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Government Prepare to Stop Disturbances That Home Rule May Cause

London, May 26.—Dispatches from the north of Ireland indicate that the government preparations are well under way to meet any contingency that may arise during the next few days. The first battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry at Dundalk have received orders to be ready to go north this week. The first battalion Dorsetshire Regiment have returned from camp and are at Hollywood in readiness. Over 1,000 army policemen in mufti have entered Ulster, and the railway companies have been ordered to hold and retain a number of trains in case of trouble. Sunday the lord-lieutenant had a short interview with Premier Asquith.

Sir Edward Carson, who leaves for Ulster Friday night, says: "We are now practically in a position to make it impossible for the government to thrust us under the rule of the Dublin parliament. There may be further negotiations, but I cannot say."

FIRE AT SOUTH WELLINGTON.

Nanaimo, B. C., May 26.—Fire yesterday destroyed the tippie at the mines of the Pacific Coast Coal company at South Wellington, as well as two 30-ton cars, several small cars and a picking table. The damage is estimated roughly at \$25,000.

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HOME RULE BILL IS IN HOUSE OF LORDS

Commons Passes Measure by 77 Without Votes of O'Brienites

London, May 26.—By a vote of 351 to 274 a majority of 77, the House of Commons yesterday afternoon passed the Home Rule bill. The end of the hard-fought struggle came quite suddenly, the Unionists refusing to debate the bill without further information as to the government's intentions in regard to the proposed amending measure.

Premier Asquith lifted a corner of the veil, but though Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the opposition, admitted that the premier's words were conciliatory, he hastened to add that Mr. Asquith had not told them anything. To discuss the third reading under the circumstances would, he said, be futile and ridiculous. He added:

"Let the curtain ring down on this contemptible farce. It is only the end of an act and not of the play. The government can carry the bill through parliament, but the concluding act of the drama will be in the country, where an appeal to the people will not end in a farce."

Mr. Law then remarked that when the government was unable to obtain a seat in parliament for a member of the cabinet, meaning Rt. Hon. C. F. G. Masterman, an appeal to the country evidently was not far off.

The Home Rule bill was subsequently sent up to the House of Lords. It was accompanied by a group of jubilant Nationalists, who escorted the official bearer of the bill and sang "God Save Ireland."

The House of Lords afterward formally read the bill a first time. The debate on the measure in that chamber will begin in the middle of June, after the Whitsuntide holidays.

In a brief speech Premier Asquith defended the government against the charge of ignoring the rights of the minority, and explained that he was introducing an amending bill, not because he thought that the Irish Home Rule measure was bad or imperfect, but because he was anxious for peace.

The vote was then taken, and the announcement of the figures brought out a great demonstration by the Nationalists and the Liberals. As one group roared their cheers, the other waved their hats. The division was on party lines. The followers of Wm. O'Brien abstained from voting, Mr. O'Brien explaining their view that the premier's action was not straight dealing with either England or Ireland.

The house was seething with excitement from the moment the speaker took the chair. Members of the various parties indulged in loud outbursts of cheering when their respective leaders entered the chamber, while at the same time mocking banter was shouted from the opposition benches.

Mr. Ganszoni, the Unionist who on Saturday defeated Mr. Masterman, chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, in the by-election at Ipswich, met with such an uproarious welcome on his introduction that he appeared glad to escape from the limelight.

In a statement regarding the new amending bill Mr. Redmond says: "If the bill contains terms of agreement whereby some of our fellow-countrymen in the north, who are today dissatisfied and nervous about the future, may be conciliated, and does not outrage the fundamental principles of the Home Rule settlement, I am convinced that every Nationalist in Ireland will rejoice. If it does not contain any agreement, I can see no prospect of its becoming law. In any case, falling an agreement, the Irish party have made it clear that their hands are quite free to deal with any proposals that may be made."

"The great thing for us to remember," he added, "is that amending bill or no amending bill, the Home Rule bill is now practically an act of parliament."

The Home Rule bill contains the following provisions for the government of Ireland:

A senate of 40 members, a house of commons of 164 members.

The Irish parliament cannot legislate on peace or war, navy, army or any naval or military force, foreign relations, trade outside of Ireland, coinage or legal tender.

It cannot make any law, either directly or indirectly, to establish or endow any religion or prohibit the free exercise thereof, or give preference, privilege or advantage, or impose any disability or disadvantage on account of religious belief or religious or ecclesiastical statute or make any religious belief or religious ceremony a condition of the validity of any marriage.

Temporary restrictions are placed on legislation on land purchase, old age pensions, national insurance, labor exchange, Royal Irish constabulary, postoffice and other savings banks and friendly societies. The executive remains vested in the sovereign or in his representatives.

Forty-two members still will be sent from Ireland to the House of Commons.

The judicial committee of the privy council to give the final decision as to the constitutional stability of any act passed by the Irish parliament.

The Irish exchequer is to defray the rest of the Irish administration except for reserved services mentioned in the above. The imperial exchequer to pay an annual sum to the Irish exchequer, starting at £2,500,000, and eventually after six years becoming a permanent payment of £1,000,000 annually.

All experience hath shown that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed.—Jefferson.

IMPERIAL UNITY IS SUBJECT OF PRINCE

Royal Colonial Institute Hears Sentiments of Governor-General's Son

London, May 26.—A distinguished company, including Prince Arthur of Connaught and Prince Alexander of Teck, the governor-general-designate of Canada, and representatives from every corner of the empire, gathered last night at the annual dinner of the Royal Colonial Institute. The chair was taken by Prince Arthur, who, in his opening remarks, congratulated the institute on securing an excellent president in the person of Earl Grey, who seemed to be par excellence the right man in the right place.

His royal highness having made a reference to the visits he had made to the overseas dominions, went on to speak of imperial unity. It was not for him to say, he said, whether imperial unity was to be brought about by means of preferential trade or by means of common duties and responsibilities as proposed by some, but he ventured the hope that some scheme might be evolved which would be beneficial to the home country and the dependencies of the British crown. Until that idea was realized, he said, "we are right in fostering the sentimental idea by which all have a share in that greatly prized possession, British citizenship, and are the co-heirs in the glorious history under the same flag."

The question of imperial federation was fraught, he said, with stupendous difficulties, but the possibilities of a strong, united empire were so obviously to the advantage of both this country and the dominions that he trusted we might live to see the day when the British empire will not only be splashed of red on the map, but a real union of hearts, brains and common interests for the solving of all great questions of peace and war, which affect the empire's destinies.

Sympathy and co-operation will do much to bridge the difficulties which remain to be solved, he concluded.

TO DRILL FOR PLATINUM ON BEAR CREEK IN JUNE

Vancouver, May 26.—Persons interested in the Tulameen Creek district and who for years have held placer leases in hopes that some day a company strong enough would undertake to thoroughly prospect the ground, were advised on Saturday that the B. C. Platinum, Ltd., a company backed by English capital, would start operations in June.

The company has taken over four leases on Tulameen Creek, and 316 acres of crown granted land known as the Rabbit Ranch. The leases obtained and on which drills are to be used are situated on Two Above and Two Below Bear Creek.

ALBANIAN DISPUTE IS ON FOR EUROPE

Rome, May 26.—Intervention in Albania by the European powers has been under discussion by the Italian government on the same basis as intervention in China at the time of the Boxer uprising.

Italy has always opposed the idea of intervention in Albania being limited to Austria and Italy, and the Triple Entente, comprising Great Britain, France and Russia, was opposed to intervention by the whole of Europe. Russia has taken the Italian view and the opinion is held here in official quarters that possibly Great Britain and France may acquiesce.

SIXTY THOUSAND LOSS THROUGH FIRE ROCKET

Ottawa, May 26.—The shooting of a fireworks rocket into the lumber yards of J. & C. Low last night was the cause of a \$60,000 fire. The blaze spread to the adjoining yards of Barrett Brothers, whose loss was \$20,000, while Low suffered \$40,000. Barrett Brothers are fully covered by insurance, while Low Brothers have only \$5,000 insurance.

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Trinidad, Colo., May 26.—A campaign to carry on more vigorously the coal strike in Colorado has been decided on by the international leaders of the United Mine Workers of America, according to Organizer William Diamond, who returned to-day from Fort Smith, Ark., where he conferred with the president, John P. White.

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Peace Conference Has Not Brought Much Spending Money to Canadian Side

(Special to The Times, by a Staff Reporter.)

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 21.—The town of Niagara Falls is sore because a peace conference is not a better commercial proposition than this one promises to be.

A sense of disappointment, not to say of resentment, broods over the summer landscape. The daffodils nod their heads in Queen Victoria Park, and the tulips hang out their flaming signals, but nobody seems to flag an extra dollar.

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MISSING CREW THAT SIGNED ON LIGHTSHIP

Hallfax, N. S., May 25.—A special cable from Glasgow, Scotland, says there were fourteen men on lightship No. 19 when this ill-fated craft left the Clyde for Nova Scotia on April 24.

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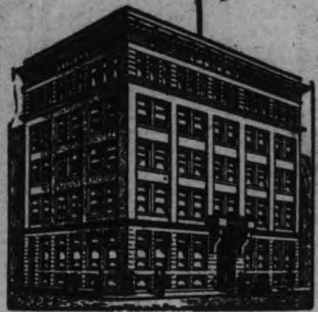
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BRITISH POLITICAL SITUATION.

The Irish Home Rule Bill having passed the House of Commons, and the Lords having it under consideration, the question arises, what will their lordships do with the bill? Not that there is much doubt about the matter...

Nor will the action of the lords prevent the passage of a home rule bill. The Asquith government may go down to defeat before the measure now under consideration becomes effective...

STILL SAVING IT.

An opposition member at Ottawa said it was the influence of Z. A. Lash which made Hon. W. T. White Minister of Finance. Nobody gasped with amazement when that remark was uttered...

Three years ago Mr. White, a trust company magnate, Mr. Lash, the law plot of the Canadian Northern, and sundry other gentlemen of high finance, issued a manifesto against reciprocity with the United States on the ground that it would be detrimental to the welfare of the Canadian people...

Three months ago Mr. Lash and Mr. White again counselled together. Their manifesto again dealt with the salvation of the country—not from the orotund Taff, but from financial chaos. Unless Canada supplemented her gift of \$20,000,000 last year with a bond guarantee of \$45,000,000 her credit would be ruined, she would tumble into the demitison bow-wows...

ogre of financial chaos, so Messrs. White and Lash have devised another way out.

A year or so hence Mr. White and Mr. Lash again will meet in conclave. The country will be on the verge of another terror. The Canadian Northern will require more money for betterments and an improved standard. Until these are provided how can the road be expected to compete with the other transcontinental roads? Besides, the bondholders will be clamoring for their interest. Another guarantee of twenty or thirty million dollars will be in order. Come to think of it, that voyage of Mr. White in the same lifeboat with Mr. Lash and the sixteen other gentlemen of high finance three years ago has cost this country a pretty sum, one way or another. Every time they hold an old boys' reunion Canada has to meet a stiff bill.

IS THIS JUSTIFIED?

"The British people, waxing fat and ever more prosperous, are concerned with sport, with pleasure, idle gossip, women's gawgaws, barbaric head-dresses and shimmering silks, silk skirts and pumonia; but they find commerce dull."

The above is an indictment drawn by a writer in the International Review. If it had appeared in the National it hardly would have been considered worthy of comment. But if commerce is dull, commercial men appear to find it prosperous, which after all is the essential thing in business. We are quite sure, again, that what with Bonar Law, Sir Edward Carson, Lord Hugh Cecil and Lord Willoughby de Broke and the Die-Hards generally, politics is not dull—quite the contrast, as Mrs. Malaprop probably would say if she had any opinion on the subject. And, according to the chief figure in the leadership of the Die-Hards, the liveliest times of all are yet to come. A political army, which is militant in mood and carries weapons of carnage, has been organized in Ulster, and Sir Edward Carson says it will fight. So that it cannot be true, literally, that the allegations contained in the paragraph at the beginning of this article are justified. Besides, what about the Suffragettes? There is an element in British life that surely is not interested to the exclusion of everything else in pleasure, idle gossip, women's gawgaws, barbaric head-dresses, shimmering silks and split skirts. They appear to be in deadly earnest, as they have passed from a condition which was satisfied with interrupting public meetings, burning buildings, committing offences against golf links and destroying works of art to demanding the life of the King. If there ever was a time when things were lively in a land whose characteristic used to be that it went decorously yet determinedly about its business that time is the present. We cannot understand, at a distance, where there is any justification for such criticism.

WHY IT IS WANTED.

An account of an interview published in the current issue of the Saturday Evening Post quotes President Wilson as saying: "My ideal is an orderly and righteous government in Mexico; but my passion is for the submerged eighty-five per cent. of the people of that republic who now are struggling toward liberty." He further points to the curious fact that every demand for the establishment of order in Mexico takes into consideration not order for the benefit of the people of the country, the great mass of the population, but order to enable those who have exploited it for their own purposes to continue to do so undisturbed by the protests of the population from whom their wealth and power have been obtained.

This is quite true. The real pretext in the demand for intervention in Mexico is that large vested interests are suffering. Oil, mineral, land and timber concessions are lying idle and it is urged that there should be outside interference, war, if necessary, in order that these may be operated profitably by those who hold them. If it were not for the billion odd dollars invested in the country we would hear little of the necessity of intervention. It was a very still small voice that cried for intervention in the horrible Balkan struggle, a conflict in which more people were killed in one battle than in all the revolutions in Mexico in the last fifty years. The reason for the comparative indifference about the Balkans was that there were no profits or dividends to be extracted from the rocks and crags. Practically all of the advocates of armed intervention in Mexico bewail the absence of L. Diaz. Oh, for a few years of old Porfirio Diaz, those blissful years when resources of the country were handed over to European and American syndicates in return for funds which kept the army loyal and enabled the dictatorial to crush with iron-handed cruelty every protest of the people whose resources were being despoiled! President Wilson is determined that if events force the intervention of his country in Mexico it will not be for the purpose of pulling the chestnuts of concession grabbers out of the fire, but to give the Mexican people something they never have had—a chance to develop themselves.

In a world in which the strong countries invariably have exploited the weak, this sort of foreign policy is regarded superciliously, but history has shown in the few instances in which it has been tried that it is the only policy which succeeds in the long run.

BRITAIN'S DEBT.

Great Britain's national debt stands at \$707,654,114, which is lower than it has been at any time since 1899 when it was \$625,393,734. It reached high water mark in 1903, immediately after the Boer war, when it stood at \$788,849,190. When the Asquith administration assumed office it was \$788,990,187. Thus the present government has reduced the nation's indebtedness by more than \$80,000,000 in the last eight years, besides expending a vast sum in pursuance of domestic reform legislation.

Practically all of Great Britain's national debt has been contracted on account of wars, getting a long start in William III's costly operations against Louis XIV. When European coalitions were formed to combat the designs of ambitious despots upon the balance of the power, it usually fell to Britain to foot the bill. It was her money more than any other factor which brought Napoleon to ruin. Without it the formidable coalition which sent the French emperor first to Elba and then to St. Helena never would have recovered from the shattering blow he inflicted upon it at Austerlitz—a blow that killed Pitt, the father of the combination.

The Boer war added \$163,000,000 to the national debt, though the South African struggle, in fact, cost considerably more than that amount. In this connection it is of interest to recall that when Paul Kruger, at the commencement of the war, declared that Britain would win only at a cost that would "stagger humanity," the world sceptically wagged its head. The results, however, amply confirmed the prediction.

Unexpected and surprising developments followed that war. The sentiment of the electorate, who in its early stages violently resented any criticism at home of the Chamberlain policy, veered completely around. One of the bitterest critics of the war had been Lloyd George, who on one occasion escaped the wrath of a mob only by disguising himself in a policeman's uniform. The London Chronicle and Manchester Guardian were stoned and their editors assailed in the streets. Yet in a few years Lloyd George became the idol of the masses, his association with the Liberal party contributing largely to its success in three elections. The London Chronicle now enjoys one of the largest circulations among the newspapers of London, while the Manchester Guardian admittedly exercises more influence upon the political sentiment of the north of England than any other publication.

Table showing the variations of Great Britain debt since 1875. Columns include Year and Debt Amount.

In the parliamentary records is a letter from Lord Mount Stephen, then Sir George Stephen, in which he said: "I regret that we (the C. P. R.) have not been able to sell our stock, although its dividends have been guaranteed by the parliament of Canada for a term of years, but in the city of Montreal the directors of this company have put up their personal securities in order that the enterprise may be continued." Sir William Mackenzie and Sir Donald Mann have not put up one cent of their personal securities valued at many millions, in order that their enterprise might be continued. Not only that, but several of the most profitable subsidiary concerns of the Canadian Northern, controlled of course by Mackenzie & Mann, have not been included in the agreement now before parliament.

Grave frauds are reported in recent New South Wales elections. In that state a candidate for the legislature must receive a majority of the ballots cast in order to secure election. Consequently in many cases second ballots must be taken. In the late election the first day's polling furnished a clear indication of the names of voters who were absent. When the second ballots were taken nearly all the absentees came to life and cast their ballots. Whereat there is a terrible scandal. We hope this paragraph may escape the attention of that extremely diligent and resourceful agent of the McBride government, Mr. W. H. Price, because it indicates that he yet has something to learn about the manipulation of elections.

Hon. George E. Foster's speeches have been published in book form in England. Among the ablest and most eloquent of these was the minister's effort in the Canadian House of Com-

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mons in March, 1909, in which he advocated the organization of a Canadian navy and ridiculed the suggestion of a cash contribution to the admiralty. The next year, veering around with his party, he delivered another speech, in which he opposed a Canadian navy and advocated a contribution. If both speeches are published in the same book the exhibition of political somersaulting will be an eye-opener to the British reader.

According to gardeners, amateur and professional, we have many objectional, pestiferous and destructive bugs in British Columbia—insects that make the life of the horticulturist a burden. These insects appear to be constantly adding to their number. Now the department of agriculture warns us against another. He is the Chinch bug, and to his discredit there is an item of three hundred and fifty million dollars, representing the damage he has done in sixty years. Although we cannot help thinking this is only an estimate, yet we hope that Chinch may not consider British Columbia worth invading. Still we are beginning to realize that there are attractions here which draw all kinds of immigrants to our shores.

Bonds for the Canadian Northern Pacific railroad have been sold on the basis of an agreement between the company and the province regarding the control of rates. That agreement is being invaded by the guarantee bill introduced at Ottawa. Is Sir Richard McBride's administration so bound to the wheels of the Mackenzie & Mann chariot that it dare not champion the interests of the province? Talk about provincial rights and Ottawa domination! Here is a convenient entered into by the province with bond-holders deliberately waved aside by the federal authority and as far as we know not a protest has been uttered by the men who have the honor of British Columbia in their keeping.

One of these days the militants will touch the mob on its tenderest spot and there will be such an upheaval, that no public man will dare to whisper political equality for a generation. The outrages these lunatics are perpetrating are making it impossible for any political party to take up the cause of women suffrage without risking annihilation. The militants profess to scorn man-made laws. But there is another law they might find more difficult to ignore, a mob-made law, in which not only men but infuriated women will have a hand.

Becker, the former New York policeman, for the second time has been convicted of the murder of Rosenthal, the gambler. Had he been tried before the jury which sat upon a particularly harrowing case in Vancouver the other day he probably would have got off.

OVER THE ROOFS. Sara Teasdale. I said, "I have shut my heart, As one shuts an open door, That Love may starve therein And trouble me no more."

But over the roofs there came The wet, new wind of May, And a tune blew up from the curb Where the street-pianos play.

My room was white with the sun And Love cried out in me, "I am strong, I will break your heart Unless you set me free."

THE POOR CONSUMER.

In the packing industry extraordinary efficiency has been shown in Canada and in the United States. Parts of the animal that used to be thrown away or sold for a trifle now command a good price as articles of food, or are manufactured in other forms. But the consumer has received no benefit. He finds meat growing dearer and dearer, and the so-called strioan used to cost in the old days.

NOT WORRIED ABOUT IRELAND.

The London Economist makes the significant comment that during the recent talk of civil war in Ireland there has been a steady rise in all Irish securities, and that during the past three weeks the stocks of banks and railways, including securities, showed utmost firmness. It adds that there is not a sign in Belfast of investors who want to exchange local holdings for safer investments abroad.

A ZOOLOGICAL BREAK. Birmingham Age-Herald. Teacher—Tommy, what is a boomerang? Tommy—I can't describe it exactly, but I know it has a short tail and can climb trees.

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Gibson's Photographic Studio, top floor, Central building, will be open all day Monday to accommodate those wishing to have their photographs taken on that day.

Takes Office on July 2.—According to advices from the post office department at Ottawa, received at the post office here, H. F. Bishop, who was recently appointed to follow Noah Shakespeare as soon as the latter's leave of absence is up, will take office on July 2.

Forestry Convention.—The province will be represented at Halifax next September at the annual convention of the Canadian Forestry association, this being the first meeting of the association so far east. A contribution of \$200 has been forwarded by the province towards the expenses of the convention.

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ANNUAL CHURCH PARADE

Sons of England and Orangemen Attend Services at Metropolitan Methodist Church.

The Sons of England held their annual church parade last Sunday, the Orangemen association also joining in the procession, which was led by the Orangemen's band.

Services were held in the Metropolitan Methodist church, a large number of the seats in which had been specially reserved for the occasion. Rev. Dr. Scott preached an eloquent sermon from the text, "Righteousness exalteth a nation," while fitting hymns were selected and sung with hearty union by all present.

The occasion was particularly noted owing to the initial appearance of the Orangemen's band, which had never before been heard in public and which gave a most creditable showing. The pipe and drum band was also in attendance, and added to the dignity and martial aspect of the procession. The procession started from A. O. E. hall, Broad street, and marched to the church via Yates and Quadra streets, on its return taking the route along Quadra, Fort, Government and Cormorant streets to Broad street.

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Photos of 25th on view at Allen's clothing store, Broad and Yates St.

Festival of Art.—Tickets for the Festival of Art may be procured from Rutherford Blakie, secretary of the Island Arts and Crafts club, or from any member of the committee. These may be exchanged for reserved seats at the theatre until June 2. Seats should be secured early, as already a large number of tickets have been disposed of.

Fishing Lodge Destroyed.—Tramps, careless of other people's property, are believed to have been the cause of the destruction by fire of the fishing lodge at Shawanigan lake owned by W. H. Munie, president of the Shawanigan Lake Lumber company. The fire occurred early on Sunday morning, and completely demolished the two-roomed lodge and its contents.

Building Permits.—The building inspector has issued permits for new structures to the following residents: H. E. Munday, for a residence on Joan Crescent, Craigdarroch, of a story and a half and basement, to cost \$6,000; to O. Pomerville, for a residence on Joseph street, of two stories and basement, eight rooms, to cost \$2,500; and for garages to H. W. R. Moore, St. Charles street, and Thomas Bamford, Government street.

Credit Men Elected Officers.—At the convention of the British Columbia division of the Credit Men's Association of Canada, B. P. Schwengers, of E. G. Prior & Co., was elected as a director, to represent the members on Vancouver Island on the directors. The executive officers of the association are Frank Parsons, of Wood, Vallance & Leggat, Ltd., Vancouver, president, and Thomas Wilson, of McLennan, McFeely & Co., Vancouver, as vice-president.

St. Louis College Jubilee.—St. Louis college, Pandora avenue, will celebrate its golden jubilee this year. The college was established by the Oblate Fathers, and later passed into the hands of the bishop when the Oblates removed to the mainland. The Irish Christian Brothers, an educational order, it is expected will take over the school at the close of the summer holidays. Among the teachers at the college during the past year was Rev. Father Laterne, the vicar-general of the diocese of Victoria.

Centennial Epworth League.—At the last meeting of the Centennial Epworth League, held under the auspices of the literary and social committee, J. Paterson read a very interesting account of the life of Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess who died last year in Vancouver. During the evening Miss Griffin recited "The Song of My Paddle," one of the best known of Miss Johnson's poems, the elocutionist wearing Indian costume. Refreshments were served at the close of the programme, and during the business part of the proceedings Miss P. Cramer was elected delegate to the Christian Endeavor convention to be held in New Westminster.

Irrigation Projects.—An inspection trip is being made through the Okanagan district by W. Young, controller of the water rights branch of the lands department. He is consulting with owners in the district who want to have an irrigation district formed under the act of last session. Mr. Young will make estimates for them of the cost of bringing water to the point where they want to use it in the Mission Hill settlement, either by way of a canal connection across the valley from the Grey canal or by a pumping system direct from Okanagan lake.

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FESTIVAL OF ART

Interesting Pictures in Victorian Period to be Posed at Event Next Week.

"The Redemption of Tannhauser," by Frank Dicksee, will be the principal picture of Part IV. of the Victorian school, in the forthcoming festival of art to be held next week under the auspices of the Arts and Crafts school. Tannhauser, according to the story, a minstrel of note who has won many prizes for his wondrous songs, hears of the enchanted underground palace of Venus, and seeks and finds it. Forgetting Elizabeth, whom he once loved, he spends a year with the goddess, finally, however, breaking free and returning. Wolfram, his friend, has long loved Elizabeth, but in his unselfish devotion would rather see her happy with even a rival, and he therefore persuades Tannhauser to go to her. On learning where he has been, his friends all urge him to make a pilgrimage to Rome to beg forgiveness, and, barefoot, repentant, he sets forth. The pope, however, shrinks from him, and declares that Tannhauser will never behold salvation or find forgiveness for his sins. Tannhauser, not daring to return to Elizabeth, goes back to Venus. There he is aroused by the distant sounds of a funeral chant, and a long procession winds down the hill, carrying on a bier the body of Elizabeth.

Wolfram tells Tannhauser how the last prayer of the maiden was an intercession for him, and kneeling by her bier he begs forgiveness. A miracle happens; the pope's messenger arrives bearing the withered staff which has miraculously budded and put forth leaves, showing that Tannhauser is forgiven.

The picture by Dicksee represents the funeral procession and the arrival of the pope's messenger with his message of forgiveness for the dying Tannhauser, Venus, thwarted, being shown in a mist retreating.

Mrs. Hermann Robertson is impersonating Elizabeth in the picture. "Hope," by Watte, is another of this group. Hope, alone, blindfold, unable to see the guiding star above her, is striving to make the best she can of her broken lute. Though but one string remains she is determined to bring forth some sort of music. The picture has grandeur and dignity and purposefulness in execution and subject. Miss Street is to pose for this picture.

A third picture of this group is Lord Leighton's "Wedded," which is to be shown by Mr. and Mrs. Galligher.

ORGAN RECITAL

Interesting Numbers for Musical Event at St. John's Church To-morrow Evening.

The programme for the organ recital to be given at St. John's church to-morrow evening is as follows: Organ—Fugue in D Major. Guilmant Organ—Thema. Schubert Choir—"O Worship the King".... Croft-Maunder Organ—"In Springtime".... Hollins Vocal—"Hear Ye Israel" (Elijah).... Mendelssohn Mrs. Macdonald Fahy. Organ—Melody for Cello.... Burnett Choir—"O Paradise".... Burnett Organ—Vorspiel Lohengrin.... Wagner Vocal: (a) "Jerusalem, Thou That Kill'st".... Mendelssohn (b) "How Beautiful Are the Feet".... Handel Mrs. Macdonald Fahy. Organ—March Pomp and Circumstance.... Elgar Vocal—"The Lost Chord" (by request).... Sullivan Mrs. Macdonald Fahy. G. Jennings Burnett will be at the organ. The Wagner and Elgar selections are being repeated by request.

LIVED AT GRAND FORKS.

Mrs. Laura Louise Chappie, Who Died Yesterday, Was Well Known Member of Maccabees.

The death occurred yesterday at the family residence, 312 Arnold avenue, of Mrs. Laura Louise Chappie, formerly of Grand Forks, where her husband was a prominent business man, and for the past two years, a resident of Victoria. At Grand Forks, where she had lived for more than twenty years, and where her husband, as one of the pioneers of the district, was well known, she had taken an active interest in the social and club life of the growing community, and gave much of her time to the Maccabees lodge, of which she was a member there. Long before she came to this city to live she was well known to many people here as delegate from the interior to the annual convention of the Maccabees lodge, and was at the time of her death a member of Victoria Hive No. 1 of that order, and with Colfax Rebekah lodge, No. 1, I. O. F., and Island Temple, No. 8, Plymouth Sisters. She is survived by her husband, three sons and two daughters, and her parents, who live in Spokane, Wash.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 from the late residence, Arnold avenue, and will be



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PACKED HOUSES THE RULE. The games were enjoyed to the full by the little players themselves as well as proving well worth looking at. A couple of folk dances were given, an old English Morris dance by the girls and a Swedish dance by the boys, combining so much grace and beauty of motion that one could wish these were more frequently in use by old and young.

NOVEL VAUDEVILLE ACT. De Coursey Bros, appearing at the Variety theatre the first part of this week exhibited to packed houses yesterday afternoon and evening. Their act consists of various poses and stately work, and is wonderfully well executed. Both these performers are exceptionally well built men and the graceful positions they assume under the spotlight are well worth witnessing. Taken all in all, this act is one of the best seen in this city for some time. They will be seen at this theatre again to-day and to-morrow, and all who have not already seen them should avail themselves of the opportunity before it is too late.

CHILDREN AT PLAY Beacon Hill Playgrounds the Scene of Pleasant Little Entertainment on Saturday Afternoon.

On Saturday afternoon an interesting feature of the Victoria Day celebration attracted a great number of people to the city playgrounds at Beacon Hill park, where the children of the schools in that part of the city—South Park, Kingston Street and Moss Street—gave an entertainment of games and dancing that proved to be very pleasant to watch. George Jay, chairman of the school board, and other members of the board were present.

Under the direction of Miss Ruth Jarvis and R. E. Crompton, respectively, the girls and boys went through a programme which well exemplified the value of supervision of the children in their play by capable supervisors, when, as in the case at both the city playgrounds in Victoria, the supervision is exercised with discretion and the children are allowed to develop naturally in their play. The games were enjoyed to the full by the little players themselves as well as proving well worth looking at. A couple of folk dances were given, an old English Morris dance by the girls and a Swedish dance by the boys, combining so much grace and beauty of motion that one could wish these were more frequently in use by old and young.

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OPERATING RAILWAY WITHOUT A CHARTER GREAT FLOW OF OIL STRUCK IN WELL NEAR CALGARY

Line From Cumberland to Union Bay Carries Passengers; Evidence in Court Strike of High-Grade Oil Said to Be Unprecedented in History

A sidelight on Mackenzie & Mann's method of railroad financing was given in supreme court in the action in which George William Cook, a brakeman, was awarded \$1,500 damages by Mr. Justice Clement against the Canadian Collieries (Dunsmuir), Limited, for the loss of his hand in a link and pin coupling on the line from Cumberland to Union Bay.

Under examination by his own counsel, H. A. Maclean, K. C., Mr. Compton stated that the railway was operated as a part of the mines and not by a separate company. The company was not a railway company, but a coal company and the train was used for carrying coal from the mines, but it also did some passenger carrying.

Mr. Leighton took up the cross-examination at this point and elicited the fact that the line crossed government roads in three or four places, but the witness could not say whether or not authority had been given to do this.

Referring to his reports to the government, Mr. Compton said he made reports to both Dominion and provincial governments, in which he explained that the railway was operated without a charter. Nevertheless the line carried passengers and issued tickets with the name of the Wellington Colliery company upon them.

Another railway company called the Wellington Colliery Railway company was then brought to light by Mr. Leighton as having been incorporated in 1911. This had no connection with the line about which the question was brought.

It was the opinion of the witness that the company which was incorporated in 1911 was not designed, however, to take over the line now in existence, the witness insisted. It was the only company in the string of companies, however, which had a railway operating rights in its charter.

The well will probably develop into a pumping proposition, although chances of a gusher reaching the city this morning when it was reported that the oil was shooting to a height of 60 feet, was caused by a rush of gas, according to a message received from the well to-night, and subsided a few moments after the occurrence.

The stock of the Calgary Petroleum Products Company advanced during the day from \$12.50 to \$200, and there was some of even much higher figures. The various oil companies of the city, who have to some extent been preaching to a doubting public for the last month, this morning were doing a roaring business, and in many places it was necessary to have police in front of the stores to keep the crowds from getting in. In one office the flow of real money was so fast that it was impossible to keep up with the orders. A paper basket was being used, into which bills and cheques were pouring as fast as they came.

Oil stock is taking leaps by the minute, and the scarcity of stock in the lucky company is only exceeded by the extreme excitement which prevails. In the brokers' offices this morning business was very slow. There is no selling, everybody was taking orders. The oil companies are the only people who are willing to sell. Private owners of mineral rights on land and also of stocks are holding on for dear life, and have not sufficiently recovered from the first surprise to figure out what they should ask for their rights. Everything relating to values is in confusion.

"Those Who Win" was the title of the lecture given in the evening before a much larger audience than had previously attended any of the lectures. In this address Dr. Culp reiterated the importance of concentration and relaxation. The three elements of successful education were self-control, self-assertion, and self-projection. Self-consciousness and self-determination, two peculiarly human possessions which more than anything else distinguished man from the lower animals, were developed and broadened by education.

A wife is not a chattel; she is not a glorified housekeeper; she is a comrade. Rev. C. H. Grundy.

Assignee's Sale

For sale, the Lease, Fixtures, Fittings, etc., of the Maryland Cafe, 125 Government street, Victoria. This is one of the best known Restaurants in the city, is well fitted with modern range and everything necessary for the immediate carrying on of a large business. Apply G. W. Anthony, accountant, 47 Jones Building, Victoria.

OIL PRICES LEAP TO WILDEST FIGURES IN CITY OF CALGARY

City Goes Oil Mad and Police Are Needed to Keep the Would-Be Investors in Order

EVERY ONE WANTS TO BUY, NO ONE TO SELL

Stock of Company Which Made Strike Advances From \$12.50 to \$200 and Still Soars

Calgary, May 15.—If there is a jubilant town on the map of North America to-night that town is Calgary. The strike of oil in the well of the Calgary Petroleum Products Co. is believed to be one of the most remarkable ever occurring on the continent. Over a signed statement O. G. Devenshild, president of the Calgary Industrial Bureau, credits the well with a product of from 150 to 200 barrels every twenty-four hours of oil that analyzes 62 Beaume gravity, the output being worth in the neighborhood of \$2,000 per day. In addition to the oil, the gas output is estimated at 2,000,000 cubic feet.

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SECOND STRIKE MADE YESTERDAY NEAR DINGMAN

CALGARY, May 19.—Another promising oil strike was made yesterday at the McDougall-Segur, when the baler brought up a substance that is black and greasy and is believed to be oil. It was encountered in the Dingman well about six weeks ago.

The McDougall-Segur is about 12 miles north and west of the Dingman well, and if it should be brought in it would determine the future of the district to which it was encountered in the Dingman well about six weeks ago.

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All Western Canada is in the throes of an intense excitement as a result of bringing in of oil. Fortunes are literally being made overnight. The value of stock shares is advancing by leaps and bounds. One stock has advanced from \$10 to \$125 per share. There is no quicker road to fortune than a producing oil well. The big fortunes of the world, the fortunes of men like Rockefeller, Cecil Rhodes and Andrew Carnegie and others were not made from what may be strictly described as investments. From 3 to 6 per cent per annum is not much good to a man or woman who only has \$50, \$100 or \$500 and a few dollars monthly out of his savings available for speculative investment purposes.

Rockefeller, Rhodes and other multi-millionaires made their fortunes from speculation, they increased their capital in many cases well over 2,000 per cent. Of course they took a risk. No one ever made 2,000 per cent without taking a risk, but the odds are stupendous. The oil king of America, the gold magnates of the Transvaal, the diamond millionaires of Kimberley—cannot control the forces of nature any more than you can, but where their great financiers differ from most people is that they deal in propositions that return many thousands per cent, where the ordinary individual is content with 6 per cent per annum. The proof of this fact is that if this was not the case no man could become a millionaire.

Oil of British Columbia. Nine years ago two men began prospecting for oil in the Kootenay District, in British Columbia. They have been on the job in the same field ever since. These men not only live in this great part of their lives, but also own fifty thousand dollars of hard earned money to bring about the conditions existing to-day. OIL DISCOVERED. These two men's efforts have been crowned with success. Oil in paying quantities was discovered. With a well only 80 feet deep these men have already produced sufficient oil to earn not less than \$60 a day. On this property—now proved—there is room for hundreds of wells. All these can be drilled at slight cost.

HOLDINGS. These men's holdings consist of 2,500 acres. The lease from the government was issued only after the government was satisfied that the oil was in commercial quantities. The one well already driven to the sand is sufficient proof of the property's value. A neighboring company, some five miles away, also drilled a well and proved oil, proving on a large proportion of these men's territory. The strong endorsements of this district in themselves should be sufficient to convince the most skeptical. Dr. G. M. Dawson, the famous geologist of the Canadian Geological Survey, says the following (page 28a, Vol. 11, 1890): "The indications certainly seem to be sufficiently promising to warrant some outlay in development work."

The Provincial Mineralogist, of the province of British Columbia, in his report for 1910, says, in connection with an inspection of the seepages on Sage Creek: "That there is a fair probability of there being underground this oil seepage a body of oil, because the overlying rocks are practically impervious, and the position in which they lie, an unbroken anticlinal fold, is such as would serve as a trap or reservoir in which it could be held under natural conditions for such an accumulation."

A. J. Robertson, B. C. L. S., says: "I accompanied the Provincial Mineralogist through the Pleasant Valley, and, though I am no geologist, I would look to the Sage Creek prospect as being one of the most promising areas in the Dominion as an oil field."

Mr. John Watt, who was retained by the Canadian Pacific Railway to secure some of the Flathead oil lands, says in a letter under date of April 20, 1907: "I saw the oil continually running from three different places. The formation of the country generally is composed of black shale, sandstone and soapstone, and, in my opinion, it

reached the \$4,500 mark. Ellis sold his seven shares for \$21,500. With what he had already received for the three shares, his total return on \$100 was \$36,125. You say these are exceptional cases. Well, how about this? "Formerly a brakeman, John C. Bunting, starting with an investment of \$175 in oil, is now an oil millionaire."—The California Magazine. Then how about the following:

- \$100 invested in the New York Oil Co. made... \$3,900.00
\$100 invested in the Standard Oil Co. made... \$2,700.00
\$100 invested in the San Joaquin Co. made... \$4,700.00
\$100 invested in the Pease Oil Co. made... \$2,250.00
\$100 invested in the Kern River Oil Co. made... \$9,500.00
\$100 invested in the Central Oil Co. made... \$16,000.00
\$100 invested in the Alameda Oil Co. made... \$20,000.00
\$100 invested in the Home Oil Co. made... \$40,000.00
\$100 will not buy much of a real estate lot, will it? Yet you see for yourself what profits can be made in oil. Forty-four California oil companies, whose stock is listed on the California Stock & Exchange, are a total of fifty-nine, paid Nineteen Million Dollars in dividends.

What the Press Says. "Oil, the millionaire maker."—London Times. "Oil production has come to be one of the biggest industries in modern times."—New York World. "Quicker returns from Indian investments is oil than from any other industry."—National Oil News. "WHAT THE BIG MEN SAY." "The foundation of wealth is the first \$100 invested."—J. P. Morgan. "At our self-made men began as small investors."—Charles M. Schwab. "Buy when the stock is first offered."—Chauncey M. Depew. "Don't delay, get in while you can."—John D. Rockefeller.

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DINGMAN WELL SPOUTS 90 FEET

Feverish Excitement and Trading Comes at Calgary on the Announcement That Oil Well Gushes Higher Than Ever.

Calgary, May 19.—The climax of a day of feverish excitement and trading came to-night when the Dingman well spouted fully 90 feet into the air, the phenomenon lasting for several minutes. The news was flashed from Dingman camp to the Morning Alberta and was immediately bulletined in the various newspaper offices and hotel lobbies. Fully 1,000 traders were crowded into the lobby of the King George hotel when the bulletin making this announcement was posted, and the turmoil that followed beggars description. Driller Brown also telephoned that after baling out for more than four hours there was no perceptible decrease in the height of the oil, which remained about 250 feet. A heavy flow of wet gas, which is blowing out particles of black oil, was struck to-day in the Mammoth well, 39 miles west of the Olds.

The United Oils closed its subscription in the face of a crowd to-night, a little more than the \$200,000 allotment of stock having been subscribed. Probably 500 disappointed people were turned away when the doors were closed. The Herron-Elder announces they will close their subscription to-morrow night.

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GUSHES ONCE A DAY Many Oil Companies Are Being Hastily Organized

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More than fifty new companies are said to be in process of organization. Half a dozen new oil camps have been started every day. The beautiful weather percentage offices are little more than a dead end on the sidewalk. (Vancouver Province, May 20).

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SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

UNIVERSITY INCOGS DEFEAT OAK BAY

Holiday Cricket Matches; S. Gillespie Scores 62 for Victoria Eleven

Several cricket matches were played on the local grounds yesterday. The University Incogs defeated the Oak Bay eleven by four wickets and 42 runs...

Table listing cricket scores for University Incogs vs Oak Bay, including batsmen like F. A. Sparks and bowlers like S. Gillespie.

The Union club, the former getting a nice 24. S. Gillespie also bowled effectively for the victors.

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SCORES AT WEEK-END AND HOLIDAY SHOTS

Fifth Regiment Men Do Good Work; Figures of Civilians

The shooting of the Fifth Regiment men at Clover Point at the week-end and holiday was of a higher order all round.

Table showing scores for the Fifth Regiment men in various classes.

Table showing scores for civilians in various classes.

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London Letter

Churchill's Great Speech.

BY ARTHUR SCAIFE, J. P.

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THOUSANDS JOINED IN CELEBRATING DAY

The Streets Were Alternately Thronged and Deserted as Attractions Ruled

Many years ago somebody pointed out there was a relation between the name of this city and the name of the holiday which falls on May 24 and Victoria—straightway adopted the festival as its own. Not only that but it convinced all the surrounding communities that the holiday must have been named after this city, and on Saturday afternoon, all day Sunday, and Monday morning boats, trains, motors, trams, cycles and "Shank's mare" conveyed thousands of visitors into the city where Victoria Day is really celebrated.

means of entertainment and so few people to be seen down town. Of course this description applies only to the afternoon. During the forenoon the highways were jammed with merry-makers intent upon watching the parade. About one o'clock when there was a re-deal the streets were again thronged with people hastening from place to place and around dinner time a third redistribution occurred to create a scene of hurry and bustle.



When Tea and Coffee Get You—

The experience will be like that of thousands who have ignored the fact that they contain a habit-forming drug, caffeine—from 1 1/2 to 3 grains to the ordinary cup.

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PARADE WAS NOTABLE FEATURE OF HOLIDAY

Decorated Motor Cars Numerous; Artistic Tastes Displayed; Prize List

Threatening skies did not damp the ardor of the participants in the great parade yesterday morning, nor did it diminish the crowds which gathered along the route of procession and at Beacon Hill park to see it.

This feature of the celebration was in every way a worthy commencement to the day, and it was started sharp to time. There were no delays in the judging when the long line of vehicles and equestrians reached the open space at the end of Douglas street, and this was through considerably before noon.

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HALF-HOLIDAY BY-LAW COMES UP TO-NIGHT

City Solicitor Expected to Advise Council It Has Power; Other Items

The chief item of business for this evening's meeting of the city council will be the half-holiday by-law, which Ald. Fullerton had ready for introduction a week ago, but which has been held up pending a report from the city solicitor for the merchants that the city is exceeding its powers.

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Best decorated motor car—1, Miss Sweeney; 2, Mrs. J. C. Newbury; 3, Mrs. Roy Troup; 4, Mrs. E. Maynard; special prize, R. H. Duce.

Best decorated motor business truck—1, F. R. Stewart & Co.; 2, Vancouver Milling company.

Best gentleman's saddle horse—1, E. Henderson.

Best lady's saddle horse—1, E. Henderson's horse, ridden by Miss Oilphant; 2, Miss C. Macdowell.

Best single roadster, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle and judged as roadsters—1, Dixi H. Ross; 2, L. L. Guphill.

Best pair of roadsters, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle and judged as roadsters—1, Cameron & Calwell; 2, R. Sylvester.

Best horse roadster, entire, in harness, to be shown in a four-wheeled vehicle—1, C. L. McIlmoy.

Best single carriage horse, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle—1, Mrs. Henderson.

Best pair of carriage horses, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle—1, C. W. McAllister; 2, Victoria Transfer company.

Victoria maintenance department; condition of horse, 50 per cent; appointments, 50 per cent—1, C. Ingram; 2, J. Ingram; 3, A. Crawford; 4, C. Darr.

Best four-horse team, heavy draft—1, James Turner; 2, H. Reid.

Best pair of draft horses, to be shown to gravel or sand wagon—1, C. G. Coldwell; 2, G. Stewart; 3, J. Rowat.

Best pair of draft horses, to be shown to a truck or other appropriate vehicle—1, Pacific Transfer company; 2, J. Turner; 3, Victoria Transfer.

Best pair of horses in light delivery truck or wagon, as actually used in local delivery—1, Royal Dairy; 2, H. O. Kirkham; 3, West End Grocery.

Best horse in harness as actually used in grocery delivery—1, Dixi Ross & Co.; 2, Dixi Ross & Co.

Best horse in harness as actually used in butcher delivery—1, P. Burns & Co.; 2, H. Stanley.

Best horse in harness as actually used in bakery delivery—1, Rennie & Taylor; 2, D. W. Hanbury.

Best horse in harness as actually used in laundry delivery—1, Standard Laundry; 2, New Method Laundry.

Best horse in harness as used in express delivery—1, Victoria Transfer Co.; 2, Brown & Shumway.

Best pair of ponies under 14.2 hands in harness—1, Parker.

Best float, any local industry—1, Carter & McKenzie; 2, Swift Canadian Co.; 3, A. J. Woodward; 4, J. McKay.

Best lady's representative costume in saddle; lady must be accompanied by gentleman rider—1, Mrs. Simons; 2, Mrs. Brock; 3, Miss Ridland.

Jumping class for ladies; best performance over 3 feet 6 inches timber and 6 inches brush, 3 jumps—1, Mrs. Denny; 2, Mrs. E. Henderson; 3, Mrs. Cox.

Jumping class for gentlemen; best performance over 3 feet 6 inches timber and 6 inches brush, 3 jumps—1, T. McEvoy; 2, E. Henderson.

Best float in parade—1, Ford Agency; 2, W. Neakles.

The winners of the prize for the best decorated car, which was a credit alike to the procession and to the artistic taste of Victoria, ascribed not a little to their success to the assistance of W. S. Terry, the well-known druggist, who loaned much of the material used.

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MANY ENJOY BAND MUSIC

Vancouver Salvation Army Band Play During Visit to Victoria; Large Crowds.

The Vancouver Salvation Army band, which spent the week-end here on the invitation of the local Salvation Army band, attracted unusually large crowds wherever it played during its visit here. To begin with the band provided a most enjoyable concert on the Princess Charlotte while coming across from the mainland, and

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On arrival here, where the men were met by local Salvation Army men, the visiting players immediately started out with their instruments and gave an hour's programme before sitting down to their belated luncheon at 4 o'clock.

On Saturday night they played at various points along the streets, Bandmaster S. Redburn conducting, the band of forty-five instruments providing a splendid concert, and hundreds following the musicians from corner to corner to listen to the music. On Sunday morning they were out at 10 o'clock, and gave a two hours' concert, followed by a short rest for luncheon, preparatory to their special concert at the Empress theatre at 3.30. Mr. Ritchie took the chair and introduced the visiting band, which provided a second indoor concert in the evening at the same place. Staff-Captain White on this occasion gave a short address, and the hall was packed to the doors.

Yesterday morning was spent in more leisurely style, the visitors being taken for a trolley ride round the city. At noon, however, they took

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Probably never in the history of the Victoria Day regatta have such dense crowds thronged the beautiful slopes of the Arm as gathered yesterday to enjoy the well-contested races in the various events set down for the afternoon's proceedings.

Right from noon the banks were well lined with holiday-makers, and the bridge was almost impassable, while there were more private launches, canoes and boats than ever before. There were, as usual, several diverting happenings to keep the crowd in good humor during the pauses between the races. On one occasion a part of a float gave way and three men gave an entirely impromptu swimming exhibition until their companions drew them out of the water. In another part of the Arm a boat having too many passengers slowly began to sink, to the consternation of the occupants, who, after a lively scramble, were rescued by other boats. In yet another place a man sitting on a steep part of the banks suddenly tobogganed down the slope clutching wildly at the air on

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work as referee, while D. O'Sullivan made a most efficient starter.
The following are the results of the various events in tabloid:
Single paddle canoe—1, W. N. Kennedy, V. A. A. A.; 2, V. C. Fawcett, V. A. A. A.
Handicap swimming, under 18—1, A. McKinnon, 10 secs. start; 2, R. Gray, 2 secs.
Indian war canoes, over 40 ft.—1, Quamichan; 2, Valdez; 3, Malahat.
Tandem canoe—1, Miss Jay and Mr. R. Ross; 2, Miss Heyland and Mr. W. N. Kennedy.
Single scull—1, A. Falconer; 2, Y. Bendrodt.
Swimming relay race—1, V. A. S. C.; 2, J. McNeil, W. Muir, L. Godfrey, G. Baines; 2, Y. M. C. A.; 3, J. B. A. A.
Five-oared whaler—Quadra, rowed over; time, 25 minutes.
Men's double paddle canoe—R. Ross and W. Kennedy; 2, A. Morley and R. Travis.
Crab canoe—1, R. Ross; 2, W. Kennedy.
Indian single paddle canoe—1, Felix Jack.
Gunwale canoe—1, Kennedy; 2, Morley; 3, Fawcett.
City championship swimming—1, L. K. Godfrey; 2, J. D. McNeill; 3, W. Barnes.
Indian war canoes, 40 ft.—1, Quamichan; 2, Valdez; 3, Malahat.
Four paddle canoes—1, Ross, Kennedy, Fawcett and Travis.
Hurry scurry—1, Ross; 2, Kennedy. Klotchman's working canoes—1, Quamichan; 2, Valdez; 3, Malahat. Evinrude—1, Miss C. Davis.
Indian double paddle—1, Marshall and partner.
Grassy pole—1, R. J. Johnson; 2, McKinnon; 3, Saunders.
The officials for the regatta were: Referee—Capt. Troup. Co-referee—A. J. Dallain. Starter—D. O'Sullivan.
Judges—Commander Hose, R.N., H. M. C. S. Rainbow; George Jay, H. Skuce, H. Bishop, Capt. G. E. N. Robertson, P. R. Pomret, P. W. Whitman. Clerks of course—A. I. Kirkpatrick, Ed. Logan, J. Y. Simpson.
Starter of swimming races—W. Long. Regatta committee—A. J. Dallain (chairman), W. H. Price, George Jay, Capt. Troup, Ed. Logan, A. I. Kirkpatrick, W. Long, H. Bishop, H. Skuce, R. Crompton, R. Ely, D. O'Sullivan, W. W. Muir, Aid. Bell, Aid. Fullerton, R. Ross, J. B. McCallum (secretary).

SUPERIOR STORM-BLOWN DAMAGE HALF MILLION

Superior, Wis., May 26.—One man was killed and more than half a million dollars damage done by a severe storm that swept this city and the surrounding country last night. The storm came up suddenly, razing small buildings, smashing windows, tearing down telegraph poles and wrecking church steeples. A bridge collapsed, Andrew Erickson, an operator on the bridge, going down with it.
Several men were injured when part of the roof at the Great Northern four dock was blown off.
The steamer Frank C. Ball was torn from the Superior dock and blown ashore on Minnatonka Point.
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