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BULGARIANS AND TURKS CLASH

MAY BE DECISIVE BATTLE OF THE WAR

One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Troops Reported to Be Engaged

London, Oct. 30.—A big battle, perhaps the decisive one of the war, is proceeding somewhere to the east of the line from Constantinople to Adrianople between the Turkish and Bulgarian armies and heavy fighting also is taking place around Adrianople itself.

Beyond the fact that a clash has come, however, the general staffs of the Turkish and Bulgarian armies are keeping the outside world ignorant as to how things are going with them. No news has come through from the scene of action except the dispatch from Nazim Pasha, the Turkish commander-in-chief, saying: "The position is favorable to the Turks."

While admitting that they have to depend on mere rumors and suppositions, military critics here are inclined to believe that the Turkish army is at last ready to take the offensive and has a chance of retrieving itself.

The Bulgarian troops have obviously supported a check in the vicinity of Adrianople, as dispatches from Sofia report the arrival there of many wounded from the front and it is announced that the Bulgarians' plan of storming the great fortress has been delayed by the arrival of reinforcements.

The Turkish commander's plan is not clear, but it is believed he will attempt to retrieve Adrianople and its garrison of 50,000 men, while at the same time holding the Bulgarians on his left flank. The rumors that Bulgarian troops had reached the sea are unconfirmed.

Massing Troops at Monastir.
Zekki Pasha is gathering the remnants of his army at Monastir to meet the advancing Serbians and the allied Bulgarian column. It is thought he may make another Plevna of Monastir and prepare himself there for a long siege.

The failure of the ex-sultan, Abdul Hamid, to arrive at Constantinople, whether he was removed from Salonica, seems to confirm the report that the railroad between these two cities also has been interrupted.

From Belgrade come reports that the Serbian victory over the Turks at Veles was accomplished by the cavalry, which divided Turkish force while the Serbian artillery drove them from their positions.

Turkish troops defeated by the Serbians and Montenegrins in the district of Novipazar are arriving in hundreds in Berna, having crossed the frontier.

Col. Charles A. Court Repton, one of the best-informed military writers, in an article in the Times today, after a silence since October 25, says that the military situation in the Balkans has been so hopelessly confused that it has been useless to attempt any appreciation of it.

Turkish Losses.
The Bulgarian army was defeated by the Turks at Viza, Remil and Sorai yesterday, according to an official dispatch received by the Ottoman embassy here. The Turkish losses totaled 800 killed and wounded.

Reports Big Battle.
Constantinople, Oct. 30.—5.30 p.m.—The Turkish commander-in-chief, Nazim Pasha, telegraphed that a big battle had been in progress since this morning. The troops engaged on both sides number 150,000. Nazim Pasha says the position of the Ottoman forces is favorable.

Mahmud Mukhtar's division of the Turkish army repulsed the Bulgarians yesterday, inflicting a severe loss on them at Tcherkeskeel, on the Thonro-lu river, and on the railroad midway between Constantinople and Adrianople.

Will Not Storm Fortress.
Sofia, Oct. 30.—It is announced that the Bulgarians have abandoned the idea of storming Adrianople in favor of investment, as it is known the place is short of provisions.

This has caused disappointment here, as the capture of Adrianople had been expected daily. This decision gives rise to rumors that the Bulgarians have suffered a check near Adrianople.

Women and Children Slain.
Athens, Oct. 30.—The Bashibazouks (Turkish irregulars) have pillaged and burned six villages in the Janina district. They killed many women and children. The Greek arch-priest at Janina has been murdered.

Greeks Pursue Turks.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 30.—Cables from the Greek foreign office to the Greek legation today announced that the right wing of the Greek army yesterday occupied Katarina and was in pursuit of the Turkish forces. The left wing last night occupied Eoraklar.

Montenegrin Forces United.
Ritka, Montenegro, Oct. 30.—The central column of Montenegrin troops

TWO WOUNDED— ASSAILANT TAKEN

CIVIC EMPLOYEES SHOT WHILE AT WORK

Victims Removed to Hospital —Prisoner Breaks Down After Arrest

Vancouver, Oct. 30.—Shooting down two men of a city street improvement crew at the corner of Balsam and York streets, Kitlanio, at 8.45 o'clock this morning, T. Robertshaw, aged 62, had the entire gang running for shelter till some of the men realized that his murderous mania only concerned the men he had wounded. Robertshaw was then seized and held till the police arrived and removed him to the Kitlanio police station.

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Robertshaw then pulled a .22-caliber automatic revolver and started firing at Thomas and Richard Dallamore. In a moment both men were down and the other workmen started to scatter, not knowing how far the apparently infuriated Robertshaw might carry his deadly work.

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Robertshaw gives his place of residence at 318 Eighth avenue, West. His victims reside at 1713 Cedar street.

SOLDIERS BAR WAY TO CHAMBER

HUNGARIAN OPPOSITION DEPUTIES PROTEST

Troops Surround Parliament Building and Prevent Ap- proach of Members

Buda Pest, Oct. 30.—The members of the opposition in the Hungarian parliament, when they tried to enter the House today were met by a strong military cordon which surrounded the parliament building and prevented their approach. The opposition deputies, led by Count Albert Apponyi, Count Michael Karolyi and Francis Kosuth, made an attempt to get through, but were forced to retire. In doing so they made a violent protest.

The discussion in the Hungarian parliament has been continuous since May 22, when Count Tisza was elected speaker of the lower House. Count Tisza's opposition to universal suffrage, which is demanded by the opposition, has caused great bitterness and has led to frequent violent scenes in parliament and rioting in the streets of Buda Pest.

On June 7 Count Tisza narrowly escaped assassination in the House when Deputy Julius Kavacs fired at him three times. The opposition members then were ejected and the proceedings have been carried on since solely by members of the government party.

SAILORS REACH PLACE OF SAFETY

Twelve of Crew of Abandoned Steamer Have Been Located

Brownsville, Tex., Oct. 30.—Twelve sailors of the steamer Nicaragua, which was disabled off Padre Island during the gulf storm of October 16, and abandoned, who were believed to have been drowned, were located today.

Six of the men arrived at Poin-t Isabel, 20 miles south of Brownsville, yesterday after making their way miles afoot from a point off Padre Island, and the others who landed on the coast further south are en route to Point Isabel. A crew from the Brazos Island life-saving station was sent out to pick up the men.

Capt. Echeverria and other members of the crew of the Nicaragua were rescued by a boat from the Port Arkansas life-saving station October 21, after being adrift in the gulf in a small boat for five days.

PRIVY COUNCIL GIVES DECISIONS

Appeal Arising Out of Fatal Fire in Chilliwack Jail is Dismissed

London, Oct. 30.—Judgment was given in the following cases before the judicial committee of the Privy Council today:

Parson v. Sovereign Bank of Canada, concerning claim for debts, allowed.

Outremont Town v. Joyce, regarding street levelling, dismissed.

McKenzie v. Chilliwack township, British Columbia, appeal dismissed. In this case Daniel McKenzie, while in jail, was fatally burned, and his relatives sought damages, but the judicial committee of the Privy Council held that negligence was proved against the township, but it was not unreasonable in such a small place to assign other duties to the jailer, some of which he attended to on the night of the fire.

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STRIKERS USE KNIVES AND GUNS

Policeman Shot and Detective Stabbed During Strike Disorders

Little Falls, N. Y., Oct. 30.—Michael Haley, of this city, a special policeman, was shot and Detective John Kennedy, of Albany, was stabbed early today during a riot in front of the Phoenix mill. Trouble started when Chief Long attempted to break up the massed picketing at the mill entrance. He argued with one of the strikers. A crowd soon gathered, and special policemen surrounded him. Clubs soon were flying in all directions. The women strikers were in the front of the pickets.

Kennedy was stabbed from behind as he was going through the crowd to help Chief Long. He says a woman used a knife on him. Michael Haley was shot as he went through the crowd. Several strike leaders were arrested. Great excitement prevails in the foreign section.

Becker's execution will be stayed, however, by a notice of appeal from the verdict of the jury soon to be filed by his counsel, which may take a year to determine.

When Becker was brought into court he walked slowly to the bar and catching the eye of acquaintances among the crowd nodded to them with a faint smile.

"Charles Becker, have you any legal cause to show why judgment of death should not be pronounced against you?" asked the clerk.

Becker opened his mouth as if to speak, but before he could reply John W. Hart, his attorney, rose to make the usual motions to set aside the verdict and to arrest judgment.

Justice Goff denied the motions and then pronounced the sentence.

Becker heard himself condemned without any show of emotion other than the closing of his eyes and the compression of his lips.

Mrs. Becker was not in the courtroom proper, but was writing in an ante-room to accompany him to Ossining, where she purposes to take up her residence during his confinement.

The prisoner and his wife, accompanied by the sheriff and the deputies, left the Grand Central station for Ossining. Mrs. Becker bore up bravely.

DEATH SENTENCE PASSED ON BECKER

Execution Stayed by Notice of Appeal From Verdict of Jury

New York, Oct. 30.—Charles Becker, the former police lieutenant convicted of procuring the murder of the gambler Herman Rosenthal, was sentenced today to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing during the week of December. The sentence was pronounced by Justice Goff.

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WILL SIT IN VICTORIA.

Railway Board Will Begin Western Trip on November 11.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—The first autumn western sitting of the Railway Commission held within recent years, will start at Winnipeg on November 11. The board will also include in its itinerary Lethbridge, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton, Vancouver and Victoria. A sitting will be held in Fort William on November 8.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS.

Return of J. A. Ethier, Liberal Mem- ber for Two Mountains, is Confirmed.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—In the supreme court yesterday the following cases were disposed of: Two Mountains election case, appeal dismissed with costs; Ruthrauff vs. Black, appeal dismissed with costs; Newberry vs. Langman, appeal dismissed with costs; Bingham vs. Shumate, appeal and cross-appeal dismissed with costs; Fuggard vs. Benetto, appeal dismissed with costs; Kendall vs. The King, appeal dismissed with costs; Bigelow vs. Graham, appeal dismissed with costs; Dunn vs. Eaton, appeal dismissed with costs.

The decision in the Two Mountains case confirms J. A. Ethier, Liberal member, in his seat. Mr. Pateux, the Conservative candidate, appealed from the lower courts.

OUTBREAK FEARED IF ALLIES WIN

MUCH ANXIETY AMONG FOREIGNERS AT SALONICA

Paris, Oct. 30.—Extreme anxiety reigns in Salonica and grave outbreaks are feared by foreigners if the armies of the Balkan allies continue to drive back the Turkish troops, according to a special dispatch received here. No orders from Constantinople have been received by the Turkish commanders in Salonica for two days.

The provisioning of the troops in the garrison there is altogether insufficient, while the sea batteries have been stripped of their guns and ammunition, which have been sent to the front.

Will Dictate Terms.
London, Oct. 30.—In the event of a decisive battle at Adrianople, Turkey is sure to sue for peace, according to George H. Moses, former United States minister to Greece. In an interview today he said:

"The terms of peace will be dictated absolutely by the Balkan allies without hindrance from the powers. The terms will agree with those laid down in the note sent by the Balkan nations to the Porte before the declaration of war. With the important exceptions that the Balkan nations will hold all the territory conquered by them and will exercise suzerainty over the other Christian districts of European Turkey."

"The Balkan allies are probably making every effort to capture all the Turkish provinces of Macedonia and Albania so that they may be in a position to enforce their demands for annexation of those districts."

Agreement Reached.
Vienna, Oct. 30.—The Austrian and Russian governments have arrived at an understanding on the Balkan question, according to the Neue Freie Presse. An official announcement on the subject is expected shortly to explain the nature of the accord.

NO LIQUOR SOLD IN INSTRUCTION CAMPS

Col. Sam. Hughes Replies to Letter From Secretary of W. C. T. U.

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—A letter to Mrs. M. Dettor, North Bay, county secretary of the W. C. T. U., from Col. Samuel Hughes, minister of militia, regarding the sale of liquor in instruction camps, read by the recipient, was the feature of the thirty-fifth annual convention of the Ontario W. C. T. U.

The minister of militia wrote: "Regarding the sale of liquor in camps of instruction: I am very sorry to hear the report concerning the liquor in the camps. You will pardon me, but I am afraid your information is wrong. The liquor is not obtained in the camps but, as I understand it, in the towns adjoining, and there is little of it used. You will permit me to say that in the Kingston camp of 1910, which I had the honor of commanding, there was an almost entire absence of any kind of liquor. No woman's temperance camp could surpass it, I am sure."

"If the dear, good ladies of this country, such as you, were to come out to the camp occasionally and go around, you would be more than surprised; such a splendid lot of men wearing the King's uniform and conducting themselves like gentlemen, with scarcely an exception."

MILITARY AVIATOR KILLED.
Biplane Collapses and Pilot Falls Two Hundred Feet.
Munich, Oct. 30.—Lieut. Moritz Hamberger, a Bavarian military aviator, was killed today on the aviation grounds at Oberwiesing Field. Lieut. Hamberger, who had only recently been assigned to the Aerial Corps, was making a flight around the aerodrome in his biplane when it collapsed and fell from a height of more than 200 feet. The cause of the accident is unexplained.

DROPS DEAD.

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 30.—C. P. Weinman, vice-president and general manager of the Northwestern Tele- phone Company, dropped dead yester- day at his hunting lodge near Malno,

SIR WILFRID READY TO FIGHT

HOPES ELECTIONS WILL BE HELD SOON

Sherbrooke, Que., Oct. 30.—More than three hundred prominent Liberals from the Eastern Townships attended the banquet tendered by N. McCrea, M. P., by the Sherbrooke County Liberal Association. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was present and delivered an address. Other prominent Liberals present were Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. Dr. Beland, Hon. Mackenzie King, Hon. S. A. Fisher, Hon. P. S. G. Mackenzie and others.

Sir Wilfrid was in an optimistic mood, and in the course of his address said that as far as he was concerned he was ready for another election and only hoped it would come soon. He was not prepared to say the Liberals would win the first time, but hoped they would.

Sir Wilfrid devoted the greater part of his speech to the navy. Referring to Mr. Borden's policy, he said he would not attempt to prejudice public opinion by criticizing it now, but would wait until it was brought down in parliament. Then if they found it better than his, they would support it. Otherwise it would have to stand on its merits.

After referring to the circumstances leading up to the launching of the Liberal naval policy and the disastrous results which followed, Sir Wilfrid said he had been often advised to drop his naval policy. This, he stated, he would never do, and continuing said:

"We were defeated, but thank God I had nothing to grieve about. Truth and justice will prevail in the end. I have no doubt that the day will come when those who voted against us will be ashamed and will say in later years that we were pioneers of a great idea."

The toast to which Sir Wilfrid and his colleagues replied was: "The Liberal Party," and every speaker took full advantage of the opportunity to speak on the wonderful part Liberalism had played in the history of the world, especially in Canada.

Hon. Mackenzie King brought greetings from Ontario Liberals and stated that Ontario was waiting for an opportunity to redeem her action of September 21, 1911.

Other speakers to the toast were Hon. S. A. Fisher, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux and Hon. Dr. Beland.

INCENDIARY'S DEATH.

Port Arthur, Ont., Oct. 30.—The Ni- pigon jury on the case of Peter Mc- Quinn, who was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the lockup, found that the prisoner had started the fire himself.

BYE-ELECTION IN HOHELAGA

Cabinet Select Tuesday, No- vember 19, as Date of Polling

Ottawa, Oct. 30.—At the meeting of the cabinet yesterday afternoon the date was fixed for the bye-election in Hochelaga division, Montreal, rendered necessary by the acceptance by Louis Coderre, of the portfolio of Secretary of State. Nominations will take place Tuesday, November 19, and voting on Tuesday, November 19.

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The men were taken prisoners in a skirmish and lined up the next morning without the formality of asking their names, and shot. In the engagement ten rebels were killed.

FIFTY PERSONS INJURED.
Austin, Texas, Oct. 30.—A wooden awning fell under the weight of 200 parade spectators here yesterday, and at least 50 persons, most of whom stood beneath the awning, were hurt. Scores of spectators who fell, set up screams of fright that started a panic. Nine persons were removed to a hospital. They will survive.

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.

German Crown Prince Thrown From Horse While Hunting.

Danzig, Oct. 30.—The German Crown Prince Frederick William was injured in a hunting accident yesterday near here and is confined to his residence. He was riding with Crown Princess Cecilie when his horse fell. When the prince was picked up he was found to be suffering from injuries to the head and face. His injuries are not regarded as serious.

The Crown Prince, however, will not be able to represent his father, Emperor William, tomorrow, at the funeral of Princess Rupprecht, wife of the Bavarian heir-presumptive as had been arranged. His brother, Prince Eitel Frederick, will take his place at the ceremony.

SINGULAR CASE HEARD AT TORONTO

MAN CONTRACTS COLD WAITING FOR TRAIN

Toronto, Oct. 30.—An odd case was decided at Osgoode Hall yesterday when Justice Britton awarded George H. Morrison, of Essex county, \$1,500 damages against the Pere Marquette railway for medical expenses and loss of salary, resulting from a cold contracted while waiting at the Pere Marquette crossing at Marshfield, where there is no station. The train was late an illness of six months.

Justice Britton found that under the Railway Act a railway is liable to be sued if it neglected to provide shelter at crossings where passengers might have to wait for trains.

LIFE IMPRISONMENT.
Lethbridge, Alta., Oct. 30.—With only five days yet before him to live before paying the extreme penalty for murdering Constable Wilmett, of the R. N. W. M. P., the sentence of Frits Eberts has been commuted to life imprisonment.

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SACRIFICE LIVES TO SAVE CHILDREN

SIX NUNS PERISH IN FIRE IN ORPHANAGE

San Antonio, Texas, Oct. 30.—Sacrificing their own lives to rescue the eighty-seven orphan children in their charge, six Sisters of Charity perished in a fire that destroyed St. John's Orphanage today. One baby fell to its death when Sister Mary of the Cross, mother superior of the institution, left her place of safety in a vain effort to save the child. The dead:

Mother Mary of the Cross, who was Mother Superior of the asylum. She was Mary Rositter, native of Wexford, Ireland.

Mother Frances Paster, native of France.

Sister Peter Claverstovon, teacher in San Fernando school, native of Dublin, Ireland.

Sister Leocadia Nolan, teacher in San Fernando school, native of Dublin, Ireland.

Sister Monica Montez, native of Mexico.

Sister Mary Kostka Farrell, native of Kildare, Ireland.

Charles Mathlow, orphan, aged three years.

The injured are: Miss A. Demple, an employee, native of Germany; Miss Standish, an employee.

Another orphan is missing, and it is feared it did not escape.

Flames broke out in the building early this morning. Roused from their sleep the nuns marshalled their charges to fire escapes, remaining at their posts until flames barred the way to safety. Two of the sisters, Kosta Farrell and Monica Montez were killed by jumping. Three sisters escaped.

Instructed to pilot the first column of frightened children out of danger, they gained the ground in time to escape the crash of falling walls.

The children owe their lives to the daring and self-sacrifice of the nuns. While attacks of the orphanage hospital hurried to the burning building and dashed through bursts of flames to help in the rescue work, yet many of the orphans would have been cremated in the dormitories if the nuns had not braved the first outburst of fire, and piloted them to places of safety.

The fire's origin is not yet known. Eighty-seven orphan children, ranging in ages from two to twelve years, and nine nuns were in the building when the flames broke out. Marshalling their charges to hurry them to safety, the Sisters of Charity remained in the blazing orphanage until the building began to crumble and fall.

The death of the Mother Superior, Mary of the Cross, was the sequel to a demonstration of remarkable courage. She returned to the burning dormitory when she heard the cries of a child who had been overlooked in the hurry and excitement. A few moments later she appeared at a window in the front of the building with the babe in her arms, and fire Chief Wright attempted to save her, but failed. A ladder was placed against the unsteady walls and the chief scaled it, but before he reached her the mother superior, with the child fell back into the flames.

The three nuns who escaped, helped in taking the children from the blazing building. They were marching them across the yard when the walls began to fall.

Sister Kostka in jumping from the fourth floor window to reach a life-net, evidently lost her balance, and her body struck the railing on the second story. Her back was broken, and she had been severely burned.

Sister Monica Montez lost her life by jumping. After the children had been piloted to the fire escape on the west side of the burning building she returned to take a last look in the dormitory. Her escape was cut off, but she made her way to the east side, where firemen stood below with the net spread. She leaped, but missed the net. Death was instantaneous.

Mother Frances Paster and Sisters Peter Claverstovon and Leocadia Nolan were unable to escape from the building. They perished in the flames.

CONTROL OF STREETS.

Winnipeg Will Protest Against Deci- sion of Privy Council.

Winnipeg, Oct. 30.—The city of Winnipeg will make a strong protest to the parliament of Canada against the decision of the Privy Council permitting private corporations to place on the streets in Toronto irrespective of whether the city is willing to grant permission or not. The board of control authorized City Solicitor Hunt to prepare a protest to the cabinet meeting which has been called for the consideration of the matter. That the decision of the Privy Council means the control of the Winnipeg streets is the opinion of the controllers.

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SHOOTS FORMER EMPLOYER.
 Greensboro, N. C., Oct. 28.—George G. Thompson, division freight agent of the Southern Railway, was shot and killed here yesterday by W. R. Blair, his private secretary, whom he had discharged. Blair was arrested in the room with the corpse, crouched in a corner muttering: "I have killed my best friend."

The shooting took place in Blair's home, where Thompson had gone in response to a telephone summons. Blair was taken to a hospital under a police guard.

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CONVICTED OF ARSON AT FOURTH TRIAL

Nelson Jury Recommends Mercy in Case of John Bradshaw

Nelson, B. C., Oct. 28.—John Bradshaw, accused of setting fire to a bush at the Nook ranch, on Granite road, was yesterday found guilty by a jury. Sentence was reserved. The jury brought in a recommendation of mercy on the ground that Bradshaw has a mania for setting fires, but the judge remarked that they could only have done so by taking into consideration previous trials.

This is the fourth time that Bradshaw has been tried in connection with the incendiary fires in Nelson, which resulted in great damage. The first time Bradshaw was arrested was in January. Then he was discharged. He was afterwards arrested on an arson charge, and released in the police court. Last week he was charged with arson, but the jury disagreed, and a new trial was ordered, when he was found guilty.

ANGLO-GERMAN RELATIONS IMPROVE

Hon. L. Harcourt, Colonial Secretary, Makes Reassuring Speech

London, Oct. 28.—That Britain's friendship and understanding with Germany has greatly improved, was the gist of a speech by the home secretary, Lewis Harcourt, as Rosebald. Naval rivalry, declared Mr. Harcourt, had added considerably to the cost of British preparations for the meeting of the new German navy law. The government was prepared to maintain sufficient superiority over the next strongest European power, and Great Britain's naval power would continue to be concentrated in the North Sea.

Concluding his speech, Mr. Harcourt declared that although great attention would be given to the North Sea, and although Britain's command of other seas would be sparser, nevertheless it was intended to maintain the position of the empire in the Mediterranean just as firmly as hitherto.

TRAIN WRECK TO BE INVESTIGATED

INSTRUCTIONS SENT TO CHIEF CORONER

Messages of Sympathy From the Duke of Connaught and Col. S. Hughes

Toronto, Oct. 28.—Hon. J. J. Foy, attorney-general of Ontario, has instructed Chief Coroner Johnston, of Toronto, to hold an investigation into the train wreck at Streetsville. On the outcome of the inquest will depend the government's action in regard to the alleged use of flimsily constructed cars which is said to be a cause of the death and injury of so many Toronto soldiers. An inquest is also being held by Coroner Sutton, of Streetsville.

The following telegram was received yesterday by Colonel Sir Henry M. Pellett, A. D. to His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught:

"His Royal Highness desires me to say how very sorry he is to hear of the accident which occurred last night, and wishes you to convey to the regiments his sincere sympathy. His Royal Highness hopes those injured are progressing favorably."
 ("Signed) CAPT. BUTLER."

It was ascertained yesterday that the two men killed were M. C. Durdock, private, aged 24, A. Company, 24th Highlanders, living at 474 Wellington place, and John Bamata, single, aged 29, A. Company, 48th Highlanders, living at 110 Alicia avenue. Both will be given a military funeral. This was decided on yesterday at a meeting held in Capt. Robertson's office. The services will be conducted by Captain Crawford Brown, chaplain of the regiment, at the funeral, which will be closed to all except men in uniform. The burial will take place in the regiment plot in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

The minister of militia sent a sympathetic message to the commanders of the 48th Highlanders and the Queen's Own Rifles.

It was the merest chance that the entire staff of officers of the 48th Highlanders was not killed by the telescoping of a baggage car which struck the first coaches, Capt. McGregor with 20 other officers were seated in the forward part of the coach which later became the death chamber of the two privates. The commander asked them to move to one of the rear coaches as he said the space they were occupying was wanted for more of the men.

A sharp clash seems to have occurred at Streetsville in relation to the conduct there of the local coroner, Dr. S. H. Smith. According to the statements by the military officers, the relief train with its injured was held up while the coroner quibbled over the release of the bodies. It is alleged that he went so far as to decline to release them, on the ground that the men "might have met death by poisoning," and it was not until Dr. Winnett, surgeon and captain of the headquarters staff, gave evidence as to the cause of death that the soldiers were enabled to bring their comrades home. Protests were made concerning the conduct of the Streetsville coroner to the attorney-general.

Independent of the two inquests on the dead and the official investigation of the C. P. R. into the cause of the wreck, it is probable that the Dominion railway commission will be asked to take the matter in hand and conduct a searching public inquiry with a view to determining the character and the construction of the cars used by the company to transport the soldiers, and the necessity of dealing immediately with the question of preventing railways from further using baggage cars for passenger coaches, which are alleged to be many of the officers to have been nothing more than "match boxes."

The representations of the military men will probably be made to Col. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, and it is probable that an extensive regulation will be made to Mayor Hocken and the city council, asking on behalf of the families and friends of the injured that the city co-operate in efforts to secure such an official inquiry.

Scores of officers and soldiers are preparing to give startling evidence as to the character and construction of certain of the cars used. It is also alleged that the troop train was much too heavy for safety, comprising 14 laden coaches, and on a down grade, such as that being travelled at Streetsville, the great weight and length of the train made it difficult, if not impossible, for an engineer to handle it with absolute control.

At a private meeting held in the office of the commanding officer of the Highlanders, Col. Robertson, the decision was reached to press the inves-

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CHARGE AGAINST PUGILIST.

Case of Jack Johnson Has Been Postponed.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—The hearing of the charge of abduction against Jack Johnson, scheduled for yesterday before Judge Hopkins, has been postponed until a later date. The reason, as announced by the court, was that a state action would be dropped in any event should the federal grand jury indict the pugilist, so that a hearing before the federal grand jury would be a waste of time.

"I'm a Kentuckian; show me that Jack Johnson, and I'll tend to his case before any grand jury can get to him," shouted a man who appeared to-day in the office of United States Marshal Hoyt. The stranger kept one hand beneath his coat as he demanded that Chief Deputy John Wolf point out the pugilist to him. When assured that Johnson was not in the building, the stranger left.

Hearing of charges of disorderly conduct against Lucille Cameron was postponed until November 14.

MEXICAN REBELS AGAIN ACTIVE

Collapse of Diaz Rebellions Fails to Discourage Revolutionists

Washington, D. C., Oct. 28.—international complications may follow the arrest of the Belgian consul at Merida, Yucatan, which has been reported to the state department. There is no explanation of the arrest. Unless he is speedily released the Belgian government is reasonably certain to cause an inquiry.

Officials here expect the state department may be requested by the Belgian government to look into the affair through the agency of the American consul at Merida.

The collapse of the Diaz rebellion has not exerted any deterrent effect on the activity of the rebels in Southern and Central Mexico. Reports to the state department are to the effect that they are very active in the states of Mexico and Morelos and have even reappeared in the federal district, which includes the capital. On the other hand, conditions in the north of Mexico are reported to be unusually quiet.

PIIONEER PASSES AWAY.

Former Officer of Dominion Fisheries Service Dies at Vancouver.

Vancouver, Oct. 28.—Another of Vancouver's pioneers has passed away in the person of Robert Thomas Burtwell, who died at the age of 75. Mr. Burtwell came to Canada about twenty-four years ago and had resided in this city for the past twenty years. Until his retirement two years ago he was an officer in the Dominion Fisheries' service. The deceased leaves two daughters and one son.

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MONEY STRINGENCY FELT IN GERMANY

Number of Provincial Failures Reported—Big Banks Are Supporting Others

Berlin, Oct. 28.—The rise of money rates in Paris and London caused apprehension here of another general advance in the bank rates of England, France and Germany, owing to the troubles on the political horizon. Exchange of London here is rising sharply, and is already above the gold export point due chiefly to American financing cotton bills.

There was heavy liquidation on the Bourse yesterday. Several provincial failures were reported, and other concerns are understood to be holding out by means of support given them by the big banks. It is feared that a number of firms not thus supported will be unable to meet their obligations at the settlement at the end of this month.



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ending the investigation to be made by the company, every railway man connected with the accident, which will include the entire train crew of the military train and the dispatcher at London, will be suspended until the responsibility has been placed on the proper shoulders.

Out of sympathy for the 48th Highlanders, the Queen's Own Rifles' presentation of prizes set for to-day and other social functions of the regiment have been postponed.

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VICTIM OF EXPLOSION.

New Westminster, Oct. 29.—A man named Newton Card was brought into the Royal Columbian hospital on Saturday from Burnaby. He was suffering from injuries caused by an explosion of dynamite. He was engaged in clearing land on the Cumberland road and was investigating the cause of the delay of the explosion of a charge of dynamite when it exploded. He was rather badly cut about the face and eyes. But physicians who attended him do not think he will lose his eyesight.

TURKS DEFEAT BULGARIANS
BOTH SIDES SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES

New Turkish Grand Vizier Ordered to Carry Out Vigorous Campaign

London, Oct. 30.—It is officially announced that Commander Djafer Tayar Bey, attached to the general staff, has advanced with the Turkish army to Tirnovo after a forced march, says a Constantinople dispatch to the Chronicle. The Bulgarians were defeated in a battle in which both sides lost heavily and the town was recaptured.

The Turkish commander, adds the dispatch, pursued his advantage and drove the enemy further to the north where another engagement occurred, both sides having in the meantime been reinforced. The Turks were again victorious. The Bulgarian losses were considerable, especially in the cavalry.

A large mass of the Turkish troops is stationed along the Erkene river to the north of Tcheru, but the principal body is already marching in an easterly direction. Fighting along the line of Erkene in the neighborhood of Seral, Sedler, Tcherkesskeut and Istrandia appears imminent.

Replying to a request made by special Bulgarian legations for more information to the progress of events in the eastern part of the theatre of war, Premier Guchoff replied that no other news than that supplied by the general staff would be communicated.

Victory for Greeks.

Athens, Oct. 30.—The King sent the following message to Premier Kosani yesterday:

"The left wing of the Greek army to-day defeated the enemy and pursued them to Nalbankeul, capturing the standards of two Turkish battalions after desperate fighting.

"After a three hours' engagement, Katerina was occupied Monday morning by the Greek army, which is continuing in pursuit of the enemy. Over 100 Greeks were wounded at Nalbankeul."

According to reliable information, the allies have at the front, 160,000 more men than they have had heretofore.

Turkish Cabinet Changes.

Constantinople, Oct. 30.—Kiamil Pasha, president of the Council of State, assumed the office of Grand Vizier this afternoon in succession to Ghazi Mukhtar Pasha, resigned.

An Imperial decree commands the new Grand Vizier to prosecute the war with all energy in order to secure a victorious issue.

Although all the changes in the cabinet have not yet been made it is announced that Nazim Pasha will be retained as minister of war and Nurdugihan Pasha as the minister of foreign affairs. Jemaladdin Pasha will also be retained as Sheik-ul-Islam.

The change in the Grand Vizierate is not expected materially to influence either the international or external situation. When Kiamil Pasha accepted three months ago the presidency of the council, he became the dominant figure in the cabinet, and it was foreseen that he would succeed to the Grand Vizierate at an opportune moment.

LARGE FORCE WILL BE AT WORK SOON

Number of Sub-Contracts on Section of P. G. E. Will Be Awarded This Week

Vancouver, Oct. 30.—P. Welch, who recently secured the contract for building the Pacific Great Eastern railway between North Vancouver and Fort George, returned yesterday from Victoria, where he had been conferring with D'Arcy Tate, vice-president and general counsel, in regard to railway matters. He was accompanied here by Mr. Tate.

Mr. Welch stated that sub-contracts for the section between the end of the Howe Sound line, recently acquired by purchase, and Pemberton Meadows, will be awarded this week. He expects to have 1,500 men distributed along the route before the middle of November. Large quantities of equipment and supplies are being shipped to Newport for distribution among the various camps. Mr. Welch does not expect to encounter any difficulty in shipping in supplies during the winter months owing to the ease with which snow roads can be kept open. Portions of the route, however, will have to be provided with a wagon road in the spring, as the work will occupy about fifteen months to complete as far as Pemberton.

During his recent visit to Newport Mr. Welch made an inspection of the townsite recently acquired by the Pacific Great Eastern.

Mr. Welch has summoned Edward White, his superintendent in the head office at Spokane, to Vancouver to take charge of the office here. Mr. White has been in his employ for twenty years and will remain here until the completion of the Pacific Great Eastern.

GAVE LETTERS TO FEDERAL OFFICIALS

H. S. Hockin Declared to Have Secretly Assisted the Government

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 30.—Herbert S. Hockin, accused of being a dynamiter equally guilty with the McNamara brothers, was again charged by a witness at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial yesterday with secretly having given evidence to the government.

Charles E. Freeman, a public accountant, testified that during the grand jury inquiry of illegal shipment of explosives, Hockin voluntarily turned over hundreds of letters taken from J. J. McNamara's office. Hockin, as acting secretary of the Ironworkers' Union, was in charge of the office in the absence of President Frank M. Ryan. The grand jury, which examined the letters, indicted Hockin along with the 41 other defendants now on trial.

"We went to the ironworkers' headquarters last December," said Freeman. "Hockin was there. He pointed out such letters, books and other papers as we wanted and then left us undisturbed to do as we wished."

J. H. McCormick, of Seattle, testified that a month before the Los Angeles Times explosion on October 1, 1910, he rented a room to J. B. McNamara. The witness said H. W. Pohlman, a Seattle labor leader, frequently called on McNamara at the rooming house at that time.

"McNamara represented himself as being Peter Vitch," said McCormick. "He was at the house for several weeks, seldom going out except at night, and receiving mail addressed to J. B. Bryce, who, he said, was his partner. When an office building in Seattle was blown up on August 31, I went to see what was the matter and found Peter Vitch coming away from the explosion. At the time of the Los Angeles explosion Peter Vitch had left Seattle, but he returned about four days later."

McCormick testified that after McNamara left a search of his room was made, and in a hole in the ceiling an alarm clock, such as had been used on dynamite bombs, was found hidden there.

J. B. Wagoner, an electrician, formerly of Seattle, but now of Los Angeles, said McNamara while in Seattle had sought how to make an effective electrical spark for setting off dynamite.

McNamara, pretending to be a miner, had visited him two days before the Seattle office building explosion, the witness said.

PROPOSED BOARD OF PUBLIC MORALS

New York May Have Commission to Enforce Laws Against Gambling and Vice

New York, Oct. 30.—The divorce of the New York police department from enforcement of the gambling, excise and vice laws will be recommended to the state legislature at its next session. In the city hall, police headquarters, and in the offices of societies devoted to fighting graft, the proposal is receiving serious attention. Excise control, it is proposed, shall be delegated entirely to the state excise department. A board of public morals, under the new scheme, will be formed to enforce the laws against gambling and vice. Those interested in the movement are of the opinion that John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and other prominent persons who have been active in contributing their wealth or their efforts to the suppression of gambling, of white slave traffic and of other forms of vice, would accept membership upon such a board. With an adequate force, which would not need to be large, the supervision of gambling and vice, their suppression and especially the demand for the co-operation of the courts would be thus in competent hands and the avoidance of graft scandal would be easier, it is declared.

WOMAN MURDERED.

Body Found in Chicago Rooming House—End of Elopement.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—The romance of an elopement ended in the gruesome manner of a brutal murder here yesterday, when Miss Sophia G. Singer, an attractive Baltimore girl, was found slain. Several hundred dollars in money and jewelry brought from her Maryland home to grace her wedding to-day to William R. Worthen, a street car conductor, was missing and robbery has been accepted as the motive for the crime.

Worthen discovered the girl's body when he returned home early yesterday morning to the suite occupied by them and two vaudeville performers in a rooming house at 3229 Indiana avenue. Miss Singer had been found and gagged and strangled with terrific force with a "billy" made from an iron door knob wrapped in a handkerchief. The body was enfolded in a blanket.

The vaudeville performers, Charles D. Conway, a high diver, whose right leg had been amputated below the knee, and his wife, who also is known as Beatrice Riell, and May Monte, a variety actress, who roomed in the apartment and who had been befriended by Worthen, are being sought by the police in connection with the crime. The body of Miss Singer was found on the bed in the room occupied by them. The couple had been in the house during the evening, but no trace of them has been learned since the discovery of the body.

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CONFESSES MURDER.

Prisoner Declares He Killed Man During Quarrel Over Money Twelve Years Ago.

Redding, Cal., Oct. 29.—Remorse for a murder committed twelve years ago caused Edward Howard to break down, and in the county jail he expressed his desire to make full confession and be at peace.

Howard was arrested at Fern, thirty-five miles east of here, where he had been employed for the last six years as caretaker for a ranch owned by C. H. Hahn, of Oakland. Hahn is a deeply religious man and obtained great satisfaction over the mind of Howard, who confessed to him the killing of Frank Greenburg in Fort Worth, Tex., on December 27, 1900. Hahn wired to the Fort Worth police for confirmation and the reply was a request for Howard's arrest.

In jail here Howard said: "Yes, I killed Greenburg. He gave me money and would not pay it. When I asked him for it he threatened to shoot me with a shot gun he was carrying. I got my own shot gun and fired. Not until afterward did I weakened."



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THE NAVAL QUESTION.

An exuberant local Tory more noted for his enthusiasm than his general knowledge of political facts, speaks of the splendid enthusiasm with which Mr. Borden's naval programme has been received in all parts of Canada.

The local organ of Conservatism, apologizing in three columns of space for its change of front on the naval question, urges that the conditions have undergone a change since the advent of the Borden government.

We grant there is urgency for Canada to do her proper duty in the matter of imperial defence. It was because of that urgency that the Laurier naval policy was designed and brought into force.

What does Mr. Borden propose to do to meet the new situation thus created, according to information at present available? He is going to borrow some millions of dollars from John Bull—and turn it back to the lender with instructions to invest it in additions to the British navy.

The truth is, when the facts are sifted, of this extraordinarily loyal government of R. L. Borden is so tangled up in its promises to the Nationalists of Quebec on the one hand and the Jingoists in general on the other that it cannot adopt and pursue an honest, straightforward course on the naval question.

THE LUMBER DECISION.

The judgment of the Supreme Court in the case to decide whether lumber of a certain class entering Canada from the United States is dutiable or free will be very far-reaching in its effect. Its chief value to the country is in the repudiation of the frequent

charge made by Tory journals against the Laurier government that it encouraged and connived at what was practically smuggling. Not a few of the organs of the Conservative party exhibited their partisan bitterness by making this charge.

Next to this the decision is of value because it will place the direct responsibility for the protection of the lumber interests on the Borden government, where it belongs.

The last effect of the decision will be that builders in Victoria and elsewhere will be able to obtain rough building material about a dollar and a half per thousand cheaper than under the former ruling of the department.

ORIGIN OF STATISTICS.

The history of the practice of tabulating figures and proving things with the tables has been made a study by Mr. James Hedley, and the result of his researches is an interesting article which entirely dissipates the belief that statistics are a matter of modern devising.

So far the compilation of statistics was the work of the state, and for purely state purposes. The decennial census of population with variations in different countries was first adopted in America in 1790, and carried over to England in 1801, spreading from there throughout Europe.

That tables of figures can be used to "prove" almost any theory one chooses to advance has led to the unscientific, wrongful and perverse manipulation of statistics. A faddist who sets out to collect statistics to buttress a fanatical theory closes his eyes to all but those which can be quoted in support of his fancy.

While it is unquestionable that "figures do not lie," the study of statistical tables must be undertaken only by those who are capable of pursuing their studies without bias. They must accept the evidence of the figures which negative their theories with as much sang froid and conviction as those which support them.

It looks like the beginning of the end of the Borden government. The London Advertiser asks: "If so soon I am to be done for, I wonder what I was begun for."

A HORSE DRAWING THE CARRIAGE IN WHICH SAT PREMIER BORDEN AND MR. MONK AT THE DUKE'S WELCOME BACK TO OTTAWA KICKED OVER THE TRACES.

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A whole vote against Roosevelt. This is a view of the presidential situation in the United States that is said to be turning thousands of normally Republican votes into the Democratic column.

A DAY WITH DAD.

Pittsburg Post. Father's had a busy day; Husted to the store at ten; Listened to some stories gay, Told by other busy men.

Husted back at half-past two, Twice as busy as before; Then he had a lot to do, Telephoning for the score.

THE FEE.

Georgia Lawyer (to colored prisoner)—Well, Ras, so you want me to defend you. Have you any money? Rasius—No, but I've got a mule, and a few chickens, and a hog or two.

HIS NATIVE ELEMENT.

Alice and Belle met one afternoon and were discussing their sweethearts. "Alfred is spending the winter in the South," said Belle. "I wish I was just sent to the warmest little alligator you ever saw."

INSULT TO J. B.

The Bobaygeon Independent thinks that either the recent election or his penitential title made Sir Rodmond Roblin daffy when he said that Britain is on her knees beseeching Canada for help.

ABLE WORK.

Filkins—Thought you intended to sell your suburban home? Wilkins—I did, until I read the alluring story my advertising man wrote; then I decided to keep it myself.

WEST COAST MISSION.

Needs for Church Work Among Settlers and Fishermen in Constituency of Alberni.

A striking tribute to the work of the Rev. H. H. L. Seale, of Alberni, who is largely responsible for the inauguration of work on the part of the Anglican church on the West Coast, is the result of the present mission, which dates back only to February last year.

The urgency of it was pointed in a report to the Diocesan Synod by Mr. Seale himself yesterday. In one district, Banfield, where baptisms were being carried out, he said, they found seven persons who had not been baptized at all, and he pointed out they badly wanted a good launch to reach these isolated settlers.

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Buy Mars Unless the said animal be redeemed and pound charges paid at or before time of sale. FRANK CLOUGH, Poundkeeper. October 30, 1912.

A Strong Showing of Women's Rain-proof Coats at Prices Starting as Low as \$6.75

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THESE COATS are uncommonly attractive and are made in a manner that assures the wearer that they will give her the best possible service. All are made on the newest lines and the range of styles and varied prices quoted below gives a woman a fine chance to get a style, size and price that will meet her requirements.

At \$6.75 there are some excellent coats in colors fawn and brown. All are rubber lined, the pockets are well made, and the sleeves are the sew-in style. Almost all sizes are to be had and they are a rare value for the money.

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STYLISH AND SERVICEABLE COATS in silk finishes and corduroys, lined with rubber, are to be had, and they embody all the good features that it is possible to crowd

into high grade coats. Some of them are finished with velvet collars and others have very large collars richly finished in silk. Blacks blues and fawns are the chief colors and women wishing a really smart exclusive and serviceable coat will do well to investigate these lines. Prices from \$6 to \$25.00. CRAVENETTE AND TWEED EFFECTS IN RAINCOATS are very popular, and here is a big assortment to choose from. They include a full range of sizes, and although designed to be serviceable above all other qualities, they are really smart and pleasing in appearance. They are plain fawns, greys, tans and browns, also a fine showing of tweed mixtures to choose from. They have the two-way collar that may be fastened close to the neck when necessary, raglan or set-in sleeves, patch or side slit pockets, and the cuffs are finished in the turn-back style, plain, or with a short tab. Prices start as low as \$17.50 and range up to \$40.00

50 Overcoats for Boys and Youths will be Sold at \$4.75 Instead of \$6.75 on Thursday

IT isn't often that you can get dependable winter coats so early in the season at a reduction of one-third of the regular price, but that is exactly what we are offering on Thursday. All are made of heavy tweeds and come in colors greys, browns and green mixtures. They are full length coats and are to be had in sizes from 24 to 34, have two-way collars, and the backs are cut in a smart belted style. They were purchased with the intention of selling them at \$6.75, but owing to the fact that they have been delivered ahead of the scheduled time, and we have no place to store them with any degree of convenience, we have marked them down to make sure of a rapid clearance.

YOUR CHOICE AT \$4.75

Thurs. Brings a Chance for Men to Save \$4 on the Best of Eng. Macintoshes, worth \$12.50

ONE-THIRD OFF. That's what this offer means, and men who want the best that they could reasonably expect for \$12.50 need only bring \$8.50 with them on Thursday. However, there are only twenty-five to be sold at this price, and, as a result, early shopping will be advisable if you don't wish to risk being disappointed. They are of English manufacture, are thoroughly waterproof and are to be had in all sizes from 34 to 46. You have your choice from lengths, 50, 52 and 54 inches and all are finished with military collars. Fawn is the color and if excellent quality combined with a very low price on seasonable garments is an attraction, this line should be easily cleaned out by noon. REGULAR \$12.50 VALUES FOR \$8.50

Another New Line of Women's Sweater Coats Selling at \$4.75 but worth much more

IN fact it will compare favorably with sweaters that sell regularly at \$6.50, and should appeal to all who see them, as values rarely seen marked at such a low price. They come in a variety of sizes, are knitted in a plain style from good worsted, and for a thick sweater coat they are exceptionally light, warm and comfortable. Colors grey, fawn and white are to be had, and the garments are finished with a new convertible collar that can be worn showing a V-shaped neck, or can be buttoned up close to the throat. Just the thing for skating, and a hundred and one other purposes for which a woman requires a warm and serviceable sweater. Other excellent lines start as low as \$2.00 and range up to the handsome silk sweaters that sell at \$25.00, so that women in every station in life will be sure of getting just what they want, and can best afford, at the Spencer store.

Waist Department on the First Floor.

45 Tweed Suits for Boys will be Cleaned Out on Thursday at Each \$2.75 and \$2.90

THESE are made in the double breasted and Norfolk style and are to be had in sizes 24 to 30. There is a large assortment of shades and patterns to choose from in browns, greys and greens. They are all well tailored and trimmed and should command much interest from parents who wish to secure smart and durable clothing for active boys. With bloomer pants the price is \$2.90 and with plain pants the price is only \$2.75

Fur Lined Coats, Furs and Muffs are almost a necessity now, see our showing in the View Street Windows

EVERY day brings something new and interesting to our fur department and women who are looking for rare values need wait no longer. There is a great variety of styles and these come in so many different furs that it should be an easy matter as well as a pleasure to make your choice from the selection that we are able to spread before you to-day. We invite your inspection. See the window display by all means, but if you have the time to spare, we recommend you to visit the department and examine the various lines and try them on. Muffs start as low as \$6.50. Stoles at \$5.75, but we have better qualities that range as high as \$175 for each piece. Fur lined coats start at \$75 and range up to \$150.

CHILDREN'S WINTER COATS

COMFORTABLE STYLES ARE SELLING AT REASONABLE PRICES AT THE SPENCER STORE TO-DAY

AT the close of last week, we unpacked another lot of these garments, and mothers who have not yet purchased winter coats for their little girls will find this showing to be full of interest. Not only are the garments marked at prices that should prove a great attraction, but the useful styles and the thorough manner in which they are made will make them exceedingly popular with women who demand the best possible at a reasonable price.

BEARSKIN COATS are to be had in three sizes and a variety of qualities. Here is a list of the prices, but there is nothing that we can say here that will flatter the quality of the garments. You must see them to be convinced that better values are not to be had at the prices quoted—\$4.75, \$3.75, \$3.50, \$2.75, \$2.50 and \$1.75. BLACK ASTRACHAN COATS for girls 6 years old. These garments are lined throughout with blue silkoline and are a remarkable value at each.....\$6.50. EIDERDOWN CLOTH COATS are to be had in cream color only. They come in useful styles and are really serviceable, attractive, and warm garments. The prices are \$3.50, \$2.75 and \$2.50. SEE THEM IN THE DEPARTMENT ON THE FIRST FLOOR.

Winter Underskirts for Women

BIG VALUES AT SMALL PRICES.

HERE are some fine lines that should interest all women who wish for comfortable and inexpensive garments. They are well made from soft and fleecy flannelette and are as warm and comfortable as you can wish an undershirt to be. Many other lines of flannelette garments are to be seen in the department and you'll find that the Spencer prices are really small when you compare the quality of the goods with the prices we are asking.

SHORT UNDERSHIRTS—Made of a soft white flannelette. Some are finished with a frill of self edged with narrow lace and others have a plain frill of self. They are light, warm and comfortable garments that should sell in a hurry at, each.....50c. SHORT UNDERSHIRTS—Made of a strong flannelette, in a variety of fancy striped patterns. This is a line that should give entire satisfaction and is a remarkable value at, each.....50c. UNDERSHIRTS—Made of a good quality of white flannelette. This line is finished with tucked and hemstitched trills and is a value that is hard to beat at.....75c. A SUPERIOR LINE of women's undershirts is made of a grey flannelette. It is finished with a wide frill of self trimmed with fancy stitching and is a really serviceable quality. We recommend it. Price.....85c.

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Milk & Glass' Custard Powder, 2 pkgs. for 25c

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Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

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Special Notice.—Carload of shingles, extra quality received. Special prices. R. A. Green & Co.

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XMAS SPECIAL.—During October the Skene Love studio will make the finest finish corona portraits complete, in covers, for \$3.75 per doz. Note regular price, \$7.00; October price, \$5.75. At the end of this month the price will again be \$7.00.—Studio cor. Yates and Douglas Sts.

J. R. Butler tenders his thanks to the public of Victoria who have helped him to build up the splendid furniture business at 736 and 738 Pandora street by their patronage, and regrets having to leave the stores on Pandora street to make way for civic improvements.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3329, 2512 Bridge Street.

Are you amongst those who are enjoying the splendid meals that are being served at the Hotel Strathcona or have you considered the advisability of taking advantage of our special winter rates, American or European plan, Douglas and Courtney Streets.

Auto Stand, Douglas and Yates. Phone 2260. All hours.

Sale of Work.—The Mission Band of the First Baptist church will hold their annual sale of work in the schoolroom of the church, corner of Yates street and Quadra street on the afternoon and evening of Wednesday, October 30. Tea will be served and a musical programme will be provided in the evening. Come and bring your friends.

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Householders' Franchise.—The last hour for receiving applications for registration under the householder franchise is 5 o'clock to-morrow. The office will be open this evening.

Thirteen Club.—A social and dance will be held in the A. O. F. hall this evening at 8:30 o'clock. A splendid dance programme has been arranged and Mrs. Bidgard's orchestra will be in attendance playing selections from the latest music.

Social Service League.—A very enjoyable evening was spent Monday night by the members of the Social Service League and friends. The programme for the evening was a Whist Drive. The league is rapidly growing in numbers, and is now fully organized. Full information with regard to this organization may be obtained at the Sacred Concert at the Victoria theatre on Sunday evenings, this league being the outcome of these concerts.

St. Mark's Harvest Thanksgiving.—The annual Harvest Thanksgiving of St. Mark's church will be held to-morrow, Thursday. There will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 o'clock in the morning, and evensong and sermon at 7:30 in the evening. The preacher at this service will be the Lord Bishop of the Diocese. After the service the congregation will adjourn to the St. Mark's hall, where a social hour will be spent. There will be light refreshments served.

The Ladies' Choral Class.—The opening rehearsal of the eighth season of the Ladies' Choral Class will be held at the Poplars, 1022 Burdette avenue to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock punctually. Part songs by Elgar, German, Mackenzie, etc., will be practiced as well as some of Brudall's "Song Dances." Ladies already possessing a copy of this work are requested to bring the same to the rehearsal. New members will be cordially welcomed, and can obtain all particulars by attending the practice or, previously, by applying to the conductor, Miss Archbutt.

Thanksgiving Social.—The Ladies' Aid of James Bay Methodist church will hold their annual Thanksgiving concert in the schoolroom this evening at 8 o'clock. This social promises to be the best ever given by this society. The following have kindly consented to assist with the programme: Mrs. Ed. Parsons, Mrs. L. Tickner, the Misses Shephard, Miss Parsons, K. and Miss Woodley, Edwards; Messrs. Ed. Parsons, Tickner, Herbert, Steinmann, Hollins, Dilworth, and the Metropolitan Male Quartette. Refreshments will be served. A very hearty invitation is extended to all.

Hallowe'en Concert.—Everybody who loves the Scotch songs and stories cannot do better than attend the Hallowe'en concert to-night in First Presbyterian Church schoolroom, under the auspices of the First Presbyterian church choir, and the direction of J. G. Brown, who will be assisted by the following ladies and gentlemen: Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Miss Sherritt, Mrs. Mather (elocutionist), Miss Shearer (Highland Dancing), Messrs. R. Morrison, D. Heughan (violinist), J. Dobbie, J. Feirle, J. G. Brown, Numbers by the choir, male and double quartettes. Mrs. Lewis Hall will be the accompanist. Doors open at 7:30. Concert at 8 p. m. sharp.

Pound Party for Missions.—Mrs. Roper opened the annual pound party of the St. John's branch of the W. A. to Missions held yesterday afternoon in the schoolroom of the church, Little Amy Forni—presenting her with a bouquet of flowers after the opening ceremony had been performed. Kind friends sent in numerous useful gifts, including a quantity of linen for the Columbia Coast mission hospital, the purpose of the pound party being to assist this particular mission in every way possible. A pleasant feature of the proceedings was the serving of dainty afternoon tea, while in the evening an excellent musical programme was contributed, the junior branch of the W. A. taking an active part in the proceedings.

Dramatic Recital.—A very clever recital of the entire Book of Job was given last evening at the Centennial Methodist church by Cyril Hayes, of London, England, the elocutionist proving his skill both in the use of his voice and in the wonderful freedom of gesture. The work has well recognized difficulties, but these were mastered, and the dignity of the Biblical story was well sustained from first to last. Mr. Hayes also contributed a number of humorous selections during the evening, which showed his ability in a quite different department of the art, and verified the admiration of his audience. There was a good attendance, the pastor, Rev. Thomas Green, occupying the chair. The programme was given variety by the delightful singing of Miss Josie Beck and the Metropolitan Male Quartette, and the Ladies' Aid, under whose auspices the recital was held, are deserving of the greatest praise for having organized so pleasing an entertainment.

Our Slightly Used PIANOS

Advertised yesterday morning, didn't last long. We offered some rare bargains, and purchasers were on hand at the time the store opened yesterday morning.

We have decided to offer a few more slightly-used Pianos to-day, some that have just been taken into stock. There are only a few of them and they are just as good bargains as those sold yesterday.

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

SAILS ON TIME IN SPIKE OF STRIKES

Protesilaus Loads in Record Time—Leaves in Company With Canada Maru

Though delayed at Liverpool, Tacoma and Vancouver by strikes of dock workers the big Blue Funnel liner Protesilaus, Capt. Milnech, sailed on time for the United Kingdom to-day and pulled out at almost the same hour as the steamship Canada Maru, Capt. Hori, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, which is bound for the Orient. When the Protesilaus steamed into Victoria from the Old Country eight days late it looked as though it would be impossible to get her away on time and then when the strikes at Tacoma and Vancouver occurred in the unloading of her cargo the agents were prone to believe that she would be some days late leaving.

However, Capt. Milnech and Chief Officer Geo. S. Thomson worked like trojans to get the ship away on time and they broke all loading records. When the longshoremen went on strike these officers personally directed the unloading and divided the crew into gangs to handle the cargo. The ship came in here to load washed oil and salmon and the stevedores rushed her through in just about half the time usually required. At Seattle the work of loading was also rushed and the Protesilaus succeeded in getting all the cargo billed for her aboard in time to sail according to her schedule.

Protesilaus' Huge Cargo.

Thirteen thousand tons of cargo were loaded by the Protesilaus, including 80,000 cases of salmon, 100,000 sacks of flour, 218 tons of scrap-iron, 1,800 tons of copper ore, 200 tons of tin ore, 500 tons of machinery and shipments of whale bone, canned milk, automobiles, oil and general merchandise.

CARGO OF WRECKED LINER COMING NORTH

Lonsdale Bringing Freight Off Antilla—Some of It is for Victoria

Victoria merchants who had cargo on the liner Antilla, from Liverpool, will be relieved to hear that whatever was salvaged after the wreck is coming north on the steamship Lonsdale, of the Canadian-Mexican line. It will be remembered that the Antilla sailed from Liverpool on May 15 and on May 20 went ashore on the North Point of the Reef off Turks Island, W. I.

CARCASSES OF 200 WHALES CARRIED TO SEA IN STORM

Seattle, Oct. 30.—Bound for Seattle, the Norwegian steamer Admiral, the barquentine Coronado and the whaling steamer Utmanak and Kodlak sailed from Akutan Harbor Wednesday, October 23, at 2 a. m. The vessels have been operating in connection with the Alaska Whaling Company's station at Akutan.

TWO SAILORS AT 'FRISCO REPORT TERRIFIC STORMS

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 29.—The barquentine John Palmer put into this port yesterday, 47 days out from Caliao for Puget Sound. She reports heavy gales from October 14 to 24, during which she lost several sails and her topmast yard. She will make repairs here and proceed to the Sound, where she will load lumber for South Africa, being under charter to Pope & Talbot.

THE BRITISH STEAMER STRATHGON

The British steamer Strathgon, 26 days out from Valparaiso for this port, is expected in at any time now. She is under charter for October grain loading to G. W. McNear, but owing to the scarcity of tonnage will probably be able to hold her charter even if she arrives after October 31.

Historic Day next Saturday at the Commonwealth

The three French barques Ernest Rayer, Anne de Bretagne, and Vincennes arrived yesterday with general cargo from Rotterdam. They are all Rotterdam registered. They are all under charter to load barley for the United Kingdom, the first two to Straus & Co. and the other to Balfour Guthrie.

KEEMUN AND TACOMA BOTH NEARING PORT

Arriving Here To-morrow Morning—Former From Liverpool, Latter Orient

By a singular coincidence an Osaka liner and a Blue Funnel ship sailed from Victoria this morning and to-morrow a vessel of each of the lines will come into port. To-day the Canada Maru left for Yokohama, and the Protesilaus cleared for Liverpool. To-morrow in the forenoon the Tacoma Maru and Keemun will both arrive, the former from Yokohama and the latter from the United Kingdom. Wireless messages were received from the inbound steamships this morning and Capt. Hamada, of the Jap ship, and Capt. Connell, of the British boat, both reported that they would arrive early to-morrow.

The Keemun is coming in a week late, having been delayed in the United Kingdom owing to the dockers' strike. She was about twelve days late leaving Liverpool but by omitting several calls in the Orient she has been able to regain some of the lost time. The Keemun is bringing a full cargo of freight and has for Victoria 2,000 tons. After her Chinese disembark at this port she will proceed to Tacoma to land her silk cargo and will return here early the following week to discharge the local cargo.

Marama Leaves To-night

Bound for the Antipodes the Canadian-Australian liner Marama, Capt. Rolfe, will leave Victoria about 7 o'clock this evening. She is expected in from Vancouver at 6 o'clock, having left that port at noon. The Marama is taking out a full list of passengers and has a cargo amounting to 1,500 tons.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Oct. 30, 8 a. m.
Point Grey.—Raining; calm; 30.14;
45.
Cape Lazo.—Overcast; S. E.; fresh; 30.16; 44; smooth.
Tatoosh.—Cloudy; E. 10 miles; 30.19;
48. In, S. S. Rupert City, 10.30 p. m.; S. S. Buckman, 1.40 a. m. Out, S. S. Watson, 12.45 a. m.
Pachena.—Cloudy; S. E. light; 30.08;
49; light swell.
Estevan.—Raining; S. E.; 29.72; 23; moderate. Spoke, S. S. Tacoma Maru, 8.20 p. m., position at 6 p. m. 252 miles from Estevan; S. S. Keemun, 11 p. m., 49.90 N., 125.20 W.; S. S. Shidzuoka Maru, 8.40 p. m., position 48.18 N., 148.43 W.
Triangle.—Misty; S. E. gale; 29.37;
48; rough.
Prince Rupert.—Overcast; S. E.; 29.81; 48. Spoke, S. S. Alki, off Lucy Island, 6 p. m.
Noon.
Point Grey.—Cloudy; calm; 30.07; 50.
Cape Lazo.—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.16; 54; moderate. Spoke S. S. Star, Seymour Narrows, 9.30 a. m., southbound; S. S. City of Puebla, noon, abeam, northbound.
Tatoosh.—Cloudy; E. 20 miles; 30.17;
50; smooth. In, S. S. Hornsden 11.10 a. m.
Estevan.—Clear; S. E.; strong; 29.63;
53; light swell.
Triangle.—Cloudy; S. E. gale; 29.09;
45; sea rough.
Pachena.—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.05; 48; sea moderate.
Hedea.—Cloudy; S. E., strong; 29.70;
50.
Prince Rupert.—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.75;
50. In, S. S. Prince George, 8.30 a. m. "Dead Tree Point.—Cloudy; S. E., strong gale; sea rough.

SAILER MAKES COLUMBIA FIVE DAGES FROM 'FRISCO

Portland, Ore., Oct. 30.—Completing the passage in the remarkably quick time of five days the barquentine Laina arrived in the Columbia River from San Francisco yesterday morning. The southerly wind proved of material assistance to her. The barquentine is under charter to Hind, Riph & Co., to transport a cargo of fir from the river to Sydney or Newcastle, N. S. W. She was taken at a rate of 53 shillings.

Another vessel to show up off the mouth of the Columbia

Another vessel to show up off the mouth of the Columbia yesterday is the German ship Erika. Captain Eberhart left 52 days from Igloolik in ballast. She will come to Portland to lead a cargo of wheat for the United Kingdom, which will be exported by the Portland Flouring Mills Company.

With 234,130 bushels of wheat, valued at \$394,327, the British steamship Strathnes, Captain Roberts, left today Monday evening, bound for St. Vincent for orders. Despite her big cargo she was drawing but 22 feet of water.

Following close to her heels is the British steamship Kina, Captain Edgison, which got away from near Morgan's Landing, where she went aground by getting out of the channel, yesterday morning. As soon as the dredge willamette had dug a channel from the main waterway to the steamer she slid back into the course from which she wrenched in the thick weather without receiving assistance from the tugboats Monarch and Oklahama, which were standing by. The Kina has aboard nearly 270,000 bushels of wheat, which will take to St. Vincent for orders. Carrying 185,944 bushels of wheat, valued at \$168,063, the German barque Egon, Captain Moller, will leave today bound for Cork and Dublin.

RUPERT CITY BRINGS HUGE CEMENT CARGO

Has 3,500 Tons Aboard for British Columbia Ports—Bad Beam Sea Outside

With 3,500 tons of cement consigned to Victoria, Vancouver and Powell river, the steamship Rupert City, Capt. Boyd, of the Marine Transportation Company, arrived at the outer docks early this morning from San Pedro and San Francisco. The huge shipment of cement which the Rupert brought north will help to place a quietus on the great demand made by builders for this material. Although a regular fleet of steam schooners are engaged in bringing cement north they are unable to cope with the situation and the Rupert City was taken to bring a full cargo here.

It is understood that the steamship will put off about 800 tons of cargo here, 1,000 tons at Vancouver and the remainder at Powell river. After discharging, the Rupert City will commence to load a cargo of pulp and general freight for another trip to the California ports. The service which was only inaugurated a short time ago is proving quite profitable, and if the business continues to increase as it has done in the past it is more than likely that the company will add another steamship.

SEVEN SHIPS BERTHED AT THE OUTER DOCKS TO-DAY

To-day was one of the busiest days in connection with the shipping of this port that has been witnessed for some months. Six liners were here during the day and another is due to berth to-night. The Orteric, Capt. Howe, of the Weir line, the arrival of which was reported yesterday afternoon, was at the ocean docks putting off 400 tons of general freight; the Blue Funnel liner Protesilaus, Capt. Milnech, came in on her way out to Liverpool; the Canada Maru, Capt. Hori, of the Osaka line, called on her way to the Orient; the Rupert City, Capt. Boyd, came in from San Francisco; the Amatilla, Capt. Reilly, of the Pacific Coast fleet, sailed for San Francisco, and the British steamship Achilister lay off the docks awaiting orders. This evening the Marama, of the Canadian-Australian line, heads for the Antipodes.

Has Budget of News

Officers of the Rupert say that the steel has now been laid to Mile 180, and that the contractors are engaged in ballasting the track. This is some distance beyond Hazelton, but nothing has yet been said as to when the trains will be run through to that point. When the Prince Rupert was at anchor at the Queen Charlotte Islands with a trial shipment of 200 barrels of pickled salmon, which is being shipped direct to London, Eng. The B. C. Fisheries Ltd., put up the fish at Allford Bay. This is the initial step in what may prove another branch of the profitable fishing industry of the northern coast.

HEAD LIGHTS

Yesterday the C. P. R. steamer Queen City, Capt. Hawes, left port for Vancouver to commence her winter schedule to Ocean Falls.

From Bella Coola and way ports the Boscowitz steamer Venture, Capt. Parks, arrived in port to-day. She is sailing north again to-night.

Officers of the steamship Northwest, of the Alaska Steamship Company, which arrived in Seattle Monday from Behring sea ports, said that the German steamship Verona, of the Waterhouse line, was forced to put in at Unalaska on October 17 for coal, while bound from Seattle for the Orient.

The steam schooner Guahala, which capsized when rammed by the tank steamer Argyl several weeks ago, was righted at San Francisco on Monday. Her engines and boilers were found intact, and she will be ready for sea again when the hole in her side is patched.

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- SIX ROOMS, McKenzie, near Cook, lot 40x120. Price \$5750
- SIX ROOMS, Richmond, near Oak Bay avenue, lot 50x100. Price \$6000
- SEVEN ROOMS, Moss, near May, lot 50x110. Price \$6300
- SEVEN ROOMS, Wildwood, near Hollywood, lot 50x110. Price \$6500
- SEVEN ROOMS, Rithet, near Dallas, lot 54x151. Price \$7500
- EIGHT ROOMS, Lee, near Fort, lot 48x120. Price \$5500
- EIGHT ROOMS, Minto, near Moss, lot 40x120. Price \$6000
- NINE ROOMS, Pembroke, near Cook, lot 40x120. Price \$6300
- TEN ROOMS, Fort, near the Junction, lot 50x100. Price \$8500

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SUMMER SCHEDULE OF G. T. P. IS FINISHED

Prince Rupert Arrived Here This Morning From Rupert—Many Passengers

Completing her summer schedule on the Prince Rupert run the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, arrived in port this morning. She is to take up the run of the Prince Rupert leaving here for the north on Monday mornings. At 10 o'clock to-day the Rupert left here for Seattle, and from that port she will proceed direct to Vancouver. On Saturday night she will arrive at the George at the Terminal City. The George will come here and lie up for a couple of months, after which the Rupert will be given a similar run.

The Rupert arrived here after a fair run south from Prince Rupert. Some rain was experienced on Monday, but yesterday the weather was fine. About 60 saloon passengers came ashore, including the following: Geo. A. McNicholl, superintendent of the western division of the G. T. P.; W. Sylvester, vice of the Queen Charlotte Islands with a trial shipment of 200 barrels of pickled salmon, which is being shipped direct to London, Eng. The B. C. Fisheries Ltd., put up the fish at Allford Bay. This is the initial step in what may prove another branch of the profitable fishing industry of the northern coast.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

Line	H. W. Slack	L. W. Slack	H. W. Slack	L. W. Slack
1	9:16	17:56	1:23	13:42
2	9:30	18:26	1:19	14:23
3	10:02	19:08	1:06	15:08
4	10:39	19:38	1:07	17:45
5	11:24	20:22	1:08	19:31
6	12:14	21:12	1:14	20:49
7	1:22	24:08	1:28	20:49
8	1:44	24:39	1:35	21:21
9	2:08	25:08	1:40	22:06
10	2:33	25:36	1:41	22:41
11	2:50	26:03	1:56	23:21
12	3:10	26:29	1:57	23:59
13	3:30	26:54	1:58	24:29
14	3:52	27:17	1:58	25:14
15	4:17	27:38	1:58	25:36
16	4:45	27:56	2:00	26:16
17	5:16	28:13	2:03	26:51
18	5:51	28:28	2:06	27:21
19	6:21	28:41	2:09	27:46
20	6:56	28:52	2:12	28:16
21	7:36	29:01	2:15	28:41
22	8:21	29:08	2:18	29:01
23	9:11	29:13	2:21	29:17
24	10:06	29:16	2:23	29:29
25	11:06	29:17	2:24	29:37
26	12:11	29:16	2:24	29:41
27	1:22	29:13	2:23	29:41
28	2:38	29:08	2:21	29:38
29	3:59	29:01	2:18	29:31
30	5:26	28:92	2:14	29:19
31	6:59	27:54	2:09	29:01

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

From the Orient.

Tacoma Maru	Oct. 31
Sado Maru	Nov. 7
Empress of India	Nov. 17

From Australia.

Makura	Nov. 13
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From Liverpool.

Keemun	Oct. 31
Lonsdale	Nov. 15
Crown of Cordova	Nov. 16
From New York	Nov. 25
Hellgrauen	Nov. 25
For the Orient	Nov. 5
Montague	Nov. 5
Tamba Maru	Nov. 5
Tacoma Maru	Nov. 13
For Liverpool	Nov. 27
Keemun	Nov. 27
Makura	Nov. 27

COASTWISE STEAMERS

From San Francisco.

City of Puebla	Oct. 21
Unatilla	Nov. 1
From Northern B. C. Ports	Nov. 3
Prince George	Nov. 3
Venture	Nov. 4
Prince Rupert	Nov. 10
From Skagway	Nov. 6
Princess Sophie	Nov. 6
For San Francisco	Nov. 4
City of Puebla	Nov. 4
Unatilla	Nov. 13
For Skagway	Nov. 1
Princess May	Nov. 1
For Northern B. C. Ports	Nov. 4
Prince Rupert	Nov. 4
Venture	Nov. 4
For the West Coast	Nov. 1
Tees	Nov. 1
For Nanaimo	Nov. 5
Charmer	Nov. 5

NORTH COAST PASSENGER AGENTS GATHERED HERE

Members of the North Coast Passenger Agents' Association met here this morning. The meeting was held in the Empress hotel and lasted for several hours. During which time much business was discussed. The party left here at 3:30 o'clock for Vancouver. Among those who were present were: A. D. Charlton, assistant general passenger agent of the Oregon & Washington; Wm. McMurray, general passenger agent of the Oregon & Washington; J. M. Scott, general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific system's lines in Oregon; and W. E. Duponov, general passenger agent of the G. T. P. at Vancouver.

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TO REPAIR BERKSHIRE.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 30.—The steamer Berkshire, whose cargo of cotton baled in the hold for nearly a week off the coast of North Carolina, has reached this city and will be put in drydock for repairs. All of the crew which battled with the flames are still aboard the ship.

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Through a conveyance filed in the land registry office yesterday the block of land opposite the C. P. R. offices, Belleville street has been transferred from its former owner, R. T. Elliott, barrister, to the Royal Trust Company, Quebec, with head offices at Montreal. The consideration expressed in the conveyance is \$200,000. The property sold has a frontage of 129 feet on Belleville street, the same frontage on Quebec street and a frontage of 240 feet on Menzies street. There are four regular-sized lots in the parcel.

The purchasers, the Royal Trust Company, are affiliated with the Canadian Pacific Railway and the sale of the corner is really a sale to the railway company. The land will be used for an office building to house the inland business of the company. The C. P. R. has carried on several negotiations in Victoria for a site for an office building among them being a deal for the Five Sisters' corner at Fort and Government streets, which did not go through.

The Belleville half of the block now sold, was bought from Thomas Hooper about two years ago for \$35,000 by J. H. Hawthornthwaite. He sold the lot to R. T. Elliott, who secured the four lots at a price reported to be \$125,000. Mr. Elliott held the property between one year and eighteen months.

**LARGE INCREASE IN
 BANK CLEARINGS**

October Total So Far Exceeds
 That of September—Business Growing

The total bank clearings for the week ending October 29 were \$2,327,811, which make an aggregate for the month, with two more days to go, of \$15,586,081. This contrasts favorably with \$15,266,280 for September, and makes a grand total for the ten months of 1912 (less two days) of \$146,597,990. This is an advance of a considerable amount on the corresponding period of 1911.

Interesting Inquiries.—Information about Victoria and the Island is still being sought after by prospective settlers all over the world. Among the inquiries received at the Vancouver Island Development League this morning were writers from several parts of Scotland, from County Wicklow in Ireland, from the Island of Bermuda and from Johannesburg, South Africa. A Saskatchewan farmer, who is shortly to retire from the arduous life of the prairies desires to know the price of fruit lands close in to Victoria as he wishes to purchase about ten acres for apple culture.

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RE HOUSEHOLDERS' DECLARATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the time for receiving declarations will expire at 5 o'clock p. m. on October 31st, 1912, and that no declaration of a household or licensee under section 8 of the Municipal Elections Act will be received by the undersigned after that hour.

As a consequence of this provision of the Statute, the City Assessor's office will not be opened between 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock in the evening of that day for the purpose of taking declarations.

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EXPERT EDUCATION OF SCHOOL TEACHERS

Policy of Dealing With Sales of Church Property Reported to Synod

Canon Silva White made a spirited appeal to the Diocesan Synod this morning to give more attention to the Sunday school work in the diocese. He suggested as a means to that purpose that the training of teachers should be carried on by the various parishes, and classes organized for that purpose. They also wanted a field secretary, but although he had been appointed at the last meeting with the object of looking after this work, the duties of a clergyman were such that the time could not be spared to visit the parishes, and he suggested that the work should be placed in the hands of a competent layman. They should seek to give the same careful attention to the Sunday schools as they gave to the day schools.

Rev. William Barton strongly supported the reform of the methods of work, and the matter will be taken in hand by a committee. In dealing with the sale of property, Chancellor Lindley Crease, answering a question with regard to a proposed transfer at Qualicum, said the executive committee of the synod was often in a better position to act than a local committee could be, freed from local prejudices. There was a great danger of disposing of church property at a price which seemed to be excellent at the time, but which events proved could have been bettered by waiting. He believed experience showed that the executive acted wisely with trust funds of the synod.

The proposal to pay the expenses, travelling and hotel, of diocesan delegates was rejected by a large majority. Rev. Mr. Bagshawe, in replying to the debate, and a remark that more farmers found it impossible to attend, said he doubted if many farmers in Vancouver Island were getting as much money as the clergy were receiving, with conditions as they were to-day.

OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Preece took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 from the Victoria Crematorium, a large number of friends of the deceased woman being present. There were numerous beautiful floral wreaths which also testified to the esteem in which she had been held. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Fatt. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Hobbs, W. Barber, George Jones and Stewart.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Margaret Caldwell took place this morning at 10 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral parlors, Rev. R. Connell officiating. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. H. L. Harding, G. S. Seaton, W. Tyson and J. Keyes.

The death took place this morning at the family residence, 322 Vancouver street, of Mrs. Maria Stanley Spain, widow of the late Ballantine Spain, R.N. The deceased lady, who was born in Belfast, and came to Canada in 1852, having lived in Victoria for the past 17 years. She was 79 years of age. The funeral will take place on Friday.

The death took place this morning of George Barnett, whose home was at the corner of Dallas and May avenue. The deceased, who was a shoemaker by occupation and conducted a business on Douglas street between Fort and Broughton, had gone to his business as usual this morning, and fell from his bench while at work. He was an Englishman by birth, and had lived twenty years in Canada, six of which were spent in Victoria. The remains have been removed to the B. C. Funeral Parlors. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. from the family residence.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Tait will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 1959 Oak Bay avenue, and half an hour later from St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, Rev. Colley officiating.

VICTIMS OF WRECK.

All the Injured Soldiers Are Expected to Recover.

Toronto, Oct. 30.—Encouraging reports regarding the condition of the soldiers injured in the wreck of a troop train on Monday were given out this morning. Private W. H. Sheard, who is the most seriously injured of all, is still unconscious. The doctors think, however, that he shows a slight improvement and there is some hope of his recovery. The general impression now seems to be that the wreck was due to the failure of the air brakes to work on the troop train. The train was, of course, a very heavy one and there is a down grade near the Streetsville station.

DEFIES AUTHORITIES.

Militant Suffragette Declares She Will Not Report to Police.

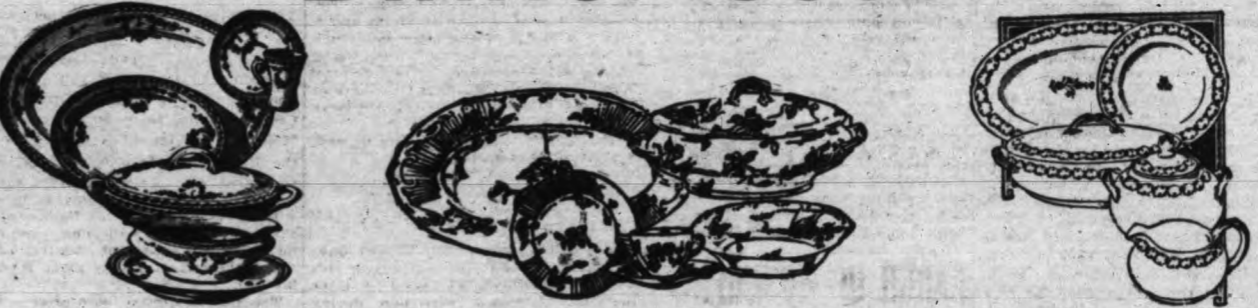
Dublin, Oct. 30.—Miss Gladys Evans, the militant suffragette, who was re-arrested on October 28 for failing to report to the police, was discharged, the magistrate holding that she six days she had remained in jail was sufficient punishment. Miss Evans, who was sentenced on August 7 to five years in prison for incendiarism, is out on license. On her release yesterday she declared that no matter how often she was arrested and punished she would not report herself to the police.



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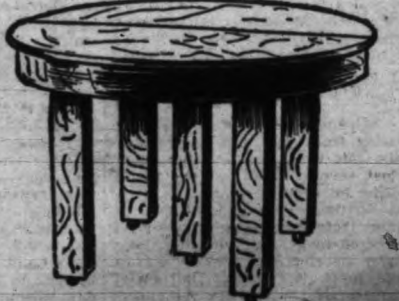
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SPORTING NEWS

AN IGNOBLE FINISH TO CRICKET MATCH

British Columbia Fifteen Averaged Six Runs Apiece in the Second Innings—Australia's Bowling Resources—Emery and the "Googly"

It is good to talk through the autumn of the games we have lost and won. Of the quick-turned wrist, of the shooting twist. Of the catch and the stolen run; It's good to show on the stinging hand How the hot return was stopped; And what of my duck, if we lost?—(hard luck!)

But what of the catch you dropped? The Australians have come and gone. They have inflicted a severe and crushing defeat on the provincial fifteen, and at the close of a very successful tour are leaving for their own shores to play the great old game again during another Australian season.

But their visit to Victoria has not been without its good results. The men from the land of the "possum" have shown us how the game should be played. Their bowlers have made our crack batsman look like veritable infants with the willow; their fielders have demonstrated the manner in which a swift travelling ball can be stopped, picked up and thrown in with practically one movement of the body; their batsmen have shown how to hit clean, to use footwork to advantage, and how to play break bowling with the legs.

Lack of confidence was probably the chief factor in the local fifteen's downfall. With one or two exceptions the men played far below their usual form, and seemed overawed by the great reputations of their opponents. Matthews, in particular, seemed to have inspired a fear and awe into many of the British Columbians, for the attempts to play him were, in the main, half-hearted and without confidence. From a spectator's point of view it would have been to infinite advantage to the batsmen to have "covered" the wickets when the demoralizing breaks, instead of waiting until the ball pitched before playing it. An Australian stated yesterday that the only way to play Matthews on a bowler's wicket was to play every ball coming in with the pads.

Emery, who has earned for himself during his short stay here a great popularity among Victoria cricketers also took a principal part in "the massacre" yesterday. The matting wicket gave a great deal of assistance to the "googly" bowler. To him the asperity given to the ball by the cocoon covering is priceless. Naturally the rougher the ball gets the easier it is to make it turn, and some of Emery's "googlies" yesterday would have made an average cricketer turn pale. One over he sent down to Captain Chapman, who is certainly no mere "eye" with the bat, had the old Gloucester man guessing all the time. The Australian has also a peculiar full toss delivery on which he gets "drop" much in the same way as does a baseball pitcher. Some of these

created disturbances in the local camp, though E. W. Ismay found them to his liking.

The batting of Ismay is worthy of more than momentary notice. Excepting Sparks, who played an invaluable and careful innings from the start, the Albin crack was the only local player to face the bowlers with any degree of confidence. His hitting to the on was particularly clean and well timed, and the manner in which he smashed a loose ball from Matthews to the ropes was decidedly cheering after the pottering and poking methods of some of the others. The ball that beat him was a glorious one that might have bowled the great "C. B." himself.

Victorians also saw Maclean, the Australians' fast bowler, in action, and strange to say, the only wicket he got was with the slow ball that spread-eagled Peers' wicket. He has a tremendous run that does not seem absolutely necessary, but his deliveries were always well pitched and difficult to play.

Another feature of the game yesterday was the superb fielding of Webster, who operated between cover and mid-off. His clean taking of the ball while on the run and throwing in elicited much applause. Kelleway ran Gillespie out with a well-directed throw from slip when "Heb" was doing an easy jaunt towards the crease. The last few wickets fell in amazingly quick succession and the match was over by 3.30, fifteen B. C. men making only 88 runs, Australia winning by 840 runs.

In reviewing the match one must give the homesters credit for a keenness, particularly in their fielding, that never flagged throughout the game. The dropped catches were very few in number, while sure fielding saved many boundaries. Where all worked so well it would be hard indeed to individualize, but Curgenven, York and Collinson perhaps stood out more than the rest, for clever and snappy work. Curgenven's catch that dismissed Whitty in the first innings has already become cricket history.

With a great variety of trundlers in the team, the British Columbia attack was strangely ineffective and stingsless. Sparks, indeed, bowled better than he has done right through the season, and except for a few wild balls Brooke-Smith did good work. But the others, all of whom have made no small mark in local cricket, were innocuous. Askey got quite a lot of work on the ball, but had no pace; W. York had some of the pace but very little "work." Ismay was off and could not get a length.

By the time for the next visit of the Australians arrives the B. C. men will have gained largely in experience, and even if they are not quite so better than they are certain of putting up a better exhibition than the fiasco of yesterday.

TINKER FOR THE REDS.

Cub Short Fielder Will Handle Cincinnati's Hard Luck Team in 1913.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Shortstop Joe Tinker, of the Chicago Nationals, and Harry Herrmann, owner of the Cincinnati team of the same name, have agreed upon terms under which Tinker will manage the Ohio club next season if he can obtain his release from the Chicago club.

Murphy Won't Talk.

President Murphy gave no indication of what course he would follow. He leaves to-night for Philadelphia for discussion with President Foss of that club regarding possible trades, he said.

President Herrmann made no statement regarding O'Day's future.

MAY COME TO COAST LEAGUE.

Fort Arthur, Ont., Oct. 30.—The defence of the Toronto team in the N. H. A. may consist of three local players, Hanley, Cameron and Rochon will try out with the Torontos. Waller and McGregor may go to the Pacific Coast.

BAR CONTRACT JUMPERS

Pacific Coast League Will Place Ryland and Johnson Under the Ban if They Refuse to Come West

Should Ernie Johnson and Harry Ryland refuse to fulfill their contracts with the New Westminster club, the pair will be barred forever from competing in the Coast Hockey League.

Not only that, but the B. C. H. A. directors will insist should the time come for the formation of a National Hockey Commission, that both of these men be blacklisted from organized hockey. Ryland and Johnson had contracts with New Westminster; it is useless to fight contract jumping in the civil courts and it is the intention of the Coast League managers to put their

feet down on contract jumping once and for all.

No Reply to Date.

No reply has yet been received from the National Hockey Association with regard to the decision of that body in the matter of Johnson and Ryland signing with the Wanderers, but unless this pair come to the coast they will be placed under a ban that will bar them forever from this league. This means that the pair will have to depend upon the generosity of Samuel Lichtenstein for a living, and it is not easy to guess what salaries they will be offered when the Montreal baseball magnate gets them in his palm.

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CALGARY RUGBYISTS SURE OF SUCCESS

VICTORIA RUGBY TEAM SELECTED FOR MATCH

Arrangements Completed for Thursday's Big Contest on the Oak Bay Grounds

Victoria's All-Star Rugby team to meet the touring Calgary fifteen at Oak Bay, on Thursday, was selected at a meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union last night. The team, as chosen, is one of the strongest that could possibly be gotten together, and it will indeed be a big surprise to the Rugby Union executive, if they fail to make an impressive showing in their match with the Alberta rugbyists. A practice will be held in the J. B. A. A. this evening when all players and reserves are requested to turn out. University and High school boys will be admitted to Thursday's game provided they wear their colors.

Calgary Team Arrives.

The Calgary team arrived in the city today, confident of success in the coming contest and eager to view the sights of the capital. The visitors were defeated in two matches at Vancouver, but are not in the least disheartened, and state that they will be in much better form against the Senatorial fifteen.

The Calgary team consists of R. J. Sutcliffe, Wanderers; R. H. Columbus, Welsh; Claude Roughton, Pirates; E. Roberts, Welsh; P. W. Boston, Pirates; Cliff Boughton, Pirates; A. Currie, Welsh; S. H. Sharp, E. Blackmore, Pirates; A. Storer, Wanderers; H. Watkins, Welsh; E. R. Edwards, Welsh; J. Smith, Pirates; C. Burns, Wanderers; J. C. Young, Wanderers.

Victoria's All-Stars.

Captain Gillespie will lead the following team into the field to oppose the Calgary squad:

Fullback, W. A. Newcombe; three-quarters, D. M. and C. C. Grant, D. Thomas, C. Martin; halves, F. H. R. Chapman and Shiras (scrum); forwards, R. Gillespie (Capt.), Houston, Carstairs, Heiney, Demiston, Askland, Chalk and Davies; reserves, back, Steele; three-quarters, Ogden and Galliker; forwards, Collinson, W. Day, Jeffs.

SKATING SEASON AT LAST ARRIVES

Splendid Ice Afforded Arena Patrons for the Official Opening—Carnivals to Be Held

Skating is here for the winter. With the grand opening of the Arena on Monday the season has been inaugurated in Victoria and for the next six months skating enthusiasts will be in their glory. The support given the rink so far has justified the Arena directors in opening two months in advance of last year, and they state that if the public show a desire for skating they will make Thanksgiving Day the official opening of the Arena every year.

If the crowds fall off, why the opening date will be set back a couple of weeks or a month if necessary.

Special Features Planned.

Nearly two thousand attended on the holiday, the rink being thronged at all three sessions. Special band music was provided and a programme of popular airs made a big hit with the skaters. Arrangements are under way for the holding of several special features this winter, including a fancy dress carnival. Skating races may also be staged at the local Arena, while a fancy skating competition, for the championship of British Columbia, is also to be staged in this city.



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RING NOTES AND GOSSIP

Jim Driscoll has postponed his trip to America on account of his illness. Jim has not been well for some time so he is going to take rest before leaving for this side. When Driscoll came over to America some time ago he was taken ill and had to return to England.

Buck Crouse, the Pittsburg middleweight, is the latest fighter to quarrel with his manager and split. Buck did not know much about fighting when Mason took hold of him and brought him among the top notchers, but like the rest he does not know a good thing when he gets it.

Sammy Keller, the English bantamweight, is the latest fighter to quarrel with his manager and split. Keller cannot get matches with Digger Stanley or Charles Ledoux, the French champion, so he will try his luck in the States.

Packey McFarland is slated to meet the winner of the Wells-Welsh fight which takes place next month. Packey has defeated both the boys, but each time he had to extend himself.

Now watch the white hopes loom up when they hear that Promoter McCarey

has offered a diamond belt to the man who proves to be the king of the white race.

It will hardly be one of the top notchers who will be the next lightweight champion, as Champion Wolsigt is getting rather careless in fighting all these third raters six rounds. One of these days some tough boy will hang it on Ad's jaw and relieve him of the title.

Eddie McGourty, by his wins over Harrison and Smith, has proved that he has as much claim to the title as Klaus or Pakke, and even more as he cannot get a fight with either of these men. It would be a good thing to match Pakke and Klaus and the winner meet the winner of the McGourty-Gibbins fight which takes place on December 2.

The two Lewis boys, Harry and Willie, seem to have retired from the ring together after their defeats by Georges Carpenter. Mike Gibbons defeated Willie twice in two rounds each time, and Harry was defeated by Pte. Harris, an English pugilist, in twenty rounds, so it is near time they were giving it up.

STAR PLAYERS IN INTERNATIONAL GOLF

Permanent Trophy to Be Offered—Interesting Play in Seattle Saturday

Seattle, Oct. 30.—International golf that will bring together teams of eight men each, representing the best golfers in British Columbia and in the Pacific Northwest states, has been decided on, following the fifth annual competition match play against bovey, between Victoria, and two Vancouver, Portland, Everett, Tacoma and Seattle golf teams of eight men each, played at the Seattle Golf Links last Saturday.

Incidentally, the event, inaugurated five years ago by the Waverly Club, of Portland, was won for the fifth consecutive time by the Seattle club. The first match will be played in Victoria or Seattle some time before next May.

A. S. Kerry, of Seattle, was elected captain of the local team. The Canadian captain has not been selected. Captain Kerry will select his team from clubs in the cities of Portland, Tacoma, Everett, Spokane, Butte and Seattle.

The Canadian eight will be drawn from the golfers of the two Vancouver clubs and clubs at Victoria and Calgary, all members of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association. A permanent trophy will be offered for the competition.

The match played last Saturday, Seattle, defenders of the cup, entertaining, emphasized several things. It was won by Seattle simply because better average golf was played. The

best scores of the day were made by Harry Davis, of Portland, and V. A. Macan, of Victoria, each returning 8 up in the 36-hole match. Their work was largely responsible for the second and third places won by their respective teams. One of the most brilliant hits of golf of the day was that contributed by H. T. Gardner, the ambitious young Vancouver runner up in the Pottlach tournament here to Yellowlegs, winner of the amateur championship.

The respective teams in play for the punch bowl match play against bovey at 36 holes were:

Seattle—H. A. Flagler, G. L. Munn, C. H. Tilden, A. S. Kerry, T. S. Lippy, C. E. Spooner, C. K. Magill, C. Hutkamp, 28 down.

Victoria—B. Wilson, L. Kiggell, Giff Lindsay, J. F. Arbutnot, R. N. Hineks, H. Combe, V. Macan, D. Martin—33 down.

Portland—T. Lathcum, R. Smith, J. Gillis, G. Zann, R. H. Koehler, R. S. McLeay, C. H. Davis, H. K. C. Davis—56 down.

British Columbia Club—S. C. Norman, C. R. Washorn, H. T. Gardner, A. McAllister, J. A. Yellowlegs, A. C. Stewart, R. Bone, R. Woolsey—47 down.

Shaughnessy Heights Club—W. E. Burns, A. E. Jukes, K. Walker, J. B. Leonard, G. Phillips, J. Howe, W. P. Powell, E. S. Jones—17 down.

Tacoma—J. J. Dempsey, E. R. Wheeler, H. Blakeley, H. S. Giffers, J. Fransloil, E. F. Cullford, G. Sherwood, F. R. Vantuyll (of Seattle)—123 down.

Everett—P. E. Fifield, W. Wentworth, W. E. Swaiwell, L. S. Duryea, H. A. Westland, A. J. Egan, C. H. Hubbard, R. W. Manning—130 down.

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LITTLE BITS OF SPORT GOSSIP

Jack Britton, the Chicago boxer, is still putting 'em away, Leach Cross being his latest victim.

Frank Klaus, who is now in Paris, is trying to get a match with Bombardier Wells, the English heavy-weight champion.

Young Jack O'Brien, brother of "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien, is finding plenty to do in the boxing game and improving right along.

Joe Mandot has engaged "Hobo" Dougherty, ex-trainer of Ad Wolsigt, to train him for his bout with the champion, scheduled for New Orleans, November 2.

Tim Birrell's belated appearance in the Edinburgh Hibs F. C. team has given cause for much speculation in his native town of Kirkcaldy. It is thought that should Arthur Cummings, of Raith Rovers, be compelled to give up the game for business reasons, Birrell may be secured as his successor at Stark's Park.

Until Shepherd is himself again Fearnt is proving the best man that Newcastle have tried as centre-forward.

Jack Robertson, the international goalie, at 40 years of age, is still considered worth 150 in transfer fee, the figure at which the Southern League have fixed it upon appeal.

Two spectators have died of excitement at football matches this season—one at Stamford Bridge during Chelsea's match with Liverpool, and another at Burnley, when Burnley were playing Preston North End.

From present indications, the Ottawa line-up will be as follows: League, goal; Taylor, point; Shore, cover-point; Roman, Darragh, Gerard and Broadbent, forwards; Benedict, Lake and another will also be carried.

A Sheffield Journalist penned the following paragraph: "An apostolic touch about North End's right wing, for Luke had John—his other name being Marshall—alongside him. And both had their Mark."

Though the Ottawas forwarded contracts to Dublin Kerr, and Marty Walsh, it doesn't necessarily follow that they are going to use them. Had they not been forwarded the usual 2500 bids, they would have been free agents in the N. H. A., and any of the Eastern clubs could have signed them without first securing their release through the Ottawas.

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English League—Division I.		
W. L. Dr. Pts.		
Aston Villa	6	1 3 15
Newcastle United	5	2 4 14
Sheffield Wednesday	5	1 4 14
Manchester City	5	2 1 12
Bolton Wanderers	4	4 0 12
West Bromwich Albion	4	2 2 12
Oldham Athletic	3	5 3 11
Derby County	3	1 11 12
Manchester United	3	2 2 9
Everton	4	5 1 9
Bradford City	3	2 3 9
Middlesboro	3	3 3 9
Liverpool	4	6 0 8
Woolwich Arsenal	2	4 4 8
Sunderland	3	5 2 8
Chelsea	2	7 1 5
Sheffield United	1	7 1 4
Notts County	1	7 1 4
Tottenham Hotspurs	0	6 2 3

English League—Division II.		
W. L. Dr. Pts.		
Clapton Orient	5	1 3 13
Lincoln City	5	2 3 13
Hull City	4	2 3 13
Waterhampton Wanderers	4	2 4 12
Birmingham	4	1 2 11
Barnsley	5	2 1 11
Notts Forest	4	3 2 10
Preston North End	2	1 6 10
Bury	3	4 3 10
Fulham	2	1 6 10
Reading	4	5 1 9
Huddersfield	4	5 1 9
Grimsby Town	3	4 2 8
Leeds City	3	5 0 8
Bury	4	5 0 8
Blackpool	3	5 1 7
Leicester Fosse	2	5 2 6
Stockport	1	5 3 6
Bradford	1	4 3 5
Glossop	1	5 0 4

Scottish League.		
W. L. Dr. Pts.		
Hearts	6	2 2 14
St. Mirren	4	2 5 13
Greenock Morton	4	1 11 13
Rangers	6	2 1 13
Clyde	5	2 2 12
Celtic	5	2 2 12
Airdrieonians	4	3 1 11
Aberdeen	4	3 1 11
Dundee	4	2 2 10
Rath Rovers	3	4 3 9
Kilmarnock	3	4 3 9
Hamilton Academicals	3	5 3 9
Falkirk	4	4 3 9
Partick Thistle	3	4 3 9
Third Lanark	2	4 4 8
Hibernians	3	5 2 8
Motherwell	1	4 4 6
Queen's Park	1	6 1 2

SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

THOUSANDS OFFERED COAST

LEAGUE TO FIGHT THE EAST

Eager Hockey Fans Make Unusual Offer—Frank Patrick is Ready to Leave on Raiding Tour Through N. H. A. Territory

To fight the efforts of the National Hockey Association to disrupt the Coast League, a syndicate of the best sporting men in Vancouver and Victoria have announced that they will put up \$10,000 to bring the best hockey players in the world to the coast. This was made known yesterday, when a well-known Vancouver sportsman called up the sporting editor of the Times and told of the intentions of the syndicate. The Patrick brothers have not appealed to the followers of hockey on the coast, and will not find it necessary to do so, but the incident is cited to show the fever heat which hockey has aroused in Vancouver and Victoria.

Ask No Quarter.
What makes the Coast League such a strong financial body this season is the fact that the New Westminster

Arena Company have taken over the contracts of every player who figured on the Royals line-up last season. This relieves the Patrick boys of one club, and their undivided attention may now be directed upon the formation of strong clubs in Vancouver and Victoria. Their policy of maintaining the high standard of hockey given last year, will be followed out to the letter. The mandate has gone forth that if there is a war, it will be a battle to the end, with the coast promoters asking no quarter.

Crisis is at hand.
Frank Patrick is prepared to leave for the East in a week, and if he finds it necessary to make the trip, he will come back with the pick of the Eastern hockey players. The crisis is at hand, and the sooner the break comes, the better for the coast clubs.

KENNEDY COUNTS ON

LALONDE AS MANAGER

Irish-Canadian Magnate Says He Will Have a Team in the Big Four Next Summer

George Kennedy, of the Irish Canadian lacrosse team, when seen in Montreal Saturday, had the following to say in regard to the lacrosse situation in the "Big Four" next year:

"Sure we will be in the game next year. The 'Big Four' will go right ahead, as far as we are concerned. We lost nearly \$10,000 last season, and while on the subject of money I wish you could convince our directors that the Toronto Street Railway paid our deficit, as we could not pay any dividends on account of our loss."

"But, putting the financial loss aside, we gained a lot of experience in our first attempt, and with 'Newsy' Lalonde as playing manager of our team

and a ground in the west of Montreal, we expect to have a successful season next year.

Lacked a Manager.
"We had the players, but did not have a manager to look after them, and this will be the first move we will make by putting Lalonde in full charge of the outfit. Our games will be played away from the National grounds next season, and this will help our gate receipts.

"Take it from me," concluded the genial George, "we will be there all right. We never yet quit on anything we started, and with four good teams in the league, lacrosse should boom next season."

CALGARY WRITERS UNFAIR TO "JOE"

That the reports sent out by the Calgary sporting writers are unfair, was the contents of wire received from Morris Condon, Bayley's manager, last night. Condon states that Bayley is not badly cut up, and that he will return to Victoria on Thursday. It is just possible, however, that Bayley will be sent to Los Angeles to train under the best masters. This plan is under consideration by Bayley's backers, and will probably be carried out.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Bayley Needs a Lot of Schooling.
Before Joe Bayley, the Canadian lightweight champion, enters the ring again, Manager Morris Condon should see that the lightweight title-holder has had a lot of schooling in the hands of some reputable fight masters. The time has been reached when Bayley can advance no farther unless his methods of training are changed. In his fight with Hyland at Calgary on the holiday, Bayley showed a palpable weakness at infighting. This should not be. Bayley has the punch to work at short range, and with a little instruction in the finer tricks of the art, could cope with the best of them. First and foremost, however, Bayley should be pitted against a speedy lightweight in his training stunts. It is all right for him to spar with Cyclone Scott to develop a punch, but what Bayley needs right now is speed. His gameness is unquestioned, and Manager Condon looks to have one of the best boys in the world under his wing. With proper tuition Bayley can be made a real champion, but unless he is given a chance to advance in the science of boxing, he will not long be the title-holder. Victoria sportmen to a man are convinced that Bayley has the goods, and it is up to his management to cut out looking for punk bouts and give the boy an opportunity to develop his talents with the padded mits.

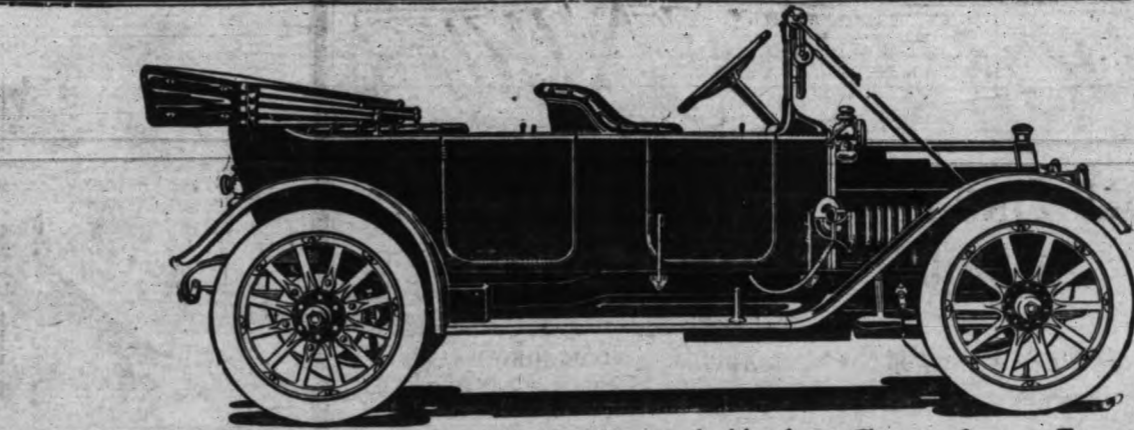
Skating is Popular on the Coast.
No better boost is needed for skating than a glance over the attendance figures of the Vancouver and Victoria Arenas for the official opening of the season on the holiday. When Vancouver can turn out 2400 skaters and Victoria almost 2,000, the popularity of ice skating cannot be denied. Skating is one of the most beneficial forms of exercise, and carries with it the endorsement of the greatest medical men of the age. The exercise, alone, is such as to ensure health to the skater, while the invigorating atmosphere of the rink speeds the circulation and brings a rosy hue to the cheeks. The coast skaters may congratulate themselves upon the fact that they reside in the only two cities in Canada where ice skating could be enjoyed on the holiday.

Further Swimming Contests Awarded.
It is with pleasure that the officers of the Y. M. C. A. Swimming Association announce that another swimming meet is to be held at the Y. M. C. A. Natatorium. The officers of the B. C. branch of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association have been kind enough to grant the local club the one hundred-yard and relay swimming events, which will be held on November 29. Swimming is a sport that requires careful preparation, and Victoria sporting enthusiasts who witnessed the last meet at the Y. M. C. A. will undoubtedly welcome the return of the outside aquatic stars. Teams from Victoria, Vancouver and possibly New Westminster will take part in the relay race, each contestant swimming fifty yards, four men to a team.

Australians A Wonderful Team.
That Victoria should fail to defeat the Australian cricketers was expected, but in all truthfulness it must be said that few local cricketers expected the British Columbia picked team to receive such a trouncing, even at the hands of the noted Australians. The tremendous offensive ability demonstrated by the visitors was only equalled by their wonderful batting prowess. The Australians showed little or no regard for the efforts of the local bowlers, and after the first inning, it was only a question of how many runs the visitors would score. The respective scores of the teams shows the difference between Canadian cricket and that played by England, Australia or South Africa. Canadians, before they can ever hope to compete at Lord's in a test match, must improve in all departments to have any sort of a chance.

Eastern Clubs Stalling.
With all due respect to the officers of the National Hockey Association, one is forced to believe that in putting off the decision of the league with regard to a hockey commission, they are deliberately "stalling." The N. H. A. knows full well that the coast clubs must have an answer before a fortnight has elapsed and the easterners will probably receive a rude shock when they receive a telegram from Frank Patrick, asking for an immediate decision. The best coast clubs, by calling the bluff of the N. H. A. teams have acted in the interests of the fans who support hockey in British Columbia. The Patrick interests of the fans who support hockey in the world, right here on the coast, boys are going to have the best hockey in three thousand miles distant, are going to "crab" and "nibble" group of men, three thousand miles distant, are going to "crab" their plans.

If it comes to a showdown, there are thousands of dollars on the coast that will back the B. C. H. A. officers in their efforts to give the public the best in the land. Lester Patrick went east, stated his intentions and performed in a manner that bears out his reputation and that of the league. Deals, such as those which Sammy Lichtenhein delights in putting through, have no place in Canadian hockey, and the sooner the eastern promoters realize that to be treated like gentlemen, they must act as such, the better for their money bags. The B. C. H. A. can and will, if necessary, rot the east of every hockey player of prominence. Such a step would cost the N. H. A. clubs a mint of money.



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WORLD'S CHAMPIONS ARE A GENEROUS BUNCH OF PLAYERS

The Boston Red Sox, baseball champions of the world, are a generous team. Almost the first thing they did with the money secured on the cheque for \$4,024.70, which each player received as his share of the world's series proceeds, was to set aside a sum for gifts. The players pooled about \$2,000 for this purpose. A diamond-studded watch fob was sent to Eddie Cicotte, now of Chicago White Sox, who was a Red Sox pitcher until traded in mid-season.

Jerome Kelley, ground keeper at Fenway park, was given \$175; Edward Riley, the club's clerk, received \$500, and John Harrison, also a clerk, was given a sum nearly as great; Joe Quirk, the team's trainer, received \$500, and the man who washed the player's uniforms, the head usher at Fenway park, and others were well remembered. Little Jerry McCarthy, the club's mascot, was given an entirely new wardrobe of clothing, and a bank book showing a deposit to his credit.

York Giants for the championship of the world, four out of seven games.

The White Sox defeated the Cubs for the championship of Chicago, four out of seven games.

Athletics walloped the Phillies for the championship of Philadelphia, four out of five games.

Cardinals got the decision over the Browns for the championship of St. Louis, winning four out of seven games.

this story. More than that, the Eastern sport writers are viewing the situation with a "show us" determination, and refuse to fall for the bunk that the N. H. A. executive are handing out. The scribes evidently figure that Lichtenhein's threats are so much advertising, and let it go at that.

Word was received this morning from Fred "Cyclone" Taylor, to the effect that he has accepted the coast terms, and would come West unless the National Hockey Association restore him to the Ottawa club. Skinner Poulin has written that he will be here on time, while a dispatch from Cornwall says that Newsy Lalonde and Donnie Smith are preparing the leave for the coast in a fortnight.

PLAYERS ARE NOW HEADING FOR COAST

INTERNATIONAL RACE FOR SOWER CLASS

Lalonde, Smith and Poulin Preparing to Spend the Winter Here—Taylor May Come

Burlington, Vt., Oct. 26.—The fifth series of international sower yacht races will be held next September off Marblehead between German and American boats, according to an announcement made to-day. The international contest for this type of boat now stands three American victories to one German. The sower yacht is a fin-keel craft of 4,935 pounds displacement.

Considerable "oil" is needed to smooth over the troubled waters in Eastern hockey. The rumor has spread broadcast that Sammy Lichtenhein is controlling the Tecumseh hockey franchise, in Toronto, and the league officers are having a hard time to down

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CONDON LOSES A BIG ROLL

Morris Condon, Joe Bayley's manager, loses \$4,000 by reason of Tommy Burns' decision on Monday. Morris backed Bayley to that extent, and while he did not drop his own money, bets being called off because of the draw, he did not collect either. All bets on a knockout stand. It is estimated that \$2,000 was staked on Joe's trusty right wallop, but the "poke" never landed.

AMERICAN LEAGUE IN TOP PLACE

This is an American league season. In the series played to decide supremacy between the old and new league teams three American league clubs were victors in the four series played. This is how Ban's clubs put it over the Lynch outfits:
Boston Red Sox defeated the New

ENGLISH CRICKET SEASON ONE OF DISAPPOINTMENTS

This year's cricket season in the Old Country was one of the most disappointing within the memory of followers of the game, although at the outset the prospect was one of exceptional interest. The institution of the three-sided test contests, and the meteoric rise of Warwickshire to the championship last season, led enthusiasts to hope for exciting times; but the dismal weather spoiled everything.

In addition to this most important feature, the sporting interests in the test matches was sadly discounted by the disappointing composition of the Australian and South African teams. The unfortunate squabble in the Australian cricket world robbed the team of several of the Commonwealth's most prominent cricketers, while the South African team was weakened by circumstances over which the management had no control.

The result was that the latter team's matches failed to arouse any interest, as it was soon apparent that their eleven was below the strength of several of first class English counties, while the Australians, though certainly a better combination, were not up to the form expected.

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NEW BAPTIST PASTOR EN ROUTE TO VICTORIA

Rev. Dr. Cameron Stays Off in Winnipeg to Visit Friends— Will Take Ministry Here

Rev. R. Cameron, D. D., of Boston, Mass., editor of the church magazine *Watchword and Truth*, is on his way to the coast, and is expected to arrive to-day or to-morrow to take the pastorate of the Tabernacle Baptist church in this city.

He is accompanied by Mrs. Cameron, and they spent Thanksgiving Day in Winnipeg visiting friends. Dr. Cameron, who is a well known preacher and writer, indicates that his denominational magazine will continue, but its place of publication will be changed from Boston to Victoria. He is now anxious to locate in a less exhausting climate than the east, and probably has been influenced to come to Victoria to take a small charge by this fact.

The Tabernacle church, which is now located on Chester street, Fairfield estate, was formed by a secession of members from the original Calvary Baptist church, and the church formerly stood at the junction of Fort and Cook streets, whence it was moved on the construction of the October mansion.

The pastorate has been till recently in charge of Rev. Fred T. Tapscott, who has resigned to enter business pursuits.

Hatonia Day next Saturday at the Commonwealth.

TO-NIGHT'S MEETING.

Navy League Gathering To-night Promises to Be Great Success.

It is anticipated that the annual mass meeting of the local branches of the Navy League, which is to be held this evening at the Victoria Theatre, will be more than usually successful, and it is hoped that every citizen of Victoria who is interested in the extension of naval defence will respond to the invitation to be present.

The principal speakers of the evening will be Sir Richard McBride and Capt. Clive Phillips-Wolley. The president, Capt. Clive Phillips-Wolley, has been one of the strongest and most loyal supporters of an adequate naval policy, and is perhaps more conversant with the actual condition and relative power of the British navy than any other man in the province of British Columbia.

All the seats, saving the boxes and first row, will be free and open to the public, and the meeting will commence at 8.30. The members of the Trafalgar chapter of the Daughters of Empire have taken charge of the decorations, and there will be ample evidence of the loyal and patriotic character of the meeting in the display of flags and patriotic emblems.

A splendid musical programme has been arranged, the names of those who have promised to assist being well known local vocalists, while twenty bluejackets, from the warships stationed at Esquimalt will join in the choruses, in which the audience is also invited to take a part.

The following is the programme: "Rule Britannia".....Bluejacket Chorus
Chairman's Address.....Mr. Wolley
Song—"Death of Nelson".....

.....Mr. Geo. Phillips
Speech.....Sir Richard McBride
Song—"Land of Hope and Glory"
.....Mr. A. A. Codd
Speech.....Mr. J. Herrick McGregor
Song.....Mr. A. A. Codd
Speech.....

.....Rt Rev. the Bishop of Columbia
Song—"The Midshipmite".....
.....Mr. Geo. Phillips
"God Save the King."

"BOUGHT AND PAID FOR."

Capable Company Concluded its Engagement Last Night.

George Broadhurst's famous play, "Bought and Paid For," given for the second time at the Victoria theatre last evening, was well received by a moderately large audience, who showed their appreciation of the excellent acting, which was given on several occasions during the evening.

As the principal female character, "Virginia," Miss Diva Marolda, a tall and graceful brunette, possessed of a pleasing voice, was very convincing, her acting being particularly fine in the scene in which she denounces her husband and hands back all the beautiful gifts of jewellery which he has given her during their three years of wedded life. In the last act also, Miss Marolda gave some very strong acting, and showed a reserve of histrionic ability which in her quieter moments one would scarcely have accredited to her.

As Stafford, George D. MacQuarrie did some very good acting, the scene depicting his repentance when Virginia reminds him of his drunken charge that she was purchased by his wealth being with him also one of the fine moments of the play. As Fanny Blaine, the milliner sister and wife of the self-confident Jimmy, Miss Drake made an effective foil to her more refined sister Virginia. Mr. Cavanaugh proving a very fine impersonator of

Gilley, the would-be manager of the destinies of all things, and the creator of comical scenes without end. In this he was ably assisted by Oku (Mr. Rosley) who created mirth with every appearance, Miss MacKellar and Mr. Wood completing the cast in capable style.

WATERWORKS CUSTOMERS.

Cannot Serve More Customers Under Existing Conditions Than at Present.

Replying to the criticisms of members of the Saanich council with regard to the giving of estimates for water services without the city limits, Water Commissioner Raymur said this morning that the information had been usually given in the past, but in view of the fact that there was no water to sell to consumers now it was useless to make extensions.

He recognized the feeling of Saanich residents that they could not get water from Elk Lake, when the supply of Victoria originated in that municipality, and flowed through the pipes to serve the city and Oak Bay, but it was quite impossible to pass any more water through the main, which was working to its maximum capacity now. He did not see any chance of serving the extra customers in Saanich till the city had its supplementary works from Sooke, or else another pipe line was built from Elk lake. That would, however, be a matter of policy for his successor.

LOCAL NEWS

Orangemen's Banquet.—A banquet will be given by L. O. L. 1426 on November 5, Guy Fawkes Day, for which elaborate preparations are being made. The function will take place at the Prince George hotel.

J. H. Hawthornthwaite Back.—Jas. H. Hawthornthwaite, ex-M. P. P., has returned from a prolonged visit to the Old Country. It is now very likely that the government will shortly announce the appointment of the labor commission promised last January.

Thanksgiving Service.—A Thanksgiving service will be held in St. Mary's church, Oak Bay, to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The Very Rev. Dean of Columbia will preach the sermon and on Friday morning there will be a celebration of the holy communion at 8 a. m.

The Weather.—The slow rising of the barometer to-day seems to indicate a better outlook for the near future and a continuance of fair weather with cold nights is prophesied by the local weather experts. On the northern part of the Island snowfalls are now being experienced particularly off the northwest coast. Eighteen degrees of frost were recorded this morning in northern British Columbia.

Building Permits.—Building permits amounting to \$342,666 have been taken out to-day this month, and when the office closes to-morrow it is anticipated the \$400,000 mark will have been reached. Permits taken out to-day are for a five-roomed house on Rudlin street for E. J. Perry, to be built by Frank Webb; for George Mellor, a carriage and woodshed on Oxford street; for P. R. Brown, for alterations to a brick building on Fort street, and to the Building & Finance Co., for a ten-roomed house on Joseph street, costing \$3,500.

Sacred Concert.—The announcement is made to-day that seats will be reserved in the balcony for any who wish to attend the sacred concerts which are being held in the Victoria theatre on Sunday evenings. Owing to the large number attending these concerts it has been thought that this arrangement would do away with one of the main difficulties. Tickets for reserved seats will be issued in the order in which the application is made for them. Applications for seats, enclosing a stamped addressed envelope, and stating the number of seats required should be sent to the secretary of the sacred concerts, Victoria theatre, upon the receipt of which the required tickets will be forwarded. All tickets are free; reserved seats will be

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held up to within five minutes of the commencement of the concert. The soloists who will sing will be Mrs. D. B. McLaren and Mr. R. B. McKenzie, and Benedict Bant's orchestra will again render the musical selections.

Cameron Chapter Meets.—Last night at the regular history class meeting of the Cameron Chapter of the Daughters of Empire, at which Dr. Etta Denovan took the chair, the principal speaker of the evening was Miss Campbell, who has recently arrived from India, who gave a very interesting story of the work of the order in India. The Daughters of Empire there, she said, kept one nurse entirely with their own funds, and also furnished a bed in one of the hospitals. The Purse girls were so proud of being daughters of the great British Empire, and the society was very anxious to get one of the girls educated as a teacher from funds raised within the organization. At the close of Miss Campbell's interesting paper, the gathering devoted the remainder of the evening to the study of history.

Hatonia Day next Saturday at the Commonwealth.

SPORTING NEWS

DEPENDS ON ACTION OF CLASS "A" CLUBS

Portland May Have Teams in Both Leagues Next Season—McCredie Not Disturbed

Portland, Ore., Oct. 30.—Whether or not Portland will again have teams in both the Pacific Coast and Northwestern Leagues in 1913 will likely not be officially settled until February 1, the next meeting of the class "A" directors. But that a fuss is impending over the efforts of the class "B" magnates toward securing a "rise" to the "A" classification, and that said hostility may result in the refusal to permit a Northwestern club in Portland is the verification of San Francisco rumors brought home by W. W. McCredie, president of both Portland clubs.

"Cal Ewing, of San Francisco, seemed to be very much wrought up over the Northwestern League assuming (by) count Portland class "B" territory, explained Judge McCredie discussing the covert threat of the Coasters."

"As a consequence no action was taken on the renewal of the rights of territory. The matter did not come up for a vote, the chair ruling the application should come from the Northwestern League and not from an individual."

President McCredie did not seem much disturbed over the outlook, although he admitted it might be difficult to secure Coast sanction to Portland in the event the fight was continued for an "A" classification. From his talk one might think him not at all enthusiastic about putting another club in the Northwestern circuit.

SPORT NOTES

A number of good scores were registered at the Thanksgiving Day shoot of the Fifth Regiment Association, held at the ranges on Monday.

Frank Gallier will likely get a chance to play in to-morrow's Inter-City Rugby struggle at Oak Bay. There is not a better running three-quarter in the city than the speedy Law Student.

Victoria West supporters are waging everything that their favorites carry off the city soccer title. From this distance it looks as if they have more than an even chance.

McNell, the former Y. M. C. A. swimming star, will race under the colors of the James Bay club at the coming indoor championships on November 23.

Victoria is now sure of Lindsay, L. Patrice, Small, Dunderdale, Smith, Rowe, Poulin, Kerr and Kendall. Looks like a big year for the Senators.

Manager Wattleet, of the Bees, will leave in a couple of weeks to attend the minor leagues convention at Minneapolis.

Bruce Ridpath, the Toronto manager, will have one of the youngest teams on the circuit. Unlike Billy Nicholson, he isn't signing men on their "reps."

Jack Johnson being willing to meet Sam Langford, Sam McVey and Jim Flynn looks good on paper, but fight fans are from Missouri, and will have to be shown.

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TORONTOS SECURE SOME MORE PLAYERS

Cameron, of Port Arthur, and Wilson, of Winnipeg, Going to the N. H. A.

Toronto, Oct. 30.—President Percy Quinn, of the Toronto N. H. A. team, announces that he has signed Cameron, of Port Arthur, and Cully Wilson, of Winnipeg. Quinn also says that either Ernie Johnson, Pud Glass or Odie Cleghorn will figure on the Toronto team this winter.

Wilson was sought after by Lester Patrick when the latter went east, but did not give any definite answer. From the fact that the Wanderer management is willing to allow some of their men to go to the Toronto it would appear as if a hockey "syndicate" is working in the East.

ALF. PETCH HELD THE LUCKY TICKET

Results of the Big Cambridge-shire Sweep—Other Ticket-holders Also Win Thousands

Victoria captured the big plum in Salmon's Grand Cambridge-shire Sweepstakes, Alf. Petch, jeweller, 707 Pandora street, holding the ticket on Adam Bede, the winner of to-day's big turf event. The value of the premium is \$28,548.00, or figuring it up in odds, it will be seen that Mr. Petch cashed in a ticket costing for payment at 29,000 to 1. The second prize, \$14,274, went to J. Gardiner, of Vancouver, while another Terminal City man, J. W. Sinclair, drew the third, \$7,137. Then there are money prizes for all who drew horses, whether they started or not. The sweep is the largest that has ever been recorded in British Columbia; 79,300 tickets were disposed of, the outside agencies getting percentage on 39,800 of these.

HOUSE FRANCHISE DECREASES

Only About 1,000 Registered to Date Compared With 1,700 Last Year.

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J. Y. Rochester is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

C. N. Beebe, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress.

H. Burchell is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Thetis Island.

D. McIver, of Winnipeg, is staying at the Empress hotel.

P. J. Collins, of Portland, arrived yesterday at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Fred Phillips, of Vancouver, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

H. Bingham, of Montreal, is registered at the Empress hotel.

J. R. Smith, of Vancouver, is staying at the Empress hotel.

D. G. Williams, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress.

W. C. Nicholls, of Seattle, is among the guests at the Empress.

C. E. Day, of Thetis Island, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

Joseph Todd, of Tacoma, is staying at the King Edward hotel.

W. E. Fry, of Seattle, is among the guests at the King Edward hotel.

Grant Layer, of Nanaimo, is at the King Edward hotel.

P. Higginson, of Vancouver, is registered at the King Edward hotel.

A. Thomas, of Sidney, is among the guests at the King Edward hotel.

George O. Ross, of Ladysmith, is registered at the King Edward.

W. B. Anderson, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Joseph Ray has arrived at the Dominion hotel from Duncan.

H. D. Yates, of Portland, is at the Dominion hotel.

D. J. Dewar, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

J. Parsons, of Vancouver, is registered at the Dominion.

Charles Rutherford has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

William Fisher, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

Peter Wallace has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

D. Drysdale has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Scott arrived yesterday at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.

A. E. Planta has arrived in the city from Nanaimo, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

W. T. H. Hammy has arrived in the city from San Francisco, and is among the guests at the Empress.

Alfred Cousins has arrived in the city from Prince Rupert, and is at the Empress hotel.

Thomas Meredith, of New Westminster, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Graham Kearney, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

J. A. Morduck has arrived in the city from Vancouver, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

W. C. Nelson has arrived in the city from Seattle, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

B. H. Smith has arrived in the city from Fernie, and is among the guests at the King Edward Hotel.

J. R. Lawson, of Seattle, is among the guests at the King Edward from Seattle.

Mrs. Aston has arrived in the city from Shawnigan lake, and is at the King Edward hotel.

Percy Porter, of Springhill, N. S., and Miss Jessie Allan Graham, of Halifax, were united in marriage by Rev. W. Leslie Clay, B. A., Monday afternoon. The bride was attended by Miss Florence Perry, and the groomsmen by Messrs. J. H. Holmes and J. C. Barnacle.

man was Fred Rutledge. After the ceremony a reception was held at the residence of Andrew Swanson, Broad street.

John Milligan, of Otter Point, is among the guests at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Core, of Vancouver, are staying at the Dominion hotel.

Rev. Wm. Samson, Cornish evangelist, leaves tomorrow for Calgary, Winnipeg and the United States, sailing from New York for London at a later date.

Rev. Fred L. Stephenson, of Aldermore, has been staying with his sister, Mrs. Barton, "Althwaite," Burdette avenue, en route for Sol Duc. Mrs. Stephenson accompanied him.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Andrews have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Freda, to Hillis R. Houston, of Victoria, B. C., to take place Wednesday evening, November 6, at the family residence on North 1. street, says the Tacoma Ledger. The wedding ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. Koch, of Seattle, in the presence of relatives and a few intimate friends, and will be followed by an elaborate wedding dinner in the private dining room of the Tacoma hotel. After an extended wedding trip through Northern Canada, Mr. Houston and his bride will be at home in Victoria, B. C., after December 1. They will occupy a beautiful new residence at Oak Bay, which is the wedding gift of the groom's parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Houston, prominent Victoria people. About 50 invitations have been issued for the wedding to family relatives in Tacoma, Seattle and Victoria, and in the East. Herbert Leiser, of Victoria, the well-known pianist and composer, will come down to play the wedding march. Though one of the smaller weddings of the autumn, much interest in Tacoma and Victoria attends the wedding. Mr. Houston's father is past grand master of the Masonic order in Canada, and is well known throughout Canada and the Northwest.

PASSING SHOW

"The Princess."

The Two Orphans was put on at the Princess Theatre on Monday to a very large house, many people being turned away. The play was seen to splendid advantage, the scenic equipment was most adequate. The play calls for six changes of scenery, and the bridge scene, the church effect, and also the Villier scene were very fine. The costumes were also handsome, the rich satin and velvet having been chosen with excellent taste. Although the interest of the play centres around the Two Orphans as they are called, yet there are many other important characters, and all of them were played in a manner that showed not only complete mastery of the art, but also the ability of a high order. Indeed the Williams Co. never appeared to better advantage. Miss Mildred Page invested the blind girl Louise, with a pathos that was irresistible, and touched all hearts. Byron Alden was at his very best in the strong acting part of Pierre the abused cripple. Miss Bessie Bruce did by far the best work she has done since joining the company, and Miss Clara Hanmer did full justice to the Countess. Mr. Van Dyke had a splendid conception of the Chevalier, and Mr. Ripley as the Count De Linere, Mr. Conway as Picard, Mr. Howard as Prefect of Police, Miss Rice in the trying character of Frouhard, Mr. Belasco as Jacques, Mr. Horne as Fluvial, and Mr. Williams as the Doctor, all did excellent work. The "Two Orphans" is a high class production, and worthy of great praise, more especially so when the prices are considered. It will run all week with Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

The Empress Theatre.
Prince Floro, the educated chimpanzee, which is being shown at the Empress theatre this week, is one of the most intelligent animals on the vaudeville stage. Many specimens of the monkey have been brought to this continent, but none has shown the high state of intelligence as this animal, which is insured at a very large sum by its owner.

A high-class contribution is that of Marcellus, an equilibrist, who comes from the music halls of Europe. His act is tastefully dressed. He brings a heavy red plush curtain which offers an effective background to his black and white act.

McClain and Mack, a couple of instrumentalists, are making good at the Empress this week in a musical offering of much excellence.

Fred Morton, a versatile performer, offers an act which embraces a variety of entertainment.

The Dancing Cadets, as the McClain Brothers are billed on the programme, offer some eccentric dancing, which seems to please the audience to judge from the wide measure of applause they receive.

Some good comedy films are shown by the Empress.

Majestic Theatre.
There is an excellent programme at the Majestic to-day and to-morrow. "The Minister and the Outlaw" is a good picture that shows careful preparation. The plot is fresh and conducted clearly, and as it unfolds, many human things give to it a more than passing interest. It is a detective picture set in the West, and made to conform to cowboy atmosphere. "Rivals" is a charming romance of two ardent lovers and a pretty maid. "The Judgment of the Sea" shows a detective detailed to discover a band of smugglers. He obtains lodging at their house, where he becomes enamored of the daughter. He uses his evidence against the smugglers as a club to force his love on the unwilling girl, who is really engaged to another. Later the plot is discovered in time to frustrate his designs. "A Limited Divorce" is a farce comedy. "Like the Cat, They Came Back," a biograph comedy, showing how to cure a culprit from stealing cigars.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron



Do you know what intensive cultivation is?
The other day I heard a man lecture on agriculture and he had a great deal to say about intensive cultivation. And this is what it means.
In days gone by there was so much spare land that men could just scratch the surface of the earth and get plenty to feed the world. But the world is growing very fast. The spare lands are rapidly being taken up and by and by, if we kept up the old-fashioned methods, there wouldn't be enough food to go around. This is where intensive cultivation comes in. It is the science of making the most of every inch of ground by a thorough study of its possibilities and by the use of modern methods. It is the opposite of extensive cultivation. Extensive cultivation means that when you want to produce more you cultivate another acre. Intensive cultivation means that when you want to produce more you make one acre do as much as two.

You have all heard of the efficiency movement in manufacturing. Well intensive cultivation is the country cousin of efficiency engineering.

And now, you are wondering, what has all this to do with me?

Well, in the first place, I think it's a tremendously interesting movement in itself, and in the second place it is tremendously suggestive.

Are you using intensive cultivation in farming yourself?

You regret that you haven't a larger farm. In other words, that your opportunities are not wider, your capabilities bigger and your efficiency greater, but are you getting every possible bit of value out of what you have?

You feel sure you could rise in the business world if you only had more influential friends. Are you making the friends you already have eager to help you when it lies in their power? You wish you were better looking. Are you applying intensive cultivation to the good looks you now have?

You know you could do a great deal more in the world if only you were stronger. Well, are you sure you are not wasting any of your precious store of vitality by foolish and careless habits? Are you sure that every inch of your acre of natural physique is being cultivated and developed after the best modern methods?

You have such a meagre education compared to your neighbor's splendid store of knowledge. Yes, but there have been many cases when intensive cultivation of a very small plot of education has yielded more than careless usage of vast tracts of knowledge.

Intensive cultivation in agriculture fairly astonishes those who apply it by its wonderful results.

A word to the wise, etc.

Ruth Cameron

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Important Announcement

A serious typographical error occurred on several of the advertisements of Lowney's Cocoa which have appeared in this newspaper. The recipe showing how cocoa should be made called for "1-8 tablespoon of salt." It should have called for "1-8 teaspoonful of salt." The correct recipe, as it will appear in all future advertisements of Lowney's Cocoa, is as follows:

The Best Way to Make Cocoa

Mix two even tablespoonfuls of cocoa with two of sugar. Add $\frac{1}{8}$ teaspoonful of salt. Mix gradually with two cups of boiling water. Stir to a smooth paste. Boil 5 minutes. Add two cups of scalded (not boiled) milk, and beat with an egg beater until frothy.

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Do some foods you eat hit back-taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. Diapepsin is quick, positive and puts

your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Put an end to stomach trouble by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

THEY WILL SWOOP DOWN ON OTTAWA

SIR RICHARD AND MR. BOWSER GOING

Will Leave on Friday With Many Demands—Inopportune Visit for Mr. Borden

Regardless of the fact that to the harassed and embarrassed federal premier, their visit at this stage will be most inopportune, Sir Richard McBride and the Attorney-General will leave for Ottawa on Friday with their grips bulging with applications, requests, demands and commands in the interests of British Columbia—and the party. Incidentally Sir Richard will show Mr. Borden how to maintain perfect poise and composure in the midst of distressing political conditions, while the Attorney-General will lend him for the time being a little of his backbone, which the federal leader so greatly requires. Between them they may be able to keep Mr. Borden from falling to pieces until, at least, he faces his first caucus.

In return for these favors they will expect divers things. Sir Richard will ask for a fleet unit on the Pacific and will tell Mr. Borden that British Columbia cannot wait for imperial federation, which is the only condition upon which, Mr. Borden says, he will adopt a permanent naval policy.

Then there is the matter of Better Terms, still alive though not very healthy. It must be dealt with somehow and there seems to be no other outcome than the appointment of a commission—the thirtieth or fortieth the present government by commission will have appointed. The Indian lands question will be discussed in the light of the report of Commissioner McKenna, while the appointment of another commission to inquire into the coal situation in the province will probably come up. All these opportunities to appoint commissioners will be gratefully seized upon by Mr. Borden because they relieve him of the annoying necessity of accepting responsibility.

While in the East the Attorney-General, who, as usual, will do all the work, will probably inquire into the political predictions of likely aspirants to the presidency of the British Columbia university.

Also it is a foregone conclusion that they, in union and perfect harmony, will recommend that R. F. Green, M. P., be made the Minister of Mines. This would involve the removal of the department from the control of the Minister of the Interior, but Dr. Roche would probably not object. He is more interested in No. 1 Hard than in the solution of the zinc problem.

THE WESTHOLME CONTRACT

City Council Contents Itself With Receiving Mr. Meredith's Report.

The third report of Consulting Engineer Wynn Meredith was briefly discussed by the city council last evening, and the aldermen, feeling the effect of a depressing statement of the finances they had just heard, did not show any disposition to discuss it. Alderman Stewart said: "I do not see we can say very much anyway now." If the council did, the alderman said, they would be up against a heavy bill of damages.

The mayor observed that three months ago the Westholme company promised to catch up with their arrears. The report was then adopted without discussion, and Mr. Meredith, who had waited all evening with Resident Engineer Ehle to hear the debate, rose with a cynical smile and left the chamber.

REPORT ON PRESENT CITY INDEBTEDNESS

Important Return From Comptroller Raymur—Total of 266 By-laws Not Closed Up

The tendency of the city authorities to lay little about the financial situation of Victoria to-day has resulted in only a few people knowing the actual state of affairs in this regard. However, when the full significance of Comptroller Raymur's report (made as a return on the motion of Alderman Cuthbert at the previous meeting of the city council, and laid before the council last night) receives the attention of citizens, the position will be made clear.

This return showed that expropriations for street widening purposes and extensions absorb \$92,489, and a sum of not less than half a million is required for the schemes authorized. Although the by-laws are being closed up, there are 266 not yet completed, and the comptroller suggests that no new work should be authorized. He points out that if money by-laws come up for ratification in January the money raised upon them will not be available till late in the year. The city has still in hand fifty-year stock to the extent of \$1,650,000, and the total indebtedness on local improvement works is \$4,044,753, less for by-laws closed up, but not assessed, \$225,558, or a total of \$3,819,195.

Alderman Cuthbert thought the return would justify the request he made, and suggested that in order that aldermen might have full information, the city engineer be asked to report on the reasons why by-laws were not closed up. The largest question before them was that of finance to-day. The finance committee, he knew, had done all they could to press on the engineering department the necessity of closing up by-laws.

The suggestion was adopted; although Aldermen Okell and Stewart said the information would represent a big contract for the engineer. Mayor Beckwith observed that the reason so many by-laws had not been closed up was due to the fact that some covered such a wide area, and embraced so many subjects that could not all be completed in regular order. He would, however, object to laying down rules for new work, which must be at the discretion of the engineer.

ACCOMMODATION FOR OFFICIALS

Waterworks Department Goes to Fairfield Building—Health Department on Cormorant Street

The city council last evening decided to rent a portion of the Fairfield block for the waterworks office, taking a lease for three years at \$125 a month, the owners, Grant & Lineham, to install a vault. Alderman Gleason opposed the recommendation, while the city had property turning in little revenue on Cormorant street, both on the ground of the long lease, and the high price they were paying.

The comptroller said they must do something for the office quarters, which were much over-owed now. There had been 2,000 new water accounts opened this year. The council decided to rent the premises, Aldermen Gleason, Humber and Dilworth voting in the negative.

After some discussion the acting chairman of the health committee, carried through the council the recommendation to alter the market building for the quarters of the health officers.

Mayor Beckwith thought the council should not lose sight of the jail project.

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SLENDER CLUES TO HOLD CHINESE BOY SAVAGE DOG, CIGARS ODD COINS, GET WONG

No Fines, but Month in Jail for Immoral Women From Mainland

Two bartenders working at the Western hotel, Store street, remembered, when a robbery of the cash register there was discovered the morning of October 25, that in the till the previous night when the bar was closed were an American nickel bearing the figure 5 in place of the V, and a 20c. piece of Straits Settlement money. The proprietor, who owned a very savage dog as guardian of the till through the night, recalled that a Chinese boy named Wong, who had been employed in the hotel previously, was the only one about the premises with whom the dog would be friendly. When the police obtained the information about the dog they lost no time in securing Wong, whom they found in Chinatown, and when they found in his pockets a parcel of money containing almost the amount that was left in the till overnight, and among it the five-cent piece with the figure 5, and the 20c. Straits Settlement coin, they did not hesitate to take him into custody.

The owner of the dog described the animal to-day in court as the most savage animal he had ever known. For that reason he kept the dog in an iron cage during the day time and locked him in the bar-room with the cash and the stock of the hotel at night. The dog was practically unapproachable except by the Chinese boy, Wong, and the bartender who took him out every morning and placed him in the cage again. When the owner of the dog said the dog and Wong were friendly, Frank Higgins, who has undertaken the defence of the Chinese, inquired if the owner were speaking for the dog.

An uncommon brand of cigars sold by the Western hotel led to the further implication of Wong in the robbery, for the licensee of the hotel discovered that since April last the merchant who distributes the cigars had disposed of only three orders, and at the other two hotels where they were sold he had found on inquiry that one lot had been disposed of while there was a few remaining at the third. Mr. Higgins immediately suggested that at the third hotel there was a Chinese boy employed, and hinted at the possibility of him having given Wong the cigars found in his pockets after his arrest.

The facts that the cigars were three, and that the money was in amount and description the same as that left in the till, together with the friendly relations existing between the boy and the dog were sufficient for Magistrate Jay to send the accused up for trial. The hotel had been broken into between closing time and morning, entrance being gained by a window. On the bar was found a bottle containing brandy, and a glass.

One month in jail without the option of a fine was given a woman named Ethel North, who had been following an illegal means of gaining a livelihood in a house in the residential part of town. Complaints from the neighbors resulted in her arrest. She was surprised at the penalty and said she was willing to leave town and had purchased her ticket for that purpose just prior to her arrest. Magistrate Jay remarked that women coming from Vancouver and Seattle were under the impression that they could come to Victoria and follow an irregular course of

life, and then escape with a warning to get out of town, or on payment of a fine. He issued a warning that they could not and sent the woman to jail.

Grace Wilson, another woman who pleaded guilty to a similar charge, tried to offset the penalty by the statement that she had only been a few days in Victoria. She also went to jail for one month. A third young woman, aged 19, named Helen Hewton, whose home is at Westminster, was returned to jail for the purpose of being sent back to her home. She had been arrested here on account of her apparent youth. She came to Victoria recently with a man with whom she had lived at a local hotel. A fourth woman, named Kate Clifford, was found not guilty of vagrancy. Detectives said they knew her about town, and that she frequented the streets at night in company with men. The evidence against her was held to be insufficient for a conviction and she was discharged.

NATIONAL SERVICE CAMPAIGN.

London, Oct. 30.—Lord Roberts' campaign advocating national military service was referred to in the House of Commons yesterday, when Sir Edward Grey, in replying to a question, said, amid cheers, that no representation concerning the speech had been made by Germany.

"I should very much deprecate any suggestions that either government should notice provocative words by persons not in a position to control the policy of their respective countries," said Sir Edward Grey.

SENTENCED FOR FORGERY.

Toronto, Oct. 30.—"Dr." James G. Evans, convicted at the sessions of forging a cheque in favor of the Empire College of Ophthalmology, to which was attached the name of the late John Revell, was yesterday sentenced to the Central prison for fifteen months by Judge Denton. Evans' counsel pleaded for leniency on the ground that the prisoner was a drug fiend.



Skin-Tortured Little Ones

Mother! Are your little ones suffering from itching, burning eczema, or other torturing, disfiguring skin troubles? Are you, yourself, worn out with long, sleepless nights and ceaseless anxiety in caring for them? Then you should know that, in most cases, a warm bath with

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Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a postal to "Cuticura," Dept. 28, Boston, U. S. A., will secure a liberal sample of each, with 32-p. book on the skin and scalp, and treatment of their affections.

B. P. O. ELKS NOW ORGANIZING IN THIS CITY.

The Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the Dominion of Canada, through representatives of the Grand Lodge, have opened offices in the Sayward Block, and are pushing the work of organization in this city. The organizers, under the direction of Jacob S. Wood, the well known automobile dealer, are exercising every care in the selection of its members; and none but the very best are admitted to membership, thus making it an order of the highest possible standard.



JACOB S. WOOD Local Organizer.

Until such time as the lodge shall be regularly instituted by the Grand Lodge, the initiation fee will be but \$28. After installation the fee will no doubt be increased to \$50 or \$100. The organizers are to be congratulated upon their early success, having already secured the application of a large number of the leading business and professional men of the city.

The Grand Lodge is located in Vancouver, B. C., and the following are its officers:

- Grand Exalted Ruler..... Charles E. Redeker
- Grand Esteemed Leading Knight..... Dr. A. W. Hunter
- Grand Esteemed Loyal Knight..... W. C. Watrous
- Grand Esteemed Lecturing Knight..... Dr. D. H. Weaver
- Grand Secretary..... Charles L. Barnett
- Grand Treasurer..... J. F. Bennett
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WORK OF VICTORIAN ORDER OF NURSES

General Superintendent of Organization Explains Duties of Staff

Miss Mary Ard MacKenzie, general superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses, explained the duties of the nurses at a meeting of the executive of the local branch of the order, which was held yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, the president, Mrs. Harold Robertson, presiding. Miss MacKenzie's statements came in the form of answers to questions put by various members. She seemed particularly interested in the question of a pure milk supply, and was both surprised to learn that the question had hardly been mooted here at all, and pleased to hear that the supply of milk was so good. There were, she said, five milk stations in Montreal, three of which were in charge of Victorian Order Nurses who followed the mothers in the care of milk, and its preparation for use by children. District nursing, she said, appealed much more to the majority of the Victorian Order of Nurses than nursing among the richer people, and most of them would even much prefer to attend the very poor people than those of moderate means, what is popularly known as slum work being their favorite department of nursing. The two Victorian Order Nurses working in Victoria were both known to her as being very much interested in the poor. When asked how they were to know from whom they might take calls for duty, Miss MacKenzie replied that the Victorian Order nurse should take a summons from any charitable organization, and she did not think a nurse would ever refuse to go to any case, although in some instances it might be impossible for her to answer a call because her presence might be demanded at another case at the same time. Emergency calls, either from rich or poor, should be responded to—

except in the case of contagious diseases—and any person, a clergyman, a teacher, a committee, or a private individual, might send the call. The nurse naturally would have to exercise some judgment, or she might find herself unnecessarily pressed with work.

With reference to the question of the employment of a nurse in the schools, Miss MacKenzie said that untold good had been done in the eastern cities where the plan had been tried, children suffering from defective hearing, under-nourishment, adenoids, and other diseases arising from neglect or ignorance, having been treated with the most gratifying results, the supposedly dull and oftentimes stupid child proving after treatment to be as alert as the best of his classmates. To effect such beneficial results the nurse and doctor had to treat the case tactfully and work with the mothers, educating them in the care and supervision of the children in the home. To assist them properly, the nurse had to find out the circumstances, and whether the mother understood the procedure in connection with consulting the doctor, the dentist, etc. Many mothers would not understand what it meant when the doctor called to see their child, and it would be the province of a tactful nurse to meet the mother, and explain what the trouble was, and point out how the trouble could be corrected. She thought a committee from the Victorian Order here should represent the advantages of the system to the school board of Victoria. In Montreal the nurses were paid by the schoolboard or by the city, and numerous epidemics had been averted by the timely prevention coming through the medium of the nurses. The system had been in vogue there for the past year, and one of the principals of the schools had voluntarily approached her, and said that she could have no idea of the change that had been wrought in the pupils since the introduction of the nurse; the number of absentees had been greatly reduced, and the children moreover came to school in a cleaner and generally more attentive condition than hitherto. In a number of the smaller places the nurse inspected the school children in connection with her Victorian order duties; in larger places a special nurse was required.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Oct. 30.—5 a. m.—The pressure is comparatively low on the northern coast of Vancouver Island, but a vast area of high barometric pressure covers the Canadian continent, and almost the entire region of the United States from the Pacific to the Mississippi river. Rain has fallen west of the ranges and snow on the higher levels of the American plateau and snow is still falling at Salt Lake City. In the prairie provinces snow has fallen at Winnipeg and Port Arthur.

Forecast. For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Easterly winds, chiefly cloudy and cold, with rain or sleet. Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, chiefly cloudy and cold, with rain or sleet.

Reports at 5 a. m. Victoria—Barometer, 30.20; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, .16; weather, cloudy. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, 44; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .06; weather, cloudy. Kamloops—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, 32; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Harkerville—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 34; minimum, 14; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 50; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 35; minimum, 16; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 28; minimum, 18; wind, 12 miles W.; rain, .04; weather, cloudy.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Tuesday.

Temperature. Highest, 53. Lowest, 41. Average, 47. Rain, .26 inch.

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ADJOURNED MEETING TO CONSIDER TRANSFER

Victoria & Sidney Railway Question Will Be Discussed To-morrow Afternoon

The city council adjourned last evening till 2.30 to-morrow afternoon, when they will meet L. C. Gilman, executive assistant, and A. H. McNeill, K. C., counsel in British Columbia for the Great Northern railway, to discuss the proposed transfer of the city's interest in the Victoria & Sidney railway. Mayor Beckwith informed the aldermen that the finance committee discussed the matter with Mr. Gilman that afternoon, but thought it better to meet the whole council. In conversation after the meeting his worship said that the Great Northern officials showed no disposition to recede from the position they have taken up, and would give no promise of better terms than those which have already been reported to the city council, namely \$36,000 cash, and the assumption of the interest due in the next five years, viz.: \$45,000.

THE ADVANCE MAN

Dustan Farnum in "The Littlest Rebel."

A. H. Woods' star, Dustan Farnum, in his stirring drama, entitled "The Littlest Rebel," promises to be the centre of interest when this sterling play and his successful Civil War play comes to the Victoria theatre Thursday, October 31.

The massive production comes intact and is preceded by flattering reports of the great success achieved in the metropolis and in the other large cities. A feature of the performance is the introduction of a thrilling battle between Northern and Southern forces just outside of their home in a plantation cabin. The wife dies, leaving the little girl alone. Her father, hoping to get her through the federal lines to Richmond, is trapped by the unionists in the loft of the cabin, but the little girl pleads so effectively and the father's plight is so pitiful, the commanding officer of the squad that has taken him prisoner, permits him to escape. There is a skirmish, however, and both captor and captive are betrayed. A court martial orders that one is to be hanged as a traitor and the other shot as a spy. Again the "Littlest" rebel, after a visit to General Grant's camp, is instrumental in effecting their release.

"A Butterfly on the Wheel." With the endorsement of long runs in London and New York, "A Butterfly on the Wheel" will have its first presentation here on November 1 and 2, when it is seen at the Victoria theatre, being interpreted by an all-English cast gathered together by Mr. Lewis Waller, the English actor-manager, who came to this country last fall to appear in "The Garden of Allah" and later branched out as a producer of note. Mr. Waller originally played in "A Butterfly on the Wheel" when it was seen in London. He was dubious as to its success in this country until the opening night, when all doubts were removed by the warmth of the reception accorded not only the company but every act of the play.

A commendable thing about "A Butterfly on the Wheel" is the fact that interest progresses. The really "big" scene shows the interior of a court room where occurs the trial of "Peggy Adamston," who is sued for divorce by her husband, a member of parliament. The scene is highly effective, not only in the matter of its presentation but for its admirable performance. "The view of the English court," said the New York Sun, "with its bewigged lawyers and its attentive crowd, its suggestion of mellow age and absence of any jarring theatricalism in scene or figure, was in itself impressive."

"Officer 666." "Officer 666," that successful melodramatic farce which Cohen & Harris announces for presentation here at the Victoria theatre for one night, Monday, November 4, is a play full of risible tricks and melodramatic moments that start a war of shivery thrills chasing each other up and down the spine, only to end in uncontrollable bursts of laughter at the funny antics of this particular sleuth, who, in an unguarded moment, is induced to part with his uniform for a brief period, while the borrower of it is endeavoring to rescue a lady fair from a web of complications woven around her through the machinations of an internationally famous picture thief. "Officer 666" is easily the best farce of the year. It has all the elements that go to make a successful play, least of which is a charming love story where Cupid matches his wits against the stern arm of the law and wins a complete victory.

The Sheehan English Opera Company. The Sheehan English Opera Company, which was so enthusiastically received by Victoria theatregoers a few weeks back, will come to the Victoria Theatre for a special two days' engagement commencing Tuesday, November 5, presenting two of the most favored and famous operas.

On Tuesday evening the Sheehan organization will present "Martha," and on Wednesday evening "The Chimes of Normandy."

The Sheehan Company has strengthened its caste of principals materially since their appearance here, in the acquisition of Miss Helen Jeffries, an Australian singer of great repute, who created no little comment during her three years' engagement as prima donna at Covent Garden and the Carl Rosa Opera Company. Her first debut in "The Trovatore" at Portland, Oregon, was stamped with the stamp of approval by both press and public as an artist of the highest rank. Miss Jeffries is looking forward with the greatest interest to her Canadian tour, having heard so much of the great Canadian Northwest. Miss Jeffries will be with the Sheehan Company at the Victoria Theatre.

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While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

"SOAPY" SMITH'S END.

To the Editor.—To settle an argument will you kindly publish the date of "Soapy" Smith's death in Skagway, Alaska. I contend that he was killed by Frank Reid in July 1898.

E. F. GRIGUIRE.
948 View street, Victoria, B. C., Oct. 29, 1912.

["Soapy" Smith (Jeff Smith) was killed by Frank H. Reid on the night of July 8, 1898.]

ABOUT "CAVIER."

To the Editor: A word to lovers of real Russian "cavier," not the small black, compressed one which is not a bit like it. Of course we have to do with what we can get, and doctor it up with different things to pass muster, but we know all the time it is not the real article.

The real Russian cavier is only obtainable from Russia in December and January, and we get it in England at that time before the Baltic is frozen. It is sent in small casks of about two pounds and is just delicious. The rich people in Victoria, you may be sure, get it at whatever cost, but I am speaking for the public. The conditions of this country are as favorable as Russia for pickling the roe of the sturgeon and the fish are plentiful. Why not add it to the other fishing industries? It would pay. Try it. Having so many nationalities at work, surely some Russian would understand the art of making it.

The result would, let us hope, be that the British Columbia cavier would equal Russian cavier and supplant the same in English markets and at the same time supply our local markets with the genuine article.

"CAVIER."

WHY?

To the Editor: A while ago when sending a first instalment of "whys" to the Times I hinted at a possible second, and you didn't say don't, so here it is:

1. Why has "an Oxford man" (the Prince of Wales, God bless him) adopted a bygone fashion of collar instead of the haughty pattern, appropriately called the "fat man's gullotine"?
2. Why? Because he was well advised and is a young man of artistic taste.
3. Why does not this "Oxford man" chew gum at public and private functions, including divine services?
4. Why? Because he is the cleanly son of the first gentleman in England and her colonies?
5. Why has he adopted the good old, manly fashion of dividing his hair at the side instead of the effeminate centre, so destructive to the appearance of so many advanced or budding politicians?
6. Why is the educated English female voice unsurpassed in tone and accent the world over?
7. Why, in time of trouble, does the Irish woman's voice appeal more to the heart than any other?
8. Why are brilliant, capable women of the most enlightened Empire in the world warned off from the ballot box, whilst so many millions of half idiot males are "fully qualified"?
9. Why do distinguished, and also budding, politicians say foolish things women would never dream of?
10. Why (politically speaking) does the percentage of properly qualified women so far exceed that of men?
11. Why do not those in authority try and try again to improve upon the discipline and the administration of standing rules and regulations in the two excellent hospitals in Victoria?
12. Why not import, at any cost in such a case of life and death, from some of the great hospitals down east, matrons of tact and experience (when a vacancy occurs) who would be capable of further instructing the present staff of nurses, when necessary, which would be only common justice in view of the future career of those young ladies, whom we all so much respect and admire?

OBSERVER.

SOUNDS TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE.

Thirty-four brides in New York have formed the "Never Nag Society," agreeing to eat hubby's breakfast every morning, to dress neatly for the morning meal, to kiss him when he comes home from work, to account for every cent she spends, and to give him a night off every week, to be spent how, when and where he pleases. They might as well have gone the rest of the way and hastened the millennium by agreeing to support the thirty-four blessed benedicts.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Uniform Action of Anglican Synods is Suggested Before Case Goes to Government

It appeared from a report which Dean Doull, convener of the committee, presented to the Anglican Diocesan Synod yesterday, that those who desire to see Bible teaching in the schools of the province have not been idle.

Stirred by a lecture delivered here by S. Pearson on the experiences of Australasia, representatives of the Anglican clergy and the Ministerial Association have been holding meetings, and discussed favorably the New South Wales method, which has prevailed in that state since 1906, and is now applied in Tasmania, Western Australia, Norfolk Island, and Queensland, the last named since the struggle two years ago.

Two fundamental principles, the report showed, govern that system, first reading of simple passages of Scripture from a book prepared by the department of public instruction, with the teachers only giving such instruction as would intelligently explain the lesson, without sectarian or dogmatic teaching, and, secondly, clergy allowed in the schools during school hours to impart instruction to children of their denomination.

After conference the second proposal was abandoned as impossible to adopt in this province. With regard to the first, the committee felt the primary thing was to secure an agreement between the different Protestant churches as to what should be taught, each city acting in concert. They suggested also to approach the synods of the dioceses of New Westminster, Kootenay and Caledonia to secure uniform action throughout the province. Their first duty seemed, therefore, the Dean explained, to be to form public opinion in the province, and with regard to united action, when the time came, he would move a resolution to communicate with the other three dioceses of British Columbia on the matter.

The committee's report was then adopted.

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Clerks Office, Victoria, B. C., October 19th, 1912.

CIVIC NOTICE

RE MUNICIPAL ELECTION, 1913.

The attention of persons desiring to qualify as "HOUSEHOLDERS," or "HOLDERS OF TRADE LICENSES," to vote at the Municipal Election to be held on the 2nd Thursday of January, 1913, is drawn to Section 3 of the "Municipal Elections Act," which provides that "in the case of the holder of a Trade License, or in the case of a Householder, he, or she, shall during the month of October in each year, make and cause to be delivered to the Clerk of the Municipality, a Statutory Declaration made and subscribed before a Supreme or County Court Judge, Magistrate or Police Magistrate, Commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme Court, Justice of the Peace, or Notary Public, in form, and to the effect of Form 1 in the schedule to the said Act in the case of the holder of a trade license, and of Form 2 in said schedule in the case of a householder."

"HOUSEHOLDER" shall extend to and include any person of the full age of 21 years who occupies a dwelling, tenement, hotel or boarding house, who has been a resident in the Municipality from the first day of January of the current year, and who shall, unless exempted by the provision of the proviso at the end of subsection (2) of Section 3 of the Municipal Act (which exempts certified efficient militiamen and persons over the age of 69 years from paying road tax), pay said directly to the Municipality all rates, taxes or assessments, which are not chargeable on land, which rates, taxes or assessments so paid shall amount to not less than two dollars, due to the municipality for the current year, other than water rates or taxes, or license fees for dogs."

Section 5 of the said Act further provides that "No declaration shall be accepted by the Clerk of a City Municipality unless it be delivered within 48 hours after it is made."

Section 5 further provides that "No person who is not a British subject shall have his name placed upon any municipal list of voters."

Forms of declaration may be obtained and the necessary declarations made at the office of the City Assessor, 2nd floor, City Hall, Douglas street.

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- Donald, James Thomas, M. A., D. C. L.** (Montreal); born, St. Catharines, Ont., 1865; official government analyst of Montreal since 1902; a professor at Bishop's college.
- Edmonds, Rev. Walter Everard, M. A.** (Gladstone, Man.); born, Norwich, Ont., 1875; vicar of Saskatoon for some years; now retired and devoting his life to literature.
- Haverson, James, K. C.** (Toronto); born, Macduff, Scotland, 1852; solicitor for the licensed victuallers of Ontario; Kavanagh, Henry John, K. C. (Montreal); born, Quebec, 1859; lawyer and author.
- Lighthill, William Francis** (Montreal); born, Troy, N. Y., 1827; notary and philanthropist.
- Mackenzie, Sir William, K. B.** (Toronto); born, Kirkfield, Ont., 1849; began life as a school teacher, then kept a general store, and afterwards became a railway contractor in association with D. D. Mann (now Sir Donald Mann); commenced construction of what is now the Canadian Northern railway in 1896; president of the Toronto Railway Company, of the Winnipeg Railway Company, and of the Electrical Development Company of Toronto and Niagara Falls; also interested in many other industrial undertakings.
- Maclean, Rev. John, M. A.** (Melbourne, Scot.); born, Kilmarnock, Ayrshire, Scotland, 1851; prominent Presbyterian divine and author.
- Richardson, Right Rev. John Andrew, M. A., D. D., D. C. L.** (Fredericton, N. B.); born, Warwick, Eng., 1868; came to Canada, 1888, and was curate of St. Luke's, Winnipeg, 1897, becoming rector in latter year, when he went to St. John, N. B., as rector of Trinity church; co-adjutor bishop of Fredericton, 1906-1907; bishop of Fredericton since 1908.

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MOUNT NEWTON, 101 acres, partly slashed, with several springs of water. Per acre \$80.00

WESTWOOD SUBDIVISION, NEAR ROYAL OAK, 2.18 acres, with long frontage on new Saanich car line. One-half cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Price \$2000

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922 GOVERNMENT ST.

Waterfrontage, Hollywood Park, 60 ft. lot, running from waterfront to Hollywood Crescent; 1/2 cash. Price will be raised to \$3,000 on 1st of March. Price \$2700

Gorge Waterfront, 2 lots, each 50 feet x 140, on the best part of the Gorge; 1/2 cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price the two \$8,500

Lillian Road, Hollywood district, close to car and beach; 1/2 cash. Price is only \$1500

Oak Bay, Mitchell St., 49 x 122; 1/2 cash. Price \$1500

N. Hampshire Rd., 2 lots, each 58x122, close to Oak Bay Ave.; 1/2 cash. Price each \$2100

Burdette Ave., 39x198, with a 4 room dwelling producing good revenue; \$1250 cash, balance arranged on very easy term. Price is \$4750

Oak Bay, Chaucer St., 50x110, with a small building, terms easy. Price is \$1750

Rose St., just off Hillside Ave., corner lot, with six-room house; 1/2 cash, balance 7 per cent. Price \$4000

Fernwood Road, on the hill (Rockland Park), beautiful residential lot, 50x129; 1/2 cash, balance easy. Price is \$2000

WESTERN LANDS LIMITED

1201 Broad street, corner of View.

Menzie's Street, on the car line, eight roomed modern house, large lot. On good terms. In view of the coming development this is a splendid speculative investment. Price, for quick sale \$8000

We still have a few lots left in our Union Bay Subdivision; as the cars are to be running soon these should be picked up quickly.

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Beacon St., 5 roomed modern Bungalow, cement floor basement, piped for furnace, near park, close to car, lot 50x130 to alley; terms. Price is \$6,500

Craigdarroch, lot 50x165; terms. Price \$3,750

Cadboro Bay Heights, 2 lots, 60x120, terms. Price each \$1,750

Dunlevy St., lot 50x120, car passage street; terms. Price \$1,750

Gorge Park, lot 55x120, very high and dry; terms. Price \$950

Glen Lake, 7 1/2 acres, good soil, waterfront 690 feet; terms. Price \$2,750

We have houses, lots and acreage in all parts of city and vicinity.

We are agents for Triple Tread Steel Studded Tires. If you wish to save automobile expenses try them.

Malahat Drive, Mill Bay, 108 acres waterfront, two creeks running through, no rock, house and barn on property; adjoining property subdivided, selling at from \$300 to \$1200 per acre; terms. Price per acre \$200

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1222 Broad St., Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE.

The choicest business location on Gorge road, situate at the junction of Gorge road, Garbally road and Bridge street, this property offers special attractions to the investor. Having, approximately, a frontage of 100 feet on Gorge road, 80 feet on Garbally road, and 65 feet on Bridge street, this property lends itself to the erection of a revenue producing building containing stores, with apartments over. We are offering this at a price which insures a handsome profit on the money invested. Further particulars can be obtained at our office, 1222 Broad street.

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For a few days only, we have for sale, at the present price, a most desirable business corner, with a frontage of 135 feet on Hillside Avenue near Douglas Street, good, modern dwelling house on property; on easy terms. Price \$16,400

Hillside Avenue is now double-tracked and street cars will be running on the avenue in a few days. Investigate now before prices advance, as they are sure to do.

J. STUART YATES

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FOR SALE

Two Valuable Water Lots on Victoria Harbor, at foot of Yates Street.

To Rent—Three-story Warehouse on Wharf Street.

BAIRD & McKEON

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Victoria Gardens—The choicest waterfront lot. Terms, 6, 12, 18, and 24 months. Price \$3750

Garbally Road—Choice lot, 55x135, close to Douglas St. Terms, 1/2 cash, 6, 12, 18 months. Price \$3000

Saratoga Ave.—New, modern 6 roomed bungalow, full basement, furnace. Terms, \$1500 cash, balance can be arranged to suite purchaser. Price is \$5500

Monterey Avenue—Fine lot, 50x120. Terms, 1/2 cash, 6, 12, 18 months. Price \$1700

Graham St.—Modern 6 roomed bungalow, full sized lot. Terms, 1/2 cash, balance arranged. Price \$4500

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CHOICE LOTS.

May Street, 2 lots close to Fernwood Road, Each \$1700

Rockland Avenue, between Linden Ave. and Cook St. \$4200

Graham Street, between Finlayson and Summit, 50x217 \$1500

Burnside Road, 1 acre \$7350

Lyall Street, Esquimalt, 50x125. \$1500

Colquitz Avenue, the Gorge, 50x193. Price \$1100

Vancouver Street, between Bay and King's \$2500

Esquimalt Waterfront, View of Royal. Price \$1800

Portage Avenue, facing down street to Gorge \$950

McNeil Avenue, Oak Bay \$1500

Pleasant Avenue, above Saratoga, for half cash \$1700

Cor. Hampshire and Saratoga, 45x140, to lane \$2250

St. Patrick St., close to McNeil, \$1470

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IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

Freedom is not only impractical, it is impossible; It is even inconceivable. It is "a dream of a dreamer who dreams he is dreaming."

If you were to wake up some morning with the consciousness that you were utterly free to do as you please, you would be paralyzed.

Human life is possible only under the condition of certain laws; human happiness is found only in obedience to those laws.

I said freedom is even inconceivable. Theologians assert that God Himself is not above His laws. We cannot grasp the unconditional.

The primeval savage in the jungle is bound in a hundred ways; he has less freedom than the poor lady at court. For we are freer now than were our ancestors, merely because



We have developed law to a higher degree. The only way, it seems, to get freedom is to take it away.

Legislatures and courts are constantly limiting the freedom of the individual. They dictate the hours he shall work, the pay he shall get, the way his children shall be taught, when he shall fight and when keep the peace, and a hundred other limitations of his desires.

There is no such thing as freedom. What we mean when we say the word is justice in laws.

For the only freedom is justice.

ELECTRIC CABLE WANTED

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Monday, November 25th, 1912, for 12,000 ft. or more 16 pair No. 16 Cable, 2,000 ft. or more No. 16 Duplex Cable.

Specifications can be seen at the Purchasing Agent's Office, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked "Tender for Electric Cable."

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
Purchasing Agent,
City Purchasing Agent's Office, City Hall, Oct. 26, 1912.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received up to the 31st of October, 1912, either as to the whole or in part, for the sale and purchase of about 55 acres (subdivided into five-acre lots) known as lots 1 to 5 (inclusive), Section 47, and lots 1 to 5 (inclusive), Section 25, Lake District, Map 882; 25 acres cleared, 16 under cultivation and 15 slashed, new 5-roomed cottage and barn and 3 good wells.

Terms, one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years, interest 7 per cent, payable half-yearly.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

BELLIOTT MACLEAN & SHANDLEY,
Central Building, Victoria, B. C.
Solicitors for Estate of E. S. Smith

Burnside Road Special

The finest building lot on the street, close to Douglas. For quick sale, only

\$3300

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723 View Street, City.

WATERFRONTAGE LOTS

Corner, Hollywood Crescent, running to water, size 50x120. Price \$6,000

Hollywood Crescent to water, size 51x135 \$4,000

FACING GORGE WATERS.

On Gorge Road, double corner, 110x125 \$5,000

60x125, corner \$2,750

Splendid modern cottages in Esquimalt, close to car line; lot 55x135, on easy terms. Each \$3,500

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Buy Near the Car Line

LARGE CORNER ON HILLSIDE AVENUE, 135 ft. on Hillside and 96 ft. on Graham \$11,500

EDGEWARE ROAD, 40x120; \$300 cash, balance \$20 per month. Price \$875

BURNSIDE ROAD, 150 ft. by 290 ft. \$7350

SPLendid SEVEN ROOM HOUSE ON CEDAR HILL ROAD. All modern conveniences, nice conservatory. Built-in side-board, etc. Very large lot. \$2000 cash, balance \$35 per month. Price \$6200

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MONEY TO LOAN.

Good Buys in Lots

ESQUIMALT ROAD AND FRASER STREET, corner, 44x113 ft. Price is \$4500

OSCAR STREET, near Linden, 50x141 ft. Price is \$2300

MOWE STREET, near Faithful, 50x115 ft. Price is \$2200

HOWE STREET, near Faithful, 50x85 ft. Price is \$1800

CORONATION AVENUE, near Fort street, 50x110. Price \$1250

VANCOUVER STREET AND EMPRESS, corner, 51x130 ft. Price \$3700

Easy terms can be arranged on all above.

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We have five lots on bloc, 50 by 140, close to Foul Bay Beach, on terms of quarter cash; balance 6, 12 and 18 months, at each \$1750

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1412 Government St. Phone 2662

Burnside Rd., 2 high lots, overlooking the valley, 54x120; 1/2 cash, balance 6, 12, 18. Price is \$2500

Glass House Bargain, 3 lots and business; \$800 cash, balance in 2 years, all for \$3800

Acreage Snap, 100 acres in Metchoen; cash \$2,000, balance 1, 2, 3 years. Per acre \$75.00

Pandora Ave. Bargain, 30 ft. between Douglas and Blanchard; cash \$1500. Per front ft. \$1250

For Rent—New 8 room House.

A MODERN HOME

With a Magnificent View of Mountains and Straits

Containing six spacious rooms, cement basement and furnace. Built by owner. Entrance from two streets, on large lot, situated within easy walking distance of city and close to car line. Don't hesitate to view this at the reasonable price of

\$6,000
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Buyers Should Note These Lots

50 ft., Oak Bay avenue. Price...\$5500
 Double corner, Oak Bay avenue...\$12,000
 51 ft., Oak Bay avenue. Price...\$5000
 Corner, Fort St. \$3500
 48 x 180, Hampshire south...\$2000
 50 x 180, Hampshire south...\$1750
 50 ft., Hampshire south. Price...\$1500
 2 lots, Pleasant Ave. Each...\$1700
 2 lots, Davie, south. Price...\$4400
 50 ft., Florence St. Price...\$1250
 50 ft., Charlton St. Price...\$1100
 2 lots, Heron St., adjoining Uplands. Price...\$3150
 50 x 140 ft., Hulton St., north, close to Fort. Price...\$1500
 Half acre, Monterey, close to Shoal Bay. Price...\$3500
 60 x 110 to lane, Newport Ave...\$2500
 Corner St. Charles and Ross streets, 56 x 117. Price...\$2250
 Third of acre, St. Louis. Price...\$3500
 Corner Transit and Cookman...\$1700
 50 x 162, Transit Road. Price...\$2100

We have a large listing of houses of all sizes and descriptions.

Cadboro Gardens

Fine lots in this subdivision left at \$1200 each. These are double lots averaging 100x110, and the view from most of them is superb. They are sold on very easy terms.

H. F. PULLEN

2056 Oak Bay Ave. Phone 3543

NOTICE TO ELECTORS

Those wishing to qualify to vote as householders and licensees at the next municipal election, who are not in a position to make the declaration in the Assessor's Office within the usual office hours, will have the privilege of making said declaration in the Assessor's Office between the hours of 9 o'clock and 9 o'clock in the evening of every day in the week, for the remainder of the month of October instant, excepting Saturday, Sunday and Monday next (Thanksgiving Day), as the said office will be opened during these hours for that purpose.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., City Clerk's Office, October 23rd, 1912.

MUNICIPALITY OF ESQUIMALT, B. C.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the offices of the Municipal Council of Esquimalt, situated at the rear of Lamson Street School, are now open for business during Office Hours, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. By Order of the Council.

THOMAS SHEPHERD, C. M. C. Box D, Thornburn P. O.

ALL AGREE UPON SIMILAR PRICE

STRANGE UNANIMITY OF PRINTING FIRMS
 Voting by Districts Cannot Be Held for Aldermen in January

Truth is stronger than fiction, and so apparently are the prices of printing. The city council set out recently to distribute its orders without regard to certain interests, and proposed also to place the printing of by-laws in rotation among the job offices of the city.

The present holder of the expiring contract, Thomas R. Cusack, naturally objected, and lodged a protest, indicating that the prices to the city would remain the same from all members of the association.

When the tenders for printing the voters' list were opened last evening each firm tendered \$1.45 a page, the three bidders being T. R. Cusack, the Victoria Printing & Publishing Co. and the Acme Press. Nobody knew what to do with them, and although a ballot was suggested it was not taken, and the tenders were laid on the table for a week.

Alderman Humber then wanted to withdraw his motion to distribute the printing of by-laws, but ultimately this took the same course.

Arising out of the discussion on this subject of voters' lists, the solicitor pointed out a difficulty which had been created by the impossibility of dividing the aldermanic list into five parts as done last year for the January election. He said the list would be alphabetical like the majority list, as there was no power to revert to the ward system for twelve months after the passage of a by-law abolishing them.

The mayor quoting a case from London, Ontario, where the abolition of the ward system had resulted in most of the aldermen coming from one portion of the city.

Alderman Humber: "I hope they won't all come from the top of Fort street next year." (Laughter.)

It was announced that the next election would be held in consequence of various centres, the poll for ten aldermen being held in one building. Among expenditures authorized was a grant of \$117 to the Children's Aid Society for furniture and crockery for the juvenile home and \$50 to Ian St. Clair in recognition of his services as swimming instructor. The offer of Thomson Fell on behalf of Mrs. Humphries to accept \$7,945 for land which the city expropriated for the extension of Burrard street was accepted.

A suit will follow the refusal of the city council to pay a claim of \$1,255.90 from the Victoria Machinery Depot for material supplied to Smith's Hill reservoir, which Mr. Foreman, who was resident engineer on the job, refuses to certify. They have commenced an action through Alkman & Austin, which the city will defend.

The council will refuse to remit the taxes on the site of St. Columba's Presbyterian church, applied for by Rev. R. A. McConnell, the city solicitor, advising that the application should have been made to the Court of Revision.

This is one of the church exemption cases arising out of the amendment of the Municipal Clauses Act as appearing in the revised statutes.

A communication was received from the board of railway commissioners approving of the spur track for the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company across Discovery street, applied for by the E. & N. railway.

SUCCESSFUL SMOKER.

Visiting Cricketers Entertained—Team Manager Proposes Bringing Eleven Here Next Summer

The Australian cricketers were last evening entertained to a dinner and smoker at the Balmoral Cafe, when a very pleasant evening was spent. In addition to the B. C. Cricketers and the Australians, there were also present Hon. D. M. Eberts, who presided; W. H. Hayward, M. P. P.; R. H. Pooley, M. P. P.; W. Blakemore and F. W. Reeves.

An excellent dinner was served and after the usual toasts had been honored the rest of the evening was spent in harmony. Songs were rendered by Arthur Wheeler, Jr.; F. W. Reeves, Buxington-Poole and Mr. Collison.

W. Benjamin, the manager of the Australian eleven, spoke at some length on the possibility of bringing out an Australian team to this country next summer, intimating that he was ready to do his utmost towards making cricket a national game in Canada. Hon. D. M. Eberts also made some suitable remarks on the value of cricket as a sport and a factor in the physical life. The evening was much enjoyed.

To-night at 11 o'clock the Australians embark on the Marama for the last lap of their long tour.

ALEXANDRA CLUB.

Officers—Nearly All Re-elected For Ensuing Year.

At the annual general meeting of the Alexandra Club, held yesterday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, Mrs. I. W. Powell, presiding, the election of the officers of the executive resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Henry Croft; first vice-president, Mrs. I. W. Powell; second vice-president, Mrs. Griffiths; secretary, Mrs. Hasell; treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Wright. The elections were in nearly every instance unanimous.

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Made specially to burn B. C. Fuel.
Repairs when necessary always in Stock at Vancouver.

Mrs. McMicking, Mrs. Sampson, and Mrs. McPhillips.

After the business part of the proceedings had concluded, the ladies were served with delicious refreshments, Mrs. Hasell announcing during the afternoon that in addition to the stage box which has been reserved at the theatre this evening for the Daughters of Empire two boxes were being reserved for members of the Alexandra Club and for the Women's Canadian Club.

MINIMUM SALARY URGED FOR CLERGY

Financial Agent Thinks \$4,100 a Year and House Should Prevail on This Island

The advantage of the appointment of a clerical financial secretary for the diocese of Columbia was shown at the meeting of the synod now in progress in the city, when yesterday afternoon that gentleman, the Rev. C. R. Littler, presented his statement of five months' work.

While he showed that the sum of \$2,240 had been promised in eleven parishes in that time towards the diocesan funds annually, and \$1,232 to special funds, he expressed the opinion that it would be possible to give every clergyman in the diocese a minimum income of \$1,000 a year, with house, or \$1,200 a year without house, instead of \$900 or \$1,000, as at present, by a small additional outlay on salaries. He suggested that the matter be further considered by the synod, as he knew many of the clergy were living on a small income, and he knew how heartbreaking a task it was, and its paralyzing effect on work.

Bishop Roper, in expressing his satisfaction that the appointment of a clerical financial agent was proving a success, said that in making these extra demands on the laity they must not be impatient that more was not accomplished, and that services were not given twice on Sundays, but the attitude of the diocesan leaders had rather been to provide for services where at present there were no ministrations at all.

The report was adopted, and its suggestions will be further considered.

You can buy at any first class hotel or liquor store a large bottle of the

Special Selected Whisky

of the Corby Distillery with the Government Seal unbroken, and dilute to suit yourself.

This is pure, straight whisky which goes the furthest and is the best mixer with mineral waters, lemonades, punches and other liquors.

Bottled in Bond!

"Corby's of Corbyville for Over Half a Century."

YOU CAN MAKE 100% Standard Coal Shares to Advance in Price

In order to make money, from an investment proposition, it is necessary for the investor to be absolutely certain that the enterprise, at the same time, embraces substantial security and a promise of early profit.

If you ask a Banker for his opinion on a proposition and he definitely states that the security is gilt-edged, and that you will surely make a profit if you purchase it at the ground floor price, you would naturally be satisfied; would you not? If a skilled Physician, bearing a national reputation for his thoroughness and exactness in diagnosis, after examining a friend of yours, stated in the most emphatic manner that your friend was (or was not) suffering from a certain disease, and that he would (or would not) recover, would you believe him? Would you be inclined to accept his decision as final, and as being correct?

The above are by way of illustration, since in certain investment propositions the investor must take the opinion of the skilled experts, who understand all the details surrounding the proposition and the possibility of a profit, and their opinion should be sufficient to satisfy even the most sceptical individual as to the possibility of the enterprise producing an early profit.

To-day you are offered an interest in a proposition—the Standard Coal Company—by way of purchase of shares from the Trustee, at a price, which men who know, say, is a ground floor price—25c per share—which shares have a par value of \$1.00. You can buy 100 shares to-day and for a few days more at 25c, on such terms as ten dollars cash with application and the remainder over a period of three months.

You would naturally accept the statement of such an eminent authority as Mr. Alexander Faulds, M. E., M. Inst. M. E., who is so well and favorably known both in this country and in Great Britain as an authority on coal mines.

Mr. Faulds has been actively engaged in coal mining for over 40 years. He is conservative in his opinions. He has personally inspected both Mine No. 1 and Mine No. 2 of the Standard Coal Co., whose properties front on Skidegate Inlet, Graham Island, and of which Mine No. 1 adjoins the property of the British Pacific Coal Company, while No. 2 mine is on the east coast of Graham Island distant 64 miles from Prince Rupert. The two together comprise 16 square miles of coal land.

The British Pacific Coal Co., Ltd., commenced operations on their thirteen square miles of coal land two years ago. To-day they have completed a 700-foot tunnel cutting across six seams of Anthracite coal and Anthracite Coal is the King of all coals.

The property is distant 84 miles from Prince Rupert City.

Mr. Faulds is the Consulting Engineer of the British Pacific Coal Co. and has reported upon the properties of the Standard Coal Company. His opinion should bear the same relation to the proposition as a safe investment as does the banker's opinion of a standard security.

Herewith is published particulars concerning Mines Nos. 1 and 2 of the Standard Coal Company which are taken from the report of Mr. Alexander Faulds.

QUANTITY 70,000,000 TONS COAL IN MINE NO. 1

"From the geological evidences, the various outcrops of coal seams and development by The British Pacific Coal Company, Ltd., and the results of boring by the B. C. Amalgamated Coal Company and The American Canadian Coal Company, Ltd., and from other available information gained by the reporter on Graham Island, we can approximately, and that very conservatively, from the facts indicating the general permanence and continuity of coal seams, through the property, however variable they may be in detail, taking them horizontally and neglecting the dip subject to the geological effects of tilting, folding, faulting and loss in working, estimate such quantities of merchantable coal that will pass over 1 1/2-inch spaced bar screen at 1,000 tons per acre per foot thick, which would amount to seventy million tons for an aggregate thickness of 36 feet of coal in the three coal seams as developed in Camp Robertson and these at an output of 1,000 tons daily, or one-quarter million tons annually, would last over 250 years."

COAL SUPERIOR TO ANY ON PACIFIC COAST

	Brit. Pac. Anthracite Robertson—Wilson Bitum.					
	(5)	(6)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Moisture	2.14	1.80	2.04	2.80	3.94	1.94
Vol. Matter	75	4.77	26.76	28.29	32.32	24.94
Piced Carbon	81.72	81.65	82.81	82.19	87.22	83.97
Ash	3.26	6.89	7.74	4.80	6.40	2.05
	100	100	100	100	100	100

"No. 1 is an excellent coking and smithy coal; No. 2 somewhat similar to No. 1, but not so free from impurities; No. 3 was a somewhat freer burning bituminous coal of excellent quality, burning with a clear flame, leaving a very small percentage of ash, and requiring but little draught."

"Another seam three feet thick overlies No. 4 and is similar in quality to it.

"The anthracite coal deposits at Cowgitz, Anthracite and on Yakoun Lake on Graham Island, are the only present known deposits within 550 miles of Vancouver, Hanft anthracite being 563 miles from the Vancouver market."

"These coals are vastly superior to any produced on the Pacific Ocean, either in America or Asia, therefore they can compete successfully in all the vast markets, which depend upon Vancouver Island, Washington, Oregon, Japan and Australia for their supplies."

EXCELLENT INVESTMENT PROPOSITION

"Your property is well situated, being on tide-water."

"In Vancouver the selling prices per ton of 2,000 lbs. of anthracite from Pennsylvania, \$15; Banft, \$9; egg, stove and nut, \$8.50; Crow's Nest semi-anthracite sells at \$9.50, and at Prince Rupert at \$11."

"That there is an abundant field for the invest-

ment of capital is shown by the success attendant upon the operation of established enterprises.

"Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir, now deceased, and wife of the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir, received from the Wellington Colliery Company's operations in ten years \$3,000,000 or \$300,000 per annum.

"From these operations the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir was made a millionaire and the capital furnished for constructing the E. & N. railway on Vancouver Island."

"An average profit of \$773,755 per annum for the years of 1907, 1908 and 1909, the average profit per ton of coal being \$1.90 has been realized from these coals, after allowing for all expenses, other than depreciation or exhaustion of minerals, and allowing for the addition for 1909 of \$20,775 interest on the mortgage of the San Francisco properties which were leased to the Western Fuel Company of Nanaimo at a monthly rental and valued at \$1,000,000."

HISTORY WILL REPEAT ITSELF

"You know that the history of coal mining in British Columbia records shares offered in mines that are to-day the most prosperous and most profitable, as low as 10 cents per share at the inception of the Company operating mine. In many instances the shares are worth \$100 per share to-day. The Crow's Nest Pass Company, in which shares were sold at 10 cents a share a few years ago, brought the price of \$380.00 per share when the same were absorbed by the Great Northern."

"Your property is proportionately as valuable as any of these, and can produce a clear profit of \$1.00 per ton exclusive of the manufacturing of coke."

COMPARISON OF VALUES

"The value of the three coal seams aggregating 36 feet thick in situ in the property would be \$360 per acre, exclusive of agricultural and timber values and the making of coke; these values being due to property being situated on tidal transportation."

"These 3,840 acres or thereby are excellent and adequate commercial assemblages for all industrial purposes, capable of producing from the three coal seams aggregating 36 feet thick, in half the area, to be conservative, a daily output of 1,000 tons for over 250 years."

"The Western Steel Corporation of Seattle own nearby 30,000 acres on Graham Island, and they estimate the value of their holdings as worth \$20,000,000 in coal and \$500,000 in timber, a total of \$20,500,000, or \$1,025 per acre."

"Taking the capitalization at \$2,000,000 at 12% gives \$250,000 per annum, and taking an output of 1,000 tons daily, or 250,000 tons annually, at a profit of \$1.00 per ton, would produce \$250,000 per annum, or the capital recouped in eight years, adding another year for contingencies, making nine years, or say altogether, at the utmost, ten years."

EXTRACTS FROM REPORT ON MINE NO. 2

"The property is situated at the mouth of the Tiel River on the east coast of Graham Island and extends inland westerly for three miles in north latitude 53 deg. 36 sec. and west longitude 131 deg. 52 sec., 30 miles north of Skidegate Indian village, 80 miles west of Prince Rupert and 575 miles northwest of Vancouver, B. C.

"Lot 1350 would make an ideal location for a townsite."

PRODUCTION, QUALITY, TRANSPORTATION AND MARKETS

"Markets should be assured amongst the settlers, and also at Prince Rupert (80 miles distant), the terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific Transcontinental Railway, which would be completed by the time this coal property was developed and ready for shipping."

"The geological evidence, and also from the development work, executed on the coal seams outcropping at Camps Anthracite, Robertson and Wilson show them to be in their ascending order as under:

- No. 1 coal seam "Yakoun" or "Robertson" is 17 feet 0 inches.
- No. 2 coal seam "Yakoun" or "Robertson" is 12 feet 0 inches.
- No. 3 coal seam "Yakoun" or "Robertson" is 7 feet 0 inches.
- No. 4 coal seam "Yakoun" or "Wilson" is 14 feet 0 inches.

Total, 50 feet 0 inches.

"The area of the property aggregates 4,480 acres; take the coal bearing area at 4,320 acres; say 4,000 acres, and the arbitrary thickness of 20 feet of the bituminous coal property of the American Canadian Coal Company, Ltd., where those lignite coal seams aggregate about 22 feet 2 inches in three seams, may also occur similarly in your property."

"Take the arbitrary thickness of these at say 10 feet 10 inches. Therefore we can compute approximately the total production as follows:

	Acres.	Thickness.	Tonnage in Millions.
Lignite	4,000x	10 ft.	40
Bituminous	4,000x	20 ft.	80
			120

which would last for nearly 500 years, at a daily output of 1,000 tons or 250,000 tons annually.

CAPABLE OF PAYING ENORMOUS PROFITS

"The value of 120 million tons of coal in situ in your Mine Number 2 over the coal bearing area of 4,000 acres, would be \$300 an acre, not including land and timber values."

These are most important facts, absolutely essential for appraising such properties."

"Taking the estimated tonnage of 120 millions at fifty cents per ton profit, would give \$60,000,000 or \$30 return, or 3,000% for every dollar invested, on a capitalization of \$2,000,000."

"The data and reasons for favorable conclusions have been carefully laid before you in this report, promising very profitable returns of fifty cents per ton on 2,000 lbs. of coal or a return of \$30 for every dollar invested, which is 3,000%, resulting in re-

deeming a capitalization of \$2,000,000 in about 19 years."

SUMMARY

Mr. Faulds estimates that No. 1 Mine can ship 1,000 tons daily for 250 years (all anthracite coal); No. 2 Mine at a daily output of 1,000 tons, could ship for 500 years. Mr. Faulds in his report estimates the gross profit of \$70,000,000 from No. 1 Mine, which would be \$35 for every dollar invested, or 3,500% did the Company own but this one mine; add to this, however, the fact that Mr. Faulds estimates that No. 2 property will return a profit of \$60,000,000, or \$30 for every dollar invested, were the holdings of the company but this one mine, which is 3,000%.

Therefore the total possible profits from the property is \$130,000,000, or 6,500%, which is \$65 for every dollar invested.

HOW TO APPLY FOR SHARES

The trustee, William Forbes Alloway, Jr., banker, well and favorably known, will receive applications for shares held by him, which he will transfer as fully paid up and non-assessable when payment has been received for the same at (25) twenty-five cents per share, which shares have the par value of One Dollar.

Only a limited block of stock is offered by the trustee at twenty-five cents per share, and the trustee reserves the right to himself to refuse any and all applications.

Address a letter or application to the Trustee, and specify therein the number of shares you wish to take, enclosing at the same time a sum in cash by postal order, money order, express order, or marked cheque, equal to ten cents per share for each and every share applied for and forward the whole only by registered mail; the remainder of the purchase price is payable in three equal monthly instalments.

No applications will be received for less than one hundred shares.

The next issue to be offered by the Trustee will be at thirty-five or fifty cents per share.

Where all cash accompanies applications, a certificate will be issued at once.

If you are interested in this proposition and feel inclined to buy shares at the present price of 25c each, you should lose no time in forwarding your application to the nearest office of the Trustee.

It is only a matter of a few days now until the price will be advanced from 25c to 35c per share.

The man who buys 100 shares or 1000 shares to-day at 25c will, through the advance in price a few days hence, participate in a profit of 10c per share or \$100 on the 1000 shares and you can buy 1000 shares with \$100 cash down and the remainder in three monthly instalments of \$50 each.

You have the assurance that in the immediate future a subsequent issue will be offered at 50c per share. This means, therefore, that the man who buys to-day at 25c will make 100% profit through the advance in price to 50c per share in a few weeks' time and 100% profit is a good return on your investment in so short a space of time.

A definite date of the closing of the 25c issue will be fixed by the Trustee and public notice given of the same in the papers on or before November 9th.

The Trustee, however, reserves the right to withdraw the sale of the 25c issue at any time without giving any definite notice of closing to the public. This guarantee is issued that it is only a matter of a few days before the 35c issue will be announced.

You have the assurance that a subsequent issue will be offered at 75c a share and at this price your profit on purchase made to-day would be 200 per cent.

Most intimate friends have been advised to buy just double the amount of stock they intend to hold permanently and sell out half their holding when the price has advanced to 50c. This gives them the other half of their original purchase free of cost. Why not do likewise?

No man ever became independent through the interest he received on Savings account at 3% or 4%. Life is so short that few of us live long enough to enjoy a life of independence unless we make careful investments in propositions which are at the same time secure and embrace a promise of early and handsome profit.

You must know that coal is essential in the advancement and development of a country, industrially and commercially. Therefore, if you identify yourself with a project which has to do with the operation of coal mines then you have the satisfaction of knowing that you have joined an enterprise which is associated with the building up of the country and with the advancement and progress of the Constituency or District, and this advancement must carry with it the success of the coal enterprise. If you believe in the future of the West, then you must appreciate the advantage of being identified with mining coal.

The proposition submitted herewith is most complete. Further details, however, may be secured by calling in person or writing to the District Office of the Trustee.

Applications will be received and transfers made in order of receipt of same, although there is no guarantee that you will receive a definite block of stock applied for since the limited issue to be sold at 25c may be withdrawn from the market at any time without further public notice, in which event your application and money would be returned if too late.

Remember, that for every 100 shares the cash payment is \$10.00 down and the remainder \$5 per month. All money remitted in cash should be by registered mail and should be made by postal note or express order.

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**CANADIAN PACIFIC
STOCK STRONGER**

Regains Four Points in New York Market—Rally Near Close

(Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Oct. 29.—There was a resumption of heavy pressure, particularly on steel, which was reflected by general weakness in the stock market to-day. Foreign markets were unsettled, and Paris and Berlin, as well as London were again credited with being heavy sellers of American issues. C. P. R. was an exception and regained four points.
Advices from other side were indicative of further advance in the German bank rate owing to the fact that open market discounts in Berlin are quoted above bank rate, and so far as Paris was concerned more or less uncertainty was in evidence relative to probable outcome of the monthly settlements which begin on Thursday.
The fears of further complications in Balkans are doing much towards fostering alarm in financial circles on the Continent and New York has been forced to carry the burden of the other side in the nature of affording a market on which stocks may be liquidated. There was a moderate rally near the close.

High-Low-Bid.
Allis-Chalmers, pref. 23 1/4 23 1/2
Amal. Copper 54 51 53
Ann. Beet Sugar 69 68 68 1/2
Ann. Can. 42 38 40
Ann. Cotton Oil 57 56 57 1/2
Ann. Locomotive 82 81 82
Ann. Smelting 62 61 62
Ann. Sugar 123 122 123
Ann. Tel. & Tel. 142 141 142
Anaconda 62 61 62
Atchafalpa 105 104 104 1/2
B. & O. 106 105 105 1/2
B. R. T. 89 88 89
C. P. R. 361 358 361
Central Leather 32 31 31 1/2
C. & O. 159 158 159
C. & G. W. 361 360 361
Do, pref. 361 360 361
C. M. & St. P. 109 107 107 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron 259 258 259
Cons. Gas 27 26 27
Distillers Sec. 114 113 114
Erie 123 122 123
G. N. pref. 137 136 137
G. N. Ore cfs. 464 464
Inter-Metro. 208 207 208
Do, pref. 412 411 412
Kas. City Southern 282 278 282
Lehigh Valley 1742 1738 1738
Guggenheim 56 55 56
Calif. Petrol. 178 177 178
M. S. F. & S. M. 139 138 139
M. K. & T. 272 270 272
Mo. Pacific 424 423 424
Nat. Lead 64 62 63
Nev. Cons. 212 211 212
N. Y. C. 114 113 114
N. & W. 1154 1148 1148
N. P. 1242 1232 1232
Pacific Mail 323 322 323
People's Gas 1178 1177 1178
Reading 252 249 249
Rock Island 1964 1959 1959
Do, pref. 61 49 49
S. P. 1004 1002 1002
Sou. Railway 294 292 292
Do, pref. 412 411 412
U. S. Steel 169 168 169
U. S. Steel pref. 178 177 178
Utah Copper 114 113 114
Va. Car. Chem. 462 461 462
Western Union 794 794
Westinghouse 82 81 82
Money on call, 54 per cent.
Total sales, 67,200 shares.

**TRADING ACTIVE
ON LOCAL EXCHANGE**

Sales of Portland Canal and Coronation Gold—Granby Slightly Off

Victoria, Oct. 29.—Further indication of trading activity was in evidence on the local stock exchange this morning. Sales were not heavy, but they mark the trend of feeling. Portland Canal M. Co. continues at its selling level of 52c, and Coronation Gold sold at 59c. With reference to the latter nothing of a definite character has yet been released in regard to the general meeting held yesterday, so that to-day's quotations can not be taken as any criterion. Granby was slightly weaker, but withstands temporary influences of depression.

Bid. Asked.
Amalgamated Development 61 61 1/2
American Canadian Oil 40 39 3/4
Canadian Northwest Oil 38 37 1/2
Can. Pac. Oil of B. C. 23 22 1/2
Alberta Coal & Coke 22 21 1/2
International Coal & Coke 27 26 1/2
McGillivray Coal 20 19 1/2
Nico's Valley Coal & Coke 20 19
Royal Collieries 20 19
B. C. Packers com. 16 15 1/2
Balfour Patents 5 5
C. N. P. Fisheries 2 2
Can. Puget Sound Lumber 4 4
Capital Furniture Co. 5 5
S. & I. Creamery 7 7
North Shore Ironworks 2 2
S. & I. Creamery 7 7
Victoria-Phoenix Brew. 115 115
Dominion Trust Co. 123 123
Great West Permanent (a) 135 135
Stewart Land 6 6
Island Investment Co. 14 14
B. C. Copper 5 5
Can. Consol. S. & R. 64 64
Granby 59 59
Coronation Gold 57 57
Island Investment Co. 7 7
Nugget Gold 25 25
Nugget Cariboo 72 72
Standard Lead 1 35 1 35
Glacier Creek 6 6
Portland Canal 59 59
Red Cliff 23 23
Stewart M. & D. 75 75
Sales.
5,000 Portland Canal 59
5,000 Coronation Gold 59

**SLIGHT UPTURN
IN WHEAT PRICES**

Fair Strength Displayed at Opening of Pitt—Moderate Break at Close

(Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Oct. 29.—For a time following the opening to-day there was fair strength and snap in wheat, and prices showed upturns. The market was helped on the buying side by the strength in Northwest markets, based on snowmelt over large part of spring wheat country. Later the character of the news was bearish and the market had a moderate break. The tone of Liverpool cables was bearish, Argentine weather fine, Australia reporting beneficial rains and all the central market confirming selling pressure. There was no disturbing news from the war quarter. Late in the day there was a private cable report from Liverpool about holders of Manitoba cargoes offering to resell lower. Primary receipts looked very large. The Northwest markets lost their early advance. Corn and oats moved with wheat.

Open High-Low-Close
Wheat—
Dec. 912 912 904 911
May 961 961 953 961
July 925 925 917 925
Corn—
Dec. 524 524 516 524
May 512 512 504 512
July 525 525 517 525
Pork—
Jan. 18 18 18 18
May 18 18 18 18
Lard—
Jan. 10 10 10 10
May 10 10 10 10
Short Ribs—
Jan. 9 9 9 9
May 9 9 9 9
Oats—
Dec. 32 32 32 32
May 34 34 34 34
CLEARANCES.
Wheat and flour 776,000
Corn 2,990
Oats 655,000

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Wheat	2,417,000	1,077,000
Corn	390,000	487,000
Oats	1,677,000	645,000

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 17,000; market steady to shade lower; beefs, \$5.30@5.41; Texas steers, \$4.35@4.58; western steers, \$5.50@5.35; stockers and feeders, \$4.50@4.75; cows and heifers, \$2.70@3.15; calves, \$6.50@10.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market slow, 16c to 15c lower; light, \$7@7.75; mixed, \$7.50@7.85; heavy, \$7@7.55; rough, \$6@7.25; pigs, \$4.25@4.55; bulk of sales, \$7.40@7.75.
Sheep—Receipts, 22,000; market steady; native, \$3.40@4.50; western, \$3.50@4.50; yearlings, \$4.50@4.65; lambs, native, \$6@7; western, \$6.25@7.25.
In England, the first dock was constructed at Liverpool in 1708.

TORONTO STOCKS

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Toronto, Oct. 29.
Bid. Asked.
B. C. Parkers "A" 149 150
Do, "B" 115 118
Do, common 115 118
Bell Telephone 150 150
Burt, F. N. com. 108 108
Canada Cem. com. 27 27 1/2
Do, pref. 91 92
Can. Gen. Electric 311 311
Can. Loco. com. 54 59
City Dairy com. 53 54
Do, pref. 101 101
Consumers Gas 136 138
Crow's Nest 89 89
Detroit United 72 72
Don. Canvass 72 72
Do, pref. 101 101
D. I. & Steel pref. 101 102
Dom. Steel Corp. 58 59
Dom. Telegraph 102 105
Elec. Dev. pref. 85 85
Illinois pref. 92 92
Lake of Woods pref. 121 121
Maple Leaf com. 85 85
Do, pref. 97 97
Mex. L. & P. 228 228
Montreal Power 228 228
Porto Rico railway 72 72
R. O. Nav. 113 113
St. L. & C. Nav. 111 111
Sea Fuels Tram 276 276
Shredded Wheat com. 83 83
Tooke Bros. com. 49 49
Toronto Paper 69 70
Toronto Railway 189 189
West. City com. 104 104
Winnipeg Railway 225 225
Brazil 91 92
Mines.
Contagas 7.25 7.25
Crown Reserve 2.45 2.50
La Rose 2.40 2.45
Nipissing Mines 2.25 2.45
Trethewey 35 40
Banks.
Commerce 221 221
Dominion 225 225
Hamilton 206 206
Imperial 218 218
Merchants 107 107
Metropolitan 226 226
Molson 204 204
Montreal 246 246
Nova Scotia 204 204
Ottawa 210 210
Royal 225 225
Standard 225 225
Toronto 208 210
Union 152 152

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AN IDEAL HOME—Fairfield, close to cars, 7 rooms, back stairway, paneled walls, built-in buffet, fireplace, reception hall, large front room, dining room, 4 bedrooms, very good situation; will be ready for occupancy. Gillespie, Hart & Todd, Ltd., 115 Langley street. Tel. 2040. n1

525 DOWN and 610 per month, fine level, cleared lot, 50x125, close to Burnside car line; price only \$600. A. T. Frampton, 610 Fort street. n1

A VERY GOOD BUY—4 roomed house, all modern, paneled, beamed ceilings; cash \$700; price \$4,200. Gillespie, Hart & Todd, Ltd., 115 Langley street. Tel. 2040. n1

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OAK BAY—On the Beach Drive, two new, roomy residences, each 4 rooms respectively, containing 9 and 10 rooms respectively, all modern conveniences: For price and terms apply to Stewart Land Co., Ltd., 101-2 Pemberton Block. Phone 1381. n1

OAK BAY—Corner Quamichan and Bank streets, Oak Bay, 2 blocks from car, 12 rooms, built-in sideboard, folding doors, colored windows; living room with fireplace, and bath; 3 bedrooms and kitchen; bedrooms upstairs; concrete basement and walks; all modern; \$1,500 cash; price \$4,300. Gillespie, Hart & Todd, Ltd., 115 Langley street. Tel. 2040. n1

OAK BAY HOME—Orchard avenue, 12 roomed house, 70x120, 20-foot lot on side and rear, furnace installed, cement walks and floor in basement; 3 fireplaces, well built and nice finished; a fine home; price \$9,000. For further particulars see W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block. n1

OAK BAY—Todd road, near Mudgeau, one acre, \$6,000. H. Booth, 7 Bridgman Bldg., 1007 Government. n1

OBED AND EMIRA STS.—Corner 8000, H. Booth, 7 Bridgman Bldg., 1007 Government. n1

OAKLAND ROAD—Nice, grassy lot, \$1,500. H. Booth, 7 Bridgman Bldg., 1007 Government. n1

FOR SALE—Two good lots, together, on Cecilia road, one cornering on lane, cleared, would divide into 4 lots, price \$2,000, on terms. Apply owner, Post Office Box 113, city. n1

FORCED TO SELL—By owner, one lot east north of M. L. McEwan, 610 Fort street, balance terms. Box 59. n1

FOUL BAY ROAD—60x120, \$1,175; \$375 cash, balance 24 months. Townley street, 100' 125, \$1,375; 1 cash, 6, 12, 18, 24 months. n1

PHOENIX BAY—Beautiful home, four rooms, bath, pantry, etc., all modern, up-to-date bungalow, lot fenced and in garden, owner leaving, ready to move. Box 2360, Times. \$2,500, very easy terms. n1

FAIRFIELD SNAP—Lot on McKenna street, 50x125, for \$2,100, on terms. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. n1

THE BEST BUY IN OAK BAY—Double corner of Central and Hampshire for \$5,000, on terms. Central avenue is due for a car line, and this price is at least \$200 below value. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. n1

COOK STREET (Fairfield)—A client who needs money has instructed us to sacrifice a 54 ft. lot, a reasonable offer will take it. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. n1

FIVE ROOM BUNGALOW, five minutes' walk from Post office, \$4,000, on terms. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. n1

CORNER—On Cedar Hill road, 60x120, price \$500 cash. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

DOUBLE CORNER—190x130 (paved street), Ross Bay district; \$4,000, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

LINDEN AVENUE—60x120; \$2,000, any reasonable terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

METCHOSIN STREET—Near Foul Bay road to lane; \$1,750. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

BRIDGE STREET—Corner, 60x120; \$10,500; \$3,500 cash, balance over 2 years. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

DOUBLE CORNER—Just off Burnside car line, \$114, \$150 terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Corner, 50x120; \$7,750 terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

FOUL BAY ROAD—North of Fort street, 60x120; \$1,100. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Two lots, 50x120 each; \$1,500 each, terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

MENNEILL AVENUE—Facing school, near Pleasant; \$1,600, terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

KINGS ROAD—Two lots, 50x120; \$1,000 each, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

QUADRA STREET—Corner, 100x120, near city limits; a sacrifice at \$2,000, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, Room 7, Green Block, Broad street. n1

IN CRITICAL CONDITION.

Utica, N. Y., Oct. 30.—The afternoon bulletin on Vice-president Sherman's condition says there is no favorable change whatever. When Dr. Peck left Mr. Sherman's house at 4:30 o'clock he stated that his patient was in a completely comatose condition. He then expressed the opinion that Mr. Sherman would not die before midnight and might live until to-morrow.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

AGENTS WANTED—1313 solicitors in the United States and Canada are averaging \$107.92 per month each, selling new "Cyclopedia of Live and Dead Complete Street Directories" Has over 1,000 explanatory engravings and 1,406 imperial octavo pages. It is the acknowledged authority on every subject on live stock in health and in disease and sells to every farmer and stock owner who has a Canadian territory open for a few more solicitors, who can make big income. No duty on books. We tell you how. For full description and special proposition write to The Thompson Publishing Co., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—City traveller, with thorough knowledge of wholesale fruit and produce business. Apply A. P. Slade & Co., 500 Yates street. n1

TWO comfortable housekeeping rooms, 214 Oswego street. n1

YOUNG MAN, 35, wants position; have had experience in many jobs; am willing to do any kind of work. P. O. Box 8, or Phone X345. n1

QUIET YOUNG GENTLEMAN desires comfortable room and good board, in private home; references on application given. Please state particulars. Box 22, Times. n1

YOUNG MAN, excellent business experience, wants position in or out of city; good knowledge of bookkeeping, typewriting, etc. Box 22, Times. n1

ROOM AND BOARD, with private family, suit one or two young men; terms moderate. 815 Hillside avenue. n1

WANTED—young woman as second hand and to wait on table. Phone 1178, n1

SKATES hollow ground at Wilson's, 614 Cormorant. n1

FOR SALE—Good bedroom suite, including bedstead, dresser, washstand and ironing board; price \$25. Call at 271 Centre road, Fernwood. n1

SKATES satisfactorily sharpened at Wilson's, 614 Cormorant. n1

WANTED—A nice, level, 50 ft. lot in city limits, where water is on; price not exceeding \$1,100, on long terms. Owners only, Box 204, Times. n1

CHIMNEY BUILDING.

FOR CHIMNEY BUILDING and cement work apply Chantry & Co., Beaumont P. O., Esquimalt. n1

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, all conveniences, \$10 per month, 308 Hillside Ave. n1

GOOD, 23 ft. upholstered-cabin launch, Regal engine, fully equipped, only \$500; exchange entertained. P. O. Box 288, n1

WANTED—Gentleman to share room, separate bed, in a private family, home comforts, board. Phone 1205. n1

STRAYED—From Esquimalt road, Sunday evening, black Gordon setter dog; Finder please phone 508. R. A. Murray. n1

TO REAL ESTATE AGENTS—Lot H, Block 4, Glasgow street, Quindra Heights, is now off the market. n1

WANTED—Clerical position, by young man, four years' office experience; references. Box 42, Times. n1

WANTED—I want to purchase 2 or 3 lots on Hamley, Arnold or Brooke streets, Fairfield. Give full details. Box 204, Times. I want to deal direct with owners. Only the cheapest buys acknowledged. n1

FOR SALE—Wire-haired terrier bitch, 8 weeks old, beautiful, Bessant, P. O. n1

SMALL STORE WANTED—Would lease vacant premises or purchase existing business, either close in or any good corner location. Please call on J. Hamilton, Room 1, 738 Yates street. n1

FOR SALE—Contents of a 7 roomed house, rent \$50 per month, full of roomers; price \$300 cash, or \$250 on terms. D. McEwan, 1277 Park Block. n1

AGENTS WANTED—Good real estate salesmen, none but salesmen need apply; good proposition. W. S. D. Smith, 221 Sayward Block. n1

PIANO FOR SALE—Cheap, good as new, cost \$75; no reasonable offer refused. Mrs. Halton, Calumet Ave. off Cloverdale. n1

I WILL TRADE for a lot of gasoline for a valuable 1907-old car. Apply Shoe Store, 515 Johnson street. n1

WANTED—Girl for general house work, 1116 North Park street. n1

WANTED—Salesman, for a live selling subdivision, sold on terms, on South car line, land now in fruit trees; liberal remuneration to right prospect. Apply 307 Pemberton Bldg. n1

COLLIE PUP for sale, 7 weeks old (batch), will make good sheep or cattle dog, and good guard dog; price only \$25. Reply Austral, care of Times. n1

HEY, MON! D'ye ken the Hallow'een concert is coming off the night? What concert is coming? Och, ye mind y'own last year that Jack Broon got up? Aye, fine I mind it, an' I'm gaun again! n1

WANTED—Young man as collector and office boy for real estate office. Apply in own handwriting, stating age, references and salary expected, Box 7, Times. n1

WANTED—Woman as cook, in small family, good wages. Phone 1178. n1

FOR SALE—Majestic steel range, 2 heaters, also small gas stove, 150 Elmford street. n1

ADAM BEDE WINS

THE CAMBRIGESHIRE

October 31st inst., will be the last day on which

REBATE

of 1-6 will be allowed on 1912 TAXES.

Please remit or call early to avoid rush on last day.

On account of only registered owners being assessed this year, and also of the great many transfers of real property taking place, some will not have received their 1912 Tax account, and in order that those who desire information respecting Taxes may obtain same, my office will be kept open evenings (except on Saturday) between 7.30 and 9.30 o'clock.

Payment of Taxes can only be made between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., and up to 1 o'clock on Saturday.

EDWIN C. SMITH,
Treasurer and Collector.

TRAIN DERAILED.

Millbrook, Ont., Oct. 30.—The passenger train from Port Hope yesterday afternoon was derailed at the switch of the station. By quickly applying the emergency brakes the engineer prevented the train from plunging down a 30 foot embankment. The hundred passengers were badly shaken.

GREEKS TAKE VERRIA.

London, Oct. 30.—The Greeks occupied the Turkish town of Verria today without resistance, according to a news agency dispatch from Athens. The Greek army is now within fifty miles of Salonica and it is believed the railroad from Verria to that city is still intact.

E. Hagane Bey, who was military attaché at Vienna, has been appointed general of division in the Turkish army, according to a dispatch from Constantinople.

Kosani, Turkey, Oct. 30.—The Greek army, under Crown Prince Constantine, after seizing the Turkish town of Verria, cut the railroad communication with Monastir.

The principal Mussulman residents in the district have tendered their submission to the Crown Prince.

HAD HIS DEATH CERTIFICATE.

Mrs. J. Elder Umbach, 143 Wellington avenue, will receive on Thursday evening first Tuesday thereafter.

Richard Hall, ex-M. P. P., who is ill at St. Joseph's hospital, is reported to be much improved to-day, having passed a restful night.

Mrs. G. A. B. Hall will be at home to her friends to-morrow afternoon and on every last Thursday of each month throughout the remainder of the season.

Last evening at Emmanuel Baptist manse, Miss Matilda Tomlinson became the bride of Mr. Arthur Walter Greenfield, Rev. William Stevenson performing the ceremony, and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Salmon acting as best man and matron of honor. Mr.

GARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Huggart and family desire to express their gratitude to the many friends who have so kindly extended their sympathy and shown so much thoughtfulness in the bereavement occasioned by the death of Harry Stuart, who died in this city on October 28.

Victoria West

New Bungalow

I can deliver for a short time one new five room bungalow, all modern conveniences, half a block from car on the corner of Joseph and Agnes Sts., for \$750 cash, balance as rent. Price **\$3800**

J. T. REDDING
 322 Catherine St. Victoria West.
 Phones 2205 and L1293.

CHEAP LOTS

Edmonton Road—Full sized lot on south side, 50x146, close to Richmond Road. The speculative possibilities of the lot are great. You know why. Price is very low **\$1500**

Forbes Street—The same argu- ment applies to lot as the above, it being next to corner of Bay. It is full-sized and the price is **\$1175**

Avebury Street—A beautiful lot, between Bay and Haultain; no rock, of course, and is very much below market price **\$1150**

We want listings in Ker Ad-dition, Gorge.

THE TOMLINSON CO.
 Phone 243
 Real Estate Investments and Insurance.
 1106 Douglas St. Victoria, B. C.

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MILL BAY WATERFRONT

53 ACRES, with splendid frontage on Mill Bay. This is an excellent investment or would make an ideal home. One-quarter cash. Price per acre **\$2000**

NORTHWEST SECURITY COMPANY
 Phone 1602.
 423 Sayward Building

HOMES

We have a specially arranged listing of desirable houses for homes. Explain at our office the details of the home you have in mind. We have the facilities for helping you with your selection with the least inconvenience to yourself. Our list of moderately priced houses, to be bought on easy terms, has some especially fine selections.

SIX ROOMS, new, modern, corner Grahame and Topik, \$1000 cash, balance over four years. Price **\$4500**

SEVEN ROOMS, new, modern, on Grahame street. \$1000 cash, balance over four years. Price **\$5000**

FIVE ROOMS, new, modern, on Richardson street. \$1000 cash, balance \$40 per month, including interest. Price **\$5000**

SIX ROOMS, newly built, Stannard avenue. \$1000 cash, balance as rent. Price **\$5250**

FOUR ROOMS, Hillside avenue and Cedar Hill road. \$600 cash, balance over two years. Price **\$2500**

Wallace & Clarke
 721 Yates St. Phone 471

B. P. O. B.

Funeral Notice

All members of Victoria Colony No. 1, Benevolent Protective Order of Beavers, are requested to meet at Sands & Fulton's Funeral Parlors on Wednesday, Oct. 30, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. P. Stevenson. Visiting members requested to attend.
 G. D. HAWKINS, J. M. HUGHES,
 C. B. Secy.

Semi-Business Snap

Inside the Half-Mile Circle

One Block From Douglas Street

Lot 40x120, with V. & S. trackage.

Modern six room cottage, built less than three years ago, renting for \$30 monthly.

Owner will sell for

\$5000

On terms of \$2000 cash, the balance easy to suit purchaser.

John Greenwood
 Telephone 1428.
 612 Sayward Bldg.

GODWIN & McKAY

WANTED

We have buyers for small tracts of acreage. Bring in your listings.

THE HOUSE MEN
 620 Yates. Phone 7113

Property in the Path of Progressive Values

Not far from Outer Wharf, on Montreal St., house on lot 40x120, \$5,500; easy terms.

Some would ask you \$3,000 for it. Get particulars to-day. To-morrow you may be disappointed.

Ward Investment Co. Limited
 606 SAYWARD BUILDING
 PHONE 774

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THIS ADVERTISEMENT

Is merely a suggestion to advise you that we keep a full line of Spring Cleaning Goods—Soaps, Brushes, etc. Our limited space will only allow us to mention a few lines. We invite your inspection of our stock.

Wash Boards, each 50c, 50c and 25c. Fibre Pails, each 25c. Wooden Pails, each 25c. Fibre Tubs—No. 1 each \$2.50, No. 2 \$1.75, No. 3 \$1.50.

DIXIE H. ROSS & COMPANY THE HOUSE OF PLENTY Tels 50, 51, 52. Liquor Store Phone 50

Hallowe'en Slippers

All the new ones are here. See our special Hallowe'en display of Evening Slippers and Hosiery.

1209 Douglas Street MUTRIE & SON Telephone 2504

Peter McQuade & Son

Ship Chandlers, Marine Agents, Hardware Merchants, etc. 1214 WHARF STREET PHONE 41

Motor Cylinder Oils

TO AUTOMOBILISTS AND LAUNCHMEN We carry Dick's English Oils. They are the very best. Non-carbonising as a Cylinder Oil can be. We guarantee satisfaction. Try it.

SYLVESTER'S HENFOOD FOR POULTRY

Being an all grain mixture of wheat, corn, bone and grit so proportionately mixed that if you want your birds to lay eggs, try a sack. Per 100 lbs \$2.25

The Exchange 718 Fort Street

BEDROOM FURNITURE Dressers and Stands, Small Tables, Cheffonieres, Chests of Drawers, Arm Chairs.

Maynard & Sons

Auctioneers. Instructed, we will sell at salesroom, 725 View St., on

Friday 2 P. M.

Furniture and Effects DROP HEAD SINGER MACHINE, ETC.

Contents of 3 houses. Also at 11 o'clock: Lot of Local Chickens, etc.

JEPSEN'S TRANSFER

O. N. JEPSEN Baggage Checked and Transferred Furniture and Pianos Moved PADDED FURNITURE VANS

FRECKLES

New Drug That Quickly Removes These Homely Spots.

There is no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as a new drug, othine-double strength, has been discovered that positively removes these homely spots.

Guaranteed Hot Water Bottles

We have a line of these goods that we have no hesitation in endorsing as to quality and workmanship. They are the product of one of the best factories on this continent.

John Cochrane

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IT DOES MATTER

Phones 28 88, 1761

Larder Lessons For November

Where you buy your groceries and provisions, and if you "don't see any reason" why you should come to the "West End," step in and we shall tell you several reasons, real reasons, why it will pay you to start the new month here.

THE WEST END GROCERY CO., LTD. Corner Government and Broughton

GOVERNMENT WORK IN ESQUIMALT

CONDEMNED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

Whose Ire is Roused by Condition of Sewers and Roads—Strange Interruption

General dissatisfaction and disgust were expressed by councillors at the Esquimalt council last night regarding the provincial government's neglect of Esquimalt drains and gutters.

Testifying that the drains supposed to have been attended to by the government are at the present time in a disgraceful condition in many parts of the municipality, letters from residents and property owners formed quite a budget in front of the clerk.

The Esquimalt police understood, when appointed," said Col. Peters, "that they would have to do a mixed job. They understood that they were to take a little dash at everything. We are not like the city. Constables in town would not chase a cow."

Bad Blood

Is the direct and inevitable result of irregular or constipated bowels and clogged-up kidneys and skin. The undigested food and other waste matters which is allowed to accumulate points which the blood and the whole system. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills act directly on the bowels, regulating them—on the kidneys, giving them ease and strength to properly filter the blood—and on the skin, opening the pores.

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

and placing him under the direction of the clerk and the supervision of the mounted constable. "We'll soon find out if he is a loafer," ended Colonel Peters.

Unusual Interruption. While discussing a subdivision plan, the lots in which were marked as less than 50 feet frontage, the revee was surprised by the sudden appearance at his shoulder of a man who commenced talking to him.

CITY CANNOT LEASE PARK LAND

SOLICITOR SAYS ACT IS NEEDED

Mr. Denison Says Site Selected is Immeasurably Best in City

The trust under which the city holds Beacon Hill park will prevent the council from granting a lease of a portion of the area to the Dominion government for the purpose of an observatory, in accordance with the appropriation of \$10,000 granted by the government.

This was the opinion given by City Solicitor Robertson to the city council last evening. The legal adviser suggested that the only way to meet the difficulty would be for the city to apply for a special act to legalize the lease of the land for this express purpose.

On behalf of the meteorological department, F. Napier Denison said the site he sought, at the northern end of the park, was the best in the city for the purpose. "It must be an isolated place, and free from the disturbances of traffic. Most delicate instruments would be installed, and he also urged that with the growth of the city as a shipping port the regulation of chronometers was important, and its location for the examination of phenomena of seismology the city should try to provide a site for the observatory."

LADIES' WEAR Price Reductions

THIS week we have placed on sale the most acceptable lines of specials ever offered by us. The money-saving opportunities will not be confined to any one section, but will include most of the leading lines in every section of our store.

While They Last We Offer 20 SERGE FROCKS, all colors, \$17.50 down to \$17.50. 50 MISSES' EVENING DRESSES, all colors, \$27.50 down to \$17.50.

Importation of French Blouses

Our European buyer secured for us over one hundred model Blouses, mostly in French designs. The designs are ninons, allover lace, chiffons, crepe de chene.

Hat Bargains While They Last

To-day's specials in our Millinery Department consist of a large number of Winter Hats, in all styles, shapes and colorings, which, for the convenience of buyers, have been grouped into three lots:

\$6.75 to \$10.00 Hats for \$5.00. \$12.50 to \$15.00 Hats for \$6.75. \$16.50 to \$20.00 Hats for \$10.00.

These Hats are thoroughly up-to-date in every respect, and will be found to be good value, even at their regular prices—snaps at the reduced prices.

Finch & Finch Ladies Outfitting

Illustration for Black Knight Stove Polish. A man in a top hat and a woman in a long dress are standing next to a large black bull moose. The man is holding a sign that says 'TO THE WHITE HOUSE'. The woman is holding a sign that says 'BLACK KNIGHT STOVE POLISH AND VICTORY'.

The Bull Moose Party believes in Woman's Suffrage and other appeals to women. Not a powder or a hard cake—but a soft paste, ready to use. 10c.—STOVE POLISH—10c.

ESQUIMALT TO CALL FOR LIGHT TENDERS

First Steps for Fire Protection in Municipality Before Council Last Night

Having considered the question of lighting Esquimalt district, as contained in the offers made by the British Columbia Electric Company and Dutcher-Maxwell & Company the report of the committee was given to the open council last night, recommending that tenders be called in the regular way, and be returned to the clerk by noon on Monday.

Thought Esquimalt should be treated the same.

Two by-laws, to govern streets and buildings were submitted, and councillors were given copies for consideration. These will be debated at a special meeting.

Navy League Meeting

The annual Mass Meeting of the Victoria and Esquimalt branch of the Navy League will be held at the Victoria Theatre on Wednesday, October 30th, at 8.30 p. m.