it in 2 hours 55 minutes and 32 seconds. With time allowance the race went to the Lavita with the Gwendol second.

In class B there entered Wideawake, of Vancouver; Ariadne, of Bellingham Bay; Madeline, of Seattle; Detroit, of Vancouver, and Eileen, of Vancouver. The Wideawake showed herself easily the fastest boat. She made a magnificent showing throughout the race, finishing in shorter time than any of her class or class A, and thus carrying off the most valued prize, the Key City trophy. Capt. Hodgson, at the presentation of the prizes, gave great credit to his crew. He said they were all young fellows, but they did splendid work, and to them was due in no small degree the victory. The Wideawake made the distance in 2 hours 33 minutes and 40 seconds. The Madeline took second in the class, making the distance in 2 hours 54 minutes and 38 seconds.

In class C there entered Dione, of Victoria; Copper Queen, of Victoria; Empress, of Seattle; White Cap, of Victoria; Alaska, of Victoria; Dorothy, of Victoria; Marietta, of Victoria; Onaida, of Victoria; Bessie, of Vancouver, and Hiawatha, of Vancouver. In this race T. S. Gore's Dione was again in bad luck. She was well in the lead until shortly before the Albert Head buoy was reached. She then had the misfortune to have her bowsprit break away, putting her entirely out of the race. The race then went to the Marietta, belonging to Capt. French, R. E., who made the distance in 1 hour 14 minutes and 5 seconds. The White Cap took second prize in 1 hour 28 minutes and 37 seconds. The latter was a surprise as she is a yawl intended for cruising and was not built for racing.

The winners for the races yesterday were therefore as follows:
Class A—First prize, Lavita, of Seattle; Capt. Newman; second prize, Gwendol, of Victoria; Capt. G. Cuppage.
Class B—First prize, Wideawake, of Vancouver; Capt. Hodgson; second prize, Madeline, of Seattle; Capt. J. Griffiths.
Class C—First prize, Marietta, of Victoria; Capt. French, R. E.; second prize, White Cap, of Victoria; Capt. Lawrie.

SATURDAY'S RACES

The judges on Saturday's races in

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Ladies' Favorite. Is the only safe, reliable medicine which women can depend on in the hour and time of need. Prepared in two degrees of strength. No. 1 and No. 2. No. 1—For ordinary cases in by far the best dollar medicine known. No. 2—For special cases—10 degrees stronger—three dollars per box. Ladies ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound. Take no other as all pills, mixtures and imitations are dangerous. No. 1 and No. 2 are sold and recommended by all druggists in the Dominion of Canada. Mailed to any address on receipt of price four-cent postage stamp. The Cook Company, Windsor, Ont.

No. 1 and 2 are sold in all Victoria drug stores.

computing time allowance, etc., awarded second prize in class A to the Gwendol, of Victoria, and not to the Lavita, of Seattle, as announced. At first it was expected the latter boat would get second place; but this was reversed in making computation.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Last night the Northwest International Yacht Racing Association held its annual meeting. The treasurer's report showed a small balance of about \$3.29 on hand.

It was decided to hold the meeting at Vancouver next year, Bellingham Bay, also invited the association to hold the races there. It was urged on behalf of Vancouver that a yacht club had been organized there only 18 months ago with a large membership, and the annual meeting would be of great encouragement to the sport.

The officers elected were as follows: President, William Hodgson, Vancouver; vice-president, F. S. Stimson, Seattle; secretary, O. L. Spencer, Vancouver; treasurer, F. M. Kelly, Vancouver; admiral, W. H. Abbott, Bellingham; vice-admiral, F. Newman, Seattle; commodore, A. T. Pearce, Victoria; vice-commodore, G. V. Cuppage, Victoria; fleet captain, Lloyd Johnson, Seattle.

It was decided to have inscribed on the Key City trophy the various winners of it, with the place and date of the races.

The prizes were presented at the meeting, closing with cheers by the visitors for the way they had been entertained by the Victoria Yacht Club.

LACROSSE.

GAME TO-NIGHT.

At the Caledonia grounds this evening there will be a lacrosse match played between teams representing the Melrose Company and the Westside and Hinton Electric Company, combined. Strong teams have been selected, and each side is confident of success. The match will begin at 7 o'clock this evening. The proceeds are to be given to the Orphans' Home.

WON BY SEATTLE.

The game between Seattle and Everett at Everett on Sunday was won by Seattle by a score of 7 to 0. Except in the last half the game was close, although Seattle kept the ball in the vicinity of Everett's goal a large share of the time. Both teams showed excellent team work. Until the beginning of the fourth quarter the score was 2 to 0, Seattle having scored in the first and third quarters.

BASEBALL.

DEFEATED BY SEDRO-WOLLEY.

Sedro-Wolley baseball team defeated the Victoria players yesterday by a score of 4 to 2. The match was a good one. Victoria in meeting Sedro-Wolley went up against a team with an unbroken record for the season.

THE TURF.

NIGGER BEAT BRIGHT EYES.

In a mile trotting race held at Duncan's yesterday Nigger, belonging to George Lewis, won a second race from Bright Eyes, owned by W. E. Blythe.

YUKON NEWS.

Seizure of Smuggled Liquors—Discovery of Huge Nugget—Sluice Box Robbery.

A big shipment of various kinds of liquors, consigned to Murray & Ross, of the Bonanza saloon, was seized while being unloaded from the steamer Selkirk, at the White Pass dock, Dawson, some days ago. A barrel and case, purporting to be olive oil and general groceries, were broken open and found to contain intoxicants.

To No. 3, American gulch, belongs the honor of producing the biggest nugget ever found in the Yukon territory, or for that matter in the entire North. The monster weighs 450 ounces, and if it were all gold it would be worth at \$15 an ounce the tidy little sum of \$6,750.

The details of a big sluice box robbery successfully carried out on Last Chance creek on the evening of June 19th have leaked out at Dawson. Thieves removed the greater portion of a twelve days' cleanup from the riffles of a sluice box string on W. F. Collins' hillside claim, opposite left limit, No. 3 above. It is estimated about \$3,000 in dust was removed from the riffles. The mounted police have taken impressions of footprints found in the clay about the boxes and with other clues are running down several suspects, hoping soon to get some idea of the guilty. On account of not knowing how much in all was in the riffles, the owner of the property is unable to closely estimate his loss.

A rich gold strike was made a few weeks ago by miners in the employ of the Syndicate Lyonnaise, on their concession on Ten-Mile creek, a tributary of the Sixty-Mile, and ten miles from Ogilvie. The extent of the find is revealed for by Baron de Silans, who brought the news to Dawson. The gold is very coarse, and the baron is exhibiting a poke containing \$300 in nuggets, which was taken out by two men with crude appliances in eight days.

News of a good strike on Old Pan creek, a tributary of Edmonton creek, which flows into Mayo lake, has been received in the mail from Duncan. The strike was made on June 13th.

A Dawson mining expert says: "The recent rain and snow were worth \$250,000 to Klondike miners. Every day of rain is worth to this camp, at a low estimate, \$50,000."

Reports of new and rich gold discoveries at the head of the delta on Wild Horse creek have reached Valdez. It is said that the gravel in the new field pans from 5 to 40 cents.


W. M. Brewer has returned to White Horse from a week's trip to the Big Salmon country, where he reports considerable activity considering the conditions, the camp being rather difficult of access with machinery and provisions. During Brewer's visit to the camp-Jack Black, foreman of the N.A.C. Co.'s property, made the first clean-up of the season, the amount being satisfactory and sufficient to show a profit as the result of 10 men's work for 15 days, eight men working to the shift. Mr. Brewer says there are a number of the most extensive quartz lodes there he has seen in the country, one of which he traced the length of five claims or 7,500 feet, the ledge being upward of 100 feet in width.

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Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 24th day of June, 1904.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All mineral rights are reserved by the Equulmit & Nanaimo Railway Company within that tract of land bounded on the south by the south boundary of Comox District, on the east by the Straits of Georgia, on the north by the 50th parallel, and on the west by the boundary of the R. & N. Railway Land Grant.

LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

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FINE IMPOSED ON CITY OF NANAIMO

FOR A VIOLATION OF INSPECTION ACT

Excursions To and From Port Angeles Were Stopped and Vessel Detained.

On a technicality the E. & N. Railway Company's steamer City of Nanaimo was yesterday fined \$500 by the collector at Port Angeles on a charge of a violation of the Customs Inspection Act. The steamer was yesterday engaged in the excursion business between this city and Port Angeles, and officials on the American side maintain that she should have first passed American inspection before carrying passengers to the Canadian side.

She had made two trips across the Straits, and was about to return when the customs officers came down on her and took possession. The vessel had one more run to make from this city. There were a number of American people ready to cross to Victoria, and there were many others at home who were anxious to take in the last voyage. Furthermore there were 100 Port Angeles residents who had come to this city on the first return trip, and who wanted to go home.

The whole proceeding of fining the ship seemed very unfortunate. If the American officers acted within their rights in enforcing the law they certainly could not have pursued a course that would have worked greater to the inconvenience of the public both on the American and Canadian side. The vessel was held up regardless of consequences, and was detained until a fine of \$500 was paid. This took considerable time. It was late in the evening before all the business could be transacted, and the ship was released.

In the meanwhile the E. & N. officials acted as promptly as possible. There was but one passenger steamer in port that could be secured at once for the emergency. The Alaska Steamship Company placed the Whatcom at the disposal of the company, and some time after her arrival from the Sound she was ordered to proceed to Port Angeles, taking home the 100 excursionists then here. In Port Angeles there were 633 Victorians. The Whatcom has accommodation for 550 passengers, and she had her full complement returning. Nearly

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one hundred Victorians, however, had to be left behind, and for these the Rosalie called on her way from Seattle this morning. The special run for the Rosalie left her late in arriving.

The City of Nanaimo got back shortly after the Whatcom's return, and this morning sailed on her regular east coast run. Whether her owners will appeal the case to the Washington authorities could not be learned this morning. James Dunsuir is at Comox, and Joseph Hunter, general superintendent of the railway company, declined to discuss the subject. He was seen this morning just as he was about to board the morning outgoing train. When approached by a reporter he exclaimed with a wave of the arm that "he did not care to discuss the subject; he was too mad to say anything."

The law under which the boat was penalized, it is understood, is a comparatively new one, and has been rigidly enforced since the Galliam disaster. The City of Nanaimo has never been interfered with in former years when she engaged in the same excursion business, and there are those who now consider that a "snap shot" crack has now been taken at her.

PATROLS BEHIND SEA.

On Thursday H. M. S. Shearwater will leave Esquimalt bound for Behring Sea to look after Great Britain's sealing interests in those waters. It is expected that one of the China squadron will be assigned to similar duty, and that in this way the whole patrol duty of the sea can be effectively attended to. Great Britain has agreed to protect the sealing rookeries of Copper Island and Commander islands, as mentioned in the press dispatches, and it is hardly probable that the Shearwater could alone attend to this duty. The report has reached official circles that the rookeries on these islands are likely to be raided, and Victoria sealers are somewhat curious to know by whom. They are inclined to the belief that if raids are made they will be conducted by Japanese, taking advantage of Russia's embarrassed position. In this connection it is interesting to note that a cargo of seal skins was recently landed in Japan, but whence they came is not known here.

DUE NEXT WEEK.

The China Mutual liner Stentor is due a week from to-morrow from Europe and points in the Orient with a big freight for this city, amounting in all to nearly one thousand tons. The Stentor has never made the round-the-world voyage before. She is a big carrier, having a gross tonnage of 6,773 tons and in general description corresponds with the other ships of the line. The Catchalls, one of the fleet now on the Sound, will be sailing on her return voyage on Thursday next. As stated yesterday she will call here to pick up a heavy consignment of lumber for Hongkong.

SEALERS ARE ALL AWAY.

The Victoria sealing vessels, which will this year cruise in Behring Sea, are now all down the coast, and are either securing their Indian hunters or, having obtained them, are now heading north as fast as they can. In the fleet there are eleven of the Victoria Sealing Company's schooners, and some three or four independent boats. The hunting season in Behring Sea does not open until August 1st, but the fleet is always on hand to begin operations as soon as the law allows.

MARINE NOTES.

R. M. S. Empress of China sailed outwards bound last evening after picking up Victoria freight and passengers at the outer wharf. She was well loaded.

R. M. S. Aurangi is expected from Australia to-morrow. The ship is believed to have a very large number of passengers.

Steamer Danube sails for northern British Columbia ports on Thursday night.

Emperor Nicholas has personally donated \$50,000 for relief of the sufferers by the tornado at Moscow.

GOING TO NANAIMO.

T. R. Stockett, the New General Manager of the Western Fuel Company.

The Fernie Free Press of Friday last contained the following:

"Rumors that have been in the air for some time to the effect that Thos. R. Stockett, acting general manager of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co., had resigned, were confirmed on Tuesday when a Free Press representative called at the company's office, and in an interview with Mr. Lindsey that gentleman made the following statement:

"Mr. Stockett has resigned his position as acting general manager of the Western Fuel Company at Nanaimo, B. C., as well as all the directors, extremely regret this, but the new position is a more lucrative one than the present, and we do not feel justified in standing in the way of Mr. Stockett's advancement. I speak for my co-directors as well as for myself when I say that in the whole history of the company no one has given to the management such long, loyal and efficient service as Mr. Stockett. The present high degree of efficiency in the operating department is for the most part due to his unflinching energy and large ability, and we all very much regret parting with him. Mr. Stockett, too, has been unfailingly courteous to the public, who, I feel sure, will join in the general regret at his leaving Fernie, and wish him good luck in his new management."

"Mr. Lindsey was then asked as to his successor. Mr. Drinnan, general superintendent, will act as general manager after June 30th, when Mr. Stockett's resignation takes effect. I am unable to state anything at present as to who will be appointed to that position. I am going to Toronto in a couple of weeks, after a trip to the coast, when the matter will be taken up with the directors."

"Mr. Stockett was afterwards seen. He expressed deep regret at severing his connections with the company and the town. He was making the change solely because the position offered was a more advantageous one than the one he now occupied."

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Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate of the certificate of title to the above lands, issued to The Women's Christian Temperance Union of British Columbia on the 2nd day of September, 1891, and numbered 12535A.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar-General. Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 21st day of June, 1904.

NOTICE.

In the Goods of Robert Heron, Deceased.

The undersigned hereby request that any persons having claims against the estate of the above named Robert Heron will, within one month from the date hereof, send particulars of same to the undersigned, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the same within that time. Dated this 22nd day of June, A. D. 1904. C. A. GOODWIN, P. R. BROWN, Executors.

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Notice to Contractors

Tenders for the construction of the foundation of the hotel to be built by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in the City of Victoria will be received up to noon on Monday, July 18th, 1904, to be addressed to Mr. G. H. Webster, division engineer, Vancouver, at whose office plans and specifications can be inspected on and after July 5th. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. R. MARPOLE, General Superintendent, Vancouver, B. C., June 2nd, 1904.

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RATEPAYERS WILL DECIDE THURSDAY
DETERMINING FATE OF THE HOTEL BY-LAW
Mayor Barnard Draws Attention to the Necessity of Passing Measure—Terms and Conditions.

The hotel by-law will be submitted to the ratepayers on Thursday, and it is to be hoped that a large vote will be polled. Its passage seems assured, and although it is unlikely that the vote will be unanimous, it is to be desired that the majority will be as sweeping as when the first by-law relating to the hotel was submitted. In an interview with a Times representative this morning Mayor Barnard clearly stated the case as follows:
"The proposition shortly is as follows: 'The company upon the passage of the by-law will exercise the option already contained in the contract, and will contribute \$20,000 towards the cost of expropriation of the Seelye property, known as the corner lot, which will be taken by the city and used in connection with the lot on the corner of Government and Wharf streets, already expropriated, in making a handsome approach to the causeway in the shape of a small park square.
"The city in return are to convey to the company that strip of land lying between Douglas street and the causeway, which was not needed to them under the first arrangement, thus the whole of the property bounded by the causeway, Belleville street, Douglas street and Humboldt street will form the hotel site.
"The land purchased by the company will be exempted from taxation until they dispose of it or cease to use it for hotel purposes, not exceeding in any event the period of 15 years. The land to be decided to them by the city is exempt for the full period of 15 years.
"The advantages to the city of this arrangement are many.
"Firstly, the citizens will have the satisfaction of knowing that the undertaking when completed could not in the matter of site have been improved upon. I am sure it would have been a never-ending source of regret if the hotel were erected on one side of the causeway instead of in the centre of the property. Moreover I am sure that once it was erected it would be only a matter of a few years when the citizens would be so dissatisfied with the surroundings that they would compel the council to acquire the property on Humboldt street, now so unsightly, in which event the expense to the city would far exceed anything it is now sacrificing to attain that end.
"Secondly, all claims for damages so far as the property between Government and Douglas streets is concerned, by reason either of filling, interruption of access to water or to the buildings by the process of filling are set at rest. Mr. Penderay placed these damages at not less than \$10,000, and without admitting that he is entitled to damages on these heads, yet a question that might assume serious proportions and cause to all parties concerned, including the city, considerable expense has been disposed of.
"Thirdly, the city is saved the expense of making the road known as Hotel avenue, between Government and Douglas streets, to which it was bound under the original agreement to make. This road in a few months, in all probability, would have to be block paved and provided with concrete sidewalks, so that the amount saved to the city by providing in the new agreement that it shall not be constructed will run into several thousands of dollars.
"Fourthly, the fact that the C. P. R. Company are willing to invest in our city in real estate to the extent of upwards of \$100,000 for the purpose of improving the site already granted to them, shows that they have every confidence in the future of the city, and is by no means calculated to do us harm with the outside public.
"Fifthly, the citizens will have the great satisfaction of knowing, when the whole work is finished, that with the government buildings on one side, the post office on the other and the hotel in the centre, they will have a group of buildings unequalled as to site and beauty in any city in Canada, and so far as I know on the continent of America.
"Sixthly, we are only going to get one chance to carry out this undertaking properly, and this is the chance. Let us seize the opportunity and not hereafter have the unnecessary annoyance of hearing visitors remark that the building is a beautiful one, but that it is a great pity that it was not properly located.
"On Thursday the voters of Victoria will have an opportunity to show that they know a good thing when they see it, and that when they make up their minds to do a thing, they propose to do it well."

BROUGHT FIFTEEN THOUSAND.
C. Fox Purchased African, Last Year's Champion Three-Year-Old.
(Associated Press.)
New York, July 5.—At the disposal sale of the Hampton stable, held at Sheepshead Bay, 16-day African, the champion three-year-old of last year and winner of \$70,000, was sold to C. Fox for \$15,000. He is a bay colt four years old.

INTERNATIONAL CRICKET.
Marlborough College Team Defeated by the Haverford, Pa., Players.
(Associated Press.)
London, July 5.—The cricket match between Haverford, Pa., and Marlborough College resulted in a victory for the Americans to-day. The Americans made a total of 44 runs for their two innings, against 351 runs for the Englishmen.

TRAINS COLLIDE.
Accident Due to Misunderstanding of Signals—One Person Killed and Another Fatally Injured.
(Associated Press.)
Philadelphia, Pa., July 5.—One person was killed, one fatally injured, and a score of others were slightly injured in a head-on collision on the Frankford branch of the Reading railway to-day at Frankford, a suburb. At the point where the accident occurred the road is single track, and the officials say the accident was the result of a misunderstanding of signals.

THE SHIPPING DISASTER.
Six Hundred and Forty-Six Lives Were Lost—Relief Fund Has Been Started.
(Associated Press.)
Copenhagen, July 5.—A subscription in favor of the relief of the victims and of the rescued passengers of the Danish steamer Norge, which foundered on Tuesday, June 28th, off the coast of North-west of Scotland, with the loss of 646 lives, was started here this morning. Condolences are pouring in from the Royal Family and the people in America and elsewhere.

IN THE LUMBER CAMP.
There is one thing which every one seems to know and to like, and that is Pay Roll ping chewing tobacco. It tastes so good, and then lumbermen get many useful articles free in premiums by saving the tags and exchanging them. All stores sell "Pay Roll."

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.
Two children, Geraldine and Leroy Walliser, aged 10 and 8 years, respectively, were burned to death in a fire at Syracuse, N. Y., on Monday. Lizzie Wagner, a young woman, who was also badly burned, is dying in a hospital. All were asleep in the Walliser house when it took fire in some unknown manner.
A special from St. Helena, Ore., says that three of the four children of John Sobieska were drowned Saturday afternoon in Milton creek, where they had gone to the creek to bathe. Jessie, aged 20, and her younger brother and sister, aged 15 and 14, entered the creek first. The two younger ones stepped into a deep hole, and in their struggles managed to seize Jessie, whom they dragged after them. Lottie, an elder sister, rushed into the water and in an unsuccessful attempt to rescue her brother and sisters was almost drowned.

Tobacco when smoked in the open fresh air, and particularly on a bright day with a sharp wind, is peculiarly fragrant; the effect is enhanced by ozone, and tobacco smoke in the presence of static electrical apparatus develops a very agreeable aroma. Barbara Kaurisch, 50 years of age, has been arrested at Gross Boeskerk, Hungary, for the murder of her step-daughter, with whom she lived in emphy. The young woman was killed with an axe while ill in bed.

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THE VANCOUVER HOLD-UP.
Four Arrests Have Been Made—Employee of Quann Bros. in Custody.
(Special to the Times.)
Vancouver, July 5.—Four men were arrested yesterday charged with the hold-up of Quann Bros. bank on the Hastings road on Saturday night. They are Geo. Meade, an employee of Quann's, who was on the box with the driver of the bank at the time of the hold-up; Tom Hallyman, a baseball player, well known to Vancouver and Seattle; Sam McDonald and D. H. Hogan.

THE HENLEY REGATTA.
Scholes, of Toronto, Won His Heat for the Diamond Sculls.
(Associated Press.)
Henley, Eng., July 5.—The Henley regatta was today opened with improving weather. There were no entries from the United States and only two from Canada. Those of the Winnipeg four and the Toronto sculler. So the Winnipeg crew drew a bye, they will not row until the final heat for the Stewards' cup on Thursday. The spectators, when the regatta commenced, were not so numerous as usual, as there were fewer house boats. Scholes won his heat for the diamond sculls to-day, defeating S. R. Wells, of the Bedford Rowing Club. Scholes won by four lengths. Time, 9 minutes 32 seconds.

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NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that we have deposited with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and the Registrar-General of Titles, Victoria, B. C., plans and descriptions of a what proposed to be constructed by James Blairhead, of the Victoria Planning Milling, of the said city, in Victoria harbor, immediately fronting lots 137 and 138; and further, that we have on behalf of the said Company applied to the Government Council for approval thereof.
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PHIBBS—At Revelstoke, on June 20th, the wife of John Phibbs, of a daughter.
MARRIED.
GLEAZER-McDONALD—At Revelstoke, on June 26th, by Rev. W. C. Calder, Percy James Gleazer and Sarah McDonald.
PALMER-WILDER—At Revelstoke, on June 27th, by Rev. W. C. Calder, Albert William Palmer, and Elizabeth Catherine Wilder.

DIED.
LEWIS—On the 4th instant, at his late residence, No. 65 Pandora avenue, Lewis Lewis, aged 70 years, and a native of Poland, Russia.
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Department of the Interior, Ottawa, February, 1904.
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