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RUSHING WORK BY SEARCHLIGHT

Grand Trunk Pacific Will Be in Calgary by End of August

Calgary, Alta., July 2.—With everything satisfactory, gangs of men working night and day on the big 70-ton steam shovel which is eating its way towards Calgary by the light of the sun in the daytime and the huge glare of two big searchlights at night, the Grand Trunk Pacific will be inside the city limits by the end of August, and the steel will be lapped by the waters of the Bow less than 30 days later.

Francis Adam, Grand Trunk Pacific right-of-way commissioner, says so, and it is generally conceded that there is no man more in touch with the G. T. P. situation.

According to Mr. Adam the men at work on the last two miles of the grading that will bring the grade right to the water's edge are straining nerve and sinew to be here on time. The gangs are made up of the oldest and most experienced railroad builders in the employ of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and behind them, straining hard to overtake the men of the grade, is the crack steel laying gang of the big road.

"It has got down to a race between the tracklaying gang and the grading gang instead of a race between the G. T. P. and the C. N. R.," he said.

"The tracklaying gang are putting down the steel at the rate of two miles per day, while the graders are working overtime to keep ahead of them. The men of the tracklaying gang, are striving hard to catch the graders before they reach the river, but I do not think they can do it. This race with the men working in night and day gangs, will bring the G. T. P. to Calgary easily some time before the snow flies. It has narrowed down to the number of days now, not the number of months.

SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNS.

Vancouver, July 2.—At a special meeting of the school trustees the resignation of W. P. Argue as superintendent was accepted with regret.

In giving his reasons for resigning Mr. Argue reiterated his assertion that the government's proposal to ask the board to appoint a municipal inspector who shall be responsible to the department of education, left the members no say whatever in the conduct of affairs of the schools and made his own position a farce. The dual authority would never work, contended Mr. Argue, and would mean the ruination of the present excellent school system.

Mr. Argue declined to allow his resignation to remain in abeyance for six months.

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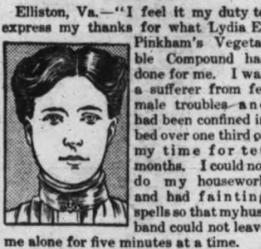
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TWO FALL TO THEIR DEATH FROM BIPLANE

Miss Harriet Quimby and Passenger Are Instantly Killed

Boston, Mass., July 2.—Miss Harriet Quimby of New York, the first woman to win an aviator's license in America, and the first woman to cross the English Channel in an aeroplane, was instantly killed last evening with her passenger, W. A. Willard, manager of the Boston aviation meet at Atlantic City, when her biplane fell into Dorchester bay from a height of a thousand feet.

The accident happened when Miss Quimby and Willard were returning from a trip over Boston harbor to Boston Light, a distance of 20 miles in all. The flight was made in 20 minutes. The biplane, one of the latest models of military monoplane, circled the aviation field and soared over the Savin Hill Yacht Club just outside the grounds.

Heading back into the eight-mile gusty wind Miss Quimby started to loop. The angle was too sharp and one of the wings caught the tail of the monoplane throwing the machine up perpendicular. For an instant it poised there sharply outlined against the setting sun. Willard was thrown clear of the machine and landed almost instantly by Miss Quimby. Hurtling over and over the two figures shot downward, striking the water 20 feet from shore. They splashed out of sight a second before the biplane plunged down fifteen feet away. It was low tide and the water was only five feet deep. Men from the yacht club in motor boats were on the spot quickly, and leaping overboard dragged the bodies out of the mud into which they had sunk deeply.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE DOMINION

Canadians Speak at Banquet in London—Lord Strathcona on Transportation

London July 2.—At a Dominion Day banquet held last night at which Lord Strathcona presided the following notabilities were present: The Lord Mayor, Sir Edward Morris, Sir George Reid, Hon. G. E. Foster, A. W. Smithey, Lord Northcliffe, Sir Thomas Skinner, Chief Justice Sir Wm. Mulock, Sir Charles Moss, Chief Justice of the province of Ontario, and Sir Charles Ross.

Lord Strathcona, in giving the toast to the Dominion, declared that what he wanted in order to promote the solidarity of the Empire and the common interests with its people, is a better knowledge of its component parts, its resources and its potentialities. He believed that the recently appointed royal commission will do great work in supplying this need.

There are now three or four great questions of paramount importance to different parts of the Empire before the public. Firstly, there was the question of communication. "We do not," he said, "get visitors of from 25 knots passing to and from British ports and Canada, but I still hope to see the journey accomplished in four and a half days. I regard the matter as one of the first importance."

Improvement in cable communication in the matter of cost of transmission is already attracting considerable attention. There is also the question of the development of Imperial commercial arrangements or a system of defence, in which all parts of the Empire will bear their proper share. Then there is the question of Imperial preference. There will be many members of the Canadian government in London within the next few days, and their conferences with the Imperial government will no doubt have bearing on these questions.

Hon. George E. Foster, Canadian minister of trade and commerce, in his reply referred to the remarkable development of the Dominion. He trusted Canadians would never forget the founders of their nation among whom were Sir Charles Tupper and their honored chairman, Lord Strathcona.

Canada now possesses eight millions of people. In 1887 there were only three million. If in 1902 the United States had made their proposition of 1911, could anyone say what would have been the position of Canadian nationality to-day? When they were kneeling at the door of America, and their petition was unheeded, they then began their national life. From 1866 they had been cradled in perfect peace. They had slept at night without fear of invasion. For they were not like the Israelites who worked with a sword in one hand and a trowel in the other. But with perfect security they worked under the British army and navy. The Canadian people had a consciousness of all that they owed for their birth and the guarantee of their liberty and security. They could not live long in that consciousness without joining something towards the building up, guarding and keeping of the Empire safe.

Other speakers were Sir William Mulock, the Lord Mayor of London, Sir George Reid, Sir Edward Morris and Dr. Parkin.

DUCHESS OF CONNAUGHT.
Will Not Attend Any Official Functions in the West.
Ottawa, July 2.—The following announcement was given out last evening at Government House: "Although the health of the Duchess of Connaught has improved so much that Her Royal Highness hopes to be able to accompany his Royal Highness, the Duke of Connaught, to the Maritime provinces and on the western tour, it is not expected that H. R. H. will attend any official functions."
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MILLION DOLLAR SUIT.
New York, July 2.—A million dollar suit against Charles W. Morse, the former "ice king" whom President Taft pardoned from serving out his term in the Federal prison at Atlanta, has been entered here by the New York Assets Realization Company, which realizes Morse is a debtor to almost that amount. United Copper Company stock, about 11,000 shares, figures in the complaint, which states that Morse purchased the stock from Arthur P. Heinze, with an agreement that he, Morse, was not to sell it for two years. This purchase, the plaintiff alleges, was made in January, 1907. In October came the panic, and according to the complaint, Morse violated his agreement by selling some of the stock, thereby lowering the market price of the company's stock, causing a loss of more than \$1,000,000 to Heinze. The latter has assigned his claim to the company which is suing Morse.

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BATHING FATALITY.
Four Persons Lose Lives at Winnipeg and Neighboring Resorts.
Winnipeg, July 2.—Four lives were lost by drowning in Winnipeg and neighboring resorts on Dominion Day. On Winnipeg beach, Chas. Patterson, a Winnipeg real estate dealer, and Miss Cecile Riley, a niece of S. R. T. Riley, the well known Winnipeg financier, met death while bathing. Adam Boie, aged 20, a Winnipeg plumber, was drowned last evening in the Red river, near River Park. Later in the evening a boy named McHugh, aged ten, was drowned while bathing in the Red river, near Norwood.

OIL-BURNING VESSELS.
London, July 2.—Lord Pirrie at Copenhagen, after visiting the Danish oil-burner vessel Florida, said oil-driven vessels are a great improvement on steam vessels. "The only trouble," he said, "is that oil does not exist in England, Germany and France, but in America, where oil is plentiful, and it is a matter of time before it will be used soon, so that for the carrying trade."
"Oil-burning vessels of 10,000 to 12,000 tons are superior to coal-burners of the same size. It is a revolution for that you see. The invention means a revolution in navigation."

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Tuesday	8 a.m.	10 a.m.	12 a.m.	12 noon	4 p.m.	6 p.m.		
Wednesday		8 a.m.	10 a.m.	1 p.m.	3 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	6 p.m.	
Thursday	8 a.m.	10 a.m.	1 p.m.	3 p.m.				
Friday	8 a.m.	10 a.m.	1 p.m.	3 p.m.				
Saturday	8 a.m.	10 a.m.	12 a.m.	12 noon	1 p.m.	3 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	6 p.m.
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BOUNTIES FOR FENIAN VETERANS

Changes Made in Regulations in Order to Correct Misunderstanding

Ottawa, July 2.—Owing to a certain misunderstanding in connection with the Fenian raid bounties offered to veterans of '66 and '70 by the militia department, the minister of militia has issued the following regulations respecting proofs by applicants:

- 1.—If the application for the volunteer bounty is made and executed in Canada, it must be in the form of a statutory declaration, and if made elsewhere, must be in the form of an affidavit of declaration conformable to the law of the country in which it is made, and in such declaration or affidavit the applicant must set forth that he was enrolled in a militia corps (naming it), and served with it at (naming the place), and naming the month and the year in which such service was performed, and naming the officer who commanded the corps in question at the time in question.
- 2.—Also, the applicant should declare that he has not previously made any application for a grant under the said act, except one of which the succeeding one is an amendment.
- 3.—The application should be supported by the declaration of a comrade, or some other reputable person, that he, the declarant, personally knows the claimant (naming him), and that he identifies him as the person who served in and with the corps with which the applicant claims to have served on active service at (naming the place) in the (naming the month and year of the said service).
- 4.—All claims must be verified, as far as it is possible so to do, by the records in the militia department. If the active service pay list of the corps in question, for the period in question, is available, if the claimant's name is on that pay list and if there is nothing to raise a suspicion, that the applicant is personating the volunteer who actually served, that proof in conjunction with the other requirements will be sufficient.
- 5.—If there is not in the records of the department any active pay list of the corps in question, for the period in question, but there is evidence in the records that the corps in question was called out on the occasion in question, and if there is an annual drill pay list of that corps for the year in which the service is said to have been performed, and if the claimant's name is on such annual drill pay list, these facts will be sufficient to support the claimant's declaration, provided as already stated, there is nothing to raise a suspicion that the claimant is personating the volunteer who actually served.
- 6.—Every claim which cannot be verified as provided for by paragraph 4 or by paragraph 5, shall be referred to a board of officers to be appointed by the minister of militia and defence, and the report of such board to the said minister that the evidence is such as to satisfy them that the corps in question was called out for active service in the manner and for the purposes laid down in the second section of the said act, and that the claimant served with it when it was thus out on active service, shall be held to be sufficient proof of the claim.

THREE KILLED.

Racers Meet Death in Motor Cycle Contests at San Jose and Cleveland.

San Jose, Cal., July 2.—Two motor cycle racers were killed and two others seriously injured while riding faster than a mile a minute at Sunday's race meet at the San Jose driving park. The dead: Reed Orr, Sacramento Motor Cycle Club; W. F. Baker, San Jose Motor Cycle Club.

The injured: C. D. Reade, San Jose Motor Cycle Club, broken collar bone and possibly internal injuries; E. A. House, San Jose Motor Cycle Club, bruises and lacerations about body.

Alma, of San Francisco, was leading the eight riders in the 10-mile race; four others being bunched together an eighth of a mile behind.

On the turn of the upper stretch the machine of one of the four was seen to swerve, and in an instant the three others had piled over the falling machine and rider.

All four were thrown and their machines smashed and broken.

When the crowd reached the place of the accident, Orr and Baker were dead, and Reade and House were unconscious.

They are at a hospital suffering from serious injuries.

Cleveland, July 2.—Boh Hunter, known as "Dare Devil," was instantly killed Sunday night in a motor cycle race at Luna park.

The riders were speeding seventy-five miles an hour when a collision occurred.

AUTO FATALITY.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 2.—Miss Mabel Muir, of Denver, is dead and four others, among them Miss Ida Logsten, of Colorado Springs, are more or less seriously hurt as the result of a motor car plunging over a hundred-foot embankment in Griffin park.

Miss Muir was instantly killed. Miss Logsten, 38, was seriously hurt.

The death of Miss Muir is the seventh recorded through motor car accidents due to speeding here during the last few weeks.

BOY BURNED TO DEATH.

Winnipeg, July 2.—No doubt frightened by the fire he had started with matches, the four-year-old son of Edward Teight hid under a bed in their residence, and his charred body was only found after the fire was extinguished. Another child was severely burned. The house was burned to the ground.

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WEST AND LAST WEST.

It is frequently pointed out that what concerns the prairie provinces and is conducive to their prosperity concerns also the province of British Columbia, and this fact is frequently made the basis of an appeal for the cultivation of the closest sympathy between the Middle West and the Last West, as these two sections of Canada are now called. There can be no disputing that the destiny of the provinces lying west of the Great Lakes is much more intimately interwoven than that established by the relations between the East, as it is commonly known, and the West as a whole. But it is equally true that British Columbia has much more to gain from the Middle West than the prairie provinces can ever gain from British Columbia. Whatever chiefly concerns the Middle West should be superlatively important to the Last West, for it is upon the future development and prosperity of the prairie provinces that this province must for many years depend. When British Columbia develops her fruit culture to its limit, the natural and logical market for its products will be the prairie provinces. The increase in settlement now taking place on the prairies will far exceed the possibilities of even the greatest horticultural developments of this province overtaking this natural market. Even if every foot of soil in British Columbia were producing fruit to the limit of its capacity we could not hope to overtake the demands of the market which lies at our very door and which is ours by national and commercial right. Everything which advantages the Middle West, therefore, increases our natural markets.

But it is not alone to this feature of the relationship that we direct attention. The more prosperous the prairie citizen becomes the more money he has to invest in British Columbia. His investments may take the form of a home for his old age or they may take interest in the industrial developments of the country. Naturally the prairie farmer, having made a retiring competency, will find in British Columbia coast cities the most desirable part of Canada in which to terminate his days. He will not go back to the extremes of the East, but will seek the salubrious climate of the Pacific slope. All the coast cities have ample evidence of this.

The coast cities are destined to become great in population because of this preference alone. The wealthy people of Middle Canada will come to the Last West, build up great educational institutions, cultivate the arts and sciences and do other of the more aesthetic things—altogether apart from the multiplying industrial and other developments which will advance the province. These are some of the considerations which make the progress of the Middle West of intense interest to British Columbians.

How then do our political parties go about it to foster the good feeling between these two sections of Canada? The one declares that sized lumber may be imported into the prairie provinces free of duty. The other applies to the Exchequer Court to learn if it has not power to tax the imports for the benefit of the lumber trust in the interior of this province. We cannot grow enough foodstuffs of any kind to supply our own local markets, yet our people by a majority vote to perpetuate the high tariffs on the foodstuffs which the prairie people must have in order to live. We increase the cost of their living without any compensating advantages. We have done nothing to ship them or to sell them excepting lumber and fruit, yet we elect to power the political party sworn to inflict upon them the customs duties which add to their daily unavoidable expense.

They have nothing to sell to us excepting wheat, yet we inflict upon them a government which restricts the market and compels them to accept the products of their toil by many cents per bushel than they could obtain if they access to the

hungry market at their very doors. All this we do and then talk about our sympathy and our unity of interests, about building up a good feeling and keeping in touch with the people of the West. If there is one province in Canada which has no decent right to pretend to sympathy with the Middle West, it is the province of British Columbia. We sent a solid seven to Ottawa to insist on the very restrictions from which the people of the Middle West are now striving to be freed. How shallow is the newspaper twaddle that will pretend to any sort of sympathy with or goodwill toward the prairie provinces when the same press extols the government which denies these people their rights.

What British Columbia should have done was to have thrown her political influence with the Middle West in an effort to secure open markets for the products of the soil. These being given and the prosperity of the prairie provinces accelerated, the Last West might hope to reap compensating advantages. It is not yet too late.

THE INSCRUTABLE.

It is impossible to do more than tender heartfelt and deep sympathy to the people of Regina over the catastrophe which befel them on Sunday. The relentless elements marked the city for their victim and again demonstrated how puny and mutable are the best works of man. Such calamities are in a different class from that which befel the Titanic. Under no circumstances could the cyclone have been foreseen and guarded against. No element of human miscalculation or error of judgment entered into the incident. It was one of those inscrutable instances which still justify definition in our legal literature as acts of God, though even in that sense we think the intelligence of the age has sufficiently progressed to exempt the case from the category of judgments of wrath. The Nazarine exploded that superstition respecting the falling of the Tower of Sileam in His own day, and the Divine law has not changed since His time.

The property loss can be replaced and is not the most lamentable fact associated with the catastrophe. The snuffing out of human lives—becoming more precious with the racial advancement of every day—is a more regrettable loss. There is always something inexpressibly sad when a life is lost through accident of any kind. The timely deaths are Nature's own ordering, but the visitations of calamity cannot be mitigated by logic or sophistry.

We are sure the Times voices the sincerest sympathy and condolence of the people of Victoria when it sends to the sister city its commiserations in the wholly inscrutable misfortune which Regina has suffered.

PULLING TOGETHER.

The government organs are very funny. They do not want anyone to attack the agricultural department—a thing which this paper has never done—and they do not want anyone to attack the land department, nor the premier's failure to fix up the franchise difficulties with the B. C. E. R., nor the timber policy, because the minister is doing the best he can; nor the land policy, because it is hedged round with difficulties; nor the attorney-general's administration, because it is the best in the world; nor the political machine of the Tory party, because it is necessary to the perpetuation of Tory rule in the province; nor G. H. Barnard, because he is "In England studying imperial problems at first hand"; nor the railway policy, because they claim it has brought prosperity to the province; nor anything that belongs to the sacred politics of their knighted master, Sir Richard McBride. There is only the Borden no-policy naval programme left, and when the Navy League criticizes this the government organs—faithful to their trust—assail the league. This is a hard summer for people and papers not actually subsidized to tout for Premier McBride. "Let us all pull together," say they, but let us pull for Sir Richard and the coterie of partisans associated with him. If a few more revelations like that of the Songhees reserve, that of the B. C. E. R. franchises, of the education department, that of cases like Armstrong and Kamloops in the matter of the route of the Canadian Northern Railway, develop it will take all the people of British Columbia to keep Humpty Dumpty from having a great fall.

AMATEUR OPERATION.

While many of the government organs commend Hon. W. T. White because he cut the duty on cement in half, the Toronto World says the effect has been to put the small concerns outside of the trust out of business. It says that while the White may have performed a very clever surgical operation he operated at the wrong place. The World describes itself as favoring protection "but" not a "stand-patter," and suggests that "perhaps Dr. White will operate again by removing what remains of the cement duty. This would let in English cement and introduce some real competition and perhaps make the Canadian trust look a little less jocular. We do not know whether the reduction by way of the Audit Act is to continue, but if it is,

this field of activity looks inviting." We think there is little danger of Dr. White giving even British cement free access into Canada. Nor anything else that is British excepting the British-born.

In the Saskatchewan elections—on F. W. Green, secretary of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, is a candidate in the interests of the Conservative party. The object of his candidacy is evidently to create the impression that the grain growers are not a unit on the question of wider markets for the wheat growing province. The president of the association has promptly repudiated the claim of Mr. Green that he is endorsed by the association. The directors were not consulted by Mr. Green and the first they knew of his intention to run was when the announcement was made in the home paper in Green's constituency. The Grain Growers' Association—mixed in politics—is a unit on the question paramount in the Saskatchewan elections. They want wider markets.

British prison governors appear to be alarmed by the "hunger strike" of some of the Suffragette prisoners, and are resorting to the stomach pump and other emergency measures. There is no law in England compelling a woman to eat unless she wants to, and the Toronto Mail and Empire says the prison authorities ought to give the prisoners a chance to get an appetite. We would go even farther. If any of the Suffragette leaders, fancying that playing the martyr is helping along the cause, should elect to commit suicide by starvation we suggest that she be permitted to do so. About one such demonstration would determine how much these dear sisters are prepared to undergo in order to get into the glare of a real spotlight. The result would be a successful determination of the sanity or insanity of the subject.

There are many thousand Canadians who will agree with what the Toronto World says: "Parliament is the best place of all to declare our naval policy. It is what parliament thinks should be our naval policy, not the advice that the Mother Country gives, that should make our naval policy. Canada is sovereign in this matter and ought to assert her sovereignty and it should not be necessary even for the prime minister of this country to go to England and ask what Canada should do. Parliament is the place for the Canadian people to find out their duty to the Empire and there to assert it. A parliament in session and a parliament with courage would be a grand thing for Canada at this moment!"

The Kansas Historical Society has been compiling an obituary list of Kansas towns and cities that are no more, and it is astonishing to find that the number amounts up to 2,400, some of them having a population of 5,000 or more at the height of the boom.

THOUGHTS OF A. M.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal. I love to think of boyhood days when I the turkeys fed; I used to fix their breakfast food ere yet the sky was red. I used to dry shampoo the horse and man; cure the cow; I love to lie in bed and think I needn't do it now. I love to think of boyhood days when I arose at four; And fetched the water from the well, a hundred pails or more. And then I dragged the harrow out and harnessed up the plow; I love to lie in bed and think I needn't do it now.

HE SHOULD KEEP OUT OF IT.

From the Ottawa Free Press. W. Leonard Palmer, of the London Financial News, doubtless is a very enterprising gentleman, but if he talks Canadian politics in the West as he did yesterday in Ottawa he will probably be told that he is persona non grata. Surely it is possible to conduct a delegation of business men around without introducing politics into such a journey.

MAY LET THE BILL SLIP THROUGH.

From the Ottawa Journal. The arrival of the Duke of Leeds makes four members of the House of Lords on Canadian soil. If this immigration keeps up they may get the Home Rule bill through the House of Lords earlier than expected.

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UNBLEACHED SHEETING—We have no intention to give our goods away, but the selling of dependable goods at prices like these comes very close to the giving away mark. These goods are 2 yards wide, are a perfect weave and free from dressing. There is only a few pieces in this quality to be sold. Regular 25c value marked for the July sale at... **15c**
FULLY BLEACHED SHEETING, woven from a strong cotton. They are a good, even weave, and a quality that cannot be equalled at the price. Regular price 30c a yard. July sale price... **25c**
READ-TO-USE SHEETS—Only 200 sheets in this lot. They are 2x2½ yards, all hand torn, will keep their shape in the washing, and are fully bleached. Regular \$1.75 grade. July sale price, each... **60c**
A BARGAIN IN WHITE COTTON—12½c GRADE TO BE SOLD AT 8c

You never had the opportunity to buy cotton that can compare with this line, at 8c a yard. You'll be convinced of the truth of this statement when you see the goods. It is 36 in. wide, a perfect weave and even at 12½c a yard it is an excellent value. There will be a strong demand for it at... **8c**

YOUR BEST OPPORTUNITY TO BUY TOWELS
PURE LINEN ROLLER TOWELING—A splendid quality that is particularly useful for drying glasses. It is 18 in. wide, every thread pure linen, and an absorbent toweling. Regular 10c value marked down to... **5c**
BROWN TURKISH TOWELS—One hundred dozen is all that we intend to sell at this low figure. They have a cream ground and are finished with a red stripe running through. They are a very absorbent towel, and a serviceable quality that sells regularly at \$1 a dozen. July sale price, per dozen, only... **60c**
PILLOW CASES, all ready to use. These are finished with a deep plain hem and come in a variety of sizes. They are made of a fine quality of bleached cotton and are an unusually good value. Regular 35c a pair. July sale price, per pair... **25c**

Women's Waists Go at a Sacrifice

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\$4.50 AND \$5.75 WAISTS WILL BE SOLD AT \$2.90

We have had a wonderfully successful season in the Waist department and we feel like making very liberal reductions to quickly clean out the remainder of our summer stock.

Exceptional Values in Women's Night Gowns

We cannot describe all the different styles that are represented in this line, still the few that are described will give you some idea of the class of garments that are to be sold. There's both a rare quality and a very low price to tempt you here.



FINE MULL NIGHT GOWNS, made in the slip-over style. They are hand-embroidered, and have kimono sleeves, trimmed with dainty Valenciennes lace. Per garment... **\$1.90**
STRONG COTTON GOWNS, made with high neck and long sleeves. The yoke is of Swiss embroidery, set with fine linen insertion. The neck and sleeves are finished with linen lace. Per garment... **\$1.00**
FINE NAINSOOK GOWNS—These are in the kimono style and have a handsomely embroidered front. July sale price is... **\$1.90**
STRONG CAMBRIC GOWNS, made in the slip-over style. Have a round yoke of linen lace and embroidery, short sleeves finished with a band of insertion and edged with lace. July sale price is... **\$1.90**

The July Sale Brings Big Values in The Shoe Departments

Men Who Want New Shoes Will Find the July Sale a Great Saving

Men's \$4.50 Boots are to be sold at \$2.95
 Surely this is a reduction that should appeal to you. They are mostly odd lines that we have had left over after a very busy season. Every pair is well made of choice stock. The soles and heel are of solid leather, while the upper stock is all that you can desire. They are cut in the Blucher style and are to be had in gun metal calf, box calf and velour calf. You'll find them both comfortable and sufficiently dressy for street wear.

Men's Oxfords are now marked at \$4.50

Patent leathers, tan Russia calf, gun metal calf, and velour calf are some of the leathers in which these shoes are to be had. All are strictly high grade shoes that you can depend on to give you perfect satisfaction. They come in all the newest American lasts, are made of carefully selected stock, and are made to fit your feet exactly. This means that you'll be sure of perfect shoe comfort. All sizes are here, so you'll not be disappointed.

Our Regular \$6.00 Grades re-marked for the July Sale at \$3.95

There are 571 pairs in this lot. All are the best of our stock and are mostly our \$6 grade, but there are just a few that were marked at \$5. In any case, you are sure of getting an unusually big value for your money.

Here are some of the lines that are represented: Button or lace boots in tan calf, button or lace boots in patent leather, or black calf, waterproof and chrome tanned bluchers. Some are leather lined, and you can choose between light and heavy soles.

All are made in up-to-date lasts, are "Goodyear Welted" and come in all sizes. This is a value that is worth considering.

Women's Street and Dress Shoes at Big Reductions

\$3 Boots and Oxfords sell at \$1.95
 This line includes both patent leather and patent leather pumps, also calf Oxfords and kid Blucher boots. All are American lasts of the latest pattern, are well finished and have solid leather soles and heels. They are a quality that we recommend, and all sizes are to be had. There is a variety of shapes to choose from and although they are built for service they are sufficiently dressy for street wear.

\$2.95 buys a boot that is worth \$4.50

Several hundred pairs are to be sold at this price, and every pair is a dependable quality. The line embraces practically every style that is popular this season, especially in the lines that are intended to be worn on the street.

There's lots of button boots in tan calf, patent leather, gun metal, and glazed kid, etc., but we have lace models if you prefer them. Choosing a pair that will please you should be an easy matter.

\$5 Oxfords and pumps to be sold at \$3.45

There isn't many of this line left. Just 100 pairs, and they are in broken sizes, but if you can get a pair that will fit you, you'll get an unusual bargain.

There are Queen Quality patent leather pumps, tan calf Oxfords, and both button and lace Oxfords. All are made of carefully selected stock, are well made, and come in the newest lasts.

\$6 Shoes are to be sold at \$3.95

"Queen Quality," "Boston Favorite," "Classic," and other well known brands are represented in this line. This fact is a sufficient guarantee of quality. Any woman who has worn one of these brands will know this, but if you have never tried these brands, you have a treat in store. A very dressy style in patent leather and finished with cloth or kid tops is here, in both button and lace styles. Every pair is this season's model, comfortable to a degree, and absolutely reliable. Button boots are here in all sizes and you can choose from smart models in tan Russia calf, gun metal calf, and glazed kid.

Record Values in the Boys' Clothing Section

Boys' Suits from \$9.75 to \$15 to go at \$7.75

One hundred and fifteen suits are here to choose from, so you should have no difficulty in finding one that will please your boy, and you'll save on the investment. Worsteds, serges, chevots and tweeds are the materials, and, of course, there's lots of patterns and colors to choose from. All are this season's models, and are up-to-date in every detail.

Either double breasted or Norfolk styles are to be had, with plain or bloomer pants. They are well tailored throughout, and will stand lots of hard wear.

179 Suits that were marked at \$8 and \$9 to clear at \$6.75

And there isn't a suit in the lot that is not a bargain, even at the regular price, but now that they are marked still lower they are a snap. Fancy worsteds, tweeds and serges are the materials in which these suits come, and there is quite an assortment of patterns and colors to choose from. Double breasted and the popular Norfolk are the styles, and you can have either plain or bloomer pants. The quality is just fine, and we strongly recommend any of these suits.

214 Suits, Regular \$6.75 and \$7 Grades, to go at \$5.50

Fine English chevots, serges and tweeds in a fine assortment of colors and patterns are here, and the suits are made up in double and single breasted styles. All are well tailored and trimmed. All sizes and no better value can be desired at the price.

\$5.50 and \$5.75 suits will be cleared at \$4.75

This doesn't look like a big reduction, but the suits were marked too low in the first place. There are 120 suits in the lot and are all made of medium weight tweeds and serges. The season's newest colors are well represented, and the suits are made in double or single breasted styles. To see these suits is to be tempted to buy them.

\$4.50 and \$5 suits are marked down to \$3.75

One hundred and twenty suits are to be sold at this price, and all are made of Canadian tweeds and serges. Single and double breasted styles with bloomer or plain pants. The tailoring and trimming is all that you'll expect of them, probably even better.

\$3.75 to \$4 suits will find ready purchasers at \$3

Tweeds and homespuns are the chief materials in which these suits are to be had. There are 120 in the lot, all are made in the newest styles and the same as the suits in the latest shades and patterns. Both single and double breasted styles are represented, and you can have either bloomer or plain pants.

60 Boys can have a Tweed Suit at \$2.50

That these are a great bargain few will doubt. To see them is to be convinced that they are the best value that you ever saw at the price. They are in heavy weight tweeds and come in both single and double breasted styles.

July Hosiery Values Set a New Standard

Hosiery is a commodity of which few people have an adequate supply, not that they are expensive, but just because the old pairs are not replaced as soon as they wear out. That's just the reason why this sale will be good news to many women.

Here's your chance to lay out very little money, and get an outfit of hosiery that will serve for many months.

Women's Cashmere Hose—There are a fine quality and are guaranteed to be stainless. July sale price, per pair... **25c**

Plain Cashmere Hose—Fast dyes and fully fashioned. Regular 35c grade to be sold at... **25c**

Cashmere Hose, full fashioned and finished with gauze tops. All sizes. July sale price, per pair... **50c**

Black Cotton Hose in all sizes. These have a spliced toe and heel, and are a splendid value at, per pair... **25c**

Tan Cotton Hose—Have a spliced toe and heel. All sizes. Per pair... **25c**

Embroidered Lisle Hose—These come in lace effects and are to be had in the following colors: Champagne, rose, Nile, cardinal, blue and green. Regular 50c a pair. July sale price... **25c**

Colored Lisle Hose, finished with a double sole, heel and toe. Colors: Sky, pink, mauve, Nile, gray, champagne, rose, tan, cream and white. Sizes, 8 to 10. Sale price... **50c**

All-over Lace Hose, fully fashioned and to be had in a variety of different designs. July sale price, per pair... **50c**

Misses Cotton Hose—These are to be had in a variety of colors, have double heels and toes, and are fast dyes. July sale price, per pair... **25c**

A Special Line for Boys and Girls—These are good strong hose, with elastic tops, and are to be had in sizes from 5½ to 10. July sale price per pair... **15c**

Infants' All-over Lace Hose—These are to be had in sky blue, pink, tan and white. July sale price... **15c**

Boys' Cotton Ribbed Hose, in black only. Sizes, 8 to 10. July sale price, per pair... **25c**

Boys' Heavy Cotton Ribbed Hose—These are to be had in tan color only. Have seamless foot and elastic tops. July sale price, per pair... **25c**

5 Piece Toilet Sets at \$1.65, and 10 Piece Sets worth \$8.75 will be sold for \$4.90 on Wednesday

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BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Oak Bay Permit.—A building permit has been granted by the Oak Bay municipal council to Margaret H. Jameson for a 6-roomed house on Clive drive, to be designed and erected by J. D. Irwin, at a cost of \$3,500.

Excursion to Port Angeles.—The new palatial steel steamer Sol Duc, will make four round trips to Port Angeles July 4th, fifty cents for round trip. Steamer leaves at 8, 12, 5 and 9. Last steamer leaves Angeles at 11. Port Angeles will celebrate two days with rose-carnival and general celebration.

Reception to Miss Bradshaw.—A reception will be held to-morrow afternoon and evening in the Y. W. C. A., Courtney street, by the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A., in honor of Miss C. Bradshaw, the newly appointed secretary of the association.

Contractors, Look!—CHOICE FIR DOORS, WINDOWS, GLASS, etc., in stock. R. A. Green & Co. Phone R1938. Shop on Fisgard near Cook. Estimates free.

Board of Trade.—The annual meeting of the Board of Trade will take place on Friday, July 13, when the Lieut.-Governor and the Premier, Sir Richard McBride, will be present by invitation. It is at this meeting that the report of the civic committee on the harbor-lighting problem will be put forward for consideration.

"Sepias"—Soft, delicate, refined. The best word in high grade photography. The Skene Lowe studio, Douglas and Yates.

Y. M. C. A. Boys' Camp.—The entries for the summer camp of the Y. M. C. A. boys at Saanich inlet closed yesterday. Camp begins on July 13 and lasts to July 27. Prizes will be awarded to the boys who contribute the most to the pleasure and benefit of the others and the general welfare of the camp during the two weeks of camp life. Among the various competitions which will take place during that time are set down one for the best-kept tent and another for the best six photos taken during the camping time.

Four Per Cent.—You can deposit your money at 4 per cent. interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid-up capital over \$1,000,000, assets, over \$3,000,000, assets over \$3,000,000. Branch office, 1210 Government St., Victoria, B. C.

Crowded Steamers.—Both the night boats from Seattle and Vancouver yesterday were crammed to capacity. Not only were all the berths for the passengers booked long in advance but the dining saloons, smoking rooms and even the corridors were crowded with happy voyagers returning from a week-end stay either in Seattle or in the Mainland city. The officers on both the Princess Sophia and the Iroquois worked practically the night through to add to the comfort of the hundreds of passengers who patronized these two boats.

Teaming.—G. F. Blawanger, dealer in coal and teaming. Phone F2933.

Unfinished Council Business.—Unfinished business to be taken up at the council meeting this evening consists of the decision about the purchase of a fire boat, which has been lying over for some weeks; and the acquisition of the Clover Point range for park purposes when the militia department abandons it. This matter should be taken up at once, as the minister is due here at the end of the week, and representations ought to be made to him while the time is opportune. The property would form a natural continuation of Beacon Hill park, and can be terraced to the sea when the forest is cleared up, and improved.

Ladies' Tailor.—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Bldg, Fort street.

Absent on Holiday.—H. G. Beall, the physical director of the local Y. M. C. A. will be absent from the building during this month on Holiday.

For your taxicabs phone 121.

Royal Life Saving Society.—A general meeting of the Royal Life Saving Society will be held in the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock, next Thursday evening, at which some important announcements will be made. The handsome challenge cup presented by the Rt. Hon. Lord Desborough, K. C., V. O., the society's president, will be exhibited. It is hoped all interested in saving life from drowning will be on hand.

Merchants' Lunch at the Bismarck.

Accidental Death.—A coroner's jury yesterday morning returned a verdict of accidental death at the inquest on the body of Baptist David, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. David, who died as the result of being thrown from a vehicle on Friday, when the horse attached thereto was started by an automobile near the new Indian reserve. The name of the driver of the automobile, who was scorching, was not obtained because of the dust raised by the machine obliterating the licence number.

Take a five days' trip around the Sound, by steamer of P. C. S.S. Co. Phones 4, 2811 or 2821.

Flower Service on Sunday.—Rev. William Barton conducted the children's flower service held on Sunday afternoon last at Christ Church cathedral, a large number of the Sunday school children and others being present, and bringing with them such quantities of flowers that the two big baskets placed on the chancel steps were filled to overflowing. Rev. Mr. Barton gave a short talk to the children on the symbolic meaning of flowers, and the children's hymns, "All Things Bright and Beautiful," and "Here, Lord, We Offer Thee All That is Fairest," the last a hymn customarily sung at the children's flower service, were sung. The service was very impressive and beautiful, and was attended by a number of the children's parents.

Auto and Taxi—Cab stand, good cars, good service, all hours. Corner Fort and Douglas Streets. Phone 2310.

St. George's School Sports.—The annual sports day of the above school took place on Friday last and provided much physical enjoyment to the youthful competitors and exquisite delight to the parents and onlookers. In what Rev. Leslie Clay aptly describes as the "finest school sports in all Canada" sports even girls' sports become real sporting events, hence close finishes, keen enthusiasm, and great excitement were the features of the day. Miss Hayes took charge of the programme so that a quick business-like progression was rapidly and successfully carried through.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty. 'phone, 'phones. Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1732

Father Vaughan in Seattle.—The visit of Father Bernard Vaughan to Victoria may come at an earlier date than had been anticipated, as he spoke last evening in Seattle and will speak to-night in Vancouver. This indicates that he has considerably improved since his rest at Portland, where he has been taking matters easily since his breakdown, following the extended lecture tour he has been taking in the United States. He has not indicated yet whether he will visit the Canadian side at the present juncture, or wait till later in the season. When he comes he will preach at St. Andrew's cathedral, and will give a public lecture in the Victoria theatre.

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

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times: July 2nd, 1887.
—Yesterday the twentieth anniversary of the birth of confederation was observed in Victoria and spent by most of our citizens by taking a run into the country. At 12:30 a salute was fired from Finlayson point battery by a detachment of the B. C. G. A.

The ship Von Moltke, at present in harbor, has been chartered to take a cargo of lumber from Chemainus to San Francisco.

The old and well known private hotel, the Douglas house, has changed hands, Mrs. Douglas having sold her interest to Mr. George Richardson, an old and well known citizen of Victoria.

Mr. William Dickson, well known in this city, yesterday attained his majority, and came into possession of his wealth—about \$80,000. We trust our young friend will make good use of his time and means.

Mr. Shakespeare, M. P., returned from Ottawa on Thursday evening. He reports continued interest in the east in B. C., and that prominent members of the Senate and Commons will visit us this summer. The harbor is to be dredged, and a complete survey made.

Mr. W. Templeman, of the Times, accompanied by Mrs. Templeman, is enjoying a well earned holiday on the mainland. They will spend a few days at Harrison Hot Springs ere they return.

London, July 2.—Boyd, the sculler, is dead.

Organizer Expected.—J. W. Wilkinson, president of the B. C. Federation of Labor, and till recently business agent of the Carpenters Union in Vancouver, has been appointed an organizer for the Trades Congress of Canada, and will pay a visit here on organization work this week, afterwards visiting island cities.

Put Eggs Down Now.—Nicely finished crocks with covers are the real things for the purpose: 1 gallon, 35¢; 2 gallons, 70¢; 3 gallons, 1.05; 4 gallons, 1.40, at R. A. Brown & Co's., 1302 Douglas Street. Phone 3712.

The Woodworkers' Strike.—All the industries affected by the strike of woodworkers were short of men today, and the union men are determined to stand out for shorter hours and better pay. The strike is general and not confined to the five or six firms named in the Times on Saturday. Picketing was resorted to to-day, but there was no evidence of men anxious to displace the striking workmen. A mass meeting of the outside workers is set for to-morrow evening at the Labor hall, to discuss the situation and determine what attitude they shall take to the walk-out.

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Carnegie Library.—The returns for the Carnegie Library just to hand show that a busy month has been experienced by the officials. During the month of June the circulation amounted to 5,651 books, making a daily average of just over 235. The shelves of the lending library have been added to greatly during the month also and in all 342 new books have been added besides 49 rebound. Of the former five volumes were gifts from residents in the city. The new registrations as members of the library number 160 which is a highly satisfactory total at this period of the year.

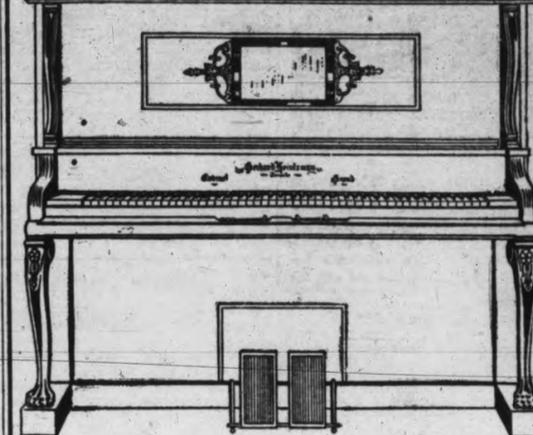
A Good Runner.—The York lawn mower has high wheels, four blades. It is easy to adjust, is durable, is easy running and is not expensive. 12-inch, \$7.25; 14-inch, \$7.75; 16-inch, \$8.25; at R. A. Brown & Co's., 1302 Douglas street. Phone 3712.

Saanich By-laws Next Week.—The three local improvements by-laws which are to be voted upon by the ratepayers of Saanich on Thursday week in addition to the school loan by-law for \$33,500, cover the grading, macadamizing, and draining of the following roads: Marigold road, from Burnside road to Carey road, costing \$10,960; Blackwood road at a cost of \$12,280, and Jasmine road, connecting the two thoroughfares, at a cost of \$2,100. These roads are in a district which is rapidly filling up with settlement. The poll will take place at the usual centres, J. R. Carmichael being the returning officer.

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The comedy lighting was well taken care of by Miss Wallie Mitchell as Bretta, "Thelma's" friend, and Howard Foster as George Gemmer, as lovers they quarrelled and made up in the most up-to-date lover style, greatly to the amusement of the audience. Dora Williams had a small part, with many laughs attached to it, and the part of Lady Winnleigh, by Miss Adelaide Rundell, was well brought out. The scenery was very effective, especially the winter scene in Norway, and reflected great credit on the scene painters, while the costumes worn by the ladies, especially in the ball-room scene, were very handsome. "Thelma" should draw large houses all week.

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Yesterday's Rainfall.—The rainfall, though general yesterday from the Coast to the Kootenay district, was particularly heavy about Victoria, amounting to .72 inch, while on the coast from Cape Flattery to the Columbia river scarcely any rain fell. Many holidaymakers here watched with interest the peculiar clouds hovering to the west and over the Olympian mountains, and though real western thunderstorms were anticipated, instead only a beautiful rain arrived and that, late enough to allow most people to reach home first.

NEWS OF SPORT

BEES CLIMB INTO THE FIRST DIVISION AGAIN

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Yesterday's Results.

Table with columns for Team, W, L, Pct. Includes results for Spokane, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver, Portland, and Tacoma.

never headed. Gordon had trouble locating the plate in that particular frame and when he did the ball was generally hit safely. Finkle Grindle, who was behind the bat in the place of Meek, came twice to bat and tried hard to pull off the usual stunt of making two hits in the one inning, but although he got one, he couldn't quite manage the second.

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Honolulu, July 1.—The yacht Lurline, of San Pedro, arrived here to-day, leading the biennial race from San Francisco to Honolulu. The yacht sailed from the last named port on June 16 in the following order: Seafarer, Captain Norris, of San Francisco; Hawaii, Captain Stroud, of Honolulu; Lurline, Captain Harris, of San Pedro, and the Natosse, Captain Ashe, of Victoria.

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States here yesterday in straight sets, the score being 6-0, 6-1, 8-4. Miss May Sutton, of Los Angeles, won the women's championship, defeating Miss Mary Browne, also of Los Angeles, the former champion in two straight sets, 6-4, 6-2. In the mixed doubles Miss Sutton and Frank H. Harris won the national title from Miss Mary Browne and Morris Williams, the match requiring three sets. The score was 6-3, 2-6, 6-2.

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Cricket.

Victoria v. Vancouver.

This match was played on the beautiful ground of the Vancouver cricket club yesterday before a good gathering of spectators. The weather was fine but the pitch was wet at the start from recent rains. It played very easily, however, and was throughout a batsman's wicket though it gradually became more difficult as the day wore on.

Vancouver won the toss and elected to bat first, sending in Clayton and Armitage. Both batsmen played with fair confidence and Armitage in particular gave a delightful display with strokes all round the wicket. Clayton bore a charmed life. He was missed at least three times, once by L. York, whose hand had been rather badly damaged. The ground fielding was good, but anything up about the Victoria men did not seem to be able to hold.

Armitage was out at last when within three of his half-century to a lovely catch by Gallinger, the one man whose fielding throughout was of the star variety. F. A. Barrs was the next batsman but he did not stay long, augmenting the score by only two before spooning one up to the visiting skipper. Peers also was only granted short shift, for Gallinger shattered the formation of his wickets with a lovely ball when he had only scored a trio. Clayton was bowled by Major, but with the advent of Payne a change came over the scene. The old Oxford "Blue," who was wearing his Harlequin cap, played the bowling with ease placing himself full in front of his wicket quite in the manner of C. L. Townsend, whom he is very like in style.

R. Hodgson was a delightful innings. He was a newcomer in the Vancouver eleven and plays a fine free bat with plenty of wrist work. Some of his off drives yesterday were delightful to behold. He was last but one and had 48 to his credit when W. York, who had gone on late at the pavilion end, sent down a beauty which beat him every inch of the way. The innings closed for the excellent total of 269 runs, in which were only five extras. Had all the chances which were given been accepted it is doubtful whether the score would have been half of that total.

Victoria had just three and a half hours to make the runs and they started off shockingly. Gillespie and Leonard opened for the Capital city and in the first over that he received Leonard just touched one of Peers' twisters and was nicely taken behind the wicket, eleven stentorian voices thundering the appeal.

J. W. D. York, the next man, was out in an almost identical manner. He tried to turn a ball from Peers that broke across sharply, with the result that there was an almost inaudible click and the ball had whizzed over the wicket-keeper's head, straight into the hands of Payne fielding very deep in the slips. Major Bell and L. York set to work to stop the rot. The Victoria captain, who is very popular on the mainland ground, was chosen to the echo for a beautiful off drive which found the rails near the pavilion. Bell was very nearly caught out two feet from the sight screen, the ball just dropping over the fielder's head.

With Bell run out, Major joined York and started laying on the wood in his usual style but was caught by Barrs just when he looked set. It remained for Rev. Collinson to make the best show of opposition. This starting cricketer, who has played for Dublin University, was in fine form, and against good bowling and well-nigh perfect fielding ran up a score of 48 before falling a victim to Peers' wiles. The last four wickets fell very quickly, and the innings closed for the total of 133 runs, the Mainlands winning by the handsome margin of 136 runs.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Score. Includes R. S. Clayton, J. W. D. York, Major Bell, F. A. Barrs, etc.

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VICTORIA HAS CHANCE FOR LACROSSE TITLE

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In the fastest amateur game of lacrosse played this season Victoria defeated the Mann cup-holders in Vancouver Saturday by a score of 4 to 2. Victoria fielded a stronger team than they have in years and well deserved their victory over the Terminal City stick-wielders. The game will go down on the records as one of the closest ever played, only four men being penalized, two from each team. "Boss" Johnson's marvellous work in goal was one of the features. For the locals Baker, McDonald and Carter played a fine attacking game, while Sweeney and Dakers distinguished themselves on the defence. Crookall, Gunn and Gilmour made themselves very active for the V. A. C. on the home division, and during the second quarter bored time after time through the Victoria defence, only to find themselves up against a stone wall in the person of one "Boss" Johnson.

The result of the game gives Victoria a respectable chance for the championship, especially in view of the fact that the local branch of the B. C. A. U. has practically assured the club that the game between Victoria and New Westminster two or three weeks ago, which the latter won, will be thrown out because a Westminster player, Robins, has been proven to be a professional. If that game is thrown out it will give Victoria two wins to one loss.

The teams lined up as follows in Saturday's game.

Table with 2 columns: V. A. C. Goal, Victoria. Lists players like J. Davis, B. Johnson, Paynter, Sweeney, etc.

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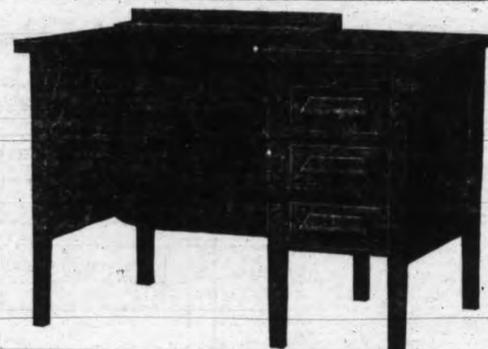
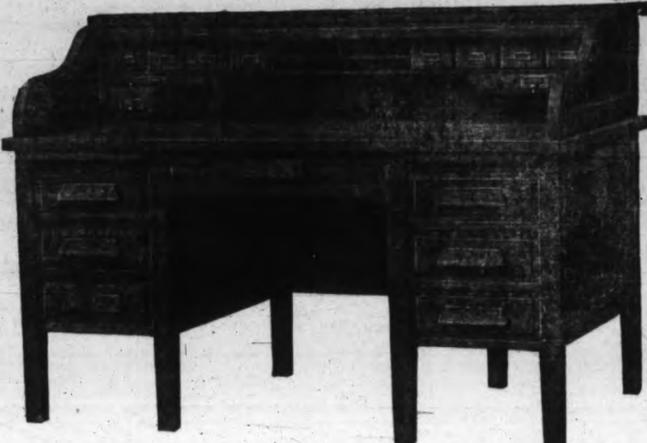
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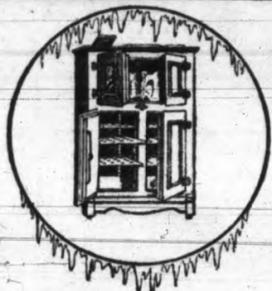
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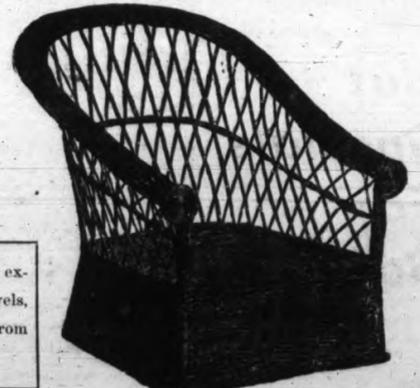
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On her southbound trip the Sophia brought about 90 passengers, a number of whom made the round trip. Throughout the trip the weather was good and the only rain experienced was while the ship was lying at Skagway. The Sophia arrived here this morning from the north and brought over a great many Victorians who had been spending the holidays in Vancouver. She is scheduled to sail for the north on Friday night.

Yesterday the C. P. R. had four boats running from here to Vancouver, and an equal number from Vancouver to this port. The Victoria left here at 2.45 o'clock in the afternoon and at midnight the Charmer, Princess Beatrice and Princess Adelaide got away for the Terminal City. The Charlotte arrived yesterday afternoon from Vancouver and last night the Princesses

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STRAY LOGS BECOME DANGEROUS UP COAST

Prince George Passes Whole Boom Adrift—Took Boosters Across to Seattle

While passing the northern end of Sarah island, Tolmie channel, on his way south from Prince Rupert, Capt. Duncan McKenzie, of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince George, reported sighting a three swiftsure boom of ed adrift. As it was a dangerous menace to navigation, the master of the big steamer immediately ordered the wireless operator to inform all other coasting vessels of the position of the boom. Capt. McKenzie said that the boom was an exceptionally long one and had he encountered it at night he would have been in a bad way.

Of late mariners have reported at frequent intervals the prevalence of a large number of logs in the inside passage. At times single logs are encountered in large numbers and vessels have reported running into sections, which have broken away from booms. Only a short time ago the Princess Royal struck a log and smashed off a part of her cutter. The tugboats engaged in towing the booms from points up the coast to the mills at Victoria and Vancouver have been losing many logs from their booms during the past few months and the steamer's officers have been forced to keep a most careful lookout in order to avoid crashing into these obstacles.

When the Prince George left here on Sunday morning for Seattle she took out about 600 passengers, the majority of whom were members of the Victoria Baseball Boosters Club. The intention of the excursion was to permit the Victorians to see their team clash with the Vancouver athletes at Dugald's park. Unfortunately the rain prevented the game and the boosters returned here yesterday morning tired but happy. Although the game was not played the boosters had a good time in Seattle and also on their return on the George. This is the second annual excursion of the boosters and on both occasions the G. T. P. has handled the crowds to the entire satisfaction of the officers of the club.

Yesterday morning the Prince George left here for Prince Rupert and besides having a good crowd of passengers out from Seattle she had the following saloon travellers from Victoria. Dr. J. J. McGregor, T. H. Brown, W. Sugarman, G. R. Foster, J. W. Miller, Free Press, who is touring this province accompanied by his wife; R. J. McDowell and W. E. Collison. The Prince Rupert, Capt. Barney Johnson, will reach Vancouver at midnight from the north, and will come across to Victoria to-morrow morning. She will sail for the north on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Point Grey—Cloudy; S. E.; 29.87; 57. In, Princess Royal, 11 p. m.; Animosun, 1 a. m.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; S. E.; light; 29.94; 55. Prince George abeam, 5.15 a. m. Northbound. Pachena—Foggy; light S. E.; 29.88; 51. Triangle—Foggy; raining; W.; 29.36; 35; dense. Estevan—Foggy; raining; S. E.; 29.53; 51; dense. Ikeda—Cloudy; calm; 29.76; 66; smooth. Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; smooth. Noon. Point Grey—Clear; calm; S. E.; 29.98; 66. Cape Lazo—Overcast; S. E.; 29.96; 65. Prince Rupert, Seymour Narrows, 11.20, southbound. Tatooch—Cloudy; S. W.; 3 miles; 29.96; 54. In, Buckman, 9.40 a. m. Pachena—Cloudy; calm; N. W.; 29.90; 55. Tees at Clo-osee noon, southbound. Triangle—Foggy; rain; W.; 29.36; 35; dense. Prince Rupert—Clear; calm; 29.90; 61. Estevan—Cloudy; N.; 29.58; 60; smooth. Ikeda—Clear; calm; 29.77; 70; smooth. Dead Tree Point—Overcast; calm; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORTS

The C. P. R. Dining Car Department had a rather interesting idea for the commemorative of Dominion Day. Yesterday they presented to each guest having luncheon on the dining cars a very appropriate souvenir, consisting of a small box tied with red, white and blue ribbon, containing a maple leaf made out of native maple sugar. Enclosed with the maple leaf was a miniature of the emblem of the Dominion of Canada; also a slip on which was printed the national song, "The Maple Leaf Forever."

HEAD LIGHTS

With a large number of passengers and considerable freight the Pacific Coast steamship Queen will leave port to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock. The City of Puebla, of the same fleet, is due in from the Golden Gate on Thursday night.

The transatlantic freighter Mount Oswald, which left Baltimore February 13, last, for Hamburg, has been given up as lost, having never been spoken since her departure. She carried a crew of between forty and fifty men and a full cargo of miscellaneous merchandise.

SCHOONER EMMA H. SOLD FOR FISHING

TO OPERATE OFF WEST COAST OF THIS ISLAND

Canadian Fishing Co., of Vancouver, Buys Former Halifax Sealing Boat

Negotiations have been completed for the purchase of the sealing schooner Emma H., which arrived here several weeks ago from Halifax, by the Canadian Fishing Company of Vancouver. Frank Adams, of this city, sold the vessel, but he would not divulge the price paid for her. The Emma H. is a schooner of 71 tons and she is to be equipped with a gasoline auxiliary engine and used in the fishing business.

The Halifax schooner was launched from Turpel's ways on Saturday after having her hull scraped and painted. She is now to be laid up for several days while the engine is installed in her and when the work is completed she will proceed to Vancouver to be outfitted for her first cruise in British Columbia waters. The Emma is a practically new schooner and is well equipped to enter the fishing industry.

The Emma is the second Halifax schooner to come to this coast and be converted into a fishing boat. The Yas, bel May, Capt. Geo. Heater, is now operated out of this port to the banks of the west coast of Vancouver Island. Since the Emma arrived here on May 30 she has been lying idle and negotiations were started a short time ago by the Canadian Fishing Company for her purchase. It is understood that several of the other private-owned schooners will be sold very shortly and changed from sealers into fishing boats. Frank Adams has several other craft on the market.

The schooner Pescawa, owned by Capt. Popple, is now on Turpel's ways undergoing an overhauling. It has been rumored that she will go to Cocos Island to look for the lost treasure. German capital is behind the move. It is certain that no Victoria money would be placed in this proposition after the failure of several parties to secure the reported hidden wealth.

PICK UP WRECKAGE FROM GULF STREAM

Seems Certain That British Barque Met Fate Off Cape Pillar, S. A.

That the British barque Gulf Stream, Capt. Nichols, from Glasgow to Victoria and Vancouver, went down off the west coast of South America, seems settled, as the result of news received here to-day from Port Stanley, Falkland Islands. Wreckage from the ill-fated vessel has been found which seems to point conclusively to her having met her fate in the neighborhood of Cape Pillar.

The Gulf Stream sailed from Glasgow on April 29, 1911, and she was spoken in the North Atlantic. After that she completely disappeared and she finally posted—as missing. She carried a crew of 29 all told, including eight young apprentices, and all of the crew were British.

C. P. R. MAPLE LEAF FOREVER

City Engineer Rust returned from Seattle and Vancouver on Saturday afternoon. In Seattle he attended the summer meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers, of which he is a member, and renewed acquaintances with professional friends he had known in the East. Some educational visits were paid to engineering works in the district. His family joined him in Vancouver, on their arrival from the East.

GOOD WORK DONE.

Appreciation of Development League by Grateful Applicants—Many Letters of Inquiry. Such letters as the following prove amply that the work that is being done by the Vancouver Island Development League is largely instrumental in bringing settlers of good standing into this province and Island. The appended letter is but one of many of a similar kind, but is typical of them all. It comes from a gentleman in Dublin who is evidently anxious to give honor where honor is due: "To the secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League:—I thank you most heartily for

NEW LINER SAILS ON FIRST OUTWARD TRIP

Yokohama Maru Leaves Port To-day—Inaba Maru Spoken—Arriving Thursday

Outward bound on her first trip from Puget Sound, the new Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Yokohama Maru, Capt. Noda, left the outer docks late this afternoon for Yokohama and Hongkong. The steamship is the largest carrier of the Japanese fleet and she took out over 8,000 tons, which is a new record for the line. Included in the cargo were large shipments of lumber, fish, machinery, hardware, wheat and general merchandise. Her passenger list was light, there being quite a number in the saloon but her stowage was almost empty.

Wireless messages received last night by the operator at Estevan and relayed here this morning contained the news that the Inaba Maru, Capt. Tomioka, of the same fleet, will arrive in port from the Far East on Thursday afternoon. The vessel is late in making Victoria and no doubt she has encountered some heavy weather en route. Aboard the Inaba are a large number of Chinese and Japanese, the former returning from holidays in their native land. Several European passengers are travelling in the saloon.

Advices were received here this morning by R. P. Rithet & Co., agents for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha, stating that the Chicago Maru, Capt. Goto, sailed from Yokohama on June 26 with 500 tons of freight and 140 steerage passengers for Victoria. She is scheduled to arrive here on Friday of next week. The Mexico Maru, of the same line, which is now on the Sound loading cargo for the Orient, will get away for Yokohama a week from to-morrow.

SOL DUC TO CARRY EXCURSIONS ON 4TH

New Steamer Will Make Four Trips Between Here and Angeles on Thursday

On her first visit to Victoria the new steamer Sol Duc, of the International Steamship Company, which has just been delivered to her owners by the builders, will arrive here early on the morning of July 4th. The officials of the line have advised E. E. Blackwood, local agent, that they have decided to run the Sol Duc in place of the Whatcom, as formerly announced. The change of the steamer should induce a large number of persons to make the trip to Port Angeles on Independence Day, as the Sol Duc is one of the finest passenger steamers on the Sound.

On Sunday the new steamer had her trial trip in the Seattle harbor and she exceeded the limitations put upon her by her builders. She developed a speed of sixteen knots and when her bearings have worn true it is expected that she will make an extra half knot. The vessel was delivered to her owners yesterday. In point of equipment she is far superior to any of the smaller terry steamers on the Sound.

Four trips will be made to Port Angeles on July 4, the Sol Duc getting away on her first run at 8 a. m.

MR. RUST RETURNS.

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Speaking of oil sprinklers for the streets, Mr. Rust said the matter was progressing, and that the provision of a supply from California was being looked into. They would need a clear enough liquid to be of good service in the distributing wagons, and would probably arrange for storage at some existing tank, as the quantity of oil used would not be great.

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Among other communications we saw a letter from a timber merchant in the city of Glasgow who wants information on lumbering and the sawn lumber trade in this country. He stated that Glasgow is over built at present. From Plunkhill, Saskatchewan, comes an inquiry asking for particulars of 5 and 10 acre farms, price and terms. Other letters were from Dundee, Hampshire, Middlesex, from a gentleman in Toronto, who is in negotiations for purchasing 500 acres in August; from inquiries from Torquay, Devon; Potehastrom, Transvaal.
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BASEBALL
Victoria's new pitcher, Kanteleher, got in yesterday and will likely pitch to-morrow against Seattle. He is a tall, strong looking southpaw, and if he makes good, will just about make Victoria's pitching staff the best in the league.

Fans to the number of about 600 went across to Seattle on the Grand Trunk Pacific boat, Prince George, to see the game between Victoria and Vancouver on Sunday and came back without seeing the game. It was raining cats and dogs when the boat arrived in the billy city and, as it didn't let up until well on in the evening, there was no game, of course. Still those who went across enjoyed themselves. They had a pleasant trip, everything being provided for their comfort on the steamer, and what with the music, the good company and the fine grub, etc., everything was perfectly lovely. There was no crowding on the boat and no rowdiness of any kind. Exceptionally fast time was made on the way over.

Here's a little incident that happened on the inside. Harry Meek talked back to Umpire Moran in one of the games last week and Moran threatened to put him out. Knowing that his ump's wasn't giving him a square deal Harry said, "Go ahead and put me out of the game. If you do I'll tell the crowd what you did it for." Moran shut up and made no more talk of throwing the big catcher out.

It isn't often that the fans are kept in such a continuous state of peevishness as they were last week, and if he got ragged a bit, Moran hasn't anyone to blame but himself. Setting aside his decisions altogether his attitude towards the players was enough to get on anyone's nerves. He was all smiles when talking to the Vancouver players, but was never seen to do anything else but snap and snarl at the Victoria boys. And while talking about talking he did altogether too much talking. His habit of turning around and sarcastically telling the crowd why he gave such and such a decision is unprecedented.

The Tacoma Tigers seem to have lost a lot of their fighting spirit. They went like lambs to the slaughter yesterday, very rarely opening their mouths to register a kick. And yet Tacoma was said to be the rowdiest team in the league last season.

Mike Lynch was all smiles and affability and his pleasant humor seemed to react on the fans with the result that everyone was happy. Mike and Ed Kennedy pulled off little comedy sketches in their leisure moments that were almost as well worth seeing as the game. Here's one of their best. With a dexterous flip Kennedy throws the ball at Mike from behind his back and Mike, not to be outdone by his former hireling, lets the ball fall behind his back and catches it. Needless to say they got a big hand for this.

"You can't make a home umpire of me," says Moran, and it looks as if he were so anxious to prove that he swings his decisions in favor of the visiting team.

Kennedy was put out for interference in the first game yesterday. He was caught off third and ran inside the line to block Brennan, who was taking a throw from Crittenden.

There is no doubt about which team got the best of the exchange in which Yohe and Brennan figured. Yohe looked to be 100 per cent better than Brennan in yesterday's games.

LEAGUE STANDING

National	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	51	11	.823
Pittsburg	37	26	.587
Chicago	35	28	.554
Cincinnati	34	32	.515
Philadelphia	25	34	.424
Brooklyn	25	37	.403
St. Louis	27	42	.396
Boston	20	47	.290

American	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	37	22	.626
Philadelphia	35	26	.570
Chicago	33	28	.541
Washington	33	31	.515
Cleveland	33	33	.500
St. Paul	32	34	.485
New York	31	34	.476
St. Louis	18	46	.281

Pacific Coast	Won	Lost	Pct.
Vernon	31	32	.494
Los Angeles	25	35	.417
Oakland	25	35	.417
San Francisco	25	42	.375
Sacramento	22	46	.324
Portland	21	44	.324

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ed in the airship are Mrs. Vaniman, Mrs. Bourhillon and Mrs. Elmer. They had gathered at the Vaniman cottage, across the hangar within an hour after the accident. Outside the little cottage was a crowd of probably 10,000 persons, women, children and men. Mrs. Vaniman, although she fainted on the porch of her little dwelling when she saw her husband dropping to his death, stood the strain better than the others after she finally became conscious and was upon her feet. Mrs. Bourhillon and Mrs. Elmer cried on Mrs. Vaniman's shoulders.

WELSH FOLK HAVE AN ENJOYABLE PICNIC

Annual Outing of the Cymrodorion Society Yesterday—Sports and Games

More than 200 members and friends of the Cymrodorion Society met yesterday afternoon in the grounds belonging to Dr. O. M. Jones' residence, Oak Bay, for the annual picnic of the Welsh Society, when a thoroughly enjoyable time was spent in playing games, participating in the various competitions organized for the occasion, and in partaking of the refreshments provided by the ladies of the society. The president, Mrs. Jenkins, and J. M. Thomas, the secretary, were active throughout the entire afternoon organizing the sports and were highly successful in their efforts to make the picnic a triumph of merriment and hospitality. One of the touches which gave the gathering peculiar distinction was the singing after tea of a number of Welsh songs, including "Aberystwith" and "Huddersfield," the proceedings concluding with the patriotic "Land of My Fathers," in Welsh, and the National Anthem.

Prior to this however, the assembled merry-makers gave three cheers for Dr. and Mrs. Jones, who had so kindly lent their beautiful grounds for the occasion, and also for Mrs. Jenkins, who had done so much toward the successful organizing of the proceedings. All the events were very interesting, starting early in the afternoon and continuing until late in the day, when the president, Mrs. Jenkins, presented the prizes, which had been given by a number of the leading firms in the city. The following is a list of the awards:

- 100 yards flat race, boys over 10-1, T. Floyd; 2, D. Johnson.
- 50 yards flat race, boys under 10-1, D. Houghton; 2, A. Williams.
- 50 yards flat race, girls over 10-1, R. Jones; 2, M. Jones.
- Three-legged race, boys over 16-1, Floyd and Johnson; 2, Jones and McGregor.
- Best skipping, girls under 16-1, M. Blaine; 2, H. Deveraux.
- Long jump, boys over 16-1, J. Deveraux; 2, D. Johnson.
- 200 yards, Welshmen-1, W. Davies; 2, L. G. Thomas.
- High jump, open, men-1, J. M. Thomas.
- Long jump, members - 1, W. A. Davies; 2, W. Davies.
- 50 yards sack race, men-1, D. Deveraux; 2, D. Johnson.
- 50 yards sack race, boys-1, J. Deveraux; 2, D. Johnson.
- Tug-of-war, 6 aside, married v. single ladies—Miss Thomas' team.
- Tug-of-war, 6 aside, married v. single men—Married won.
- 50 yards walking match, ladies over 40 years-1, Mrs. Davies.
- Potato race, open, men-1, J. Thomas; 2, D. Davies.
- Obstacle race, ladies and gentlemen running in pairs—Mrs. Jackson and Mr. J. M. Thomas.
- Egg and spoon race, lady members-1, Miss M. Lewis; 2, Mrs. Waters.
- 50 yards flat race, ladies, open-1, Mrs. Jackson; 2, Mrs. Page.
- 50 yards flat race, ladies over 30 years-1, Mrs. Da; 2, Mrs. J. P. Morris.
- Potato race, Welsh ladies under 30-1, Miss H. Jones; 2, Miss M. Jones.
- 100 yards flat race, open, men-1, J. M. Thomas; 2, W. Davies.
- 50 yards flat race, married men members-1, J. Williams; 2, S. Kinsey.
- Race running backwards, ladies—Mrs. J. Williams.
- Race running backward, men-1, W. Lewis.

FIVE ARE KILLED BY EXPLOSION IN MIDAIR

(Continued from page 1)

Was Confident of Success. To a reporter who recently interviewed him, Vaniman expressed the fullest confidence in the Akron to "make good." He was constantly aware of the dangerous nature of the gas used for inflating the bag, but he felt that it was safe from explosion as no flame could reach it.

One theory of the cause of the explosion was that the gasoline used for operating the engines exploded and in turn communicated to the gas in the balloon.

Vaniman had recently been testing an entirely new material for the gas bag. It is reinforced with wire and Vaniman claimed that with it he could construct a balloon that would neither explode nor contract, thus producing a dirigible that would be absolutely under control of engines and steering apparatus.

On his last two trips Vaniman dispensed with the services of his wireless operator and had removed the apparatus, thus giving his crew additional room in the working quarters.

Another Story. That somebody let too much free gas into the engines and backed up the exhaust was the theory of Chief Black of the fire department, who was on hand with his men to help in launching the balloon.

"I had no idea there was anything wrong until I suddenly saw the smoke change into flame and saw the entire rear of the big gas bag go up as if by explosion," he said.

Another theory for the cause of the disaster is that a dangling rope of the rising dirigible, the big propellers, whipped up against the stern end of the balloon and snapped off enough of the cone to free the gas, allowing the vapor to seep into the engines and explode.

Three of the widows of the men killed in the airship are Mrs. Vaniman, Mrs. Bourhillon and Mrs. Elmer. They had gathered at the Vaniman cottage, across the hangar within an hour after the accident. Outside the little cottage was a crowd of probably 10,000 persons, women, children and men.

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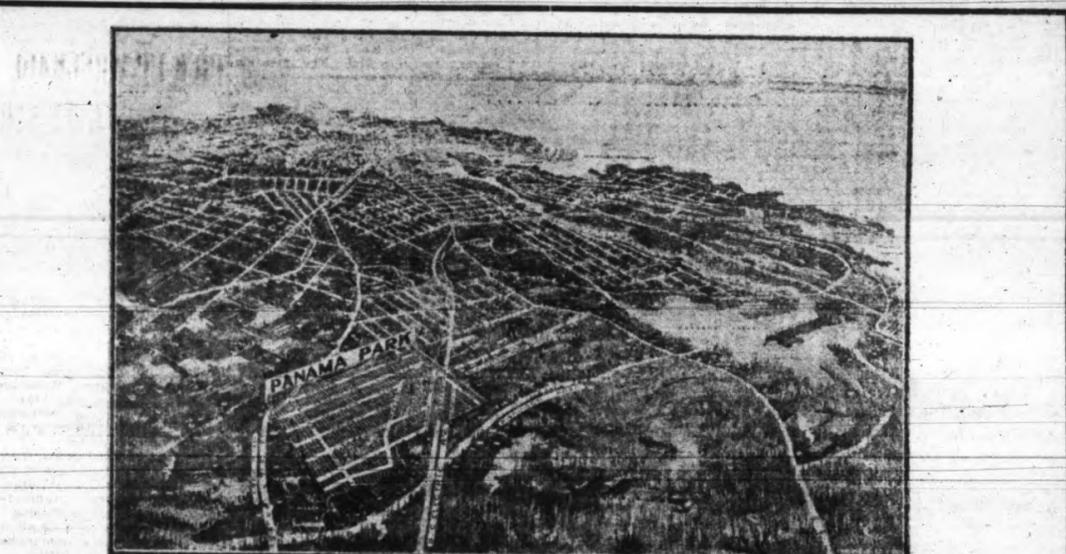
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ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Wilfred Doughty returned to the city on Sunday.
Miss Bourke is at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.
Mrs. J. E. Wark is in the city from Shawanigan Lake.
H. Corbett is at the Empress hotel from New York city.
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spofford spent the week end in the city.
B. E. Stilwell has registered at the Empress hotel from Vancouver.
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Allen have arrived in the city from Toronto.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crawford have arrived in the city from Winnipeg.
F. J. Shand, of Montreal, registered at the Empress hotel on Saturday.
Mrs. W. F. Brougham, of Vancouver, has arrived at the Empress hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cleveland have arrived in the city from Vancouver.
H. L. Daville is in the city from Toronto, registered at the Empress hotel.
W. A. Wright and D. G. McCurdy have arrived in the city from Vancouver.
Miss Campbell and John Campbell have arrived in the city from Milwaukee.
R. D. Miller registered at the Empress hotel on Sunday from Prince Albert.
Mrs. C. MacMillan arrived at the Empress hotel on Sunday from Ottawa.
R. H. Agur is in the city from Sumnerland, registered at the Empress hotel.
J. S. Matthews is in the city from Vancouver, registered at the Empress hotel.
W. L. Watt is in the city from Vancouver, registered at the Empress hotel.
M. Crehan is in the city from Vancouver, registered at the Empress hotel.
English visitors at the Empress hotel are A. H. Rawle, Thomas and G. L. Wilks.
Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Allen registered at the Empress hotel yesterday from Seattle.
Miss Charlotte Clayton left Friday night for Nelson, where she will spend a month's holidays visiting friends and relatives.

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

She is growing daily more common, I think. Indeed, I somehow can't imagine her existing at all in grandmother's and Aunt Tabitha's day, and must believe her entirely a growth of the last two generations.



Perhaps I'm wrong, but that is certainly my feelings about her. And she—as you are probably quite ready to know by this time—is the young married woman who talks about her ultra-private matrimonial affairs; who tells her sister, or her best friend, or her cousin, or even her next door neighbor, things about her most intimate family life which should have been kept absolutely sacred.

That a young married woman should confide "everything" to her mother has always seemed doubtful tactics to me. That she should open her whole heart to any less trustworthy and intimate confidante than this friend who is bound to her by a tie, second only to that which makes "two one flesh," seems to me the very height of folly. And yet, how many women nowadays do make just this mistake! And not only coarse and uneducated women, either. I recall especially just now the case of a young professor's wife at college who made an intimate friend of one of the students and confided many things to her that one would have thought she would at least have known enough to keep for married ears. The intimate friend "leaked" and soon half the college was in possession of the young professor's wife's silly confidences.

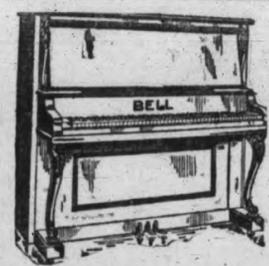
She was a woman whom we had been inclined to admire very much at first, but I assure you that after this incident she suffered a decided loss of prestige. While I am on this subject there is a very similar folly which I should like to say a word against, and that is the decidedly indelicate way in which two intimate married couples will sometimes talk and act in each other's presence. For four young married folks to find pleasure in each other's company is a very good thing. It often comfortably relieves the too continuous strain of tete-a-teteing.

But for any couple to become so intimate with another as to throw down barriers and talk and act as they would if alone is decidedly bad. It does not blot out the wrong that both husband and wife are party to it, nor make their conduct any less impudent and indelicate. It is natural that the young married woman, carried away as she is with her new viewpoint on life, should be in an expansive and communicative mood.

But if she wants to be sure of having nothing to regret in after life, let her keep constantly in mind the saying of the old Greek philosopher: "I have often regretted my speech; never my silences."

—Ruth Cameron

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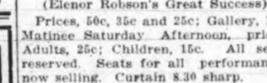
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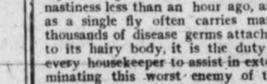


kill flies in such immense quantities as cannot be approached by any other fly-killer.

The apartment of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heger was the scene of a pretty home wedding, at Vancouver, on Wednesday at 3 o'clock, when the latter's sister, Miss Margaret Lester, of New Westminster, and Mr. William Gordon Murray, of Vancouver, were united in marriage by the Rev. George Murray, of Nicola, father of the groom. The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in a travelling costume of diagonal-striped cloth in a light buff shade, with which she wore a cream Milan hat with Macramé lace, and French rosebuds. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley. Her bridesmaid was her sister, Miss Nellie Lester, of New Westminster, who wore a smart gown of Wedgewood blue cloth, and a cream hat trimmed with lace and a blue osprey, and carried a large bouquet of pink sweet peas and roses. Little Miss Gladys Oakley, niece of the bride, acted as flower girl, and was prettily frocked in pale pink with cream net overshoes. The groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. George Murray, of Nicola. The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond and pearl necklace, to the bridesmaid an olive and pearl brooch, and to the flower girl a gold bracelet. The out-of-town guests included the Rev. and Mrs. George Murray, father and mother of the



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THE BOARD OF TRADE DELEGATE MAKES REPORT

C. H. Lugin Gives Exhaustive Account of Delegation's Trip to Ottawa--Number of Recommendations Submitted

At a meeting of the board of trade council this morning Charles H. Lugin, the board's representative on the delegation to Ottawa, submitted the following report of the trip:

To the President and Members of the Victoria, British Columbia, Board of Trade.

Gentlemen:—As your representative on the delegation appointed to interview the prime minister of Canada on the subject of the establishment of continuous rail connection between Vancouver Island and the Mainland by way of a series of bridges crossing Seymour Narrows and the other channels in that vicinity, I have the honor to report:

The delegation consisted of Herbert Cuthbert, representing the city council of Victoria; Beaumont Boggs, representing the Victoria Real Estate Exchange; Frank Shepherd, the representative of the constituency of Nanaimo in the Dominion parliament, and myself. As suggested by your president I invited the other members of the delegation to co-operate with me in regard to certain matters referred to me by the board, and I take much pleasure in acknowledging their hearty and valuable assistance. I wish especially to express my appreciation of the very valuable aid given me by Mr. Shepherd in matters especially entrusted to me for attention. I also wish to acknowledge the courtesy and kindness shown by the delegation by the Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture, and I have much pleasure in reporting that he gave the delegation a promise of his sympathetic support in connection with the establishment of all-rail connection with the Mainland. I thought it advisable to inform Mr. Burrell, as the member of the cabinet from British Columbia, of the several matters which the delegation and I personally had brought under the attention of the government. Herewith marked respectively A and B are my letter to Mr. Burrell and his reply.

Rail Connection With the Mainland.

We met the Right Hon. R. L. Borden in pursuance of an appointment made for us by Mr. Burrell. There were present Right Hon. R. L. Borden, Hon. Martin Burrell and Hon. F. D. Monk, minister of public works. In accordance with our arranged programme, Mr. Cuthbert first addressed the ministers, confining himself, after mentioning how the delegation was made up, to reading the memorandum prepared by the citizens committee, a copy of which is hereto annexed and marked C. I then addressed the ministers, having previously prepared the memorandum hereto annexed. Mr. Borden asked many questions and the ministers and delegations engaged in a general conversation, during which maps were examined and explained to the ministers. When I had completed my reference to the memorandum, Mr. Boggs spoke briefly of the great interest which the people of Victoria and Vancouver generally took in the project in behalf of which we were present, and of their long expectation of its accomplishment. Mr. Shepherd then spoke of the importance of the work, referred to the facts that the plans and estimates made at one time for the proposed connection had been destroyed by fire, and asked that the government would cause an estimate to be made of the cost of the necessary bridges before the next session of parliament.

Mr. Cuthbert then directed the attention of the prime minister to the fact that on the Pacific Coast of Canada there is only one province, namely, British Columbia, whereas there are four provinces on the Atlantic seaboard, and he suggested that in comparing the expenditures on the two coasts it was proper to compare those in British Columbia with those in the four eastern provinces, and not with those in any one of them. He also mentioned that the Right Hon. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Hon. George Graham, formerly minister of railways, had expressed themselves as favorable to the project. I added to this account of what had transpired when a committee from the board waited upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier, mentioning that the former prime minister had said that this would be the next great work to be undertaken by his government. Mr. Borden asked about the subsidies voted for the Butte Inlet railway, and as to outstanding charters applicable to the route, and full explanations were given him.

Mr. Borden then said the project was somewhat new to him and that he was greatly interested in the facts that had been presented to him. He expressed a doubt as to whether or not the government ought to be influenced by the consideration that the first plans for the Canadian Pacific Railway provided for a terminus on Vancouver Island, saying the project would have to be considered on its merits, and in the case of the subject of the subject of the work to the country and its cost. These matters should receive careful consideration. Mr. Shepherd thereupon said that this might mean anything or nothing, to which Mr. Borden replied that he meant to have the project investigated by the government. He would have copies made of all the papers submitted to him, so that each member of the cabinet might have one, and that he hoped his colleagues would be able to deal with the subject during his absence in England. He expressed his appreciation of the clearness and definiteness of the information that had been laid before him. The conversation again became general and in the course of it Mr. Borden was asked if he would make a definite reply to Mr. Shepherd's specific request for an investigation of the cost of the connection.

He replied, "You may understand that this investigation will be made." The delegation thereupon withdrew, the interview having occupied an hour and a half.

I beg to recommend:

That this board address a letter to Mr. Borden thanking him for his courteous consideration of the representations made by the delegation, expressing its pleasure that the cost of the undertaking is to be investigated and its hope that the result of such inquiry will be a decision by the government to establish the desired connection at the earliest possible day;

That this board address a letter to Mr. Burrell, thanking him for his assistance to the delegation and his promise of sympathetic support to the undertaking, and that he be asked as the member of the cabinet from British Columbia to charge himself as far as he properly can do, with the duty of seeing that the project receives the early and favorable consideration of the cabinet;

That this board address a letter to Mr. Frank Shepherd, M. P., thanking him for his valuable assistance to the delegation and asking him to use his best endeavors to further its objects and that a copy of this report be sent to him.

That a copy of this report, so far as it relates to the proposed rail connection, be sent to the Hon. Sir Richard McBride for his information, with the request that the provincial government shall advise the Dominion government of its readiness to co-operate in providing for the cost of this proposed rail connection.

That a copy of this report be sent to Mr. C. H. Barnard, M. P., representative of the constituency of Victoria in the House of Commons, and that he be requested to give his aid to the promotion of the several matters therein dealt with as far as they come within his line of duty as such representative and especially to the advocacy of provision being made for the establishment of the proposed railway connection at the earliest possible day.

That a copy of this report so far as it related to this proposed railway connection be sent to each of the senators from British Columbia and to Mr. H. S. Clements, M. P., the representative for Comox-Atlin in the House of Commons, in whose constituency the proposed work will be and that their active co-operation be invited to secure the establishment of the proposed railway connection at the earliest possible day.

That a standing committee consisting of representatives of the city council, the Victoria Real Estate Exchange and this board, together with the representatives of any other public bodies that may desire to be associated with it, be entrusted with the duty of considering all matters relating to the proposed railway connection. This object could be met by asking the present committee to continue its work and giving it power to add to its numbers.

That a concise statement setting forth the nature and merits of the proposed all-rail connection be prepared for circulation, wherever it may be deemed advisable. I will prepare this statement, if the board so desires, subject to the approval of this board, or of any committee charged with the subject matter in pursuance of the last preceding recommendation.

I may be permitted to add that in my opinion the time is ripe for action in this behalf and that energetic action in that behalf will be crowned with success. I have brought this project under the notice of a number of influential newspapers, including the Montreal Star, the Toronto Globe, the Ottawa Free Press, the Ottawa Citizen, the Ottawa Journal, the Manitoba Free Press, the Winnipeg Telegram, the Winnipeg Tribune, the Saskatchewan Herald, the Edmonton Capital, Journal and Bulletin, the Calgary Herald, and a number of influential men in business or public positions. Mr. Cuthbert brought the proposition under the notice of the Toronto Globe in an interview which was published. I have found much interest taken in the matter and in some cases I received promises of support. It is desirable that the public should be familiarized with this project, as it has been with such projects as the Hudson Bay railway, the Georgian Bay canal and others.

Harbor Improvements.

The delegation waited upon the Minister of Public Works in reference to harbor improvements. Mr. Monk sent for his chief engineer, Mr. Lafleur, who informed us that plans and specifications were being prepared and that tenders would be called for as soon as these were ready. When asked to name a date when the advertisements would appear, Mr. Lafleur said he could not do so definitely, but that it might be four weeks and certainly not more than six weeks from that date, June 12. He was asked if the late Mr. Keefer had made any alternative suggestions. He replied that Mr. Keefer had done so, but the department had decided to adhere to Mr. Coste's recommendations, except that there would be no wharf upon the breakwater, because he did not regard the proposed breakwater as suitable for wharf construction. Under these circumstances the delegation did not deem it advisable to ask for consideration of Mr. Keefer's suggestions in favor of the Holland Point breakwater, lest by so doing delay might be caused. Mr. Monk was asked how soon the work would be completed and he said it would take several years, as it was large and costly. He expressed himself very strongly in favor of making every necessary preparation so as to be in readiness for the trade to be developed by the opening of the Panama Canal which he said, was a matter already engaging his attention.

He stated that he hoped to be able to visit British Columbia this summer so as to look into conditions on the ground. The delegation assured him that such a visit would be highly appreciated by the people of the province, who were fully in sympathy with his views in regard to harbor improvements as he had stated them, on the floor of the House of Commons.

I recommend that a letter be addressed to Mr. Monk, thanking him for his courteous reception of the delegation and expressing the pleasure of the board at the prospect of an early visit from him.

That this section of this report be referred to the special harbor commission of the board, with instructions to consult with Mr. G. H. Barnard, M. P., as to the best means of securing a large appropriation for this work at the next session of parliament, so that the completion of the improvements may be expedited as rapidly as possible.

Esquimalt Dry-dock.

The delegation discussed the status of the application of the B. C. Marine Railway Company for aid in the construction of a large dry-dock. This being a private business matter I do not feel at liberty to say anything more than that at the present time the government is not in a position to supplement the order-in-council already made in this matter. The obstacles are purely of a legal character and do not relate in any way to the importance of the project or the good faith and financial ability of its promoters. Mr. Monk expressed an unqualified and favorable opinion as to the necessity for such a dock as is proposed, and intimated that he may ask authority from parliament to enable the Public Works Department to advance the actual cost of docks built by private concerns, instead of placing upon such concerns the burden of financing their projects.

I am unable to make any useful recommendation on this point pending Mr. Monk's visit to the coast, and would not feel warranted in making any under any circumstances without first consulting with the Messrs. Bulletin.

Mails on Barkley Sound.

The delegation waited upon the Deputy Postmaster-General in regard to an application made by the Ucluelet branch of the Vancouver Island Development League for a mail service from Alberni in connection with the E. & N. Railway. Dr. Coulter forthwith telegraphed to the post office inspector at Victoria for a report upon this application. Since returning home I have inquired at the office of the inspector and have been informed that the necessary inquiries have been instituted. I also brought under the notice of the inspector:

That I had informed the Deputy Postmaster-General that the extension of the E. & N. Railway to Alberni made it desirable that the residents along the shore of Barkley Sound and at Clayoquot should be provided with regular and frequent means of communication with the railway terminus; and

That the provision of such a means of transportation would greatly promote the settlement of the country.

And that the Deputy Postmaster-General had informed me that, while the mail subsidy could not be granted for the purpose of aiding a passenger and freight service, the department of commerce might be able to supplement any mail subsidy that might be granted.

Passenger and Freight Service on Barkley Sound.

I discussed with Mr. O'Hara, Deputy Minister of Commerce, the subsidizing of a passenger and freight service on Barkley Sound in connection with the E. & N. Railway. I pointed out to the deputy minister that such a service would be greatly to the advantage of the people of Clayoquot, Ucluelet, Uchuckleset, Bamfield and other points, and would be very useful in connection with the work of construction of the Canadian Northern Railway.

The deputy minister advised me to have a map prepared showing the route of the proposed service, and a memorandum stating the amount of the subsidy that would be needed, and the name of any person or persons who might be willing to undertake the service. He said that these particulars would be laid before the minister of commerce on his return to Ottawa and that he had no doubt the request would be favorably considered.

It is proper to mention that this matter of mail, passengers and freight service originated with the Vancouver Island Development League and I recommend that this portion of the report be referred to the league, and that this board pass a resolution strongly endorsing the application for the proposed subsidies.

The Coast Trail.

I brought before the attention of the deputy minister of marine and fisheries the request of the Ucluelet Branch of the Vancouver Island Development League for the construction of a trail between Ucluelet and Clayoquot as an aid to ships in distress and shipwrecked persons. The deputy minister stated in reply that the department did not favor the construction of such trails, but he promised to bring the memorandum which I left with him under the attention of the minister on his return to Ottawa. As this subject originated with the Development League I recommend that this portion of this report be referred to the league for such action as it may deem advisable.

Western Routing of Grain.

I discussed with Mr. O'Hara, Deputy Minister of Commerce, the western routing of grain and the construction of a government elevator at Victoria. Mr. O'Hara informed me that this whole subject was in the hands of the grain commission which has its headquarters at Fort William, and suggested that this board should take the question up with that commission. I am informed that it is the intention of the commission to visit the Pacific Coast and I suggest that this board should ascertain if such is the case, and that in the meantime the question be referred to the special harbor committee of this board.

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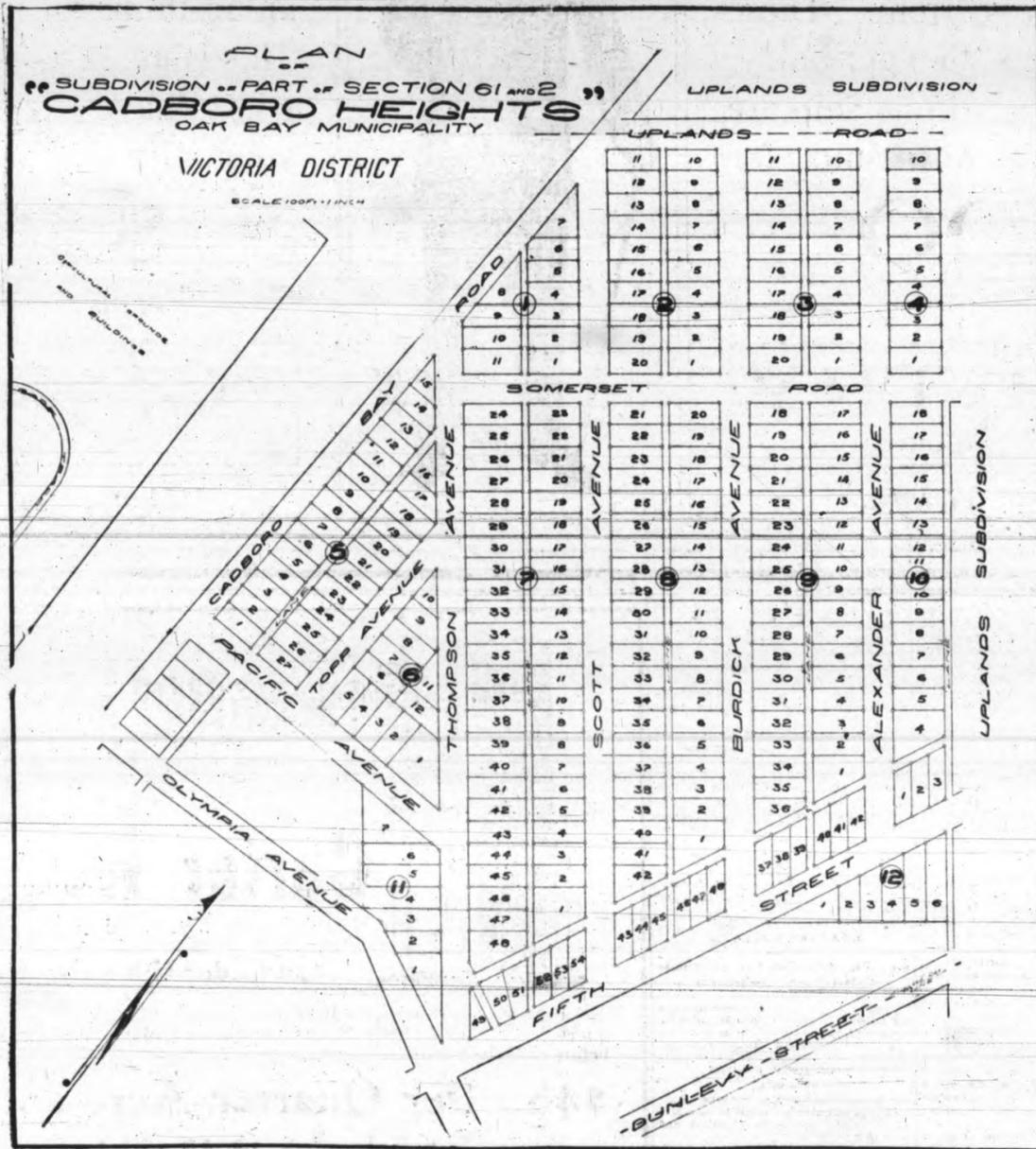
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20 acres, with 7 room house, chicken houses, barn, stable. One mile from Shawnigan station, on main road. On easy terms. Price... **\$2750**

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I have only three lots left—two on Front and one on Wilson. I will take an automobile as part pay. Price each **\$2000**.

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On the property—Westholme Hotel.



UNDER THE CLOCK TOWER

There will probably be trouble, now that Alderman Cuthbert has returned, over the contract with T. H. Mawson, landscape architect of Liverpool, England. Mr. Mawson was tentatively engaged to prepare plans of the parks and reserves of the city. When Mr. Cuthbert went away he obtained from the city council a pledge that the contract, which has now been forwarded for approval, would not be taken up without him being present, and accordingly he went away satisfied. In the meanwhile the contract had been taken from the table and rejected by a majority vote of the council. On his return Alderman Cuthbert, who was instrumental in getting Mr. Mawson here when the latter was acting in an advisory capacity at Vancouver of a similar character, asked how the matter stood, and on learning of the action of the council he at once intimated that he would take the fullest steps in the order of procedure permitted to prevail upon the council to revise its judgment.

There is little doubt the city council this evening will approve the recommendations of the city engineer as to letting short streets to the amount of some 24,000 yards to the Worawick Company to keep their plant occupied after the present contracts are terminated, which will be at an early date. The extra thickness and better quality of concrete, doubtless, will rule in all future contracts.

A report on the repairs of Smith's Hill reservoir, giving the cost, which no one could tell the court at the recent trial, is anticipated at an early date, with the completion of the repairs. The staff engaged there are all ready being drafted to other sections of the works department service.

The building by-law will go through this evening as a completed measure after many months of preparation, and alteration and amendment, and will bring the city up to the same level as its neighbors in the manner of up-to-date legislation on construction work. Just as the city has fire limits of three characters, that principle was extended last week to lighting, and a definite area set apart for cluster lighting service, in which it will be the only illuminant on the streets as extensions are made.



OUR LETTER BOX

UNASSAILABLE ENGLISH.

To the Editor—As to your criticism of my English of issue of Times, June 26 will you allow me to congratulate you upon the exhibition of yourself which you have made.

I have shown the paragraph to three of the best educated men in the place, to whom I am prepared to refer you, and their verdict is that your criticism is "ridiculous" and my English unassailable.

I should not reply but that you try to make your ridiculous criticism, the basis of an attack upon the government, whose unpaid servant I am.
CLIVE PHILLIPS-WOLLEY.
Union Club, Victoria, B. C., June 29, 1912.

MOTOR CAR REGULATIONS.

To the Editor—Mrs. David and her young child were the only occupants of a buggy on Craigflower road on Friday last when her horse, frightened by an over-driven motor, ran away, upset the buggy and seriously injured the woman and child. As too often happens, the craven gent or gent in the motor put on extra speed and "ran away," leaving the two mutilated and helpless victims upon the road—the infant apparently killed.

It appears Mrs. David could have declared the number of the car but for its "speed and the cloud of dust raised at the rear."

Allow me to add the attorney-general was respectfully warned by letter against such contingencies as that of Mrs. David, previous to the introduction of his "motor-traffic regulation act" in 1911, with the suggestion that all motors should distinctly exhibit their numbers in front as well as in the rear. For this simple reason that a person walking or driving in the opposite direction could easily read the number in front, in the absence of dust, and thereby be in a position to afford important information to the police. The attorney-general approved of this suggestion, and promised it would be attended to in his motor bill. In his introductory speech before the legislative assembly he made a similar statement. But the suggestion made by his correspondent was not embodied in the act. Small figures were substituted on the sides of movable lamps in front, which, for detective purposes,

are absolutely useless by day or night on a rapidly driven motor.

Considering the daily increasing number of the outrageous acts of motorists which we hear of, I offer no apology for this letter. But I do not presume to attack motorists in general; I refer only to the cowardly, reckless and incompetent minority who should not be entrusted with the charge and guidance of anything better than an elderly donkey. There is no subject, political or otherwise, of greater importance than the prevention or detection of this secret maiming and killing by robbing irresponsibles, whose antecedents are not as clearly as those they kill or injure. I have had two narrow escapes from such "gents," and a dear old pet dog was killed also. But the number was hidden as usual and the cats escaped.

T. S. KENNEDY.

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The Passing Show

The holiday audiences at the Empress theatre yesterday were large. The bill provided, which was evidently enjoyed to judge from the generous applause, is headed by Harry Hayward & Co., who present a sketch entitled "The Firefly," a bucolic railroad comedy. The plot deals with a strenuous time in a railroad station during a strike, and two young ladies arrive to make things more interesting. Harry Hayward is a clever comedian and is well supported. The act closes with "The Firefly," which is a section car, breaking the speed limit with Hayward as the motive power and the girls as passengers.

Elizabeth Kennedy and Anna Mack Berlin present a neat comedy playlet entitled "Darby and Joan," a story concerning the trials and tribulations of a stranded actress and the proverbial "landlady." The act has a song thrown in to add to its charm. It has a bright dialogue. Ed Burt, who assists, takes the role of a Hebrew merchant. The sketch is well staged, and is presented with much charm.

Prince and Yale, a couple who have taken college-pseudonyms, in their stage work, present a sketch in which an actress and a man who has written their offering "600 Miles From Broadway," and the man shows himself to be an adept in the use of slang. The couple appear as a brace of stranded performers, who sympathize with each other, fall in love, and have every indication of living happily every afterward when the curtain falls.

Bert Cutler, the noted professional billiardist, is one of the main features of the exhibition of fancy-billiard shooting and has a fine vein of comedy chatter to amuse the audience during the exhibition. He uses a large mirror to show the run of the billiard balls on the table to the audience.

The Lindon Sisters, two charming English girls, who are making their first tour of this continent, sing some good songs and wear pretty costumes. The motion pictures, as usual, are good.

Majestic Theatre.

There is a big holiday bill ending to-night: "Fighting Dan McCool," is a good Civil war time story with well maintained suspense, leading up to a climax in and after a battle on the street of a country town. This battle is very interesting. It is opened by a small battery of old smooth-bore cannon in action. These are first captured then, after Dan McCool, a major in the confederate army but not known to citizen soldiers, because he is on a secret special mission, takes command, the union forces are driven back. The picture also shows pretty girls, war time costumes, "Treasure Island" is a wonderful picturesque tale of adventure. It was taken in Bermuda, the scenery of which furnishes an appropriate background. "A Gingerbread Cupid" is a good comedy drama. "The Purr" is a rich comedy. "When the Purr Bells Rang" is a fresh, bright comedy, full of good fun.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE GOODS OF HARRIET COWPER, DECEASED.

TAKE NOTICE that Probate of the Will of Harriet Cowper, late of Victoria, British Columbia, spinster, was issued on the 23rd day of April, 1912, to A. Y. W. Boggs, Esq., real estate agent, of the Government street, Victoria aforesaid, as sole executor.

That all persons having any claims against the estate of the said Harriet Cowper are required to send full particulars of the same, duly verified by declaration of the same, under signed on or before the 31st day of June, 1912; and all persons owing any money to the said deceased are requested to pay the same forthwith to the said executor. After the 31st day of June, 1912, the executor will proceed to the distribution of the estate according to the Will, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated the 3rd day of May, 1912.
CREASE & CREASE,
Solicitors for the Said Executor,
P. O. Box 22, Victoria, B. C.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY.

NOTICE.

At the request of the Water Commission of the City of Victoria, the Council of Oak Bay Municipality has instructed its water commissioner to temporarily restrict the hours of watering in Oak Bay.

Notice is hereby given that until further notice the use of City Water in gardens is prohibited, except between the hours of 6.30 to 9.30 in the morning and 5 to 9 in the evening. Infraction of this rule will be followed by the water being turned off.

J. S. FLOYD, Water Commissioner
Oak Bay, June 10, 1912.

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VICTORIA, B. C.



BIRTHDAY CALENDAR
JULY 2
 IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY
 You are fortunate and much enjoyment will come, especially if you were born in the morning. You can interest yourself in practical affairs to advantage.
 Those born to-day will have fine minds and often suited to a literary career. As writers or speakers they will gain reputation.

IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN
 BY DR. FRANK CRANE

Carpe Diem, seize to-day, is a good motto, provided you use it intelligently, and as a man.

There is quite a difference between a man's living in the present moment and a brute's.

To the brute, now is now. The present time is simple. It casts no shadow backward or forward. He knows nothing but to try to get the thing he wants.

The man's moment, as has been said, "looks before and after."

Behind this moment is memory, accumulated experience, the warnings of remorse, the cautioning index of fear. Before is hope, imagination, and the long line of beams which anticipation sends over coming days, as the moon's path on the sea.

From the past comes wisdom, or unadvisedness. From the future comes stimulus or depressing dread.

We stand on the Now as "stout Cortez on a peak of Darien," between an Atlantic of the past and a Pacific of the future.

The past is illuminated by the light of what we hope to do the future is darkened by the shadow of what we have done.

The tendency is, both in the reckless and conscientious, to avoid the present moment. For, after all, Now is the only time there is.

If we should live a million years, still all we should ever have of time is a Now.

Seize to-day, therefore, but like a man, and not like a brute. It is something to live this moment nobly and happily.

ACREAGE—Gorge waterfront, 3 acres, beautifully laid out in fruit trees, 3 miles from City Hall; price \$15,000; 1/3 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years. Ideal for subdividing.

THIRTY ACRES—On Esquimalt Lagoon, all in orchard and improved with eight roomed house, water laid on; \$1,500 per acre.

TWENTY-FIVE ACRES—South Saanich, 8 miles from Victoria, partly cleared, balance light timbered, with small house, with plenty of good water; \$50 per acre part cash, balance terms.

SARATOGA AVENUE—Just off Oak Bay avenue, fine 7 roomed house, fully modern, furnace heated; price \$5,000; part cash, balance terms.

GORTON HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Two lots, 50x200 each; price \$1,650 each; 1-3, 6, 12 and 18 months.

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Terms.

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Hollywood P. A. R. I. Ross St., 50x112, or paved street and close to sea; 1/4 cash. Price **\$1300**

12 lots on Ocean View Rd. near Cook St., each 50x120; 1/4 cash, balance 6 and 12 months at 7 per cent. City water goes close to property. Price each **\$550**

Oak Bay, Hazel St., 44x120; 1/4 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Price is **\$1050**

Burnside District

Close to the new car line, where the prices are going to jump up soon.

Hampton Road, lot 50x94. Cash \$150. Price **\$450**

Hampton Road, lot 45x114. Cash \$175. Price **\$500**

Hampton Road, lot 50x131. Cash \$200. Price **\$600**

Hampton Road, corner of Albina street, 69x120. Cash \$250. Price **\$750**

Burnside Road, corner lot, 60x120. Cash \$500. Price **\$1500**

Burnside Road, lot 50x160. Cash \$400. Price **\$1350**

The above are a few of the good offerings we have in this coming district and as we are specialists, in this particular district call on us and be assured of getting rock-bottom prices.

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 And it may be purchased on very easy terms.

BAIRD & M'KEON
 1210 DOUGLAS STREET.

Gordon Head, 2 1/2 acres, all planted in strawberries; 1/4 cash, balance 1 and 2 years. Price **\$3500**

Saanichton, 43 acres close to station; 1/4 cash, balance 1 and 2 years, at per acre **\$350**

1/4 acre lots on cross road between Gorge road and Burnside road. Price each **\$750**

Extra good buy, waterfront lot, 52x187, on the Gorge, gradual slope to the water. Price **\$1500**

Gorge Heights, fine lot, 52x137, with waterfront privilege. Price **\$1250**

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Waterfront, 53 acres near Millbay, on terms **\$12,500**

Edmonton Road, 43x135, between Scott and Shelbourne **\$1600**

Fairfield Terrace, best residential lots left in Fairfield, fine view and trees, 14x132 **\$5,000**

Foul Bay Road, beautiful homesite, large lot, 63x260 **\$3,000**

Fort Street, 39 feet between Vancouver and Cook, revenue producing. Price is **\$15,000**

Raymond's Crossing, 40 acres wild land. Per acre **\$75.00**

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 An ideal chicken ranch site, just six miles from town, two minutes from railroad station, five and a third acres, at, per acre **\$300**
 Nothing in a large radius can equal this cheap price.

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\$600
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If so, we will build you a nice bungalow on a large lot, 50x150, close to the car line. Call in and see our architect and let him make a set of plans for you.

\$500
 \$500 cash secures a comfortable modern bungalow on Burnside, having six good sized rooms, full basement with cement floor, large bathroom and pantry, all piped for furnace. Size of lot, 55.6x120. This is a snap.

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Prior Street, six room house and lot 51x110 **\$4500**

Grant Street, seven room house and lot 53x145 **\$5500**

Eberts Street, seven room house, modern **\$5000**

Harbinger Avenue, five room house and lot 55x148 1/2 **\$5500**

South Hampshire, six room house and lot 50x112 **\$4750**

Newport Avenue, six room house and lot 50x110 **\$5250**

Sayward Avenue, four room house and lot 50x105 **\$2950**

Blackwood and Topaz, corner lot 56x110 **\$1600**

Bethune Avenue, near Cloverdale Avenue, 50x125 **\$900**

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Richmond Road—Nice, level lot, on car line, size 50x107; reasonable terms. Price **\$1500**

Gorge—Cottage containing 5 rooms, well finished, modern, every respect, dining room, burlesqued, fine home. Terms, \$650 cash, balance to arrange. Price **\$3300**

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COLWOOD IS SCENE OF MANOEUVRES

ABOUT THOUSAND MEN ENGAGED IN ATTACK

Fifth Regiment Defends Position Against United Vancouver Assault

Although the honors were of a somewhat divided character yesterday at the manoeuvres between Mainland and Island troops in the neighborhood of Colwood, it proved the military spirit of the defenders, and the useful lessons in war learnt by the attackers. Most noticeable of all was the improvement in the Seventy-second Highlanders, who in the few months they have been in training have become a smart regiment of men whose uniforms show them off to advantage. The engagements of the day were two-fold, a skirmish about nine o'clock and an attack of a more thorough character shortly afterwards, both of which might fairly be claimed triumphs for the local forces, in that they held their position in each case.

The umpires were Col. Wadmore, D.O.C.; Col. Paley, from Militia Headquarters, Ottawa; Col. Hunter, Lieut.-Col. Flick, of the B. C. Horse; and Major A. B. Snow.

The invaders were officered by Lieut.-Col. J. Duff Stuart, of the Sixth Regiment; Staff Officer F. W. L. Moore, D. S. A., M.D.; Transport and Supplies, Capt. J. F. Foulkes, C. A. P. C.; and Intelligence Officer, Capt. F. V. Longstaff, C. of G.

The defence was in charge of Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, with Staff Officers Capt. W. B. Almon, R.C.G.A.; Intelligence Officer, Major W. T. G. Bryan; Signalling Officer, Lieut. H. R. Seife, District Signalling Corps.

Plan of Campaign. The general idea of the manoeuvres was that hostilities had been declared between "Redland," part of which is represented by Vancouver Island, and "Blueland," an overseas power. The harbor of Esquimalt and the shipping therein was of the first importance to Redland. It is assumed that a blue naval force was ready to co-operate with any blue force landing on Vancouver Island.

The expeditionary force, consisting of the Sixth Regiment, the Seventy-second Highlanders and a detachment of the Field Ambulance Corps, numbering over 500, landed at Harrisville from the Princess Royal on Friday, and set out with the object of seizing the Red Hill batteries at the western entrance to the harbor of Esquimalt. It was assumed that the Blue naval force would co-operate in the attack on the forts.

The "Red" mobile force consisted of the Fifth Regiment, four companies of

the 104th Regiment (New Westminster) and a detachment of the 18th Field Ambulance for the defence of the harbor. The attacking force marched to Cobble Hill, where they bivouacked for the night. On Saturday came the long ascent of the Malahat drive, and nightfall found them at Summit creek, where the engineers of the regular forces, who had already arrived, had commenced camp preparations. On Sunday a short march down hill brought the party to Goldstream, where camp was taken up near the hotel. Each night the precautions of actual warfare were adopted, such as being put out, and during the day signalling exercises were engaged in from time to time. At two o'clock on Sunday the chaplain, Rev. C. C. Owen, conducted drum-head service in camp, and in the late afternoon everything was prepared for actual warfare, hostilities being due to commence at six p. m.

Protection of Property. Strict instructions had been issued to protect property, and the men were not to break down fences when in motion, and instructions had been issued to prevent stampede of stock. All poultry farms and cultivated land were out of bounds for movements. The object sought in the manoeuvres was not so much to make a sham fight as to afford the troops an opportunity to carry out practical training in the field and to test the capacity of officers of all ranks in maintaining discipline, and carrying out orders on the march and in extended order.

The approach by the Malahat was preferred because the distance is four miles longer than the old Sooke Lake road, and because the gradients would make the march more difficult for the men, and the slippery surface would increase the problem of transport. While a force using the Malahat road would be easily delayed by a small force holding the road, the Sooke road would be better in this regard for an advancing party.

It will have been seen from the bivouac grounds selected that supplies might easily be obtained by an attacking force, in actual warfare, and therefore the transport wagons were required to carry a day's supply, a blanket and waterproof sheet, and about 20 pounds of kit per officer.

The Victoria men were about five hundred strong, and spent the night at Colwood, leaving at an early hour for the scene of the encounter. They took up a strong position near the station, with the intention of covering the road from Goldstream to the Colwood hotel. During the night a signal station had been established on Mill mountain, in order to get in touch with the enemy's outposts. Although the night was wet, the rubber sheets kept the men protected till daybreak yesterday.

During the night the scouts got in touch with the enemy, and at daybreak the first actual skirmish took place. During the preliminary skirmish Col. Macdonald and Lieut. and Quartermaster McGregor, of the Highlanders, were captured by the defending forces.

When the main body came into action near Langford, the Fifth had taken up a strong position under cover, and an attempt to dislodge them on the part of the Blues failed, the umpires awarded against them, as offering themselves to an exposed position, and therefore certain of capture. Sixteen men were ordered to be put out, and the rest retired. The Highlanders approached at the double, and practically ran into an ambushade. In a short series of attacks the Highlanders were adjudged to have recaptured the ground lost, and to have occupied the wood from which they had been previously driven. A number of prisoners were taken, including several cyclists attached to the defenders.

About a mile further on came the main engagement, after a rest to reform. From Langford station the road runs through the bush, and the park like expanse which makes the Colwood district unrivalled in British Columbia in its reposed beauty afforded an opportunity for an attack both spectacular and educational to the militiamen. To pass the road was the object of the attack, and the defence had taken up a splendid position in a rough crescent, hidden completely by the trees, across the country close to the highroad, and utilizing telephones had with these field instruments a fine opportunity of learning and keeping each company informed of what was going on. The Blue troops had, therefore, a difficult task before them. They attempted, while the main body lay in the timber with an open stretch in front of them, to execute a flank movement by despatching two companies of Highlanders to the right to turn the Reds' flank. The attack of the main portion then came, the Blues deploying through the scrub, ran across the sward, and taking whatever shelter offered, but so well were the Reds hidden that in actual warfare they would have been subjected to a raking fire which would have decimated their numbers. The Highlanders on the right of the position had done well under difficulties when the order to cease action came, and the umpires stayed the attack to estimate its aspect in real warfare. In accordance with military practice, no official statement of the decision reached by the referees was made available, but at camp subsequently Col. Paley and Wadmore congratulated the two opposing forces, the former hearing tribute to the excellent position taken by Lieut.-Col. Currie. He pointed out that the companies took risks, and did not protect themselves against attack as they should in an enemy's country.

After the fray. The various detachments assembled at the Colwood hotel at the noon hour and a raid followed on the liquors of the hotel, which had been re-inforced from every brewery and distillery in the vicinity. At this point there were many visitors who had assembled by automobile, vehicle and bicycle from all parts, whose patient wait was well rewarded by the march past of all assembled troops with bands and pipers playing before they left to take the harbor road to be transported across the Esquimalt harbor to the camp on Macaulay plains. The arrangements reflected the greatest credit on all parties, and the officers had the satisfaction of a good day's soldier-

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Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p.m. Monday, July 8th, for the construction of a brick Laundry building for the Old Men's Home. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the undersigned to whom tenders must be addressed. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. W. M. W. NORTHCOTT, Supt. Public Bldg., City Hall, June 29, 1912.

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NOTICE

City Assessor's Office, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., May 30th, 1912. I have this day posted and delivered all assessment notices of land and improvements, for the current year, for the City of Victoria. WM. W. NORTHCOTT, City Assessor.

COURT OF REVISION

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Annual Court of Revision of the Municipality of the City of Victoria will be held in the Council chamber, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., on Tuesday, the 2nd day of July, 1912, at 10 o'clock, a.m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment as made by the Assessor, and for revising and correcting the assessment roll. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C., City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 1st, 1912.

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Financial News

IMPROVEMENT IN NEW YORK MARKET

Prominent Issues Show Moderate Strength at Opening—General Selling Follows

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 New York, July 2.—The more satisfactory tenor of crop advices was somewhat responsible for an improvement in the stock market early today, much of the prominent issues manifesting quite moderate strength.

A further favorable influence was the gradual clearing of the present political horizon, it being given out towards the close of the market that Wilson had been nominated by the Democratic party at Baltimore.

The last half-hour's trading in stocks was more excitable and some general selling ensued, during which a considerable part of the advances previously recorded were cancelled.

It is a nervous market for the time being, but with political uncertainties out of the way, sentiment is highly favorable to the upward trend.

High. Low. Bid.

Ann. Copper	84	83	83
Ann. Beet Sugar	74	74	74
Ann. Car. & Foundry	52	52	52
Ann. Cotton Oil	54	53	53
Ann. Smelting	87	86	86
Ann. Sugar	131	130	130
Ann. Tel. & Tel.	45	45	45
Anaconda	145	144	143
Atchison	101	101	101
B. & O.	94	93	93
C. & N. W.	264	263	263
C. & O.	274	273	273
C. & St. P.	105	105	104
Colo. Fuel & Iron	32	31	31
Con. Gas	142	142	142
Distillers Sec.	33	33	33
Erie	35	34	34
Do. 1st pref.	54	53	53
Goldfield Cons.	4	4	4
G. N. pref.	150	150	150
Inter-Metro	22	22	22
Do. pref.	62	62	62
Inter. Harvester	121	119	120
L. & N.	161	160	160
Lehigh Valley	172	170	171
M. St. P. & S. M.	144	143	142
M. K. & T.	27	27	27
Mo. Pacific	37	37	37
Nat. Lead	150	150	150
N. Y. C.	118	117	117
N. Y. & W.	190	189	189
N. & W.	196	195	195
N. P.	121	121	121
Pennsylvania	124	123	123
Railway Steel Spg.	36	36	36
Reading	102	102	102
Rep. Iron & Steel	28	28	28
Do. pref.	86	85	85
Rock Island	21	21	21
Do. pref.	51	50	50
S. P.	102	102	102
Son. Railway	24	24	24
Do. pref.	75	74	74
Tenn. Copper	44	44	44
U. T.	170	169	169
U. S. Rubber	102	102	102
Do. 1st pref.	111	111	111
U. S. Steel	72	71	71
Do. pref.	112	112	112
W. Car. Chem.	49	48	48
Wabash	41	41	41
Do. pref.	74	74	74
Western Union	82	82	82
Money on call, 2 1/2 per cent.			
Total sales, \$2,500 shares.			

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

Chicago, July 2.—Receipts, 4,500; market steady to shade lower; beefs, \$5.70@5.85; Texas steers, \$5.60@5.75; western steers, \$5.25@5.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.60@4.75; cows and heifers, \$2.50@2.80; calves, \$3.00@3.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; market weak, \$5.50; light, \$5.60@5.75; mixed, \$5.40@5.55; heavy, \$5.20@5.35; rough, \$5.10@5.25; pigs, \$5.20@5.35; bulk of sales, \$5.30@5.45.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market weak; native, \$5.00; western, \$3.25@3.45; yearlings, \$4.25@4.40; lambs, native, \$3.50@3.75; western, \$4.00@4.25.

LONDON COPPER.

London, July 2.—Copper closed: Spot, £76 1/2, off 6s. 3d.; sales, 500 tons. Futures, £77 1/2, 6d. off 5s.; sales, 2,100 tons.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

Forecast Canadian Northwest: Manitoba, Alberta and cooler; Saskatchewan and Alberta, showers, but generally fair and cool.

A Minneapolis dispatch says: Good demand for cash wheat. No. 1 Northern, 1 to 2 over July.

Removed Cites' report on cotton acreage is 6.5 decrease.

WORLD'S VISIBLE SUPPLY.

Wheat, to-day, 23,350,000 bushels; year ago, 24,322,000 bushels. Corn, 8,204,000 bushels; year ago, 7,482,000 bushels. Oats, 3,901,000 bushels; year ago, 3,570,000 bushels.

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, July 2.—Money on call steady, 2 1/2 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 1/2 per cent.; closing bid, 2 1/2 per cent.—offered at 3 per cent. Time loans stronger; 60 days, 7 1/2 per cent.; 90 days, 8 1/2 per cent.; 6 months, 4 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4 1/2 per cent. and, and at 4 1/2 per cent. for demand. Commercial bills, \$4.84. Mexican dollars, etc. Bonds—Governments steady; railroads irregular. Bar silver, 61 1/2.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, July 2.—Raw sugar barely steady; Muscovado, 5 1/2 cent.; centrifugal, 5 1/2 cent.; molasses sugar, 80 cent.; refined sugar quiet.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.
 IN THE MATTER OF JOSEPH HENRY BUSHCOMBE, DECEASED, AND IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATORS' ACT.

Take notice that by order of the Courts made on the 23rd day of February, A. D. 1912, I was appointed administrator of the estate of the said Joseph Henry Bushcombe, deceased, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified, to me on or before the 29th day of July, A. D. 1912; and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

GEORGE BUSHCOMBE, Administrator.
 Dated this 7th day of June, A. D. 1912.

WELCOME RAIN IN CANADIAN NORTHWEST

Favorable Reports Regarding Crops—Grain Weaker in Chicago Pit

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
 Chicago, July 2.—In all three of the grains, wheat, corn and oats, absolute bareness ruled the market to-day and yesterday, with wheat leading the downward. Previous to Sunday, the Canadian Northwest stood in strong need of rains, and the outlook from that portion of the wheat belt was beginning to get serious. But good soaking rains for the last two days have ended nearly all the suspense for that quarter, and this started the general selling Monday, which was continued still further to-day. From the present levels a reaction would be fully in order, and in view of the damage reports already established, some traders are looking for substantial advances ahead. The favorable weather over the corn belt has, together with weakness in wheat, induced the bear side of corn, and much the same influences have depressed oat futures.

Wheat—
 July 106 1/2 107 1/2 106 1/2 106 1/2
 Sept. 103 1/2 104 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2
 Dec. 104 1/2 105 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2

Corn—
 July 73 1/2 74 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2
 Sept. 71 1/2 72 1/2 71 1/2 71 1/2
 Dec. 62 1/2 63 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2

Oats—
 July 46 1/2 47 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2
 Sept. 38 1/2 39 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2
 Dec. 39 1/2 40 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2

Pork—
 July 18 5/8 18 7/8 18 3/8 18 3/8
 Sept. 18 7/8 18 9/8 18 5/8 18 5/8

Short Ribs—
 July 10 3/4 10 5/8 10 3/8 10 3/8
 Sept. 10 5/8 10 7/8 10 3/8 10 3/8

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE.

Victoria, July 2.

American Canadian Oil	.....	69
Canadian Northwest Oil	.....	62
Can. Pac. Oil of B. C.	.....	69
International Coal & Coke	.....	42
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke	.....	50
Royal Collieries	.....	66
Western Coal & Coke	.....	22 1/2
B. C. Packers, com.	.....	30 1/2
C. N. P. Fisheries	.....	2 50
B. C. Permanent Loan	.....	130 00
Dominion Trust Co.	.....	124 00
Great West Permanent (a)	.....	130 00
Stewart Land	.....	2 00
B. C. Copper	.....	3 75
Canada Cons. S. & R.	.....	50 00
Granby	.....	54 00
Coronation Gold	.....	35 45
Kootenay Gold	.....	28 25
Lucky Jim Zinc	.....	18 25
Nugget Gold	.....	30 28
Rambler Cariboo	.....	61 1/2
Standard Lead	.....	1 40
Red Cliff	.....	48 45
Stewart M. & D.	.....	58 1/2
Snowstorm	.....	60 1/2

Sales.
 10 Great West Permanent Loan (a).....\$130.00

REGINA'S DEATH ROLL

MAY TOTAL SEVENTY-FIVE

(Continued from page 1)

The Injured.
 The following is a partial list of the injured as reported to midnight last night. Patients at the General hospital are: Ernest Blankhorn, head cut and back injured; Edward Bowden, legs bruised, arms cut and suffering from internal injury; Alex D. Bruce, face smashed; arms cut and bruised on back; Miss Ella Bowers, thumb broken and arms badly cut; Miss L. Bath, arm cut and bruised on the face; John Dawson, legs and arms bruised and ribs injured; Mrs. Dunn, legs and arms bruised; Thomas Durbanville, feet in bad condition, arms slightly bruised; Belle Evans, ribs broken; Wm. Evans, arms, legs and face smashed; Wm. Edwards, shoulder and arms badly cut; Frank Easton, fingers cut and arms bruised; F. Flanagan, head bruised, broken leg; Kenneth Ferguson, ribs broken and face smashed; Thomas Featherstone, back and chest badly bruised; Redman Fault, broken leg; Wm. Fiesel, legs and arms cut; Mr. Center, leg and arms cut, shoulders bruised; Mrs. Guthrie, shoulders very badly cut; Miss M. Guthrie, head and arms cut; back bruised; Mrs. Graham, head cut and serious scalp wound; Miss J. Graham, head cut and arms bruised; Baby Graham, head and arms bruised; Wm. Hindson, head cut; Mrs. Holmes, ankle broken; Mrs. Susan Holmer, ankle dislocated, shoulders bruised; John Horrobbetz, scalp wounds; Reginald Hodsman, scalp wounds and arms cut; Mrs. J. R. Hodsman, legs and arms cut; Mrs. A. Robertson, head and arms cut; Kenneth Reid, scalp wounds and cannot open eyes; Mrs. Slater, head cut; Vere Saunders, fractured knee; Baby Saunders, bruised all over; Tom Shillingslaw, scalp wound; Arthur Smith, head and arms cut and shoulder bruised; Laura Skalding, legs bruised and arms cut; D. A. Herman, jaw smashed and face cut; Mrs. James, legs and arms cut; Charles James, bruised generally; H. J. James, body, legs and arms bruised; Amy James, back seriously injured; Mrs. Jack, Culgarity, fractured skull; operation performed; Charles McKenny, legs and shoulder badly bruised; Mr. Knight, arms, legs and shoulder scraped and bruised; Mrs. J. MacArthur, hands and arms cut; Mr. Nyhusken, head cut and cannot open eyes; Miss F. Robertson, broken back; Miss J. Shaw, eyes and face severely injured; Mrs. J. Shaw, back severely injured; Mrs. M. C. Rigley, broken jaw and internal injuries; Ernest Tompkinson, head and side cut; Charles Williams, face cut and bruised on body.

The following seriously injured are not given in the hospital list: George Ross, Mrs. Powers, Hamilton street; Alfred Crawford, 1244 Scarth street; Mrs. H. W. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Meyer and child; Mrs. Sanders and two children; Mrs. Robt. Gibson, Mrs. Mitchell, 1371 Cornwall street; Mr. and Mrs. Pollock; A. C. Cooner, Isabelle Cooner, Wm. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and two children; G. W. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Miss Bertie Russell, Miss Ethel

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Wheat receipts in carloads follow:

	To-day.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	85 Holiday
Duluth	32 Holiday
Winnipeg	370 414
Kansas City	15 Holiday

GRAIN MARKETS.

Kansas City, July 2.—Cash wheat, slow sale about yesterday's prices; corn 1/2 lower.
 Peoria, July 2.—Cash corn 1/4 to 1/2 lower; oats 2 cents lower.
 St. Louis, July 2.—Cash wheat 1 cent higher.

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Being on the ground we are able to advise clients as to purchases in Oak Bay district. The following are a few specimen listings:

LOTS

Bartlett avenue\$1000
 Beach Drive (rocky) \$1150
 Charlton street \$850
 Saratoga avenue (close to sea) \$2000
 Granite street (quarter acre) for \$2300
 St. Patrick (double corner) for \$3350
 Beach Drive (meadow). Price \$2500

HOUSES

Six rooms, Hampshire Road, south \$4000
 Six rooms, Hampshire (close in) \$4750
 Seven rooms, Bourchier street \$4600
 Five rooms, Chaucer street. Price \$4200

ACREAGE

25 acres, Mount Douglas. Per acre \$800
 8 acres, Mount Douglas. Per acre \$1000
 5 acres, Cadboro Bay, with house \$18,000

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AT THE GORGE—Three fine, high, grassy lots, 50x190 each, on Harriet Road, overlooking the Gorge water, for **\$5,000**.

WILKINSON ROAD—Five beautiful acres, close to car station, at per acre **\$1,150**.

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Victoria West

120x120, almost adjoining old Indian reserve, on Edward St., with 8-room house; 1/4 cash, balance to arrange. Price for a few days **\$13,000**.

2 1/2 ACRES, Shawngnan, close to waterfront, all good land. Price for quick sale, cash **\$400**.

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CARRY ROAD AND REGINA AVE.—Fine large corner site for store, 35 ft. x 50 ft. price only \$600; cash, Edwin Frampton Realty, McGregor Bldg., corner View and Broad, Tel. 928. **394**

FOR SALE—Lot on Cecil street, price \$500, 1-3 cash, Prince Cairns & Jackson, 314 Sayward Block, Phone 3068. **394**

HILLSIDE DISTRICT—The falls are now being laid for the falls. The falls have been between Queen and Cook, and prices ranging from \$75 to \$1,200. In a short time the Hillside car line will be running within 3 or 4 blocks from this property. Enough said. Now is the time to buy. Carlow & Luesley, 301 Central Bldg. **394**

BUILDERS, look at these two fine, large, level lots on Hulton street, less than a block north of Oak Bay avenue, each 55x113; price only \$1,200 each, on terms. May & Tisseman, 720 Fort street. **394**

A CHICKEN LUNCH within ten minutes of Langford station, 4 acres, all cleared, first-class 6 roomed house, large chicken house and stable with room for 200 head of horses; the price \$3,750, and \$500 handles it. May & Tisseman, 720 Fort street. **394**

OAK BAY—Three fine lots on a corner near Oak Bay avenue, with a four corner lot, 25 fine fruit trees on the property, only \$5,000, on terms. May & Tisseman, 720 Fort street. **394**

BUYER a new, 4 roomed house, within 5 minutes of George street, large corner lot, size 51x140; this can be handled with \$500 cash. May & Tisseman, 720 Fort street. **394**

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FOR SALE—At snap price, direct from owner, 4 room house, just finished, close to sea and I block from car, in Fairfield, exceptionally well finished, with hall, living and dining room, large kitchen and parlour, beam ceiling and open fire, full height ceilings in all rooms and lots of closet room, piped and furnished, cement sidewalks and all conveniences, price \$4,500, on terms. P. O. Box 411, Phone L1531. **398**

PROPERTY OWNERS—List your lots or houses with me for quick sale. Never mind if they are listed with other agents also. I don't need "exclusive" to make a sale. George M. Watt, 8 Promis Bldg., Phone 2310. **394**

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UNIT AVENUE—Between King and Lansdowne, 45x125, \$1,200, 6, 12, 18, George M. Watt, 8 Promis Bldg., Phone 2310. **394**

A FEW NICE OAK BAY LOTS for sale. Splendid location; 303 Central Bldg. **394**

FOUL BAY—The last one of those 70x210 feet lots at the price, \$1,700; \$500 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Camosun Realty Co., 1009 Douglas street. **394**

HILLSIDE AVE.—Fine business site, 60x120, with 5 roomed house, \$5,250. Camosun Realty Co., 1009 Douglas street. **394**

CORNER LOT, with large house, between two car lines, one minute from either, \$2,400; \$1,000 cash, remainder 6, 12 and 18 months. Camosun Realty Co., 1009 Douglas street. **394**

GOLWOOD STATION—Chicken ranch, 4 acres, all cleared, and 4 roomed house, \$2,750. Camosun Realty Co., 1009 Douglas street. **394**

HARHIT ROAD—Large lot, running from Harriet road to Davin street, 150 x 125, just outside city limits, consequently Spanish taxes. Blackway & Young, 419 7th Street, Phone 3122. **394**

FOR SALE—A beautiful 4 room house, with 2 large rooms upstairs, piped for furnace, fireplaces, built-in kitchen and window seats, close from owner. Box 886, Times. **398**

A SNAP—Fine double corner, Edmonton and Belmont, 50x116, 2600 sq. ft., cash balance \$4, 18 months. Edmonton Bldg., 40x124, \$1,500, 1-2, 6, 12, 18 at 7 per cent. A bargain, King's Rd. this; Derby Ave. near Pembroke, large lot, with two roomed bungalow, well finished, all conveniences, easy terms. Phone Realty Co., 127 Douglas St. and D. McCulloch, 127 Douglas St. **394**

HOW FINANCIERS WILL BE WELCOMED

Plans Will Make Visit to Victoria Memorable in History of Tour

Something out of the common will be attempted when the British manufacturers arrive in the city on Thursday on their Dominion wide examination into the industrial possibilities of the greatest overseas Dominion.

Recognizing that the visitors have had a surfeit of common place speeches along the ordinary lines of post-prandial toasts, it is the intention to devote the time after the dinner in the evening to short talks on the potentialities of the Island of Vancouver, one man taking minerals, another fisheries, and so on, and giving a brief space for reply.

Automobiles will meet the party on arrival, Mayor Beckwith said this morning, and will take them for a two hours' trip around the city, showing the visitors the principal points of interest.

On Friday morning an automobile journey through Sooke to Jordan river has been planned, and this will afford an opportunity to see something of the timber resources of the province. The logging operations of the Michigan Pacific Lumber Company and their mills will be seen to advantage, and also the plant of the Vancouver Island Power Company.

Lunch will be taken at Jordan river, and the party will subsequently return to the city. The government is co-operating with the city in the welcome, and Sir Richard McBride has accepted an invitation to the banquet. Departmental officials will accompany Friday's run.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	
At Boston—	R. H. E.
New York	9 13 3
Boston	7 11 3
Batteries—Ford and Swenney; Beahm, Pope and Carrigan.	
At Washington—	R. H. E.
Washington	5 5 0
Philadelphia	3 8 1
Batteries—Hughes and Petty and Henry; Houck and Lapp.	
NATIONAL LEAGUE.	
At Philadelphia—	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	7 11 2
Brooklyn	6 9 0
Batteries—Alexander, Brennan and Doolin Barger and Miller, Erwin.	
At New York—	R. H. E.
New York	7 9 0
Boston	3 10 4
Batteries—Crandall and Meyers; Dickson and Hariden.	
At Pittsburgh—	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	3 3 2
Chicago	5 10 0
Batteries—Robinson, Holt, Warner and Sims; Cheney and Archer.	

A RESTAURATEUR VIOLATED BY-LAW

BUTCHER PAYS FOR EXPOSING BAD MEAT

Four Charges of Theft and Retaining Stolen Property Against Man and Woman

Charged under the health act with allowing refuse to remain in his restaurant, and to accumulate there for more than twenty hours, a restaurant keeper named G. Maranakas, whose premises are on Johnson street, was this morning fined \$50 by Magistrate Prior. The accused admitted he had no defence to offer the court to the charge as laid by Sanitary Officer Thomas Lancaster.

Strict observance of the health by-laws is being seen to by the inspector, who brought a higher before the court this morning on a charge of having exposed for sale in his store meat unfit for human consumption. The accused is A. W. Robinson, who is proprietor of a meat market at 1423 Douglas street, where the inspector found pork that the medical officer for the city testified to have been in a state of decomposition. The accused was fined \$20, despite a plea of not guilty and an explanation that the meat was not for sale, but had been put in the rear of the store for the scavenger to take away.

LOCAL NEWS

Building Permit.—A permit was granted this morning to W. H. Revercomb for two dwellings, eight rooms in each, on Gladstone avenue, each costing \$3,500.

The brand new steamer, Sol Duc, Angeles and back on the 4th. 50 cts.

Engineering Cars Labeled.—The engineering motor cars have been labelled, and hence there will be no more complaints so far as that branch of the civic service is concerned.

The trip of the season, 50 cts. to Port Angeles and back, on the 4th.

Humpback Arbitration.—The water commissioner said this morning that the hearing of the proceedings in the McNight property had not yet been fixed, although all the parties had seen the site concerned last week.

THE BOARD OF TRADE DELEGATE MAKES REPORT

Assorted Press Dispatches.

As requested by the board, I took up with the Western Associated Press the question of the appointment of a special correspondent at Victoria, and I am glad to be able to report that the president of the association appreciated fully the claim made on behalf of Victoria and the unfairness to which the city has been subjected in the matter of news telegrams. As the result of our conversation Charles Swayne, of the Colonist, has been appointed correspondent at Victoria.

Rifle Range.

In the course of a conversation with the Hon. Minister of Militia he mentioned that he had in contemplation the sale of the Rifle Range at Clover Point. I took occasion to protest against its sale to private individuals who might subdivide it or use it for building purposes. The minister asked if the city of Victoria would be willing to furnish a new range and take over the present one. Not having any instructions on this point I was unable to make any reply. The conversation was informal and I mention the matter only that it may be before the board, so that the citizens may be in a position to discuss the subject with the minister on the occasion of his forthcoming visit to Victoria.

General.

At Edmonton I discussed with the secretary of the board of trade the western routing of grain and the proposed all-rail connection between the island and mainland. The secretary informed me that the Edmonton board did not think these were matters in which it might interfere, and that they had simply placed on file a letter from the secretary of this board in regard to the Edmonton board regarding the action of this board in these matters as a phase of rivalry between coast cities, in which it ought not to take part. After a long discussion I was able to convince him that they were both matters having a bearing upon the welfare of Canada as a whole and Edmonton in a special matter, and I afterwards wrote him the letter hereto annexed and marked E, which I handed to him personally. After reading it he said that he had no doubt but that the board would act upon it in a manner satisfactory to this board.

At Calgary I discussed with the secretary of the board of trade the same matter, and I took up with the secretary of the Edmonton board. He said that the Edmonton board was desirous of promoting the western routing of grain. In respect to the proposed rail connection between the island and the mainland he did not feel able to express any opinion because it had never been before his board. I promised to see that information on the question was placed before the Calgary board.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CHAS. W. LUGRIN.
Victoria, July 2nd, 1912.

WILL MEET PREMIER. Conference Over Bridge Will Be Sought To-morrow.

Arrangements are being made with reference to the committee's meeting bridge, the reserve, and the fall alle, which was postponed recently, the city council committee consisting of Mayor Beckwith, Aldermen Stewart and Okell. If possible an interview will be sought to-morrow, as Alderman Stewart will be going away shortly, and his presence is desired.

The committee will endeavor to secure some expression of the government's intentions in view of the expressed wish of the ratepayers in both the James Bay and Victoria West districts for inter-connection and also to know what the future of the fall property will be after the institution goes out to Saanich.

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WANTED—Girl about 15, as mother's help; shift work, about 10:30 to 12:30. Medina street, off Douglas. **394**

TO LET—For the summer months, splendidly furnished house, partly furnished, with nearly 1/2 acre of grounds, on the waterfront, \$8 per month. Herbert Gray Room 4, McCallum Block. **393**

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Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned, on or before 5 P. M., Friday, July 27th, 1912, for the erection and completion of a solid brick store and apartment building on the corner of Douglas and Hay streets, Victoria, for Andrew Wright, Esq. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

TENDERS

are invited for the purchase of Lot 1, Block #1, situated at the corner of Michigan and Menzies streets, size 165 ft. 4 in. x 127 ft. 3 in. x 140 ft. x 50 ft., closing July 15. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Trustees James Day Methodist Church. Address: J. G. Hertz, 19 Board of Trade, Victoria.

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\$250 Cash—Carey Road, 137x156. Fine Corner, Battleford and Regina Ave., suitable for store. Only \$1000 cash, balance argended.
\$350 Cash—Cloverdale, 60x138, high and dry. Price only \$1050, and terms for balance easy.
\$525 Cash—Burnside, close Washington Ave., 2 choice lots, suitable for store, 45x150. Price \$1575, balance 2 years.
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\$150 Cash—Fine lot, highest part of Parkdale. Only \$600, \$15 monthly
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MANY PICNICS WERE HELD HERE YESTERDAY

Teachers and Children of Sunday Schools Thoroughly Enjoyed the Day.

Of the various picnics held yesterday in honor of Canada's forty-fifth birthday as a confederated dominion, it would be difficult to select one in which the members as individuals enjoyed themselves most, as all were characterized by the most splendid spirit of enthusiasm and good-feeling, which, combined with the business-like supervision of the sports and games, made for the maximum of enjoyment in every instance. The sites selected ranged over a wide area of Victoria and the surrounding district, several hundreds of picnickers making their way out by tramcar, bike, train and boat.

The Metropolitan church Sunday school ran special cars to Dean Heights three times during the day to convey the picnickers to their destination, about five hundred making their way thither before the middle of the afternoon. The Sunday school superintendent, H. J. Knott, had arranged an excellent programme with the assistance of his various committees, among the more interesting events being the tug-of-war between the bachelors and benedicts; the baseball game, Young Men's Bible class vs. All Comers, the former winning; and the 100-yard open race, won by Harold Stevenson. A prize offered for the best bouquet of wild flowers collected during the day in the vicinity kept many of the younger children busy during the afternoon, luncheon and tea both being partaken of in the grounds and forming one of the many pleasant diversions of the day.

Several of the Sunday schools of the city spent the day at Macaulay plains, among these being the Emmanuel Baptist church Sunday school and the James Bay Methodist church Sunday school. The former, to the number of about 150, accompanied by the Rev. William Stevenson, Mrs. Stevenson, Superintendent Westcott, Fred Ehlers and Robert Jones—the latter in charge of the sports programme—spent a very

delightful day in the usual games and pastimes, an excellent baseball match being played, and a cricket match also entertaining a number of the spectators. Later in the evening the camp was honored by a surprise visit by about 60 of the 72nd Highland Regiment who were making their way across the plains.

The James Bay Sunday school left by the 9.30 cars in the morning, arriving at the plains about 10 o'clock in the two special cars which had been chartered for the occasion. The day was spent in organized sports, one of the most popular events of the day being the baseball match between the James Bay Scouts and the Sunday school boys.

Rev. J. A. Wood and Superintendent Osborne were present with the Victoria West Sunday school picnickers who also spent the day at Macaulay Plains, this popular district being the rendezvous of the Salvation Army picnickers, Ensign and Mrs. Macdonald being present to share in the pastimes, organized for the young people and adults.

Special cars were run by the V. & S. Railway yesterday morning to carry the First Congregational Sunday school and their friends to the picnic grounds lent by Dr. Currie at Chisamba Ranch, Beaver Lake, the Girl Guides of the church being present in force, and a large number of adults being in charge of the refreshments and sports.

A very jolly time was spent by the members of the Tabernacle Baptist church at White Lady Beacon, Esquimalt, the picnickers making the trip over in instalments, by means of a gasoline launch. Here also the day refreshments being superintended by the Young Ladies' committee who had made excellent arrangements in this department.

Knox Presbyterian church Sunday school held one of the most successful picnics experienced for some years, the young people, under the supervision of Superintendent Fendon and Messrs. Rowland Jones and Graham meeting at Bowker's Beach, Oak Bay, and spending the day in a most delightful manner. A pleasant surprise was afforded the youngsters when Mr. Halam appeared with his motor launch and took several parties of the children for runs up and down the coast, everyone thoroughly enjoying the unexpected diversion.

"MERELY MARY ANN."
Capacity House at Victoria Theatre Saw Allen Players in Sparkling Comedy.

From Mary Ann to Marion, and from boarding house servant to society woman, is the wide range of character which Miss Verna Felton refreshingly portrayed last night when she appeared at the Victoria Theatre, with the Allen Players, before a house in which every seat was occupied. The humorous yet pathetic story of Merely Mary Ann and Launcelot, but particularly of Mary Ann who is afterwards Marion, was received by the large audience with spontaneous applause, and all through the four acts of simple comedy the Allen Players delighted the holiday night patrons of the theatre by giving a clever and well acted rendition of Israel Zangwill's masterpiece.

From the time the boarders come home for their candle, wet and singing, "Kiss Me, Dear Love, Good Night," until Marion appears on the scene in the London drawing room, changed from the cap and apron of the not over clean housemaid, into the handsome panthered gown of the society woman, the moments pass on a stream of laughter, for Mary Ann by her unconscious irony, turns pathos into comedy.

Two of the best characters in the cast were Rosie, by Miss Maudie Thompson, and Mrs. Leadbetter, by Mrs. Allen. Without a look at the programme, Rosie would never be suspected of having been the Princess's daughter, and as Mrs. Leadbetter's daughter, she was a perfect example of that beautiful type. Mrs. Leadbetter's struggle with English added her perfect physical representation of the boarding house woman.

Irving Kennedy has never appeared to better advantage than in his Launcelot of last night. He looked the part, and threw himself into it splendidly. Brian Eagar's Mr. Peters was another character that fitted far better than the gloves that Launcelot gave to Mary Ann. With a full house to inspire them, the Allen Players gave their best last

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an order granted by the Honorable the Chief Justice, dated the 26th day of June, A.D. 1912, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the Estate of the above deceased. All parties have claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 26th of July, 1912, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 29th day of June, 1912.
WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator

NOTICE

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia
In the matter of the Estate of Mongol Singh, deceased, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act. NOTICE is hereby given that under

Victoria, British Columbia, deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims against the late Robert Austen Brown, who died on the 12th day of June, 1912, are required to furnish particulars thereof to the undersigned, duly verified. And that after the 1st day of August, 1912, the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 29th day of June, 1912.
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