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PROBLEMS OF FORT STREET

CITY COUNCIL WORRIED OVER WIDENING PROJECT

City Threatened With Actions for Damages Owing to Refusal of Street Lines

That the question of the widening of Fort street is in an almost hopeless muddle, that there is a strong likelihood of the entire project being abandoned, and that the city may be made the defendant in actions for heavy damages, brought by property owners along that thoroughfare, were views expressed at last evening's meeting of the city council when the present status of the matter was debated at length. Little was accomplished as a result of the discussion, no one seeming to know what the outcome will be.

The question was opened up by a letter from the Colbeck Plumbing & Heating Company. This firm set out that a delay of six months had occurred in the erection of their new building, owing to the refusal of the city engineer to give new street lines or verify the old ones. They asked that the official be instructed to do something in the matter so that they might get along with the building.

On it being suggested that the letter might be forwarded to the city solicitor for report, the latter reminded the board that the matter of reaching a decision as to whether the street would be widened or not was now in the hands of the property owners. John Taylor, of the city engineer's staff, was now at work interviewing the various owners and endeavoring to expedite the matter as far as possible. The delay which had occurred was the fault of the land registry office, as it was almost impossible to get the names of the owners of property it would be necessary to interview.

Mayor Morley was surprised to learn that the city could not give street lines. He had supposed that there was no doubt about the widening project being gone on with, and that the only matter which required adjustment was that of assessment for the cost of the work.

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SPEED MANIACS AT BEACON HILL

PARKS' SUPERINTENDENT COMPLAINS TO COUNCIL

Autos Are Being Driven at Furious Speed—Proposes Drastic Remedy

That many drivers of automobiles who frequent Beacon Hill park act in a scandalous fashion by running in excess of the speed limit, that they refuse to stop when requested by the keeper of the park, and that all autos should therefore be excluded from the precincts of the park, were representations made to the city council last night in a communication from Thos. Purdie, superintendent of parks. The letter caused a lively debate on the question of how best to regulate the speed of autos. It was finally decided to refer the matter to the parks committee for consideration. A majority of the members of the board were of the opinion that the suggestion that all autos should be refused permission to enter the park was a little too drastic.

Mr. Purdie's letter set out that early every evening autos went whizzing around the park driveways at a dangerous speed. He and his assistants had made repeated attempts to apprehend the offenders, but they paid no heed to demands to stop. In his opinion the only remedy for the matter was for the city to exclude all autos from the park.

Ald. Bannerman feared this remedy would prove too drastic, surely there was some other way of going about the matter.

Ald. Ross thought a law should be passed fixing the speed limit at six miles an hour. (Laughter.)

Ald. Sargison believed that the grievance would be remedied somewhat if they were to only allow autos to use the roads in the park at certain hours. This had been done in connection with Stanley Park, Vancouver, and the system was found to work well. In his opinion it would be unfair to exclude automobiles from Beacon Hill park altogether.

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PRINCE RUPERT—"I thought I was the only good egg in that hatching."

KILLS WIFE AND HIMSELF

MURDERER DIES IN SEATTLE HOSPITAL

Matrimonial Troubles Believed to Have Been the Cause of the Tragedy

(Times Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Wash., May 31.—John H. Triplett, 24 years old, son of Robert A. Triplett, president of the Skagit County Mining Company, who last week-end shot and killed his young wife, Lydia P. Triplett, and then fired a bullet into his own head, died in the city hospital today.

The Triplett murder is the fifth in the past month in Seattle. The murder and suicide occurred in the home of Triplett's father, 424 Fourth avenue north. The murdered woman was the daughter of J. M. E. Atkinson, a well known insurance man.

The double tragedy followed a conference, which is supposed to have concerned matrimonial troubles. Yesterday afternoon Triplett called the Atkinson home by telephone and asked his wife to bring the baby and to come over, saying he wished to bid them good-bye. Miss Carrie Triplett, sister of the young man, was the only one at home at his father's house. She amused the baby in the living room on the first floor while Triplett and his wife went to a room on the second floor to talk things over.

As the sister sat playing with the 15-month-old child, she heard two shots. Without stopping to investigate she rushed to a neighbor's house, where the police were notified. A motor cycle patrolman was passing and he was halted. They led him to the second floor. The door of the room was locked. He battered the door in and found young Mrs. Triplett crouched near the door, dead. Her husband lay face down on the floor, an automatic revolver clutched in his hand. He was breathing.

Relatives of both of the dead are among the best known people of the city.

KILLED BY HOSE WAGON.

Man Run Over While Crossing Street in Seattle.

Seattle, Wash., May 31.—The Graham, 23 years old, a street contractor, run down by a hose wagon on its way to a fire last night, died in the city hospital following an operation which it was hoped might save his life.

Headless of the gong, Graham walked in front of the on-coming apparatus at the intersection of Fourth and Woodland. The wagon struck him, knocked him to the pavement and both wheels passed over his body.

Upon learning his name and address, Fire Chief Boyle rushed to the home of the man's mother in his motor car and brought her to the bedside of her son, where she was able to talk with him just before physicians administered anaesthetics. Graham was unmarried.

STORE WRECKED BY BARGAIN HUNTERS

Hundreds of Men and Women Storm Chicago Shop and Police Are Called Out

(Times Leased Wire.)
Chicago, May 31.—Six women were seriously injured, four are under arrest and a gang of carpenters are at work in Barons' merchandise store, making repairs, as a result of an over enthusiastic bargain counter rush yesterday in which several hundred men and women participated. The rush was only stopped when a flying squadron of bluecoats arrived in answer to a riot call.

A fire started in Barons' store last week and a sale was scheduled for 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Long before the hour set for the opening of the sale a throng of men, women and children gathered in the street. Many of the women were carrying babies.

When the doors of the store were thrown open several men in the rear of the crowd formed a "riving wedge" and moved their way through the throng, knocking down women and children. A clerk standing near the front door told the police that when the customers began to "arrive" they appeared to have been shot from a gun.

The proprietor, who reached his store at 7:30 o'clock, never saw a nearer than across the street, from where he viewed the wrecking of his establishment.

FORMER U. S. TREASURER DEAD.

Charles H. Treat Passes Away From Apoplexy in New York.

New York, May 31.—Charles Henry Treat, former treasurer of the United States, died at the Hotel Victoria today of apoplexy. He was stricken just before midnight. His wife and two daughters were present at the time of his death.

Treat was appointed treasurer in June, 1905, and served until the beginning of the Taft administration, when Lee McClung, treasurer of Yale, was appointed to succeed him.

Treat has played an important part in politics in New England. He was born in Frankfort, Maine, and afterwards moved to Dela. He was a delegate at the National Republican convention in 1888. He was collector of internal revenue in New York before his appointment as treasurer.

TEAMSTERS MAY STRIKE.

Portland, Ore., May 31.—Four hundred teamsters employed by Portland transfer companies await the signal to go on strike to-morrow. Two thousand other teamsters may follow them in sympathy. Employers have failed to make any overtures leading to adjustment of the differences between themselves and the union. The demand of the men for an advance of 25 cents a day over their present schedule of \$2.75 has been denied by the employers.

"The town will be tied up to-morrow," said a prominent union man today.

"We are not prepared to yield a point," said a prominent transfer man.

WILL COMMENCE EXTENSION SOON

SEVENTY-FIVE MILES OF CABLES AND WIRE

Dominion Telegraph and Telephone System Will Afford Further Communication

Work will shortly be commenced upon the extension of the Dominion government telegraph and telephone system through the islands in the north of the Gulf of Georgia. The projected extensions embrace 75 miles of land wire and 32,000 feet of cable. An early start will be made upon the land lines and the cable connections will commence when they are completed.

From Campbell river the line will be constructed at Quathlasiak cove by way of the cable landing. A branch line will be strung from the cove to Heriot Bay, on the north of Valdez Island, to serve the large settlement at that point. Crossing the island from Quathlasiak cove, the land wire will be carried to the cable landing on Sutil channel, and from that point a cable will connect it with Mary Island. Two miles of land wire on Mary Island will be strung and the line will then be taken in a cable to Gortas Island crossing from the latter to Sarah point, from which a land wire will run to Lund post office.

To give Van Anda a connection and to hitch up a number of settlements which are being located on the mainland, the wire will then be laid to Powell river, and from that point to Blubber bay sandspit, and Van Anda, on Texada Island.

The department of public works will also commence the laying of a cable between Sidney and Sidney Island immediately.

LIGHTNING STRIKES BOAT CONTAINING 13

One Man Killed and Two Others Are in a Precarious Condition

(Times Leased Wire.)
New York, May 31.—John Drouot and William Mitty are in a precarious condition today, and Charles Herbert, a clerk, is dead as a result of a lightning bolt which struck a small pleasure boat in which they were sailing the Hudson river near Hastings. The accident occurred late yesterday.

There were 13 people on board the boat when the lightning struck.

CATTLE EMBARGO.

Ottawa, May 31.—F. Bickendie, Canadian commissioner at Belfast, reports to the department of agriculture that the imperial government is feeling the pressure of those who desire the free importation of cattle, and the present outlook is that the embargo against Canadian animals cannot be consistently maintained. The result is that the dead meat trade is being advocated in Ireland as giving better prices and additional employment.

COLONIAL INSTITUTE AND EMIGRATION

Committee Will Be Appointed to Deal With Recommendations of Conference

(Special to the Times.)
London, May 31.—At the continuation yesterday of the conference convened by the Royal Colonial Institute to deal with emigration matters, Lord Brassey moved that the Council of the Royal Colonial Institute be asked to appoint a representative standing committee to whom the recommendations of the conference should be referred for consideration and such further action as may be deemed advisable. The resolution was adopted.

Sir C. Kitchin-Cooke criticised frequently the new regulations issued by Canada, which he declared were preventing emigrants already in Canada being joined by members of their families.

POPE SENDS MESSAGE TO KING GEORGE

Letter Delivered to His Majesty at Special Audience Granted to Duke of Norfolk

(Special to the Times.)
London, May 31.—There is much speculation here as to the contents of a letter from the Pope which was presented to King George yesterday by the Duke of Norfolk. The missive was delivered at a special audience granted to the Duke. As Great Britain has no diplomatic relations with the Vatican there is no matter for surprise in the fact that the letter was conveyed by the Duke of Norfolk, as he is not only earl marshal of the empire, but recognized lay head of the Roman Catholic church in England. The chief curiosity is whether the message was one of condolence or a message of God-speed.

MARKSMEN OF THE EMPIRE WILL COMPETE

Large Number of Entries Received for the Competition at Bisley on July 1st

(Special to the Times.)
London, May 31.—At a meeting yesterday of the National Rifle Association, Lord Chelmsford said that a large number of entries had been received for the Empire match on July 1st, including two from Australia, Canada, Shanghai, Singapore, Uganda and the Malay states. Individual competitors will represent India, South Africa and Hongkong. In all competitions and matches at 500 yards figure targets will be used.

STRUCK BY TORNADO.

Charleston, W. Va., May 31.—Many houses in the village of Guthrie were destroyed by a tornado which passed up the Elk Valley, north of Charleston. Several persons were injured and much live stock killed. The coal and coke railroad was a heavy sufferer.

STRANGLES SON; CUTS OWN THROAT

SASKATCHEWAN RANCHER WILL LIKELY RECOVER

Deed Appears to Have Been Pre-meditated as Insisted on Boy Accompanying Him

(Special to the Times.)
Moose Jaw, Sask., May 31.—Details of a terrible tragedy at Brownlee, on the Outlook branch of the C. P. R., reached here today. Moses Smith, living with his married son six miles south of Brownlee, it is said, strangled his five-year-old son last night and then attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. He succeeded in inflicting three gashes across his throat, severing the jugular vein but the injuries, though serious, are not likely to cause death.

There were faint signs of life in the boy for two hours after the deed was committed, but all efforts to revive the boy were futile.

That the deed was premeditated appears to be shown by the fact that Smith insisted on the boy accompanying him to feed the pigs which were situated about four hundred yards from the house. Also that he carried a razor with him.

No particular motive can be assigned for the dreadful deed. Smith is not thought to be insane, though he attempted suicide in a similar manner a year ago near Guelph, Ont. He came west from Ontario last fall.

THE KING'S BIRTHDAY.

Sydney, N. S. W., May 31.—It has been found impossible to cancel the general holiday orders for the observance of the King's birthday.

MORE THAN FIFTY INJURED IN WRECK

Cars Collide in Dense Fog Near Los Angeles—Majority of Victims Excursionists

(Times Leased Wire.)
Los Angeles, Cal., May 31.—Two score persons are suffering to-day from painful bruises and 15 from more serious injuries as the result of a street car smash near Fackington, on the Venice line of the Los Angeles Pacific Railroad. The accident occurred shortly before midnight when hundreds of holiday excursionists to the beaches were returning to the city. A dense fog prevented the motorman of a speeding Venice bound car to see a train which he had overtaken until almost upon it.

The injured were brought to Los Angeles and those most seriously hurt taken to hospital. It was stated that none was fatally hurt.

SHOOTS HIMSELF.

St. Louis, Mo., May 31.—Bernard Derkes, city auditor from 1901 to 1908, shot and killed himself yesterday. On Saturday morning he was found unconscious from partial asphyxiation.

CABINET OF NEW FEDERATION

BOTHA ANNOUNCES SOUTH AFRICAN MINISTRY

First Union Parliament Will Be Opened by the Duke of Connaught

(Special to the Times.)
Cape Town, May 31.—The official announcement of Premier Botha's cabinet follows:

Prime minister and minister of agriculture, Botha.
Internal affairs, defence and railways, Sauer.
Education, Malan.
Finance and mines, Hull.
Native affairs, Burton.
Lands and irrigation, Fischer.
Public works, posts and telegraphs, Graaf.
Trade and Commerce, Moore.
Justice, Hertzog.
Minister without portfolio, Gubbins.
General Botha has sent the following Natal day message to the Cape Times: "We rejoice that the union has become an accomplished fact. May we be a united people with hearts united as well as lands, a peaceful, progressive portion of the empire." The Duke of Connaught will open the union parliament.

A Johannesburg dispatch states that great preparations are being made to celebrate union day all along reef. There will be united services of thanksgiving in Market Square, English and Dutch churches, of all denominations participating.

The sympathetic attitude of the people throughout the union augurs well for the success of Botha's cabinet, which expects a majority of 20 in the elections which will be completed in October.

RIOT FEARED IN CONSTRUCTION CAMP

Laborers Are in Angry Mood as Result of Shooting of a Comrade

(Special to the Times.)
Port Arthur, Ont., May 31.—Fearing a riot and bloodshed among the men employed at the railway construction camp near Superior Junction, Dominion Commissioner of Police Goulet arranged to leave for there together with four regular constables and eight other men, who will be sworn in as specials.

The trouble is a continuation of a quarrel that broke out Sunday, and which resulted in the shooting and killing of a young Italian laborer, for which Leon Dobbs, a cook at the camp, is now in Port Arthur awaiting a hearing, having been brought in by Constable Hubert.

After the shooting of the young Italian, his fellow countrymen in the camp became very angry and made an attempt to punish Dobbs, but with the use of a revolver and aided by others, the latter succeeded in keeping them off until arrested by Hubert, who shortly after arrived. As Hubert was taking Dobbs on the train the Italians made a demonstration, throwing rocks and gravel through the windows. It is expected they will attempt to vent their anger upon the men who protected Dobbs, and that open war may break out any moment, if it has not done so already.

CORONATION OF KING GEORGE.

(Special to the Times.)
London, May 31.—It is stated that King George will not be displeased if it is found feasible to hold the coronation on Empire Day. Being keenly interested in anything that helps towards the consolidation of the Empire the suggestion is not unwelcome or unappreciated by him.

EARTHQUAKE IN MEXICO.

No Serious Damage Reported as Result of Shock.

Mexico City, Mex., May 31.—Reports to-day received from various sections of Mexico indicate that no serious damage was done by the slight earthquake which was felt here at 10:23 last night. The oscillation was from west to east.

In the poorer section of the city the people were badly frightened, fearing a disaster similar to that which has visited some sections of Central America.

Some apprehension was felt here last serious damage had been done in other parts of Mexico. To-day the telegraph lines have been found in working order and news from other sections of the district indicate that no damage resulted.

ADVANCE REFUSED.

London, Ont., May 31.—A strike of bricklayers may be precipitated here by the masters rejecting the men's claim for higher wages. A three years' agreement expired on May 1st and the men have asked an agreement from 45 cents to 47 cents per hour for the present year, and 50 cents for the two remaining years of the agreement.

OVER THOUSAND REPORTED DEAD

TERRIFIC CYCLONE SWEEPS MOZAMBIQUE

Coasting Vessel Capsizes and Four Hundred Natives Perish—Small Boats Wrecked

(Times Leased Wire.)
London, May 31.—Reports have reached here of a damaging cyclone in Mozambique, but details are meagre. The reports say several steamships were driven to sea and lost and others were forced to shore. A coasting vessel carrying 400 natives, is reported to have sunk. All those on board were drowned.

House and crops were destroyed in some sections of the island and many people are homeless.

Death Roll Enormous.
Lisbon, May 31.—A terrific cyclone sweeping Mozambique and the east African coast killed thousands of people and destroyed practically the entire city yesterday, according to to-day's dispatches published in the Diario Noticias. The details contained in the dispatches are meagre.

The cyclone was the fiercest that has struck the east coast in years and the death toll is already enormous.

A coastwise steamer carrying 400 natives was capsized near Mozambique harbor and all were drowned. Many small craft in the harbor and several vessels in the Mozambique channel were swamped by gigantic waves.

The cyclone apparently centred on the three islands in Mokambo bay on which the city of Mozambique is built. Mozambique had a population of 8,000 natives and 300 Europeans.

Mesuril, a European settlement on the mainland near Mozambique, did not sustain as heavy damage as the capital.

FIRM HAND IS NEEDED IN EGYPT

ROOSEVELT SAYS BRITAIN RECENTLY ERRED

Timidity and Weakness Are More Harmful to Civilization Than Violence and Injustice

(Times Leased Wire.)
London, May 31.—Colonel T. Roosevelt veiled the "big stick" at the Guildhall today, when he responded to a speech made by Sir Joseph Dimsdale, city chamberlain, making Roosevelt an honorary freeman of the city.

The honor was conferred upon Roosevelt in recognition of the distinguished manner in which he filed the office of president and the eminent services rendered civilization by maintaining amicable relations with foreign nations.

The colonel followed a precedent set by a similar presentation to General U. S. Grant, thirty-three years ago.

The colonel commented upon British affairs in Africa, complimented the nation on its administration in the Central African protectorates but criticized the British attitude in Egypt.

After thanking Sir Jos. Dimsdale, who for the coronation had offered him the "right hand of fellowship" and presented to him a gold box and an embossed certificate of freedom, Colonel Roosevelt said:

"Recently I have spent a year in four British African protectorates. Four men in Africa are doing great work for the empire and for civilization. The nations that are conquering savage lands for civilization should work together. Mankind is benefited by the French occupation of Algeria and Tunis as it is benefited by British work in India.

"The work of Britain and Germany in East Africa is succeeding. The East African highlands can be made a white man's country. Every one has been benefited since America took the Philippines. The East African settlers remind me of the western American pioneers.

"Governor Grouard is fitted to deal wisely and firmly in East Africa. Uganda cannot be a white man's country because of the climate. The prime need in Africa is the administration of lands for the best interests of the natives.

"The Sudan is the best example of the wisdom, disregarding the well meaning but unjust sentimentality who are objecting to the spread of civilization at the expense of savagery. I do not believe that history elsewhere can show equal progress from misery to prosperity as shown in the last 12 years in the Sudan.

"Regarding Egypt, I speak as an outsider without prejudice, and as a well wisher of Britain. I speak not only as an American but as a radical, as a real, not as a mock democrat, that feels that the first thought is bound for the welfare of the masses, as one who was against violence and injustice in accordance with the principle by which

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PULP INDUSTRY IS POSSIBILITY HERE

Timber and Forest Commission Hear Promoters of Enterprise as to Proposition

The possibility of the establishment of the pulp industry was placed before the timber and forestry commission this morning by E. P. Bremner, W. J. Whitney and John Moravec. These gentlemen represent a company which is prepared to establish a thirty-ton daily capacity chemical pulp mill, and which desires to secure from the government the right to select 20,000 acres of timber lands and 20,000 acres of abandoned or cut-over lands. The witnesses this morning expressed willingness to accept the most stringent and drastic regulations as to cancellation for non-operation that the government choose to impose.

Mr. Commissioner Flumerfelt questioned the witnesses at length as to the causes for the existing pulp concessions not being operated, the competition the proposed company would have to meet and its prospects of success. All were satisfied that they could make a success of the enterprise, and that the manufacture of paper would follow.

Mr. Moravec, who is an expert, trained under Dr. Carl Kellner and Dr. Mitscherlich in Austria, declared that the B. C. spruce is a far superior pulpwood timber to that of Europe, while fir, hemlock, larch, alder and cottonwood could be utilized also; the only difference being in the method of treatment and the quality of paper. He, like the others, expressed the opinion that a B. C. mill, manufacturing an even grade of good paper, could sell in Europe readily, while of course the home and United States markets would take the whole output.

This afternoon W. J. Sutton addressed the commission on forest conservation.

The members present were F. J. Fulton, K. C. A. C. Flumerfelt and A. S. Godeve, M. P.

ANOTHER VICTIM OF COLLISION DEAD

Car Conductor Who Signed Statement Confessing Responsibility Has Disappeared

Oakland, Cal., May 31.—Maud Rothrock, terribly crushed yesterday in a collision of two electric cars near Leona, Hewitts' ditch to-day in the Providence hospital here. This brings the total number of deaths in the accident up to three.

Groville Lewis, injured in the same accident, is in a critical condition and may die. Both his legs were amputated. Gus Audbert, severely injured, is also in a precarious condition to-day.

W. J. Holdorf, the car conductor who signed a statement confessing responsibility for the accident, has disappeared to-day. His relatives and friends say they do not know where he is. The fact that Holdorf was not arrested following his statement to the company is causing adverse comment here. Holdorf after the wreck told the officials of the California Railway Company that he had forgotten his orders. He is alleged by them to have signed a statement in which he assumed sole blame for the wreck. No official action was taken by the company or by the police.

MUCH TIMBER DESTROYED.

Missin, May 30.—Heavy rains have almost completely extinguished the bush fires, and danger of a further outbreak is practically over. The entire four townships of timber limits operated by Mackenzie & Mann have been completely fire swept, and also the country for many miles north and south along both sides of the Canadian Northern railway from near Tisdale, Sask., to Mafeking, Man.

The Great West Lumber Company, of Greenbush, was also a heavy loser, having over 75,000 logs burned on the banks of the river.

It is understood that the Cowan Construction Company will immediately rebuild the sawmill and the camps and prepare for extensive operations next winter to clear the limits, as the timber will not be of much use if left standing long after being killed by fire.

EARL GREY'S TRIP.

(Special to the Times) Ottawa, May 31.—Earl Grey expects to show the possibilities of the Hudson Bay route by making the trip from Winnipeg to Halifax via Fort Nelson and Hudson Straits in 20 days, provided the weather conditions are not unduly severe, the trip to Fort Churchill by canoe down Hayes River to take a steamer through the Bay and Straits to Halifax. The party will consist of about twelve persons.

CUSTOMS REVENUE.

(Special to the Times) Ottawa, May 31.—The customs revenue for the month just closing amounts to \$5,779,328, an increase of \$1,842,666, or 34 per cent compared with May last year.

For the first two months of the fiscal year the customs revenue has been \$10,534,097, an increase of \$2,575,758.

NO DIVIDEND.

(Special to the Times) Toronto, May 31.—The rumor that British Columbia Fishery Commission is to pay a dividend soon is unfounded. President Jarvis stated to-day that there is little likelihood of the earnings making dividends possible at this stage.

POSTMARKED RESIGNS.

Ottawa, May 31.—Geo. Kennedy, postmaster of New Westminster, has resigned. It is reported that J. W. McDonald will succeed him.

In 1853 the fastest vessel afloat was the Albatross, a schooner, built in 1853, and in 1853 the Alaska, of 18 knots.

WOUNDED LEFT LYING IN TRENCHES

No Effort Made to Care for Government Troops Who Fell Before Bluefields

(Times Leased Wire.) Port Limon, May 31.—Messages from Bluefields to-day say the Madriz forces surrounding the city were driven back by the Estrada forces and at least a hundred men were killed.

The dispatches further say that Estrada, who had given up hope of winning against Madriz, has learned through spies who have been in the Madriz ranks that the government army is so weakened that he may take the offensive again.

The wounded soldiers are lying in the trenches outside Bluefields unattended. The government soldiers, it is said, have made no effort to care for the wounded and as a result a pestilence is threatened. Already disease has broken out in the Madriz ranks and the soldiers are suffering terribly as a result of the fighting about Bluefields.

Estrada, it is said, is planning an attack on the Madriz forces. The blow is to be struck sharply and quickly. Picked men will be sent out to crush the few strongholds of the Madriz forces in the east and then a general advance will follow.

It is believed that the Estrada army is not strong enough, however, to win a decisive victory and that if a campaign were begun his forces would soon be so weakened that he would be forced to retire to Bluefields again.

ANOTHER CUT IN PRICES OF FLOUR

Big Milling Companies Announce Another Further Reduction of 40 Cents a Barrel

(Special to the Times) Toronto, May 31.—Big milling companies announced to-day a further reduction of 40 cents a barrel of flour, making \$2.90 for the best and \$4.80 for second grades.

Many of the bakers are decreasing the price or increasing the size of the loaf. There will be no general reduction, bakers say, as there will be a general upturn when the new bread bill comes into effect on July 1st. Under this act fancy bread must not weigh more than 12 ounces and standard bread 24 ounces for a small loaf.

SEARCH FOR MURDERER OF LOUISVILLE GIRL

Police Are Seeking for Janitor of School Who Disappeared in January

(Times Leased Wire.) Louisville, Ky., May 31.—The long hunt for Alma Kellner, who was supposed to have been kidnapped, has changed now to a search for her murderer. Following the finding of her body in the basement of the parochial school adjoining St. John's church, the police have been seeking Joseph Wendling, janitor of the buildings. Wendling, it is discovered, left without notice January 15th.

Mrs. Wendling, who has been arrested following the finding in her trunk of a gold pin identified as having belonged to Alma, was closely questioned to-day. The police say that they do not think she was in any way connected with the murder, but they believe she can tell more than she has already divulged.

The fact that she burned every picture of her husband she could find and that she washed blood stains from his clothes, as she has admitted, cause the police to believe there are still other things she might tell them concerning the disappearance of her husband.

The police are making every effort to find some trace of Wendling. They have questioned his wife closely about his disappearance, but so far she has evaded their questions or answered them in such a way that they can find no clue to her husband's whereabouts.

THE BROOKLYN HANDICAP.

Gravesend Race Track, N. Y., May 31.—Fitzherbert, the favorite, won the Brooklyn handicap this afternoon. The time was 2:05 3-5.

STOLE KREMLIN GEMS.

The thief who stole \$500,000 worth of sacred jewels from the ikons in the Uspenski cathedral in the Kremlin has been discovered. The man, who is a working jeweller, aged only 18, was caught in the cathedral itself.

A fruitless search had been made for traces of the malefactor. Finally, it was decided to close the cathedral, and two guards were left to spend the night there.

Suddenly there was a noise behind one of the sacred ikons. The guards at once fired in that direction. One bullet struck an ikon. Then a voice cried out, "I am alone and unarmed," and the guards approached and found the thief.

He explained that he had been in hiding there for two days without food or drink, and begged for water. Then he asserted that he had had an accomplice in the robbery, and that the other man had taken the jewels.

When handed over to the police, however, the youth admitted that he had hidden the jewels. He pointed out the hidden jewels, and every one of the stolen diamonds, pearls and rubies has been recovered.

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CHURCH UNION.

Principal Patrick Says First Definite Step Will Soon Be Taken.

(Special to the Times) Toronto, May 31.—"The first definite and decisive step will soon be taken," said Principal Patrick yesterday, when asked as to the progress of the movement for organic union for the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches in Canada.

"For half a dozen years the question has been under earnest and active consideration," he said. "By common arrangement the three churches will submit a basis of union to their supreme courts during the present year. The Presbyterian general assembly, the Congregational union opens on June 1st, and the Methodist general conference meets in Victoria in August."

TWO MAY DIE.

Spokane, Wash., May 31.—Two bridge carpenters were probably fatally hurt to-day when a sectional form of which they were working on the Monroe street bridge crashed sixty feet to the ground, carrying them with it and covering them with debris.

BORN.

MARGISON—On May 29th, at 614 Avalon road, the wife of John Y. Margison, of a son.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FARM NEAR SHAWNIGAN—37 acres, good bottom and bench land, 25 acres cultivated, buildings worth \$4,000, close to railroad and main wagon road; price, \$12,500. L. W. Bick, 1104 Broad.

SNUG HOME, with large garden, three rooms, pantry and full bathroom, near Hillside Ave.; \$400 cash will handle. L. W. Bick, Broad street.

EASY PAYMENT LOT—Level, grassy, well situated for car line and water; price \$25; cash \$15; balance \$10 per month. L. W. Bick, 1104 Broad.

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STEWART—1 acre at end of Fifth street to be sold cheap and on good terms. Apply Room 12A, 112 Government street. Phone 706, or 4287.

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LOOK—1 acre on Lamson street, all cleared and fenced, good land, only \$1,800, terms to suit. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street.

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TO LET—Summer cottage at Oak Bay, 4 rooms, newly plastered, 5 minutes to car and near beach; terms to arrange. Frank W. Grant, care of D. Spencer, Ltd., 4th floor.

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STRONG HELP WANTED in help in kitchen. J. Ringshaw, per. Yates and Broad.

LOST—A roll of bills, on Fort Street, between Broad and Government. Reward \$100. Room 60, Empress.

Notice to Contractors

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 4 p. m. on Monday, June 13th, for the building of a dwelling at Smith's Hill Reservoir for the use of the caretaker, in accordance with plans and specifications which can be seen at the office of the superintendent of public buildings, to whom tenders must be sent.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT, Superintendent of Public Buildings in the City of Victoria. City Hall, May 31st, 1910.

N. Saanich School Board

TEACHERS WANTED.

APPLICATIONS will be received for position of Principal and Assistant for the East Ward School, at a salary of \$70 and \$60 per month, respectively; also for a teacher for the West Ward School, at a salary of \$65. All applications must be in the hands of the secretary on or before the last Saturday in June. Duties to commence after the summer holidays.

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- RICE, SAGO, TAPIOCA OR WHITE BEANS, 4 lbs..... 25¢
- Or 9 lbs. for..... 50¢
- INDEPENDENT CREAMERY BUTTER, fresh made, 3 lbs. for..... \$1.00
- ST. CHARLES OR CANADA FIRST CREAM, large 20-oz. can..... 10¢
- FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR, 20-lb. sack..... \$1.15
- ANTI-COMBINE LAUNDRY SOAP, 7 full-weight bars..... 25¢
- GOLDEN WEST WASHING POWDER, large 3-lb. pkt. 20¢
- ANTI-COMBINE TEA, in lead packets. The best Tea on the market at the price, 3 lbs. for..... \$1.00
- MONSERAT LIME JUICE, per bottle, 65c and..... 35¢
- PURE WEST INDIA LIME JUICE, quart bottle..... 20¢
- PRIDE OF CANADA PURE MAPLE SYRUP, quart bot. 50¢
- TRAVER'S ENGLISH PICKLES, large 18-oz. bottle.... 15¢

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Of Cement for Concrete Work. We Keep Them. ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

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—Edward H. Harrison, editor of the Alaska-Yukon magazine, Seattle, is in the city to-day making arrangements for the publication of a Victoria and Vancouver Island edition of that periodical.

—This is Confederation Day in South Africa, and in recognition of this historic event at every point throughout the Empire by proclamation flags are flying over the public schools, the occasion being seized to give the children a lesson in Imperialism. The day was duly honored in Victoria.

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LARGE CUCUMBERS, each.	25c
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HEALTH OFFICER MAKES REPORT

CONDEMNS BUILDINGS AT ISOLATION HOSPITAL

Miss E. B. Fenton Secures Appointment to Position of Matron of That Institution

That the Isolation hospital is in a "shocking condition" and that radical alterations are, imperatively necessary, was the important disclosure in a report from the medical health officer presented at a special meeting of the board of health last evening. Dr. Hall also recommended that the position of matron be given to Miss E. B. Fenton. The report, which was adopted with but little debate, was as follows:

Gentlemen.—Having held office so short a time, I am unable to give a very comprehensive or definite report regarding health matters in the city. A month is too short a time to become acquainted with the workings of a department, and I prefer to go slow and be sure of my ground before recommending changes. However I have no hesitation in condemning the present buildings and accommodations at the Isolation hospital. To put it mildly, the Isolation hospital is in a shocking condition and requires radical alterations. I have spent considerable time considering improvements, and hoped that I would have been able at this meeting to have presented a complete and definite scheme for the needed improvements, and I am sorry I cannot do so, but hope to be able to in a few days. I am pleased to be able to report that there is very little contagious disease in the city at the present time. In the course of a few days all of the present patients, with the exception of a couple of scarlet fever cases, will be discharged.

I have commenced an inspection of the private schools in the city which heretofore have not had any medical inspection. I propose endeavoring to carry out a preventive course rather than a curative one as far as possible. I have considered the application referred to me for the position of matron and I recommend Miss E. B. Fenton for the position. Miss Fenton is a trained nurse of eight years experience with eighteen months experience in isolation work at the Isolation hospital, London, Eng.

There are some matters in general I might draw the attention of the board to: I do not think any sewer should be allowed to empty into the harbor. I would advise discouraging the septic tank system as much as possible. Adopting garbage cans as recommended by the sanitary inspector would be a wise move. This would tend to make people burn more of their garbage which after all is the best way to dispose of it.

I would advise frequent flushing of sewers in the hot weather, particularly in the congested part of the city, such as the business section. If this is not done bad odors will escape from the man holes.

I think it would be wise to look into the future a little and make ample provisions for the children and adults being able to obtain plenty of fresh air and sunshine by providing plenty of parks. The parks should not be too large and have more of them so that children will not be required to go too far from home in order to enjoy them. The public parks or squares are particularly necessary where the poorer class reside. The destruction of pests on trees, etc., should be transferred to the park superintendent, as it has nothing to do with the health of the city.

GEO. A. B. HALL.
On motion to adopt the report being put, Ald. Langley expressed the opinion that something ought to be done relative to the matter of conditions at the Isolation hospital.

Mayor Morley thought that Dr. Hall was not yet ready to make his recommendations, as to how these improvements could be brought about. Dr. Hall corroborated this statement, and in replying to questions from His Worship said he had not yet given up his private practice, but would do so shortly. If he came to the city hall he would have to have office quarters provided.

Mayor Morley assured Dr. Hall that an office would shortly be provided for him.

FRUIT IN THE OKANAGAN.

Vancouver, May 31.—All records for fruit production in the Okanagan will be broken this year, according to W. Stanley Ricardo, manager of the Coldstream ranch, who is here. There is now every indication that the Okanagan valley will yield a 500 car crop this season. I refer to apples, plums, prunes and peaches, small fruits not being included in the estimate, said Mr. Ricardo. "This will mean a crop three times larger than last season's, due partly to young trees coming into bearing for the first time. The orchards along the whole length of the valley never looked better. The trees escaped frost, and promise to bring to maturity a superior class of fruit. The fruit-growing industry up there will continue to assume ever-increasing proportions owing to the large number of new orchards planted every year. There is an unlimited market for large and small fruits in the prairie provinces, and Okanagan apples have already attracted English buyers to the district, the fame of the fruit having already been established in England."

FIRE IN IRON WORKS.

Amherst, May 31.—Fire broke out in the works of the Inglefield Iron Co., since the merger of the companies now comprising the Canada Car & Foundry Co., a department of that enterprise, and in half an hour the building was pretty badly gutted. The works had been idle for two years previous to being taken over by the Canada Car & Foundry Co. In the six months since that time they have been fully occupied, employing one hundred men, making the malleable castings for the car works at Amherst and in Montreal. The cause of the fire is not known.

PRESIDENT TAFT REVIEWS VETERANS

Many Old Soldiers Have to Be Assisted by Their Comrades During Parade

New York, May 31.—Before the president of the United States there passed in review yesterday what remains of New York's contribution to the Civil war.

The president had come from Washington especially to see them pass by the reviewing stand at the foot of the soldiers' and sailors' monument on Riverside drive, and as the veterans trudged by they quickened their stiff muscles and raised their grey heads higher. But the blue lines wavered, old feet shuffled over the roadway and some of the men who marched behind the ragged flags spent quickly what strength they had and kept their places only with the help of more stalwart comrades.

The parade was nearly three hours in passing, but all this the president stood bareheaded in the stand, bowing as the veterans trooped by. He was cheered by the crowds as he drove with his escort from his brother's residence down town to the reviewing stand, but when the survivors of Gettysburg and Fort Hudson swept into sight, the president was almost forgotten in the presence of the heroes of the past. After the parade there was a short exercise at the base of the monument.

A feature of the Memorial day celebration was the work horse parade up Fifth avenue and Twenty-fifth street. Two thousand dollars in cash and many medals and blue ribbons were presented from the reviewing stand by Mrs. Russell Sage and Mrs. James S. Feyer, the latter president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the S. P. C. A. There were 1,220 horses in line.

Two tablets of historic interest were unveiled during the day. Henry George, about four years of age, drew down an American flag fastened to the front of the Union Square Hotel, Fourth avenue, near Fourteenth street, and displayed a tablet which contained a bronze replica of his grandfather's features. After a brief speech by Louis F. Post, of Chicago, an old time friend of Henry George, the audience moved up the avenue two blocks and there saw unveiled a tablet to the memory of William Garrison.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT FOR ONTARIO CROPS

Spring Sowing Was a Week Ahead of Average Year—Conditions in Orchards

Toronto, May 31.—That the crops of the province are from two weeks to one month ahead of last year, and nearly two weeks ahead of the usual date was announced in the report of the department of agriculture of Ontario yesterday. Field operations in spring sowing were the earliest in many years, and with the setback of the latter part of April, spring sowing is about a month earlier than last season and a week ahead of the average year.

Fall wheat entered into May well forward, and although some was drowned the outlook is vigorous. Clover suffered from last season's drought, but now presents a good appearance. The short and mild winter worked wonders in the fodder supply; some, however, sold too freely, tempted by the high price, but the early grass came to their rescue.

The reports of live stock are particularly bright, except that the unusually high prices led to hasty marketing. Cattle have been remarkably free from disease. Milk cows are fat-ther than usual, but more calves are being kept. Sheep are doing well and lambs are strong and plentiful. Swine are not so plentiful. The general outlook regarding orchards is encouraging.

NASAL CATARRH

D. E. Campbell Sells the Great Remedy That Cured B. W. Squires

Here is a very simple yet wholly sincere statement of a Norwood, Ont., man who was cured by using Hyomei—the no cure no pay remedy for catarrh, asthma, hay fever, croup, coughs and colds.

"I feel that I can conscientiously recommend Hyomei for the reason that I had suffered for years with catarrh and nothing ever gave me the same relief as Hyomei. There was a constant huskiness in my throat, pains across my eyes were almost constant and at times there was much difficulty in breathing. The glands were swollen, causing a soreness and stiffness in my neck. I cannot speak too highly of Hyomei and there is nothing that will give quicker relief for catarrh."—B. W. Squires, Norwood, Ont.

Thousands of just such letters are in existence, and thousands more would be but for the desire to avoid publicity. If you have catarrh, bestir yourself, and drive it out of your system. Kill the germs. You can do that easily if you use Hyomei (pronounced High-o-mey). It is a dry, antiseptic and very pleasant air, that when inhaled, quickly relieves all forms of catarrhal inflammation, stops snuffles, hawking and blowing. The price for a complete outfit, including inhaler, is only \$1 at D. E. Campbell's.

MI-ONA Cures Dyspepsia.

Your money back if it don't. Gives immediate relief from heartburn, sour stomach, stomach distress and sick headaches. 60 cents a large box at D. E. Campbell's.

A very rare old German manuscript known as "Biblia Pauperum," without a date, but ascribed to the fifteenth or sixteenth century, was bought in Vienna recently for the Leipzig museum, for \$3,000.



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Capes Priced up to \$22.50, for \$10.00

- 7 ONLY, CREAM SERGE CAPES, Military Collars and trimmed with black silk, gilt braids and buttons. Values up to \$16.50. For.....\$10.00
- 2 BLACK, 2 NAVY, 1 GREY, 2 GREEN DIAGONAL SERGE CAPES, trimmed with black silk and buttons. Up to \$22.50. Special.....\$10.00
- 1 NAVY AND 1 BLACK AND WHITE CHECK CAPE, with hood, lined with red silk; black silk collar, edged with gold braid; \$17.50. Special.....\$10.00

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works authorized by By-Law from time to time will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the Main Entrance to the City Hall.

Civic Notice

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable:

- To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the west side of Douglas street from the northern boundary of Lot 8, Block 7, Work Estate, northwesterly to the city limits.
- To light Yates street from Douglas street to Blanchard avenue by means of electric light posts bearing branch lines also to construct the necessary conduits for carrying all wires underground.
- To construct permanent sidewalks on both sides of Duchesne, between Fort street and Leighton road.
- To construct a permanent sidewalk with curb, gutter and boulevard (including maintenance) on the west side of Richmond avenue from Oak Bay avenue southerly to the north line of Lot 5, Peter's Subdivision, Section 52.
- To construct a permanent sidewalk of concrete on the north side of Collinson street from Vancouver street to Cook street, with curbs, gutters and boulevards, and that each and all of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-Law" and amendments thereto, and the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of section 4 of said by-law, upon each and every of said works of local improvement, giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable in each case against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works, and the reports of the City Engineer and City Assessor as aforesaid having been adopted by the Council:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that the said registers are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street, and that unless a petition against any proposed work of local improvement above mentioned, signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed for such improvement, and representing at least one-half of the value of the said land or real property, is presented to the council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice, the council will proceed with the proposed improvement upon such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement, as the council may by-by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., May 28th, 1910.

New Fire Limits

Persons contemplating erecting new buildings, or repairing old ones, in the central section of the city, are hereby notified that the Fire Limits have recently been extended, and that a copy of the by-law, extending same, may be obtained at this office.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., May 28th, 1910.

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 21st day of June, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of hearing complaints against the assessment as made by the Assessor, and for reviling and correcting the assessment roll.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., May 19th, 1910.

Arc Light Equipment

Tenders will be received up to Monday, June 13th, at 4 p. m., for the supply of plant, consisting of lamp transformers, switchboard, and co. as per specifications, which can be seen at the office of the undersigned, to whom tenders shall be sent.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WM. W. NORTHCOFF, Purchasing Agent. City Hall, May 26th, 1910. j11

PROPOSED BOARD OF CONTROL AT VANCOUVER

Project Will Shortly Be Submitted to Ratepayers—First Election in January

Vancouver, May 31.—The city council last evening passed a by-law authorizing the creation of a board of control which would act as the executive of the council in the government of the city.

The legislation arranges for the election of three controllers, who, with the mayor, shall constitute the board. The opinion of the council was that these men should give their entire time to the city, and receive a salary of five thousand dollars a year each. The project must be ratified by the electorate at the polls by a three-fifths majority, and the present plans are to submit the matter for decision so as to allow of the election of the first board of control at the municipal elections next January.

The council also decided to call for competitive plans for a steel frame office building on the site of the present city hall, to serve as city headquarters until the city is able to arrange for the erection of a hall costing from \$500,000 to \$750,000 adequate for civic purposes.

MONEY MAKERS.

Baseball Grounds to Be Used As Amusement Places When Games Are Not Being Played.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 31.—National and American league baseball parks are to be turned into money makers when the national game is not played on them. At a meeting here yesterday of men who are well known in amusement enterprise an organization was formed with a capitalization of \$100,000,000 which is the culmination of a project that was started more than a year ago. Garry Hermann, of Cincinnati, Max

PIONEER DEAD.

Kamloops, May 30.—Thomas O'Dwyer, a well-known pioneer, passed away at the Provincial home at the ripe age of 83 years. For a time he resided in the Nicola district and of recent years resided at Lytton.

Man can pursue a worthy object steadily, and persistently with all the powers of his mind, and yet make his life a failure.



THE world's foremost scientists have proclaimed that the heavy, black soil of the Western Canada plains is the richest in the constituents or qualities required to produce the highest grade of wheat in the world.

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WONDERFUL WESTERN DEVELOPMENT.

Although the work of constructing the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway through British Columbia has but begun, although the line will not be completed and ready for through traffic for a couple of years yet, consider for a moment the wonderful impetus to business the enterprise has already produced in the province, the change it has wrought in the northern part—

THE IRON HAND AS AN INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT.

There is nothing benign or paternal in the methods ex-President Roosevelt would employ in the treatment of "subject races." The Colonel has been giving the people of Great Britain some fatherly advice. He has told them that Egyptians are not capable of appreciating kindly consideration.

UNITED SOUTH AFRICA.

Unquestionably, as Colonel Roosevelt suggested in the most important speech he has yet delivered in foreign parts, there are races which are temperamentally, if not constitutionally, incapable of self-government as we understand the term and the obligations it carries.

a trifle more than seven years ago the Boers of the Transvaal and the Orange Free State were at war with Great Britain. These South African Dutchmen were doubtless persuaded that their cause was a righteous one. The late Oom Paul was a stern old man and exercised a powerful influence upon his fellows.

CHILDREN'S PINAFORES, Reg. 50c and 75c Wednesday, 25c.

CHILDREN'S PINAFORES at one-half and one-third their regular price will be one of the main features of our White-wear Section Wednesday.

Shoes For the Little Ones at Small Prices. Wednesday, 75c

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Hear Frederic Villiers' illustrated war talk, A. O. U. W. hall, Thursday, June 2nd.

Fire Chief Davis has approved the granting of a permit to the Woods Motor and Garage Company to install underground a gasoline tank on the company's premises on Wharf street.

In consequence of a complaint made by F. W. Townsend that his cow was unlawfully impounded, when on Fort Bay road, the city solicitor will be asked to report on the right of the poundkeeper to pursue animals outside the city limits.

The city engineer and the city solicitor have been asked to report on the claim of the Sylvester Feed Company for loss sustained by the breaking of one of their plate glass windows through the alleged carelessness of a city workman.

The application of the residents of Fernwood road, between Fort street and Gladstone avenue, that that thoroughfare be paved with asphalt has been reported on favorably by the city solicitor, and the mayor and council notified. The work will no doubt be done simultaneously with other asphalt pavements throughout the city.

Mayor Morley succeeded at last night's meeting of the council in getting the board to rescind the authority which had been given the city engineer to make the cement sidewalks on Douglas street a uniform depth of 20 feet. His Worship notified the board that he had succeeded in getting a report from the acting city solicitor to the effect that to proceed with the widening might jeopardize the whole improvement by-law which had been passed some time ago.

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Another try at the High school site problem will be made this evening when the board of trustees will hold a special meeting to discuss the offer of the city council to supply a location at Spring Ridge.

President J. J. Warren, of the Kettle River Valley railway, wired Premier McBride yesterday to the effect that he will be returning to British Columbia almost immediately. Mr. Warren visited the province a few weeks ago, but found it impossible to come to Victoria.

The provincial board of horticulture has decided that hereafter all greenhouse plants, bulbs and tubers consigned to Victoria, Vancouver and New Westminster florists and greenhouse men will be forwarded direct to the consignees, and will be inspected on arrival at the greenhouses. Steps will shortly be taken to increase the facilities for inspection at the Vancouver station.

The city council has made a grant of \$500 in aid of the regatta shortly to be held here under the auspices of the Victoria Yacht Club. The money will be taken from the fund which had been appropriated for the Victoria Day celebration, which had to be abandoned on account of the King's death. Ald. Langley says that the forthcoming regatta will be one of the most notable events of the kind ever held in the northwest.

Though there is no guarantee that the property owners will consent to the scheme of the telephone company to place all their wires underground, the council is favorable to an expenditure of \$4,000 in placing in position the necessary conduits and take chances of the project being consummated. A special committee of the council now has the matter in hand. M. Hutchison, city electrician, favors the city adopting as a policy the practice of putting in conduits on all streets when they are permanently paved.

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VILLIERS TO LECTURE ON MANY CAMPAIGNS

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Frederic Villiers, the noted war correspondent, who is to talk on "Pictures of Many Wars," at the A. O. U. W. hall on Thursday night, and throw upon the screen 115 pictures made on many battlefields, depicting stirring historic events, is well known to the reading public. Few, however, have heard how he saved the town of Volo. During the war between Turkey and Greece Mr. Villiers was one of the war correspondents who accompanied the Greeks to Volo. When the Turks cut the Greek forces in two and Smolentz was in full retreat there was a great panic in Volo. When the fugitives had hurried away Mr. Villiers suggested to the British consul that, as the government officials had flown, they should take things in hand and go out to the Moslem lines to intercede with Edhem Pasha on behalf of the remaining inhabitants. With flags of truce they started in carriages at midnight to reach Turkish outposts at dawn. The Turks were ready to march on the town, a ragged looking army. The Greek warships, which had been ordered to leave, still remained at anchor, and the Turks, fearing a trap, kept the correspondent and consul as hostages. It was an anxious time until the fleet moved out. Then the Turks went forward, waving the flag of truce, which Mr. Villiers used to mop his face, the day being a very hot one.

When Volo was reached it took some time to find a responsible citizen to read the proclamation of the Sultan. At last, from the balcony of the mayor's house, the precious document was interpreted by a butcher, and the citizens accepted Turkish rule.

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A meeting of the Capital City Gun Club will be held this evening at St. Johnson street at 8 o'clock.

The B. C. Electric Railway Company has placed its observation car in service for the summer months.

The High School Alumni Society will hold its annual meeting this evening, when officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

A meeting of the Horticultural Society will be held to-morrow evening to make arrangements for the forthcoming rose show.

After drill to-night a meeting of No. 1 Co., Fifth Regiment, will be held to consider arrangements for going into camp. This will be the last drill before infantry inspection, which takes place on June 7th.

To-morrow evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, the regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Poultry and Pet Stock Association will be held in the Labor hall, Douglas street. A full attendance of members is requested as business of importance is to be transacted.

Thursday and Friday nights, June 9th and 10th, the Victoria West amateur dramatic club will give a play at Temple's hall, entitled "Down in Maine." The performances are to be in aid of the building fund of the Victoria West Athletic Association. On the Friday night there will be a dance after the dramatic entertainment.

Mayor Morley at last evening's meeting of the city council directed attention to the fact that there was no assurance that the Victoria & Sidney Railway Company would abandon the market building at an early date. He had tried to get some satisfaction from the company's representatives, but they had avoided committing the company to any set date for removing.

The old council chamber at the city hall, as Victorians have known it for the past thirty years, which in its day has been the scene of many stirring gatherings in connection with the problems of municipal government, is shortly to be a thing of the past. The carpenter and painter are to invade its sacred precincts and remodel the whole apartment. Only a portion at the western end will be used as a council chamber, and surrounding this room will be fitted up offices for the city solicitor and the medical health officer.

At its regular meeting the following members of Victoria Typographical Union entered on office for the ensuing twelve months: President, Frederick Galton Pink; vice-president, Felix Ferner; secretary, George M. Watt; treasurer, Thomas Booz; sergeant-at-arms, Fred Wyatt; executive committee, W. F. Stevens, W. E. Ditchburn, Jos. Clinton; audit committee, Messrs. Pottinier, Butler and Cullin; delegates to trades and labor council, Messrs. Coffey, A. E. Johnson and Sanburn; members allied printing trades council and label committee, Messrs. Foster, Ditchburn and Sheppard; sick and relief committee, Messrs. Ellis, A. E. Johnson and Chislett.

AMATEUR CONCERTS.

Those wishing to spend a thoroughly enjoyable evening cannot do better than take in the amateur concert at the Victoria theatre this week. The performance embraces such a variety of talent that it cannot fail to please every taste and provide amusement for all. There are a large number of contestants whose performance is decidedly good and the programme is so varied that it will be difficult for the public to decide which particular contestant is most deserving of the handsome prize being offered. Judging by the voting last night it is safe to say that by Saturday night public interest will have reached fever heat. The fact that the audience is called upon to decide the contest adds zest to a long evening's amusement of a unique character. The performance opened last night with a fine picture; the next turn was Miss Edith Rex in a clever skipping rope and ambourine dance. Mr. Tom Sidney gave a piano monologue and song, "The Girl in the Big Black Hat," and for an encore "If You Only Knew." Scottie, in full Highland costume, made a hit in his character songs, "Helian Rory" and "Hooch, Aye." Miss Lily Christie danced a Highland fling and sword dance splendidly, and got a fine reception. Mr. D. Black's concertina solo was received with great enthusiasm, he being recalled several times.

The pictures were good, "When Knights Were Bold" is a splendid drama, portraying sixteenth century life and customs. "The Three Musketeers" is also a fine dramatic picture. "A Love Token" is a beautiful picture, showing fine tropical scenery.

This amateur contest bids fair to become more popular than any that have preceded it in Victoria.

Ald. Humber and Bishop have been named to represent the city council on the board of management of the home for delinquent children.



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TEAMS NAMED FOR LACROSSE MATCH

Victoria West and North Ward Clubs Both Represented by Strong Twelves

Teams have been selected by both the lacrosse clubs which play to-morrow night at the Royal Athletic park, in the opening match of the Victoria lacrosse schedule. The Victoria West and the North Ward twelves, which will meet, both look strong in offence and defence.

The teams have been training since the exhibition games were over, and no man playing the game has yet quit in his practice work. The demonstration made by the public on May 24th, when Victoria's representative team made a record victory against the pick of Vancouver amateurs, encouraged the men individually, and argued that the Victoria league would be well supported by the public at the Wednesday night matches, if the players delivered the goods and put up first class lacrosse. From the reports sent in from all clubs, and from the enthusiasm among the lacrosse players, there is not the slightest doubt that the men are all working to win the matches for their clubs, and that they have all been training to get into the best form. On the form displayed in the club

matches, the team to travel to Westminster at the end of next month, to play the amateurs of the Royal City, will be chosen. There are many new aspirants for places who are realizing that the twelve who go over will be the best trained twelve from the three senior clubs.

For to-morrow night's match the teams that line up will be as follows: Victoria West Position North Ward Goal.

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McLaughlin	Cover Point	Dakers
1st Defence		
2nd Defence		
S. Okell	3rd Defence	Kroeger
S. Ross	Centre	Brynjolfson
Brown	3rd Home	Humber
A. Campbell	2nd Home	Petticrew
Jenkins	1st Home	Sargison
L. Thomas	Outside Home	McDonald
Joe Bailey	Inside Home	Morris
Simple	Reserve Defence	McDougal
Perkins	Reserve Home	Martin
Johnson		Phillips
P. Wilson		McGregor
T. Stevens		Baker

SCHOOL LACROSSE BOOMS IN CANADA

Western and Eastern Cities Forming Leagues—Big Revival of National Game

There is very little danger of Canada's national game dying out in Canada, for schools' lacrosse leagues are turning out players that will be known all over Canada in the future contests for the Minto trophy and the Mann trophy, which is for the amateur championship.

Winnipeg's school lacrosse league is the most remarkable league of its kind in the Dominion, and so successful has it become in the last couple of years that now all Canada is taking pointers from it and are starting leagues along similar lines.

The big lacrosse men down east all realize that unless the youngsters are taught the game it will die out, and it is to keep the grand old game alive that they are now striving for.

Lon Solman, the patron of almost every sporting club in Toronto, the president of the Tecumsehs and a director of the ball team, is the man that started the campaign to teach the youngsters the game and his methods are found to be successful, for he is digging down into his own pocket to get results. He is giving every school boy in Toronto a stick, and when the Tecumsehs lined up for their first game over 1,000 youngsters were admitted free and given a stick to learn the game with. The plan will be followed at future matches, and he plans to give away over 5,000 sticks during the year. Then the rest of the lacrosse men in Toronto have got busy, and a league along the lines of our own little school league is now in the course of formation.

Not to be outdone by their old rival, Toronto, Montreal has also got busy, and the movement is taking on there like wildfire. Both the French and English speaking boys are being brought into the proposed leagues, and Winnipeg is also being appealed to for

information as to how the game is conducted there. Ottawa and Vancouver have also fallen into line and from all parts of the Dominion come reports of a revival of the game along lines that are bound to be a success.

CITY BALL LEAGUE STARTS ON JUNE 6

Five Clubs in the Intermediate and Three in the Junior Division Are Entered

The Victoria ball league was formed last night at a meeting held at the Y. M. C. A., and a schedule was drawn in both the intermediate and the junior divisions. There are five teams in the first division, and three in the junior. There were no senior entries received for the league, all the senior teams jumping into the intermediate league with the hope of avoiding some of the teams they believed to be too strong for them. All the intermediate games will be played at Beacon Hill grounds. E. V. Bowers, president, occupied the chair, and those present were: E. H. Beane, secretary; W. Locke, Pride Cigar; M. Keppock, Knights of Columbus; F. G. Pauling, Empress Athletic Association; F. Dutoit, Fifth Regiment Athletic Association, and P. O'Rourke, of the Beacon Hill Club.

- Intermediate.
- June 6.—Pride Cigar vs. Fifth Regiment.
 - June 7.—Beacon Hill vs. Knights of Columbus.
 - June 10.—Empress vs. Pride Cigar.
 - June 13.—Fifth Regiment vs. Beacon Hill.
 - June 15.—Knights of Columbus vs. Empress.
 - June 17.—Pride Cigar vs. Beacon Hill.
 - June 20.—Fifth Regiment vs. Knights of Columbus.
 - June 22.—Beacon Hill vs. Empress.
 - June 24.—Empress vs. Fifth Regiment.
 - June 26.—Knights of Columbus vs. Pride Cigar.
 - July 6.—Fifth Regiment vs. Pride Cigar.
 - July 8.—Knights of Columbus vs. Beacon Hill.
 - July 11.—Pride Cigar vs. Empress.
 - July 13.—Beacon Hill vs. Fifth Regiment.
 - July 15.—Empress vs. Knights of Columbus.
 - July 18.—Beacon Hill vs. Pride Cigar.
 - July 20.—Knights of Columbus vs. Fifth Regiment.
 - July 22.—Empress vs. Beacon Hill.
 - July 25.—Fifth Regiment vs. Empress.
 - July 27.—Pride Cigar vs. Knights of Columbus.
- Junior.
- June 7.—Central vs. North Ward.
 - June 9.—Beacon Hill vs. Central.
 - June 14.—North Ward vs. Beacon Hill.
 - June 16.—Central vs. Beacon Hill.
 - June 21.—Beacon Hill vs. North Ward.
 - June 23.—North Ward vs. Central.

TENNIS CLUB FORMED IN GORGE DISTRICT

Burleigh Courts Opened With a Good Membership and Officers Are Elected

The Burleigh Tennis Club is the latest organization to make its debut into the tennis world of this city, and from the personnel of the executive it appears that before long it will be one of the standard clubs of Victoria.

Last evening at the beautiful courts at "Burleigh" on the Gorge, the club was organized, members enrolled and an executive drawn up to run the club. Games were played that developed some promising talent, and it was not until the light was very dim that the merry makers took down their nets and enjoyed refreshments.

The election of officers took place with the following results: Hon. president, John Jardine; president, J. H. McConnell; secretary-treasurer, Miss Corcoran; vice-president, Miss Belleau; executive committee, Miss Nason, Mr. Steenson and Miss Anderson.

THE RING. WELCH AND McFARLAND DRAW.

(Times Leased Wire.) London, May 31.—Packy McFarland, of Chicago, and Freddie Welch, the English lightweight champion, fought a 20-round draw last night before the National Sporting Club. The fight was for a purse of \$4,500. McFarland had much the better of the bout, leading all the way. The verdict of the referee was received with much hostility. Welch was the favorite at the opening of the contest, but before the fight was half over, the sympathy of the crowd was wholly with the American.

The London newspapers to-day unite in declaring McFarland was worsted by the referee and not by Welch. The Mail declared Welch spent his time covering while McFarland used him as a chopping block. Sporting Life, in commenting on the fight admits that McFarland had a clear lead of 15 rounds.

WINNER WILL MEET LANGFORD.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 31.—Sandy Ferguson, of Boston, and Jack Burns, of Salinas, will battle ten rounds before McCarrey's Pacific Athletic Club at the Naud Junction pavilion to-night.

The winner of to-night's fight has been promised a 15 round go with Sam Langford in July. Burns, however, drew the color line when the chances of a battle with the bone-crusher were mentioned, and it is probable that if Ferguson gives a satisfactory account of himself to-night, he will have an opportunity to mix it with the negro. The men are scheduled to enter the ring at 10 o'clock.

In a breach of warranty case relating to the sale of some fowls at the Bangor County court a witness was asked whether any of the hens laid. "Yes," he replied, amid laughter, "they laid down and died."

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SPORT NOTES

Lacrosse men meet to-night at the Victoria Sporting Goods store, Douglas street. Entries will be received for the city intermediate league, and with the entries in, a schedule committee will be appointed to draft the programme. Delegates from all clubs are due to attend to-night.

That ball team that was here for the double-header last week was too easy. Saturday afternoon the University of Washington will be on the local diamond and will not be easy at all. If Victoria beats the students it can then be reckoned a first-class ball team.

The J. B. A. A. carmen have got together at last, and are putting in training work every night. Their course is up the Gorge, while a spin to Coffin Island varies the trip. The regular regatta course is from Coffin Island to the club boat-house.

The Pride baseball club will hold a meeting to-night at the usual place. The members of the club will arrange to-night about future practices and the selection of a representative team.

Lieut. Mulcahy suggests that the plans for the new High school include a miniature rifle range, of twenty-five yards. The cadets at present shoot at the drill hall miniature range. The lieutenant believes the shooting efficiency would increase if a range were established at the new school.

James Bay Athletic club ball team is out for rival honors against the Victoria ball team. The boys will play a match at Oak Bay June 11th. The opposing side will be a Seattle nine.

Victoria ball team has its hardest match of the season next Saturday. University of Washington possesses the snappiest ball team outside the league in the State of Washington. Fans have a chance to see errorless ball again.

The last two games of the Victoria nine show only four errors, two each game. Every man on the team is making good. Surphis, on Saturday, surprised the talent by his cold-weather pitching.

Lacrosse to-morrow night. The city league opens, Victoria West and North Ward playing at the Royal Athletic park. The game will be called at 6.30, and the public will be admitted to the ground for the usual consideration.

Vancouver has made a start in the replacing of the B. C. A. A. by a new amateur union. The Vancouver Province says: "A new amateur athletic association founded upon the Amateur Athletic Union of America, is to be formed here. It will have for its object the fostering of amateur athletics and will hold meets in various parts of the province."

The B. C. lacrosse championship is now being fought out for the twenty-first time. This year there are only two teams in the fight, Westminster and Vancouver, and both have won one game.

Jaurez will get the winter horse-racing. There will be \$200,000 hung up for purses. The season will open on Thanksgiving day. At Vancouver the racing season opens next Saturday.

A communication was sent to Gov. Gillett of California yesterday, from the Presbyterian Ministers' Association, Columbus, Ohio, asserting that California and San Francisco are ungrateful to the rest of the United States for persisting in holding the Johnson-Jeffries fight on Independence day.

Staff Sergeant Richardson has gone east en route to England. He will shoot this year at Bisley. Capt. McHarg and Capt. Forrest of the 6th D. are members of the Bisley team, and will be leaving within a week for England.

The Olympic and Dreadnought baseball teams will play at North Ward park at 6.30 p. m. to-night. The Dreadnought nine will be composed of Beasley, 1st b.; Henderson, c.; MacKilbride, r. f.; Turnbull, 2nd b.; Steel, 3rd b.; Cummins, l. f.; Yates, c. f.; Dickson, c.; Woods, p.

"Rube" Steenson has joined a tennis club. He is a member of the new Burleigh club. Hope it won't interfere with the speed at the ball park. Rube is on the committee of the new club.

The Shawnigan Lake Athletic Association met last night and passed very satisfactory reports on the dance held last month when the new club house was opened. There was a profit on the opening.

The Shawnigan Lake club house is now open for bookings. The social hall has been prepared for successful summer gatherings. Full particulars can be had from Alex Peden.

The Shawnigan Lake Club last night decided to hold a flannel dance at the club house on the night of June 18th. There will only be 75 double tickets sold. Alex Peden has charge of the sale. The number is limited to allow for accommodation being secured at the hotel after the dance by all who attend.

A young girl of seventeen, named Gladys Christie, stopped in her skating at the Forest Gate, London, rink, and, falling on a knee, said, "I believe my skate is coming off." She got up again, and once more fell on to her face. Her death was due to heart failure caused by the exercise following a rather heavy meal.

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TOUCHERS AND DRAWS

New membership applications are to the secretary's hands, and there are a number of them.

Don't forget that entries close on Thursday night for the pairs and singles competition to take place Saturday afternoon. The trophies offered are worth risking defeat for.

There were twenty bowlers on the green yesterday afternoon. The green is smooth as a billiard table. The club house is comfortable. The company met at the green is of a remarkably high order, and take it all round bowls is quite a game.

Last night—yes, they play night and day—there were two matches in pairs, J. M. Langley and W. Oilphant, 11, beat F. J. Hall and Alexander Stewart, 10. The other game was between J. Dilworth and George Mowatt, against L. W. Coleman and Robert Dunn. The last named pair won, the score being 12 to 8.

The Cook street car is conveniently routed to the corner of the bowling green. The convenience of members is splendidly provided for in this regard—when they catch a car.

LAWN TENNIS. WILL DEFEND TITLE.

Los Angeles, May 31.—Undaunted by her defeat at the hands of Miss Sutton, Miss Hazel Hotchkiss, of Berkeley, announced to-day that she will go to Philadelphia to defend her title of national champion on the Missachicon court June 20th to 25th. Miss Hotchkiss will start to-night for San Francisco.

After a day she will leave for Chicago, where she will spend a week before going to Philadelphia. She plans to return to Southern California for the Pacific coast doubles championship tournament that will be played at Long Beach early in July. (Additional Sport on page 3.)

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ALD. SARGISON IS INDIGNANT

CHARGES MAYOR MORLEY WITH RANK DISCOURTESY

Declares Belief That There Was No Justification for Appointment of Mr. Helliwell

Charging that the aldermen were treated with but scant courtesy by Mayor Morley in the matter of the appointment of H. Helliwell at a salary of \$5,000 to make an examination into the books and accounts of the corporation and questioning the need of such enquiry, Ald. Sargison at last evening's meeting of the city council gave vent to an indignation which has been welling within him for several weeks.

Rising to a question of privilege at the conclusion of the regular business of the session, Ald. Sargison produced a copy of the report which Mr. Helliwell had made after a similar investigation held some four years ago. He noted that in this report the expert auditor had said there was very little wrong with the system of civic accounting, and to him it was inconceivable that the mayor, knowing that Mr. Helliwell had so reported, should have persisted in his effort at re-engaging him. It was particularly annoying to think that the mayor should not have directed the attention of the board to the fact that Mr. Helliwell had made such a report when the matter had come up for discussion.

Ald. Sargison said he had intended to bring the matter up before, but he refrained from creating what might prove an unpleasantness at the board at a time when there was general mourning at the death of the late King. He thought the matter of great importance, however, and wanted an explanation from the mayor. Certainly had he known of the existence of the previous report made by Mr. Helliwell he would not have voted for his appointment now.

Mayor Morley in reply thought it was a little late in the day for the alderman to reopen the question of the appointment of Mr. Helliwell. The action of the mayor had been fully endorsed by the members of the finance committee. He regretted exceedingly that Ald. Sargison should show a disposition to debate the wisdom of the appointment of Mr. Helliwell. He could say for the information of that alderman that some disclosures were promised which would justify his appointment.

Ald. Sargison tried to elicit from his worship just what he meant, but the mayor refused to say anything further, and the incident closed.

MUSICAL EXAMINATIONS.

Professor P. de G. English, one of the board of examiners for the associated board of the Royal Academy of Music and the Royal College of Music, London, will conduct the practical examinations in Victoria on Thursday, June 9th. The examination will be held in the studio of Miss Miles, room 75, Five Sisters block, Fort street, commencing at 9:30 a. m. The candidates will be examined in the following order: Primary pupils, elementary pupils, lower division, higher division, intermediate pupils and advanced pupils.

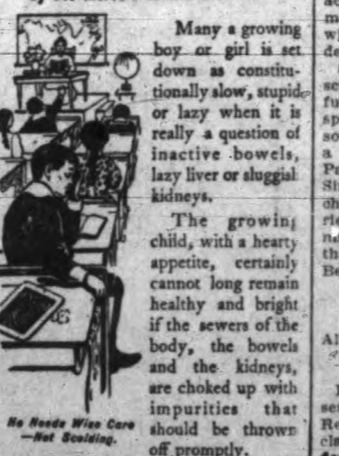
On Friday, June 10th, Professor de English will visit the public schools for the purpose of awarding the silver trophy for class singing offered for competition by his honor the lieutenant-governor.

SENT TO PRISON.

Saskatoon, May 21.—A. W. Hooper, the former Nutana merchant who created a sensation in this city a year ago when he took over the drygoods and grocery business of B. A. Archibald, was yesterday sentenced to 18 months at hard labor in Prince Albert. Hooper was found guilty of defrauding the Marshall Wells Hardware Co., Winnipeg, out of goods to the value of \$860. There were no less than six charges of obtaining goods under false pretences brought against him. He has a wife and family in England.

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MEMORIAL TABLET

TO CANADIAN HERO

Government Officials of Northern Nigeria Pay Tribute to Lieut. Arthur L. Ross

The public library building at Palmerston was recently the gathering place of an immense throng assembled to witness the unveiling of the magnificent brass memorial tablet by his personal friends in the government service of northern Nigeria, including Sir Percy Girouard, to the memory of the late Lieut. Arthur Leith Ross, for many years a citizen of Palmerston, and in attendance at the Kingston Royal Military College at the time the first contingent was organized for South Africa. He enlisted as a private in the Ottawa and Kingston company, and was appointed sergeant on board ship. After fighting with the contingent in all the engagements to Pretoria, he was appointed a lieutenant in the Lancashire Fusiliers by Lord Roberts for meritorious service, and shortly after was sent to northern Nigeria, where he distinguished himself while in charge of several special expeditions, after he was mentioned three times in dispatches. He was entrusted with the organization of a transport service, of which he was chief officer at the time of his death in August, 1908. The memorial is probably unique in Canada, being the only one in this country erected to the memory of a Canadian soldier by his fellow-officers in another colony of the empire. Prominent among the speakers were: Col. Sam Hughes, M. P.; Col. Craig, M. P.; P. P. Ferguson, Col. Mutrie and White, of Guelph; Rev. Dr. Ross of Port Dalhousie; Mr. Alex. Martin, M. P., of Mount Forest; Mr. James McEwing, M. P., and Mr. James Tucker, ex-M. P. P. of Drayton. Mr. W. A. Clark and Mayor McBurns of Palmerston.
On the platform with the speakers were Capt. Pritchard, Warden of Wellington, and other officers of the 20th Regiment, Wellington Rifles; the members of the town council and various other leading citizens of Palmerston, including Mr. Wm. Webb, a veteran of the Crimean war, and the holder of several medals won in active service. Dr. Stewart of Palmerston was chairman.
Col. Hughes, himself a South Africa veteran, vividly portrayed the life of Lieut. Ross while a member of the Canadian contingent, and also gave a loyal address, instilling into the minds of the many young Canadians present a love of country.
Col. Craig, to whom had been entrusted the honor of unveiling the tablet, in the course of his address sketched the life of Lieut. Ross while a member of the 20th Wellington Rifles.
Rev. Dr. Ross, of Port Dalhousie, uncle of Lieut. Ross, in a speech characterized by deep feeling, accepted the memorial tablet on behalf of the widow, father and other friends of the deceased.
Several hundred of the Palmerston school children, who had been carefully drilled by Miss Clapham, interspersed the proceedings with patriotic songs. It is interesting to note that a companion tablet to this erected in Palmerston was recently unveiled at Singleton, Sussex, England, in the church where Lieut. Ross was married to Miss Sylvia, daughter of Admiral Ruxton of the British navy. At the unveiling in England Lord Marcus Bessford took the chief part.

APPEALS FOR HELP.

Alberta Clergyman Speaks at General Assembly of Church of Scotland.

London, May 31.—At the general assembly of the Church of Scotland the Rev. Dr. Norman, of Macleod, Alberta, claimed that no finer work was being done than by the Presbyterian church of Canada in the far west, and he appealed for further help from Scotland.
Lord Balfour, of Bunsleigh, who visited Canada last fall in connection with trade relations between the Dominion and the West Indies, agreed with Rev. Dr. Norman, and said the work of the Presbyterian church of Canada was worthy of the Scottish race. What was now spent in Canada, His Lordship said, would be repaid a thousandfold by the loyalty of a great people, who would become one of the greatest nations in the world.
W. J. E. Martin addressed the assembly in respect to the work of the Presbyterian church of Canada.
J. M. Duncan spoke in connection with colonial missions—dealing especially with the problem of immigration to Canada.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN.

Boston, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
Philadelphia R. H. E.
Boston 5 11 4
Batteries—Kraus, Hall and Thomas; Karger and Carrigan.

New York, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
Washington R. H. E.
New York 0 5 1
Batteries—Groome and Street; Vaughn and Sweeney.

Cleveland, May 31.—Chicago-Cleveland game postponed; rain.

NATIONAL.

Pittsburg, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
Cincinnati R. H. E.
Pittsburg 4 8 3
Batteries—Beebe and McLean; Madrox and Gibson.

Brooklyn, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
Boston R. H. E.
Brooklyn 1 10 1
Batteries—Curtis, Burke and Smith; Rucker and Bergen.

Chicago, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
St. Louis R. H. E.
Chicago 2 9 1
Batteries—Stillee and Phelps; Pfeister, Pfeiffer and Archer.

PACIFIC COAST.

Portland, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's games follow:
Morning Game.
Sacramento R. H. E.
Portland 0 7 2
Batteries—Pitgerald and Spiesman; Seaton and Fisher.

Afternoon Game.
Sacramento R. H. E.
Portland 0 6 2
Batteries—Whalen, Nourse and Spiesman; Krapp and Fisher, Murray.

Oakland, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
Morning Game.
San Francisco R. H. E.
Los Angeles 5 8 2
Batteries—Henley, Willis and Williams; Wheeler, Criger and Smith.

Afternoon Game.
San Francisco R. H. E.
Los Angeles 3 9 0
Batteries—Miller and Berry; Toser and Smith.

Los Angeles, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's game follow:
Afternoon Game.
Oakland R. H. E.
Vernon 6 13 0
Batteries—Morse, Lively and Thomas; Willett, Breckenridge and Brown.

NORTHWESTERN.

Spokane, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's games follow:
Afternoon Game.
Seattle R. H. E.
Spokane 2 5 1
Batteries—Stanton and Custer; Holm and Holdesike.

Evening Game.
Seattle R. H. E.
Spokane 1 7 2
Batteries—Hendrix and Hemenway; Bonner, Killday and Ostleik.

Seattle, May 31.—The scores in yesterday's afternoon game follow:
R. H. E.
Tacoma 1 3 1
Vancouver 0 5 1
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OCCASIONAL FIXTURE FOR GRAIN FREIGHT

Uncertainty of Amount of Tonnage Likely to Be Offered When Season Opens

The San Francisco Commercial News, discussing the charter market for the week, says: "Only an occasional fixture is being made in the coast grain freight market, the union minimum being maintained. While there have been a fair number of vessels already taken for this business during the past several weeks, the necessary amount of tonnage is still far from completed. Shippers at present are acting very cautiously owing to the uncertainty over the amount of steam tonnage which will be available when the season actually opens. Before the trade steamer entered the coast trade, any appreciable amount of tonnage arrangements could be made far in advance with reasonable assurance of the quantity of vessels available at the loading period, but now no such assurance is possible, and the situation can change in a month's time from one of over-abundance, or vice versa. The Sailing Ship Owners' Union has announced that the minimum rate of 25¢ for wheat from Portland and the Sound will not become effective until September 1st; the union rate is to enter into effect at San Francisco July 1st.

In the lumber business several vessels have been fixed for Sydney at 31st and Melbourne, Adelaide and Port Pirie options at 25th to 30th. The Sydney rate is not likely to go over 31¢ and may drop back to 30¢. Two vessels have been taken by Puget Sound to west coast (steam) has been done at 2¢ 6d.

"Offshore lumber rates are quoted as follows: Lumber from Puget Sound or British Columbia to Sydney, 30¢@ 31¢ 3d; to Melbourne or Adelaide, 35¢@ 36¢ 3d; Port Pirie, 35¢@ 36¢ 3d; to Fremantle, 35¢@ 36¢ 3d on gross; direct nitrate port, 40¢; Callao, 40¢; Valparaiso for orders, 40¢@ 42¢ 6d, with 2¢ 6d less to direct port; to South African ports, 50¢; to U. K. or continent, 52¢ 6d; Guaymas, 45¢; Mazatlan, 45¢; Santa Rosalia, 45¢; Honolulu, 45¢. "Eastern advice report orders still in the market for coal boats to Puget Sound, Honolulu and Manila, rates holding firm under light offerings.

"The following general charters are reported: Hancockburn, Sydney, C. B. to Prince Rupert, June 10th to 15th, 100; Rokeby, at Honolulu, Ocean Island to Stittin, 25; Strathroy, coal, to Newcastle, N. S. W., to San Francisco, 15¢ 6d; Oton, Acapulco, 15¢ 6d, or Guaymas, 17¢ 3d; Splithend, sugar, Java to B. C., 17¢ 6d, rechartered.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle—Arrived: German str. Sisak from Hamburg; str. President from San Francisco. Sailed: Str. Humboldt for Skagway.

San Francisco—Arrived: Str. Argyle from Seattle; str. Essex from Portland; str. Missouri from Honolulu; str. Buckman for Seattle. Sailed: Str. Belle Rophon from Liverpool for Seattle. Los Angeles—Arrived: Str. George W. Elder from Portland; str. Bowdoin from Portland. Halifax—Arrived: Str. Campana from Rotterdam.

MOTOR BOAT CRUISES

Series of Races Being Organized Leaving Dover and Arriving Finally in Seattle.

The principal Belgian yacht and motor boat clubs have combined for the joint organization of a series of races and a "cruise company" from Dover to Brussels. The programme takes advantage of the close sequence of the Belgian summer regattas beginning at Ostend on July 15th. Ghent, Antwerp on July 25th, and Brussels on July 30th, and links them together, starting with a cross-channel race to bring the British contingent to Ostend, then cruises from one racing venue to the other until Brussels is reached. The motor yachts will get free passage through the waterways, which are state-controlled, the "droit de remorque" or right of way, through all locks in the inland waterways, and owners and their guests will be made honorary members of the various clubs while their boats are in the club waters. The organization has been centralized in the Ostend Yacht Club, whose honorary secretary, Lieutenant De Maessene, is well known to British yachtsmen, and from whom intending competitors may obtain terms and conditions of entry. The entries already include thirty Belgian and several Dutch, French and German boats, and England should be good for at least a half-dozen cruisers.

SLACK WATER

Active Pass. B. C. May 31, 1910.

Table with columns: Date, H.W. Slack, L.W. Slack. Rows for dates from May 1 to May 31.

PRINCE ALBERT HERE FROM HULL

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Vessel is Nearly as Large as Princess May, But With Less Passenger Accommodation

The first of the Grand Trunk Pacific steamers, the Prince Albert, formerly the Bruno, arrived this morning in command of Captain L. E. A. Hogstedt. She made a fast passage from Hull on the east coast of England to Victoria, in 66 days, 14 hours, including stops for coaling purposes at St. Vincent and Coronel, which occupied five days. This would give her very little over 60 days' actual steaming. Speaking of his trip, Captain Hogstedt said that they had very good weather all the way. They made a record run through the Straits of Magellan and the Patagonian channel, going from Cape Vergins to the Gulf of Penas in four days, four hours. Coming up the coast there were strong head winds but not enough to delay her much.

Captain Hogstedt was very enthusiastic about the new steamer. She is, he says, a splendid sea boat, in fact always has been noted as a fast and safe steamer. When she entered the Baltic trade running out of Hull she was known as the "Cock of the Humber" and on this voyage she fully justified all the fine things that have been said of her.

The Prince Albert is only ten feet shorter than the Princess May, being 232 feet over all. She has a thirty-foot beam, and her gross tonnage is given as 1915. She can accommodate 30 first class passengers in the staterooms and if needed the number of berths can easily be doubled. This it is expected will be done immediately. In appearance the vessel very much resembles the Princess May as she was when she arrived on this coast.

Before leaving Hull the sum of \$30,000 was spent in new boilers and general fittings. To this will be added at once electric light and all the most modern requirements for coasting travel.

Speed is one of the main things these days, and this is where the Prince Albert excels. Speaking of this Captain Hogstedt said that she could easily maintain fifteen knots. With the old boilers she made fourteen, but since the change she had been able to make fifteen.

In charge of the engines of the vessel is Chief Engineer Wilson, R. N. R., senior engineer since 1897. Most of the ship's company will remain but the captain will go back overland as soon as he has handed the vessel over to the owners. He will also make recommendations in regard to members of his crew.

Coming up the South American coast away below the equator, the comet which was seen here some time ago, was plainly visible. It covered an arc of the sky about 70 degrees in length, being about ten degrees above the horizon and extending to within ten degrees of the zenith. They also saw Halley's comet, but it was very insignificant compared with the other.

The steamer did not enter Victoria harbor on her arrival, but anchored in the Royal Roads, the captain coming ashore and making the necessary arrangements with the customs and other departments. She is this afternoon leaving for Seattle, where she will dock, and be made ready for service. From there she will go to Boat Harbor to coal and on to Vancouver, where the crew will be paid off.

The Prince Albert will be in command of Capt. Weymouth, of the Henriette, and his place will be taken by Capt. Buckholts, of this city. Capt. Shadforth is to be the pilot on the Prince Albert, and Capt. Robertson is in command of the Prince George. Capt. Barney Johnson will have the Prince Rupert, which will dock at Esquimalt before going into service.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Wireless.) Point Grey, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar, 30.14; temp, 60; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar, 30.11; temp, 55; sea smooth.

Tadoussac, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind three, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind west three, bar, 30.12; temp, 50. Passed in, 3-masted schooner during night; out, Col. Drake at 5.30 a. m.

Pachena, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.17; temp, 54; sea smooth.

Estevan, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind west; temp, 55; sea smooth.

Trinidad, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; bar, 30.09; temp, 63; sea smooth; tug Escort No. 3 with barge Georgia in tow, north bound, at noon.

Triangle, May 31, noon.—Clear; wind west, 5 miles; bar, 30.05; temp, 50; out, ship Abner Colburn towing at 10 a. m.

Pachena, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; bar, 30.07; temp, 59; sea smooth.

Estevan, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind N. W.; temp, 55; light swell; steamer like Otter near here at 11 a. m.

Ikeda, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind W.; sea smooth.

Triangle, May 31, 8 a. m.—Fog; wind S. W.; bar, 29.57; temp, 57; sea smooth; spoke Cottage City off Boat Cove at 4.10 a. m.

Prince Rupert, May 31, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; sea smooth; Princess Royal in at 9.35 a. m.; out, Capilano at 9.40 a. m.

Steamer Tees will take a drill to Carmanah to continue the borings for coal in that neighborhood. There are already 23 men at work there and several more are going up to-morrow. The Tees has just returned from a special trip to Vancouver and Boat Harbor.

DOUBLE DAILY SERVICE HERE TO VANCOUVER

Ferry Steamers to Be Relieved Fortnightly by Princess Royal—Several Changes

There have been several small changes in the time table for local steamers. The most notable of these is the putting on of a double daily service to and from Vancouver. Up to this time there has been one day a week on which only one steamer ran each way. The gap is now to be filled up and the steamers will be relieved once a fortnight by the steamer Princess Royal, which is expected to have a day to spare from the Skagway service.

The time of the Charnier has been changed, that steamer leaving here in future for Vancouver at 11.45. Returning the Charnier will arrive here at 7 instead of 7.30.

The Princess Victoria from Seattle will in future arrive here at 1.15 instead of 2, the earlier arrival being possible by the fact that she will not stop at Port Townsend, that service being done by the Troquois. She will leave Victoria at 3.15 instead of 3 for Vancouver.

The Princess May and the Princess Royal will alternate on the Skagway run, giving a weekly service, leaving here every Friday. Stewart will be served by the Princess Beatrice running north from Vancouver every Thursday evening, passengers and freight for that place from here transshipping at Vancouver. The Amur will run to the Queen Charlottes as before, leaving here the first and fifteenth of each month.

PRINCE RUPERT WAS OFF SAN FRANCISCO

New Grand Trunk Steamer Making Good Speed Northward

The United Wireless Company is keeping in touch with the Grand Trunk steamer Prince Rupert, now on her way up the coast bound to Victoria. Last night at 8 she passed Point Conception, which is about 500 miles south of San Francisco, and she was off the Golden Gate about noon to-day. She is making good time and should enter the straits on Thursday evening, docking here on Friday morning.

It has been suggested that it would be in keeping with the importance of the occasion for the Victoria Board of Trade to make some demonstration on the arrival of this steamer, the coming of which will mean so much to the port of Victoria. She will be thrown open for public inspection after her arrival, but probably not on Friday, for she will hardly be ready to receive visitors on the day she arrives from a fifteen thousand mile voyage.

MARINE NOTES

Steamer Vadsø is due to arrive here on Thursday afternoon and will leave again the same night.

Steamer City of Puebla sails to-morrow morning for San Francisco without out connecting with the Australian boat.

Seamer Princess May arrived early this morning from a special excursion to Stewart. There was not a very large crowd of round trippers taken, but the steamer carried a large number of regular travellers each way. This steamer will leave for Skagway on Friday next.

The Northumberland Shipbuilding Company, launched in the Tyne on Monday the cargo steamer Nautilus, built to the order of Messrs. Furness, Withy & Co., for the Empire Transport Company, of London; and on the same day a sister ship, the Indian Transport, built by the same firm, under contract in which she attained a speed of 12 knots an hour. The vessels are each 265 ft. long, with a beam of 51 ft. 4 in., and a depth of 28 ft. 4 in., and they are designed for grain carrying in bulk, the load of each being about 7,500 tons on a light draft.

TIDE TABLE

Victoria, May, 1910.

Tide table with columns: Date, Time H. T. H. L. Time H. T. H. L. Rows for dates from May 1 to May 31.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

And Southern California Leave Victoria, 8 a. m. June 1, 8. Str. QUEEN or CITY OF PUEBLA. THROUGH SERVICE. Leave Seattle, 10 a. m. steamers GOV. ERNOR or PRESIDENT, June 2, 10. For Southeastern Alaska, COTTAGE CITY or CITY OF SEATTLE leaves Seattle 9 p. m. June 2, 10, 20, 30. TICKET AND FREIGHT OFFICE—111 Ward St. Phone 4. W. S. COOKSON, Mgr. & CO., LTD., Agents. C. D. DUNNAN, Gen. Passenger Agent, 113 Market St., San Francisco. For further information obtain folder.

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LINERS ARE NEARLY DUE IN THIS PORT

Sado Maru Has Passengers and Freight for Victoria—Australian Liner To-morrow

Steamer Sado Maru has been reported leaving Yokohama, Japan, June 25th, with a large cargo and a number of passengers for this coast. She will discharge 500 tons of freight, at this port and 40 passengers are booked for Victoria. This is the first visit of the Sado to this port. She is of a type similar to the other Japanese liners now on the run.

The Australian Royal Mail boat Manuka will reach here on Thursday next or possibly to-morrow evening. Her San Francisco passengers will go south on the steamer President from Seattle.

The River Clyde is also due here on Thursday next with passengers and freight from the Orient.

LINER STRIKES ROCK

Montreal, May 31.—Another ocean liner has got into trouble at Cap a la Roche, the second within three weeks. The steamer Crown of Castle, inward bound from the West Indies, came slowly into port and reported having struck a huge rock in the Cap a la Roche channel on Saturday night. The shock made the ship tremble from stem to stern, and the pumps were immediately started. A strict investigation held, as the accident occurred at the point where the passenger liner Gramplan grounded three weeks ago. Thos. Robbin, manager of the Shipping Federation, has gone to Ottawa to urge upon Hon. Mr. Brodeur the necessity of making this portion of the channel absolutely safe. Cap a la Roche is thirty miles above Quebec and always has been the most dangerous spot in the St. Lawrence.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS From the Orient.

Table with columns: Vessel, Due, From. Rows for River Clyde, Empress of India, Sado Maru, Manuka, Marana, Georgia, Ganza.

TO SAIL For the Orient.

Table with columns: Vessel, Due, To. Rows for Inaba Maru, Empress of India, For Australia, Manuka, Georgia.

COASTWISE STEAMERS TO ARRIVE From San Francisco.

Table with columns: Vessel, Due, From. Rows for City of Puebla, Queen, Princess Royal, Vadsø, Amur, Tees.

TO SAIL For San Francisco.

Table with columns: Vessel, Due, To. Rows for City of Puebla, Princess May, Princess Royal, Amur, Vadsø, Tees.

FERRY SERVICE Victoria-Vancouver.

Steamer leaves here at 2.15 p. m. daily, arriving at Vancouver at 6.45 p. m.; steamer leaves here at 11.45 p. m. daily, arriving at Vancouver 7 a. m.

Steamer leaves Vancouver daily at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; steamer leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving here at 7 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle Steamer leaves here 9 p. m. daily, arriving Seattle 5.30 p. m.; leaves Seattle 5 a. m. daily, arriving here 2 p. m.

Vancouver-Seattle Steamer leaves Vancouver daily except Mondays at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle 8.30 a. m.; leaves Seattle daily 11.30 p. m., arriving in Vancouver 8.30 a. m.

Steamer Bessie Dollar was delayed at San Francisco, so she will not arrive here until to-night or to-morrow. She has sulphur for the chemical works.

NEW CUNARDER

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The Cunard line has placed with Messrs. Swan, Hunter & Wigham Richardson, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, a contract for building a fast liner for the Atlantic service like the Franconia, which is now building. The new vessel will, however, represent an entirely new type of combined passenger and cargo express steamer.

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Mr. Exton and two children, and Mrs. Vickers.
W. J. Mackay, until recently editor and manager of the Fort George Tribune, is spending a few days among old friends in Victoria.

At a meeting of the congregation of St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, a presentation was made to C. Lyons Foster, the people's churchwarden...

Miss Rose Woodrow, of Vancouver, has joined her mother and her sister, Lillian, who are staying at the Oak Bay hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Provins of Lady-smith, have returned from their honeymoon...

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Perfume Bottle Fans
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Shoe Horn Sashwith Tray

Among the passengers on the Charners last night for the Terminal city passengers on the Charners for Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford, of Staybridge, Eng., are on their way to Victoria, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Victor Ed Gilmer, of Beach avenue.

Rev. C. M. Tate, Duncan, has left on a visit to his old home in England, and will attend the missionary conference to be held during June in Edinburgh.

The Nevarro trio, performing at the Grand theatre this week, in a turn descriptive of the new gymnastics, equilibrium, has all its predecessors beaten...

Few wild animals are left in New Zealand. The government takes good care of the remnant, and seeks to add new varieties.

The Evening Chit-Chat
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Wheat—
May 90 91 90 91
July 92 93 92 93
Sept. 94 95 94 95
Dec. 96 97 96 97

Com—
May 55 56 55 56
July 57 58 57 58
Sept. 59 60 59 60
Dec. 61 62 61 62

Flour—
May 35 36 35 36
July 37 38 37 38
Sept. 39 40 39 40
Dec. 41 42 41 42

NEW YORK STOCKS.
New York, May 31.—After a dull opening the stock market was weak and nervous to-day in anticipation of a decision of the supreme court on the corporation tax law. A general selling off in the list occurred during the forenoon. Utah copper and Chesapeake & Ohio gained fractions. Consolidated Gas and International Harvester 2. Chicago Traction pd; Reading, Western Union and Toledo, St. Louis and Western lost 1/4. Kansas City Southern gained 1/4 and Union Pacific lost a fraction. Bonds were heavy.

LOCAL STRAWBERRIES APPEAR ON MARKET
Apricots, Peaches and Other Fruits Are Expected on 'Frisco Boat To-morrow

Local strawberries have, during the past week, arrived on the market. They are, however, rather scarce at present, but if the warm weather continues there will be an abundance of them within the next few weeks. The price of the berries is rather high, the wholesale price now being \$4 per crate.

With the arrival of this fruit the berries from the south, which have been on the market for some time, will have to take second place. The local berries are much better than the southern ones. They have a better taste, are larger in size and look nicer packed in the boxes. The growers of this fruit in and around this city have done well in getting the berries on the market so soon. Gooseberries are also on the market.

The steamer which arrives from San Francisco to-morrow is expected to have a large amount of fruit for this port. It will consist of the early products from the south. Amongst it will be peaches, apricots, nectarines and plums. The prices for these will be about the same as last year.

As usual there were many changes in the prices on the wholesale market during the week. There were no changes in the retail prices. A new butter has been placed upon the market. It is the Eastern Township, and is selling at 3c per pound at the retailers.

PACIFIC COAST STOCK EXCHANGE.
(By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.)
Victoria, May 31.

Portland Canal Stocks.
Bear River Canyon 33 3/4
Bitter Creek 35 3/4
Glacier Creek 36 3/4
Little Joe, D. K. Fraction 33 3/4
Main Reef 35 3/4
Olga (pooled) 35 3/4
Portland Canal 30 3/4
Portland Wonder 30 3/4
Rush Portland 32 3/4
Red Cliff 33 3/4
Red Cliff Extension 33 3/4
Stewart M. & D. 7 3/4
Vancouver Portland 30 3/4

Miscellaneous.
American Canadian Oil 11 1/4
B. C. Amalgamated Coal 61 1/2
B. C. Permanent Loan 132 00
H. C. Pulp & Paper Co. 49 3/4
H. C. Oil Refining Co. 45 3/4
Bakeries, Limited 7 00
Canadian Northwest Oil 23 3/4
Great West Permanent 112 00
International Coal & Coke 43 3/4
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke 74 3/4
Pacific Whaling, pref. 55 00
Pineapple Mines 35 3/4
Rambler Cariboo 38 3/4
South African Crisp 70 00
Silica Brick 70 00

VICTORIA STOCK BROKERS' ASSOCIATION
Victoria, May 31.

Alberta Canadian Oil 98 3/4
American Canadian Oil 101 1/4
Canadian Northwest Oil 23 3/4
Alberta Coal & Coke 63 3/4
Diamond Valley Coal & Coke 45 3/4
International Coal & Coke 43 3/4
Nicola Valley Coal & Coke 74 3/4
Royal Collieries 38 3/4
Western Coal & Coke 1 1/2
B. C. Permanent Loan 132 00
Dominion Trust Co. 65 00
Great West Permanent 112 00
Pacific Whaling, com. 44 00
Pacific Whaling, pref. 55 00
Stewart Land 38 00
S. A. Corp. 76 00
Bitter Creek 35 3/4
Bear River Canyon 35 3/4
Glacier Creek 36 3/4
Main Reef 35 3/4
O. K. Friction 35 3/4
Portland Canal 30 3/4
Portland Wonder 30 3/4
Stewart M. & D. 7 3/4
Nugget Gold 1 1/2
Lassett 1 1/2
Lucky Calumet 11 1/2
Snowstorm 76 00
Snowshoe 64 00
Rambler Cariboo 38 3/4

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Pears, per box 1 50
Lemons 4 50
Walnuts (Cal.) 1 50
Walnuts (Eastern) 1 50
Coconuts, per dozen 2 00
Ham 2 10
Ham (boned), per lb. 24 00
Carrots, per sack 1 50
Bananas, per lb. 1 50
Potatoes (local), per ton 15 00
Butter (Creamery) Cal. 15 00
Butter (Eastern Townships) 20 00
Butter (Dairy) 20 00
Cheese (Cal.) 2 00
Oats, per ton 37 50
Hay, per ton 19 00
Corn, per ton 38 00
Grape Fruit 2 00
Tomatoes (local), per lb. 15 00
Green Onions, per doz. 1 50
Radish, per doz. 1 50
Gaulthflowers, per doz. 1 50
Onions (Australian) 4 00
Navel Oranges 2 50
Apples, per box 2 00
Garlic, per lb. 1 50
Figs (Cal.), per package 7 50
Figs (Sm. rna), boxes 1 50
Figs (Smyrna), per doz. baskets 1 50
Artichokes (Cal.), per doz. 4 00
Rhubarb (local), per lb. 1 50
Cucumbers (local), per doz. 1 50
Honey, liquid, bulk, per lb. 4 50
Honey (comb), per crate 1 50
Limes, per doz. 1 50
Apples (Australian), per box 3 50
Oranges (Blood), per crate 2 75
Strawberries (Hood River), crate 2 00
Green Peas, per lb. 7 00
Nuts (new Brazil), per lb. 1 50
Cherries, per crate 1 50
New Potatoes, per lb. 6 00
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GERMAN WOMEN WORK.
The Steady Growth of Female Employment Goes On.

A London dispatch says: Some interesting statistics are published about the growth in the employment of women in Germany. From 1885 to 1907, twelve years, while the employment of men decreased 20 per cent, the number of women employed increased 57 per cent. There were 8,000,000 women employed in the latter year, as against 5,000,000 in the former, and a full third of the economic labor of the Empire is at present being carried on by women.

The increase has been largest in agricultural pursuits, which employed 4,500,000 women in 1907, as against 2,750,000 in 1885. This denotes an increase in respect of agriculture of 67 per cent, as compared with an increase in respect of industry of 33 per cent.

A curious rise has been noticed in the number of women employed in painting and sculpture, for the 989 women of these occupations in 1885 increased to over 12,000 in 1907. In the theatrical world the feminine element has more than doubled in that period, from 10,000 in 1885 to 23,000 in 1907. Women writers almost exactly doubled in the same time, while men writers only increased about 50 per cent.

If the world seems to us to be speeding down we may be sure that it is due to the fact that we are standing on our heads.

Dr. Coley.

The chief list of the King of Greece is the smallest in Europe. It does not exceed \$200,000 a year.

WAR DECLARED ON "THEATRE TRUST"
CORT ORGANIZES OWNERS' ASSOCIATION

State Legislatures Will Be Asked to Pass Laws to Prevent Monopoly

New York, May 31.—With the view of "busting" the so-called theatrical trust by causing bills to be presented in various states legislatures to strip the "trust" of its power, members of the recently organized National Theatre Owners' Association have declared war on the "trust." Each member has pledged himself to fight the "trust" and to work for legislation in the several states to prevent such a monopoly of the "trust" as formerly had.

According to a decision reached at a recent directors' meeting arrangements will be made to present bills to the various law making bodies, patterned on the lines of the Missouri and Texas law. These laws compel proprietors of theatres to throw open their books and book any first class attraction.

The decision to fight came only after the theatre owners had decided that the "closed door policy" of the trust had proved destructive to the independent producing managers.

John Cort, who organized the association, in speaking of the proposed legislative movement, said: "We have no doubt that such a law will be passed by the legislatures of states within the next year. Once we have such a law on the statute books, it will be impossible for any theatre trust of which Klaw & Erlanger were the heads, to get control of theatres and kill all honest competition. This legislation will be only another step in the downfall of the theatrical trust and prevent the paying of unreasonable tribute to theatre booking agencies."

Cort does not regard seriously the announcement of the theatre trust members concerning the proposed \$25,000,000 organization to build or lease theatres throughout the United States. "That is simply a bluff," he said. "Erlanger is not going to risk his own money in such an endeavor. He might risk other people's money if he can get it but he has not got the backing. Erlanger's policy has been to let a house stand idle. There are innumerable derelict theatres throughout the country last year simply because Erlanger closed them rather than play Shubert plays. The situation will be changed next season, and the theatres throughout the country will have more attractions than ever before."

THREE MEN FINED IN POLICE COURT
Exposure and Assault Defendants Are Found Guilty of Offences

A fine of \$50, with the alternative of one month's imprisonment, was given to James Clark, steward on the Princess Charlotte, for an indecent offence committed last Sunday on Rock Bay.

A married woman gave evidence that she was crossing the street when accused came towards her in an exposed condition. She ran away and called the police. Another married woman was called as a witness to show that accused had committed a similar offence in front of her on another occasion. Regarding the exposure, the magistrate, after hearing accused, thought there might have been a mistake in identity. Two girls were in court to give testimony that similar offences had been committed before them, but when accused was brought from the box and placed in front of her they were not positive as to his identity.

The accused said he was under the influence of liquor and the exposure had been entirely accidental.

Clement Phillips and Samuel Duffy were fined each \$15 for an assault on Arthur Kinsie, a waiter at the Strand Hotel, whom they knocked into the window early Monday morning. William Miller, another waiter, also complained, as a witness, that the two accused had thrashed him in the restaurant at the same time.

A disputed bill and too much liquor were offered as the cause of the row. The witness Miller paid a fine for drunkenness.

An offender paid a fine for riding a bicycle along the sidewalk. There are several other bicycle cases coming before the court this week, as the result of the rain on Saturday last.

CROWN JEWELS SECRETED.
Great secrecy is being observed as to the present whereabouts of the crown jewels, known to visitors who inspect the Tower of London as the "Regalia." Usually they repose in a glass case enclosed in an iron cage in the Wakefield Tower, and the only means of access to them is through a trap door in the flooring within the cage, of which the governor of the tower and only one other person possesses a key.

The tower is now undergoing repairs, with a view to making it more secure than ever before as a safe place for these valuable jewels, and meanwhile they have been sent to some other place of safety. Some persons say they have gone to the Bank of England, but others declare that they have never left the precincts of the tower at all, for there are secret strong rooms in the foundations of the edifice to which only the governor has access, and these would be the natural hiding-places for crown jewels.

For nearly seven centuries the jewels have been guarded in the Tower of London. It was in Henry III's reign that they were first deposited there, and from that time forward they were generally there under the care of a special keeper. There was one exception, the crown of Edward the Confessor, which was for a long time preserved separately at Westminster Abbey.

BROUGHT NEARLY HALF MILLION
GOVERNMENT SALE OF STEWART LOTS ENDED

Price of Lots Averaged Over \$1,800 Each—Keen Bidding for Choice Corners

Altogether nearly half a million dollars were realized on the 222 lots in Stewart townsite sold at the auction of the A. O. U. W. hall which ended to-day. The exact sum was \$450,700, an average of about \$1,850 being obtained for each lot. Comparing the prices received with those at the Prince Rupert sale the result favors the Portland Canal mining town.

Two more lots are to be subdivided, one in the townsite and one adjoining it now held by Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann and the government has reserved one quarter of this property for sale. It was suggested to the Times this morning by Percy F. Godenrath, editor of the Portland Canal Miner, that the next sale should take place in Stewart, where a population of 7,000 is expected during the summer. It is generally understood, however, that Vancouver will be the place chosen by the government.

Four blocks were disposed of this morning in two hours. Blocks 9 and 11 brought the highest prices on account of the advantageous location, corners selling from \$3,500 to \$7,100, and inside lots averaging over \$2,000.

Loud applause greeted the first bid of \$10,000 made for a double corner parcel of two lots by A. F. Griffiths yesterday afternoon. The location at the corner of Fifth and Brightwell was looked upon as a most desirable one, and the bidding was brisk. Mr. Griffiths also secured another corner on Fourth and Columbia for \$5,700.

The first lady bidder was Mrs. K. Walton, who secured an inside lot in block 4 for \$2,325.

A. H. & W. Piggott, of the Stewart Land & Mining Company, bought the corner lots 1 and 2, in block 18, which were secured by J. F. Griffiths for \$4,400.

C. Palmer, who owns a small house valued at \$350 on lot 24 in block 7, bought the two lots at this corner for \$7,300. The east was represented by W. D. Morris, of Ottawa, who secured a corner in block 7 for \$4,500. The feature of the afternoon was the great increase in the number of individual purchasers. A. B. McKenzie, who represents a large syndicate, bought half of the lots offered in the morning, but only secured seven of the higher priced parcels sold later in the day.

Following is a list of the sale made from the opening of the auction to the afternoon:

WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, May 31, 5 a.m.—The barometer is abnormally high over Northern British Columbia, and fine warm weather is general over the Pacific slope, with moderate winds from the northward along the coast. Light rains have again occurred in Manitoba.

Observations at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.11; temperature, 67; minimum, 47; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Westminster—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, 32; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, fair.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.56; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind, 3 miles S. W.; weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.23; temperature, 38; minimum, 32; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 52; minimum, 40; wind, 6 miles N. W.; rain, 20; weather, fair.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday:

Temperature.
Highest 72
Lowest 47
Average 60
Bright sunshine, 13 hours.
General state of weather, fine.

GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.
London, May 31.—The Grand Trunk April statement shows that the gross receipts of the Grand Trunk proper increased \$63,100 sterling; working expenses increased \$55,900 sterling. Canadian Atlantic net profits increased 12-3/4 per cent. G. T. Western net profits decreased \$6,700 sterling. Grand Haven net profits increased \$1,900 sterling. The total net profit of the whole system increased \$3,830.

GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.

Lots	Bk.	Sold to	Price.
1-2	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	\$2,600
3	"	.....	1,000
4	"	.....	950
5	"	.....	800
6	A. Jacob	.....	800
7	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	875
8	Munroe	.....	850
9	D. W. Hanbury	.....	850
10	H. B. Allen	.....	950
11-12	H. F. Bullen	.....	2,375
13-14	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	3,150
15	"	.....	1,375
16	"	.....	1,100
17	J. Hampton	.....	1,150
18	A. F. Griffiths	.....	1,175
19	A. F. Griffiths	.....	1,150
20	D. W. Hanbury	.....	1,275
21	D. D. Martin	.....	1,250
22-24	M. Stevens	.....	2,000
1-2	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	3,225
3	"	.....	1,600
4	"	.....	1,425
5	A. Gover	.....	1,200
6	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	1,250
7	"	.....	1,200
8	A. F. Griffiths	.....	1,225
9	F. H. Mayhew	.....	1,400
10	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	1,325
11	W. M. Ward	.....	2,700
12-14	D. W. Hanbury	.....	4,750
15	A. B. Mackenzie	.....	1,800
16	"	.....	1,675
17	"	.....	1,675
18	"	.....	1,675
19	"	.....	1,625
20	"	.....	1,625
21	A. F. Griffiths	.....	1,700
22	W. Langley	.....	1,525
23	C. W. Lipsky	.....	2,025
24	Sol. Cameron	.....	3,025
1-2	W. D. Morris	.....	4,500
3	J. Gluck	.....	2,025
4	"	.....	2,250
5	"	.....	2,000
6	A. B. Mackenzie	1,950
7	"	1,950
8	"	1,900
9	"	1,900
10	A. Manson	2,600
11-12	O. H. " "	2,200
13-14	A. F. Griffiths	5,700

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TRYING TO CHECK EMIGRATION TO CANADA

U. S. Secretary of Interior Restores Large Tracts of Land to Entry

Washington, May 31.—It is estimated that more than a million acres of land have been restored to entry from the forest reserves of the Pinchot regime since Secretary of the Interior Ballinger inaugurated his ideas of conservation and made them effective. Ballinger holds that many of the withdrawals were made without legal authority and that vast stretches that never could be available for forest were included in President Roosevelt's sweeping withdrawals of land from entry. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, who is endeavoring to check American immigration into Canada, is working with Ballinger on the conservation problem. Wilson believes that the restorations will have a marked effect in holding settlers.

TWO-YEAR-OLD BOY CRUSHED TO DEATH

Knocked Down by Horses, He Falls Under Wheels of Heavy Wagon

Revelstoke, May 30.—A sad accident happened the other day by which a two-year-old boy was killed. It appears that the team and wagon belonging to J. Cashato had returned from work and the driver had opened the gate that leads into the stables at the home of Cashato, south of the city, to allow of the horses to enter the yard. The road through leads close past the door of Cashato's dwelling house. The horses came on at a sharp pace and did not pull up to allow the driver to catch up to them. As they came by the door of the house the two-year-old son of Mr. Cashato, who was playing on the step, ran forward under the horses' hoofs, and fell beneath them, the heavy wagon passing over his body. Mrs. Cashato, in a frenzy of grief, caught up the child and a message was sent for Dr. McLean, who arrived just as the child breathed his last.

Election by ballot in England was first used at Pontefract in August, 1872.

TENDERS

Tenders will be received by the Victoria School Board up to 4th June for the dressing and erection of six Flag Poles. Specifications to be seen at the office of the Board.

ISABELLE MOORE, Secretary.

RECORD LOGGING CONTRACT AWARDED

Twenty Million Feet of Logs to Be Delivered Each Year for Five Years

Kamloops, May 30.—What is without doubt the biggest logging contract yet undertaken in the interior of this province is that just completed by Messrs. Robinson and McKenzie, formerly saw-mill operators at Cranbrook, and well known as expert lumbermen, with the Monarch Lumber Company, at Savona, and the Sovereign Lumber Company, Annis. The contract calls for the delivery in boom on Shuswap lake for one hundred million feet of logs at the rate of 20,000,000 feet each year for five years, the total value of the output being over \$700,000. The contractors already have one camp established at the head of Seymour Arm, in which district the lipits from which the logs will be drawn are situated. Other camps will be opened as soon as possible and all modern appliances will be used for getting out the logs. As most of the supplies for these camps will be purchased in this city and shipped by boat to Seymour Arm, the transaction is an important one to Kamloops. In winter over 100 men will be kept steadily employed in the camps, and nearly that number throughout the summer months.

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OPERATION NOT NECESSARY.

Berlin, May 30.—An abscess in the left hand of Kaiser Wilhelm, caused by an insect's bite is healing rapidly and surgical operation will not be necessary. The Kaiser resumed his duties to-day.

What Other People Think

STORY OF A "FLAGSTAFF"

To the Editor:—I can tell your readers the story of the tall "flagpole" at Kew Gardens, near London, for the tree was chosen, felled and shipped under my orders at Alberni, in the early sixties. It was not easy then in the accessible forests of Puget Sound, or this island, to find such trees—comparatively slender, yet well proportioned, to a great height, from a moderate diameter at their butt. Their flexibility made it difficult to fell them without breakage; nor was the ordinary vessel of those days long enough to carry them of course, on deck and projecting sternward. We did, however, find four beauties in the valley of the Ross river, and our woodmen, from Maine and Eastern Canada, prepared deep, soft level beds of small branches and such like for the trees to fall on. The winning of the trees was made a gala day, so far as business permitted. Three of them fell, as arranged, but were broken. The fourth—the tree now at Kew—fell uninjured on a rough, natural surface, in an opposite direction from the line of "bedding" prepared for it. I found by measuring that it was 200 feet in length. This had to be reduced to 45 feet for shipment. Strange to say, it reached the London docks safely, but was broken in conveyance up the River Thames to Kew. There it now stands, 40 or 50 feet taller than any growing tree in the British Isles, though, possibly, about 2500 years ago Agricola, the Roman general, may have seen such in the wild forests north from the River Forth in Scotland. Thus the noble tree was gotten.

"In the valley, by the river, In the bosom of the forest, And the forest's life was in it, All its mystery and its magic."

to quote from Hiawatha—but to me, viewing it chained in its present habitat at Kew, sombre, sapless and without branches to rattle in the breeze of morning, the tree seems disconsolate. It is the only great flagpole ever sent from our island to Europe.

GILBERT MALCOLM SPROAT.

DOUBT.

To the Editor:—In Wednesday's issue of the Times was a letter entitled "Fear," in answer to mine of a former issue. I beg leave of you to answer the same, not with any hope that it will influence a "Lover of Justice and Truth," but simply that it may set right a few souls hovering on the edge of "don't understand." "A Lover of Justice and Truth" is evidently firmly wedded and fixed in his niche in Ashcroft's headpiece, biliousness, bodily pains and a depressed feeling over the whole system. I still maintain all sickness is sin. It may not be sin of your own making, God has said "The sins of the fathers are visited upon the children," but the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; and immutable laws that He has made He does not break for your sake or mine.

I know there are people who consider themselves good Christians, who believe just God can damn a child to life-long torture of a diseased body. I prefer to believe the parents transgressed, or, in case an accident is the cause, they held the wrong thought in regard to the child and the child suffers. I see dozens of my friends who are making invalids of themselves and their children by withholding the proper amount of air and food from them by persistently thinking of them as suffering from something. Should I say God wills them to be invalids and lead lives of suffering for the betterment of their souls? I do not think anyone can lead a good and useful life as a perfectly healthy mortal. When you are in perfect health you feel Christlike, you mirror Christ, which you were intended to do; you have no sympathy with the acher by-nature, but you have divine compassion for the child he is causing to suffer. Christ told his disciples to go into all nations, to have authority over all devils (even the devil of fear), to cure diseases and to heal the sick. He said they lacked faith when they did not do it. The trouble with modern Christians is that they are looking for something outside themselves when the power of the Holy Ghost is in them. Elijah tried to find it in the storm and in the lightning, and finally found it in the still, small voice. Christ said: "I am come that ye might have life and have it more abundantly," and again, "I and my Father are one," and immediately under it, justifying our claim to sonship, "I have said ye are gods and all of you are children of the Most High," and to Peter when he doubted his ability to come to Christ across the water, "Wherefore didst thou doubt," and again, "Take heed therefore how ye hear, for whosoever hath to him shall be given and whosoever hath not from him shall be taken, even that which he seemeth to have."

"I, of J. and T." and I can never meet on common ground. Doubt is at the basis of all belief. If it were all out and dried, if a beneficial Providence snatched me from the flames of sickness or sin or god-mandating then I should not work out my own salvation, and I should be a weak-willed, puny creature unable to inherit anything but aches and pains and a decrepit body. But because I am a free agent I choose to consider that I am most responsible after my parents as to what happens physically to me. There is just as much good in me as in a "L. of J. and

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QUEEN'S AVE.—Choice lot, near City Park, 60 x 120 \$900	1 1/2 ACRES, on Cedar Hill Road, just outside city limits. Per acre, only \$1,000	2-1/2 ACRES on Cloverdale avenue, all clear, no rock \$2,212	6 1/2 ACRES, cleared, good soil, six miles out, near main road only \$1,500
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Victoria Day. May 24th was fittingly celebrated in Prince Rupert by a programme of sports being provided for the children. The forenoon was made one of rejoicing by the return of two popular surveyors, A. W. Agnew and Guy Tooker, whose absence for days led to the belief that they had been drowned.

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Run-over by Train. Kamloops, May 30.—A Shuswap Indian named Isaac was killed about a mile west of Salmon Arm by a passing train. It is supposed that he was intoxicated and either laid down on the track or was struck by the train while walking near the rails.

PRINCIPAL RETIRES. Kamloops, May 30.—After twenty-one years' service as teacher and principal of the Kamloops public school, E. S. Wood has retired from school work.

WEDDED AT ASHCROFT. Ashcroft, May 30.—The marriage of Miss Mary Isabel Burr, eldest daughter of Joseph W. Burr, chief constable of Yale and Lillooet districts, and Edward Everett Whitson of Pulteney, Wash., took place at the residence of the bride's parents here on May 25th.

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A CANADIAN AEROPLANE. May Enter the Bennett Race at Long Island. Canada may send a national challenger to the Bennett aeroplane race that is to take place at Long Island, N. Y. in the latter part of September.

Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher. "Oh, but I wish that Elizer homeward would come from the club!" murmured poor Henry Budwiser, toiling away at the tub.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION. Prince Rupert, May 30.—Francis Emil Anderson was instantly killed by a rock while employed on station work. Anderson, with five other men, were blasting at about mile 29. The other five men ran for cover when the alarm was given but Anderson either lost his head or considered he was safe, for he did not move.

NOTICE. I, C. J. McDonald, hereby give notice that, one month from date hereof, I will apply to Superintendent of Provincial Police at Victoria, B. C., for a renewal of my license to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Mayne Island Hotel, situated at Mayne, in the Island District, to commence on the 1st of July, 1910.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Pacific Northern and Ontario Railway Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Bodwell & Lawson, No. 515 Government Street, Victoria, B. C., on Monday, the 28th day of June, 1910, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 113 of the Revised Statutes of Canada that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company has made application to the Governor in Council for approval of the construction of an extension of its wharf in James Bay, in the Province of British Columbia, and that plans thereof and a description of the site of the proposed extension have been deposited with the Minister of Public Works, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds at Victoria, in the said Province.

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ACCEPTS CALL. Vancouver, May 30.—Rev. E. H. Henry of Knox church, Hoggish, B. C., who has decided to accept the call extended to him from Chalmers Presbyterian church of this city, will preach his first sermon in his new charge here on June 19th.

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PROPOSE TO IMPORT COLONY OF BEAVER

Re-stocking of Old Pond at Colquitz Decided Upon if Arrangements Can Be Made

To have an active colony of beavers right in the suburbs of Victoria is the latest aim of the Natural History Society. On Saturday last some of the members visited the old-beaver swamp at Colquitz, where the industrious rodents have been extinct for several years. They were killed off during the absence of Mrs. Watts Jones, the proprietor, and it is the aim of the society to have this pond restocked and protected.

There is a plethora of beaver in some parts of the province. Owners are complaining that they are doing considerable damage in the building of their dams. Here, however, they are wanted, and the Natural History Society propose to ask the government to transfer enough specimens to ensure the success of the colony at this place. Last night the matter was brought up at the regular fortnightly meeting of the society, the president, A. W. McCurdy, in the chair, and referred to the executive committee for action.

In the matter of the Provincial Park project, A. W. McCurdy, on behalf of the committee, reported that their case had been laid before the government for consideration, and it was arranged with Premier McBride that if any additional information was required the joint committee of the Board of Trade, the Development League, and the Natural History Society, would be notified and would wait on them.

A resolution was presented last night providing for a change in the name of the society. It was decided to make a change but the matter will be again discussed by the executive committee and a name suggested. One month's notice will be necessary before a change can be made in the constitution.

SPEED MANIACS AT BEACON HILL

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Mayor Morley said the roads at the park were being ruined owing to the rapid manner of driving the autos. This could not be tolerated. The city already had enough bad roads to look after.

Ald. Raymond thought the police should be asked to look after these scorching automobilists.

Mayor Morley approved of the suggestion, remarking that only the night previous the mounted police had caught two offenders.

Ald. Langley thought it ought to be a simple matter to punish the offenders. In other places they were in the habit of setting traps for these speed maniacs and it worked very successfully.

Ald. Humber moved that the recommendations of the park superintendent be adopted. He had little hope that the police would render much assistance. He had gone to the chief to try and get more policemen for the park but to no purpose. The way that dogs were allowed to run loose in the park was scandalous. Only recently a peacock had been killed and other depredations had been committed. The drivers of automobiles were constantly defying the authority of the park superintendent. Recently also two persons mounted on horseback had driven over the lawns and watered their horses at the Burns monument. They refused to tell their names when accosted by the superintendent. It was time a stop was put to this state of affairs.

Ald. Sargison thought it would be most unwise to refuse autos the use of the park entirely. Tourists surely should be entitled to ride about in the proper hours. It was finally decided to have the matter go to the parks committee for consideration.

PROBLEM OF FORT STREET

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The city solicitor said that was an erroneous view to take of the situation. There was a likelihood of the property owners turning the by-law down if they thought their assessment excessive.

Ald. Bannerman was indignant that the city solicitor had not advised the council about this at the time the by-law had been drawn. It was a most absurd position for the city to be in. It appeared to him that the project was no further advanced to-day than when it was first mooted. The whole thing was a farce.

Mayor Morley agreed that a most deplorable state of affairs had been revealed.

Ald. Bannerman—I don't know what word to use to describe the situation. People interested in Fort Street properties are losing money every day.

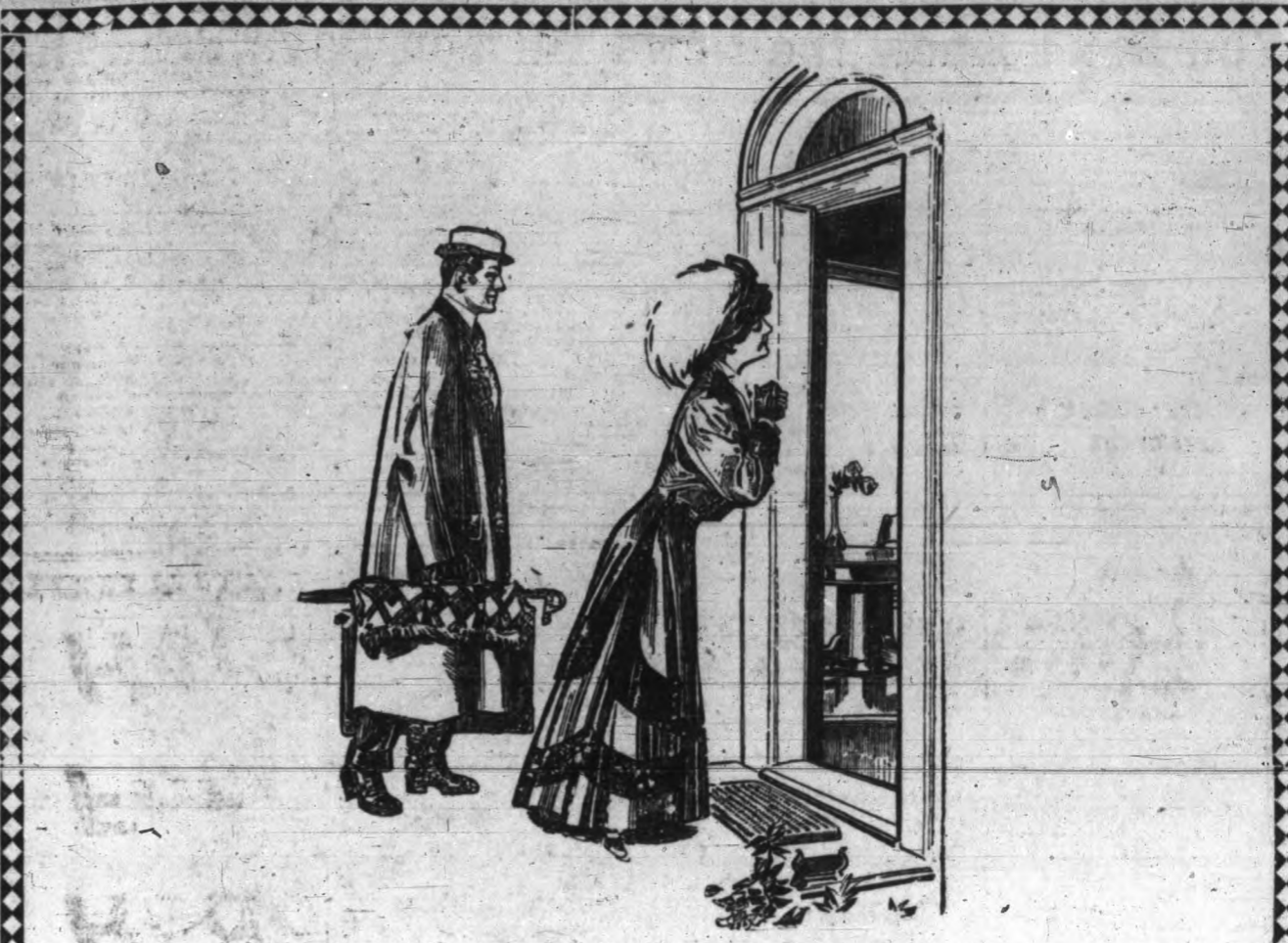
Mayor Morley here entered into a lengthy explanation of what had been the start of the negotiations for the widening of the thoroughfare, and when he had concluded Ald. Bannerman asked if it was not possible for the city to give people street lines anyhow, on the assumption that the work would be done?

To this the mayor replied that the city solicitor advised that it would be unwise to do so until the property owners had been heard from. The whole thing was a "mix-up" and the council should make some effort to drive responsibility home.

Ald. Sargison thought that much of the trouble which had developed was due to the fact that people misunderstood the matter. He recalled that the mayor had termed the project one aimed to create a real estate boom. The problem of what to do now constituted one of the worst questions which any city council was ever confronted with.

Mayor Morley admitted that he had said the project was intended to create a real estate boom—but we are all booming real estate.

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