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HON. F. OLIVER REACHES DAWSON

TRAVELS THROUGH WILDS OF NORTH

Makes Long Journey From Ottawa to Capital of the Yukon, Via Edmonton

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Dawson, Y. T., July 20.—Hon. F. Oliver, Canadian minister of the interior, has reached Dawson on his eight-thousand mile tour of the wilds of northern Canada. Starting from Ottawa he went to Edmonton, thence down the Mackenzie river 1,300 miles to Fort MacPherson on the Arctic coast. He made a portage from Fort MacPherson, walking 30 miles over the tundra to the headwaters of the Porcupine river, where he went by canoe, 700 miles to Fort Yukon, where the Porcupine empties into the Yukon river. There he took a packet for Dawson.

MEXICO'S CELEBRATION.

Mexico City, July 20.—When Mexico's celebration of the centennial of her independence takes place in the fall, one of the features will be a series of 24 performances of grand opera, the casts to include many stars of international fame. The performances will be under the patronage of the federal government. Among those who will be heard will be Nordica, San Marco, Amata, Scotti and Furnaria.
 Max Rabinoff, of New York has been given \$50,000 by the government to remodel one of the large theatres for the performances.

SURGEONS FOR NAVY.

Ottawa, July 20.—The civil service commissioners are advertising for surgeons, three at first, for the Canadian navy. Surgeons will be entered for a period of three years, which may be extended to five years, at the end of which terms there will be gratuities of \$1,000 and \$1,200, according to length of service. Candidates must not be over 30 years of age, and must be graduates of a Canadian medical college of Canadian birth. Surgeons will rank with lieutenants, and pay for three years will be \$1 per day; after three years \$5 per day.

NEW COLLECTOR.

Washington, D. C., July 19.—It is learned that President Taft has decided to appoint Whitfield McKinley, a prominent colored man, collector of customs at Washington. The office is a remunerative one, paying \$4,500 a year. McKinley, it is said, received the backing of many leading colored men in different parts of the country.

WAR MINISTER ON UNITY OF EMPIRE

Hon. Mr. Haldane Deprecates Tariff Preference as a Dangerous Movement

London, July 20.—Speaking at the inauguration of a branch of the Free Trade Union, Hon. Mr. Haldane, secretary of state for war, deprecates tariff preference as perilous to the unity of the Empire. He believed that "we were only at the beginning of the unity of Empire. In such things as an Imperial general staff, now accomplished, an Imperial navy, Imperial conferences and all things that brought the dominions over the seas together, each preserving complete freedom, we had a medium of material within which the real unity of Empire would be achieved."

GOVERNOR ACCUSED OF CRIMINAL LIBEL

Indictment Follows Removal of State Officials—Trial Will Be Held in September

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Des Moines, Iowa, July 20.—Governor Carroll was today indicted on a charge of criminal libel by the Polk county grand jury. John Cowie, a Progressive, former chairman of the board of control of state institutions and prominent politician, was recently removed from office by the Governor, who charged Cowie with mismanagement and immorality. The indictment is based on these charges.
 Cowie, it was expected, would seek the Republican gubernatorial nomination this fall. He later abandoned the idea.
 Moses Cohen, attorney for Governor Carroll, furnished bonds for the chief executive. The trial will probably take place in September.

LANGUAGES IN SCHOOLS.

Johannesburg, July 20.—General Botha speaking at Standerton regarding General Hertzog's policy, which would make Dutch and English compulsory media of instruction in South Africa said he accepted the principle of the child's mother tongue as the medium of education. If the policy of the Union government be shaped in accordance with this statement the situation will be greatly relieved.

SHOT IN HOME BY BURGLAR

PRESIDENT OF RAILWAY COMPANY KILLED

Found Man Stealing Silverware and Receives Two Bullets During Struggle

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Chicago, July 20.—Police to-day are scouring the north shore suburbs and the negro quarters of Chicago for the burglar who to-day shot and instantly killed President I. G. Rawn of the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway—the Monon route—in his home in fashionable Winnetka. Posses scouring the suburbs have arrested a number of negro suspects. The police of Winnetka believe that the burglar was a negro and have asked the Chicago police to help them in their search.

Rawn was killed in the dining room of his home—early this morning—heard a noise, and going to the first floor of his residence to investigate, saw a burglar putting silverware into a bag. Rawn rushed at the negro and it is supposed that he stepped, the noise warning the burglar that someone was in the room. The two men grappled, it is believed from the sounds that aroused the other members of the household. The burglar shot Rawn twice. The two shots were distinctly heard by several members of the family.

Ralph Coburns, Rawn's son-in-law, was the first to reach the dining-room. He found Rawn on the floor with two wounds in his body. Rawn was unconscious and died before medical aid reached him. The murderer leaped through a window and fled.

A hasty investigation showed marks of a jimmy at a side door where the intruder in his flight left the sack in which he had intended to carry away the plunder. This is the only clue the police have.
 The Winnetka police say that the negroes in the suburb, one of the most fashionable of the north shore estates, have been insolent of late since the fourth of July prize fight at Reno and have insulted women on the streets. Many negroes have been arrested for petty burglaries, it is declared, and for this reason the officers are certain the intruder in the Rawn home was colored.

Members of the household are overcome by the tragic death of Rawn. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, but it is possible that Rawn will be buried Saturday. A coroner's investigation will be held to-day or to-morrow.
 Judge E. C. Field, vice-president of the Monon, will act as president of the railroad temporarily. The vacancy will be filled by the board of directors in the near future, it is announced.

AVIATOR MAY DIE.

Probably Fatally Injured When Engine of Airship Breaks Down.
 Rome, July 20.—Harmant, an aviator, is dying as a result of an accident to his airship to-day. Harmant was flying at a considerable altitude when the engine of his airship became disabled and he was hurled to the earth. Physicians say there is no chance for his recovery.

BLOCK IN RUINS.

Two Firemen Have Narrow Escape From Death While Fighting Flames.

North Yakima, July 20.—The block occupied by the McArthur suit house, and the building adjoining owned by the First National Bank, are in ruins to-day following a \$25,000 fire last night.
 Ned Hopkins, a local baseball player and a member of the volunteer fire department, fell through the roof of the burning building while playing a hose on the fire. Though badly burned and cut by flying glass, he made his way out of the fire. Fireman Nelson, of the regular department, had a narrow escape from a similar fate, saving himself by catching at the brick wall. Hopkins fell through two floors. The fire was in the heart of the downtown district but there was no wind.

AGAIN IN TROUBLE.

Jack Johnson Arrested on Charge of Recklessly Driving His Automobile.

New York, July 20.—Jack Johnson, the colored champion, must appear in the West Side court to-day to answer the charge of recklessly driving his automobile.
 "This time Jack is mad. He says he's being hounded," the police, he said, deliberately arrested him after he had "sold to 'get' him whenever the opportunity offered."
 His arrest at Forty-Seventh street and Eighth avenue occurred. Johnson said, was simply because he was following instructions from Inspector Walsh, who told him after leaving the theatre to get away as quickly as he could from the admiring crowds. Johnson furnished \$100 bail.



LOOMING UP LARGE.

LYNN ESCAPES PRISON CELLS

POLICE COULD NOT PRODUCE CRIMINAL

Climbs Roof of City Jail and Slides Down Water Pipe by Detective Office Windows

Has anyone seen John Lynn?
 City police clerk Peter Gardiner this morning called "John Lynn, on remand," and then looked blankly at the empty dock. John Lynn, who had been returned to jail yesterday morning after the evidence of the prosecution had been heard against him, could not be found this morning. The sergeant finally told the court that John Lynn had escaped from the city prison over night.
 When the jail doors were opened this morning for the prisoners to take the morning air in the jail yard, the official tally was one short, and the lynx-eyed members of the police force peeped into every hole and cranny for traces of the missing man. After a long hunt they discovered the simple manner in which John Lynn had evaded them, freeing himself from serving a term of six months given him last Monday, and a possible conviction on the charge now against him.
 The prisoner, some time before 9 o'clock last night, tore his blankets into strips, knotted them together, fastened one end to the bars on the roof of the jail toilet, and threw the rope out through the bars and over the top so that it fell into the jail yard. He then walked round into the jail yard, which is open to the prisoners till 3 p. m., and climbed up on the one-story roof. From there he drew up the blanket and left it where it was found this morning. The prisoner apparently climbed the window bars and reached the guttering at the top of the second story, from there walked across the roof to the city hall wall, and, by clinging to a small tin pipe, was able to reach the iron drain pipe directly opposite the detective office windows. He slid down this pipe to the alleyway between the city hall building and the detective office, and from there, either went out the door adjoining the detective office (Concluded on page 16.)

POLICE SAY CRIPPEN HAS BEEN LOCATED

Man Wanted by London Authorities Reported to Be Hiding in Health Resort

(Times Leased Wire.)
 London, July 20.—That Dr. Hawley Crippen, the man whom the London police say murdered his wife in the basement of their Islington home, has been located and that he will be arrested before night is the official statement made to-day by Inspector Dow, of the Scotland Yard force.
 Dow says that Crippen is hiding in a health resort, and that the police have been watching him and are sure of his identity.

ABANDONS POLICY OF OPEN SHOP

STOVE COMPANY GIVES UP LONG FIGHT

Will Employ Union Men—Appeal in Case of Labor Leaders Still Pending

(Times Leased Wire.)
 St. Louis, Mo., July 20.—Officials of the Buck Stove & Range Company, whose sensational five-year fight against union labor culminated in bringing jail sentences for President Samuel Gompers, Vice-President John Mitchell and Secretary Frank Morrison, of the Federation of Labor, admit to-day that they have given up the long fight. Hereafter the open shop policy of the Buck company will not be adhered to, and union men will be employed.
 A statement to this effect was issued in Cincinnati by President Gompers. To-day the company heads declare that this statement is correct.
 The change in policy follows the death of J. W. Van Cleave, who was formerly president of the company, and who, as head of the National Manufacturers' Association, made his fight against the employment of union labor country wide.
 In his fight against the unions Van Cleave secured an injunction against the publication of the name of the Buck company in the American Federation of Labor's unfair list. It was for violation of this injunction that he was arrested.

NO MERCY FOR NICARAGUAN INSURGENTS

Message Believed to Be From Madrid Orders General to Shoot Revolutionary Prisoners

(Times Leased Wire.)
 New Orleans, July 20.—President Mdriz of Nicaragua has ordered all revolutionary prisoners shot if a intercepted telegram purporting to have been sent by him to General Roberto Gonzalez is authentic. Gonzalez is in command of the Mdriz forces at San Ubaldo. Many insurgent prisoners are known to be in the area. The intercepted message read: "I trust in the salvation of the nation and the giving of a severe lesson to the revolutionaries who are in your neighborhood. Shoot without fear or consideration the revolutionaries whom you may capture. Do not spare the prisoners whom you may have. Give orders to leaders of your patrols to watch. There is danger in the road from San Ubaldo to Acoyapa. Mdriz, commanding general."

WATER PROBLEM TO BE JOINTLY DISCUSSED

Citizens' Committee Will Hold a Conference With City Council To-morrow Night

To-morrow evening a conference between the city council and the citizens' water committee will be held at which the report of H. M. Burwell on the Sooke scheme and other matters relative to the water problem will be discussed.
 Mayor Morley stated this morning that the discussion would be a general one, the meeting considering as much of the water question as possible. The meeting will probably be held in the new council room, on which work is being rushed. The council meetings have been held for some time past in the police court.

PACIFIC CABLE CANADIAN WIRE

HAS LEASED A LINE ACROSS DOMINION

Immense Growth of Business Makes This a Necessary—Manager Milward Coming

John Milward, Australian manager of the Pacific Cable, is expected here in a day or two on the way to inspect the Canadian terminal station at Banfield. With A. S. Baxendale, chairman of the London board, he has just concluded, in Montreal, arrangements for the leasing of a through land line across the Dominion, in order to handle properly the immense business which has developed. The move now being made is a great step forward in the history of the cable company, and it is the opinion of Mr. Milward that through it the efficiency of the whole service will be greatly increased.
 This stretch of wire has been leased from the C. P. R. company by the cable board, and by to-morrow the most modern machinery and equipment available will be in Vancouver, where one of the stations will be situated. Mr. Carr, of the London staff, and two assistants, will arrive about the same time, and early next week the Pacific Cable will commence handling its own dispatches across Canada.
 Mr. Milward came from Australia three weeks ago on the Marama and went to Montreal, where he met the chairman. The latter will make only a flying visit to this coast, returning to-day, his presence being urgently required in London. Mr. Milward, who is charged with the work of completing the arrangements, will remain on the coast until the middle of September, when he will return to Sydney. The board is making improvements of a double character in connection with its leased wire. The first has reference to the safety of the code. Hitherto, although the continental code was employed on the cable itself, when it was picked up by the C. P. R. for transmission across Canada the American code was used.

MINING TOWN WIPED OUT BY FOREST FIRES

Whitewater Has Been Destroyed—Sandon Reported to be Surrounded by Flames—Many Men are Fighting Conflagration

Some of the fires are new, while others have been burning for several days.

(Times Leased Wire.)
 Nelson, B. C., July 20.—Developments from the fire-swept areas last night were indefinite, due to the uncertainty of telegraph and telephone wires. Various unofficial reports reached here that the town of Tasee Forks was totally destroyed, and that the mountain peaks are filled with refugees. No new fatalities are reported.
 Unconfirmed reports received are that the thriving town of Sandon is surrounded by timber fires and seemed doomed to destruction. Baynes, Lake and Jaffray, in the Crow district, are reported also destroyed. Government fire fighters succeeded in diverting the fire on Tasee mountain that menaced Nelson, in a westerly direction.
 The Silver King and Athabasca mines, right in the fire belt, were temporarily saved by the wind veering. These mines are located five miles from Nelson, which is shrouded in semi-darkness from the smoke even at mid-day. The air is oppressive, and the temperature this morning at 1 o'clock was 73.
 Edward Lucas, the missing miner of the Lucky Jim fire disaster, was found dead to-day in the mouth of No. 4 shaft, where he retreated from the running fire that swept the town of Whitewater.
 The mining town of Whitewater is officially known to be completely destroyed and very little is left of the town.
 At Moyle and vicinity the danger is still imminent, but a large force of fire fighters has surrounded the town, and if the wind does not increase, the outlook is hopeful.
 W. E. Sewicky, general manager of the Rambler-Cariboo, is leaving for Spokane to-day, where it is expected a meeting of directors will be held. Down to the company will reach \$55,000. Both destroyed mining properties at Whitewater and Rambler-Cariboo will be immediately rebuilt.
 Kaslo reports that the fire is now spreading into the green timber. This indicates the fire wardens, who reported to back firing, have been unable to cope with the spreading fury of the flames.
 Property Loss Enormous.
 Portland, Ore., July 20.—Hundreds of men to-day are battling against the worst series of forest fires that have swept the Pacific northwest and British Columbia for a decade, according to reports reaching here.
 In Washington, Idaho, Montana, Oregon and British Columbia numerous fires are consuming millions of feet of the choicest timber, and are leaving in their wake death and desolation.
 The loss already is enormous and the end is not in sight. Eight persons are known to be dead, a number are unaccounted for, and scores have been injured.
 Indications are that rain will fall soon, if it does not the probabilities are that the worst conflagration in the history of the Pacific coast will result. The fires that are doing the greatest damage this afternoon are burning in the Nelson and Kaslo districts in British Columbia. To the eastward other fires are devastating forests.
 In the Idaho pan-handle and the northeastern part of Washington, numerous fires are taking their heavy tolls of timber and homes. These fires, for the most part, are being brought under control.
 Montana fires are burning on the Flathead Indian reservation, and in the Bitter Roots. For the most part these blazes are small.
 In western Washington a fire is consuming timber in the Grays Harbor district, in the vicinity of Hoquiam. Other fires are burning in the vicinity of Seattle.
 In Oregon a big blaze has destroyed half a million feet of logs in the upper Grays River district, not far from Astoria, and is now burning in the green timber. Fires are reported in southern Oregon.
 Logging Camp Destroyed.
 Seattle, Wash., July 20.—Long distance telephone lines into the district where forest fires are burning are all down to-day, and a heavy hail of smoke continues to hang over the city.
 The fires in the immediate vicinity of Seattle are burning principally logged off land, according to a statement made by the Washington Forest Fire Association to-day. The principal danger lies in the failure to check the flames.
 Reports sent out last night of a fire near Bellingham, on the north end of Lake Washington, were exaggerated.
 The sawmill of the Montana Lumber Company and several thousand feet of timber were destroyed near Auburn yesterday.
 A fire of serious proportions is still burning between Lake Washington and Lake Sammamish in Weyerhaeuser property.
 A special from Hoquiam to-day says that the camp of the Mack Logging Company near Elma, now the property of S. E. Stude Lumber Company of Aberdeen, was wiped out last night.
 Mountain Villages Threatened.
 Spokane, Wash., July 20.—Beyond control, forest fires to-day are racing toward the British Columbia boundary from Northern Idaho and Washington, devouring all in their paths, threaten-

ing mountain villages and the lives of the people living in them.
 Some of the fires are new, while others have been burning for several days.
 The little town of Ryan, Wash., was swept away yesterday, according to reports reaching here. The town was in Stevens county, on the Columbia river.
 The fire district in Washington extends from the west bank of the Columbia to Canada, and from Rossburg to Marcus. In that district a sheet of flames 15 miles in length is rushing through the dry timber nearly as fast as a man can walk.
 During the night a stiff breeze fanned the flames and aided the fire to lay waste to several thousand acres of splendid forest. Meanwhile, hundreds of men, employees of the government, of timber companies and citizens of various towns, have been fighting a hopeless, desperate battle to stop the fire. Although they know that rain is their only hope, the fire fighters continue to battle doggedly against the advancing fire wall.
 Thousands of acres of timber is in ashes, and indications are that thousands of acres more will meet the same fate before the fires burn themselves out.

Flames Beyond Control.
 Wallace, Idaho, July 20.—The big Pine Creek fire still rages merrily, and while reinforcements have been sent into that section from the St. Joe country and by the county commissioners at Wallace, the flames are still far from being controlled.
 Monday the fire was burning in townships 47 north, range 3 east, and 47 north, range 1 east, all of which are owned by homesteaders from Wallace and surrounding towns.
 This is said to be the best timber in the whole section. The force now fighting is greater than ever before, and word from Pine Creek late says that there is some hope that the flames may be controlled Wednesday.
 Already upward of 12 miles of trenches have been dug, and the fire practically extinguished on the north side.

Deputy Fire Warden Davies, who just returned from the scene, says that if the present dry weather continues there will not be enough timber left in the country to build a cabin.

STRIKE TIES UP ROAD IN ENGLAND

Twenty-five Thousand Employees of North Eastern Railway Have Quit Work

(Times Leased Wire.)
 London, July 20.—Twenty-five thousand employees of the North Eastern railway are on strike to-day. All trains except those carrying mail have been abandoned. Struckmen and firemen have joined the other strikers and the road is completely tied up.
 The board of trade is seeking to arbitrate the difficulties. The men went out filed no formal grievances, merely saying that the action is a protest against the "tyrannical methods of the officials of the road."
 The strike started in the Newcastle district and has spread until the whole line is affected. The North Eastern is one of the principal lines of Great Britain.
 Later 5,000 additional employees of the railroad went out, making a total of 30,000 on strike. Thousands of others are idle.

PLAN TO SETTLE IRISH QUESTION

Earl Grey Reported to Have Suggested Home Rule on Federal Lines

London, July 20.—It is stated that His Excellency Earl Grey, before his departure from Canada, urged upon the Unionists the desirability of settling the Irish question on Federal lines.
 He was questioned before leaving as to whether the public house trust movement had yet spread to Canada, and he said it had not. "Temperance reformers on both sides of the Atlantic had not yet discovered that high license made it necessary for the public to push the sale of alcoholic liquors. When temperance reformers recognize this fact, they will abandon high license and resort to the only rational method of restricting public houses, that is by poundage on alcoholic sales."
 ILLINOIS BREWERY SCANDAL.
 Chicago, July 20.—The trial of the case of Lee O'Neil Brown, charged with bribery in connection with the election of William Lorimer to the United States senate, will begin on August 1st.
 Judge Horsten will preside, the case having been taken from Judge Brydon's court, where the first trial was held.

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CANADA'S TRADE STILL GROWING

Returns for June Show Increase of \$10,350,000 Over Same Month Last Year

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, July 20.—The total trade of Canada for June was \$66,900,000, an increase of \$10,350,000 over June last year.

TAFT SAILS IN CANADIAN WATERS

(Times Leased Wire.) Eastport, Me., July 20.—For an hour to-day the president of the United States was outside his own country, although he did not touch the soil of any other land.

LOCAL NEWS

—This morning Mayor Morley stated that the city's welcome to Sir Wilfrid Laurier would be entirely distinct from the provincial government's function, although the city would be represented at the latter by the presence of his worship and the city council.

—The convention of police chiefs will be held at Vancouver on August 4 and following days, and Victoria will be represented by Chief of Police John M. Langley.

—Judge Lampman, yesterday handed down judgments in the county court cases of Staneland Company versus Carlow and Sobha Singh versus Singh. In the former action the plaintiff sought to recover a bill of \$50 for goods supplied to the defendant, who had declined to pay.

—News has been received of the death of William Morry at Inverness cangery on Monday, suddenly. Mr. Morry was about 60 years old and a native of Newfoundland.

—After visiting his old home in Prince Edward Island and extending his trip to several points in the east in order to study educational systems, S. J. White, principal of the Victoria High school, has returned to the city.

PREMIER IN SASKATCHEWAN

SIR WILFRID LAURIER

CORDIALLY WELCOMED

Makes Brief Speeches in Several Towns in Reply to Civic Addresses

(Special to the Times.) Yorkton, Sask., July 20.—Yesterday

was a day of travel for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party. The premier was on the train practically all day, making brief stops at Rapid City, Minnedosa, Birtle, Churchbridge, Langenburg and Saltcoats arriving here last night.

At every point the premier was enthusiastically received by large crowds, bands and gaily decorated depots and streets. Five civic addresses were presented to him: to all of which he made appreciative acknowledgment.

He spoke from the rear of his train. At Birtle, however, Hon. G. P. Graham had an appointment to inspect with the local and railway authorities the projected new line of the Canadian Pacific to serve the district as a branch, and the citizens escorted the premier up town during the wait to deliver a short address from the steps of the town hall.

Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan, joined Sir Wilfrid at Brandon at 6 o'clock yesterday and will accompany him on the tour through his province. T. C. Norris, Liberal leader in Manitoba left the party last night.

One somewhat exciting incident occurred while the train was approaching Churchbridge, where the country is quite rolling and hilly. Rounding a curve the locomotive came unexpectedly on a herd of cattle on the track, two of them lying across the rails. C. F. K. engineer W. W. Webb, who was in charge of the engine, promptly applied the brakes and repeated whistles finally started the animals from a position dangerous to both the train and cattle.

Hon. Mr. Graham had a pleasant and unusual experience. He was met by a man named Lamontaine, who had driven sixteen miles to shake the Minister's hand. "My father," he said, "was a strong Conservative. Some years ago an address by you in our old home county of Bruce induced him to cast his first Liberal vote. He has been out and out Liberal ever since." The minister was frankly pleased and appreciative.

BOTH SIDES WILL FIGHT TO THE END

Grand Trunk Officials and Employees Declare Time for Arbitration Has Passed

(Times Leased Wire.) Montreal, July 20.—Both the trainmen and the officers of the Grand Trunk railway have refused to arbitrate their differences. Both sides to the controversy declare that the time for arbitration has passed and that they intend to fight to the end.

Only the most important passenger trains are moving to-day, all freights having been abandoned. The few trains that are running are far behind their schedules.

Two Men Beaten. Buffalo, N. Y., July 20.—Despite the walkout orders given the conductors and trainmen on the Windsor-Niagara Falls division of the Wabash railroad, as a result of the strike on the Grand Trunk lines, all Wabash trains from Buffalo and Detroit are to-day running on time. No effort is being made to move freight trains.

D. L. Forsythe, superintendent of the Wabash, said that the strike would not affect any other divisions.

The first violence since the beginning of the strike occurred here last night when Stationmaster Smith and Conductor Lowell were beaten.

MAY END STRIKE

London, July 20.—The strikers and the officials of the Great Eastern railway conferred at Gatheshead this afternoon. It was announced that a settlement of the difficulties probably would be reached.

The inhabitants of the Old Country spend \$150,000 a day on theatres and music halls.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

I CHARGE NO INTEREST TO purchasers of my Port Alberni town lots and pay all taxes at \$25 each; \$5 cash and \$5 per lot will keep up all payments on a block of 5 lots. L. W. Bick, Broad street. Jy20

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WANTED—At once, woman to help in kitchen. J. Ringshaw, cor. Yates and Broad streets. Jy22

TO LET—Five roomed modern cottage, corner Dominion road and Powderly avenue; rent \$16 per month. Apply James Bay Fruit Store, opposite Post Office. Jy21

LOST—On Monday, 12th inst., a lady's gray chamois purse, containing money, between \$5 and \$9. Reward when returned to Times Office, or Phone 1236. Jy22

LARGE CORNER LOT, 78 ft. on Leighton street, 122 ft. on Ford Bay road, good soil, sewer and water, price \$800, \$250 cash, balance in 2 years. Ed. Coddling, 96 Heywood avenue, after 6 p. m. Jy22

WANTED—A general help. Apply with references, 929 Pemberton road. Jy22

WANTED—Experienced waitress, at grand hotel. Jy22

FOR SALE—Three good lots, 165 ft. frontage on cor. Edmonton road and 1st Charles street, cash or terms. Apply 318 Oswego street. Jy22

WALTER WANTED, at Strand Cafe, 550 York street. Jy22

PARKDALE LOTS, at Carey road end, \$25 minutes' walk from Douglas car. See cut, page 13, from photo taken from Parkdale. Only 20 left; all cleared and cultivated. Pemberton & Son, 614 Fort. Jy22

LOST—From a carriage, parcel containing pair lady's russet shoes, on Tuesday. Finder please return to Times Office. Jy20

WANTED—Good plain cook, for family of three, no children; house maid kept; good salary. Apply Box 600, Times. Jy20

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LOST—Brass top of generator, between Burnside road and the garage of the Victoria Motor & Supply. Finder will be rewarded upon its return to the above garage. Jy20

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BORN. MITCHELL—On the 20th inst., the wife of Geo. W. Mitchell, of a son. DIED. McDONALD—At the late residence, 615 Elliott street, Caroline Agnes Robertson McDonald, Tuesday, July 19th. A service will be held at the residence above at 2 o'clock to-morrow, and the body will be shipped to Edmonton by steamer after the service. FORD—At the family residence, 312 Meade street, on the 19th inst., George Raymond Ford, a native of Pennsylvania, U. S., aged 73 years. The funeral will take place from the above address on Thursday, July 21st, 1910, at 2 p. m., where service will be held. Friends please accept this intimation. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 49 A. F. & A. M., G. R. B. C.

Members of St. Andrew's Lodge No. 49, Victoria Columbia No. 1, Vancouver Quadra No. 2, and sojourning brethren in good standing are requested to attend a Funeral Service at the Masonic Temple on Thursday, 21st July, 1910, at 1 o'clock, in memory of our late Brother George R. Ford, of Barrie, Ontario. H. D. TILLY, Secretary.

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Tenders for Cement Mixer

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THE COST IS ONE DOLLAR A WEEK FOR THIS EDISON PHONOGRAPH Full particulars at Waitt's 1004 Government St. PUBLIC NOTICE. ESCQUIMALT DISTRICT. A public meeting will be held in the Lamson street schoolhouse on Friday evening, 23rd day of July, 1910, for the purpose of discussing the sewerage act and taking such action as may be necessary to form a sewerage district if decided to do so. (Signed) JAMES FINMORE.

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CHICAGO TRAGEDY. Private Detectives Believe Railway President Was Murdered in Cold Blood.

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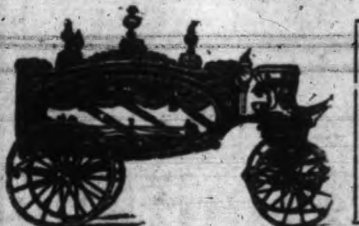
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CAUSES OF THE RAILWAY STRIKE

STATEMENTS ISSUED BY OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES

President Hays Says Company Offered Rates Higher Than Those Granted by Award

Montreal, July 20.—In a statement given out by President Hays in regard to the causes of the strike of conductors and trainmen of the Grand Trunk railway, he says:

"We have done the best we can having regard to the interests of the shareholders and of the men themselves. Taking into consideration the responsibility of our position, we have done all that we could to meet the demands of the men and avoid trouble. We cannot do anything more. The men have consistently stated that nothing I offered would be satisfactory unless it was the standard wage, that they are calling for. They have said the same elsewhere, and have consented to arbitration, but now they refuse it with us. We have offered substantial increases in wages. For instance, we give conductors between Montreal and Portland an increase from \$110 to \$135 a month; between Montreal and Brockville from \$90 to \$110 a month; between Montreal and Toronto from \$110 to \$130, and baggage men from \$70 to \$85, and brakemen from \$55 to \$80 to \$90.

"On mileage rates conductors on through trips are to be raised from \$2.50 to \$2.35 a mile, and brakemen from \$1.50 to \$2.25. On the run between Montreal and Ottawa, conductors are raised from \$110 to \$140 a month, baggage men from \$75 to \$85, and so on.

"When I put this to the men, I said, further, that this was a large increase, but that if they did not think it satisfactory there was still another alternative. I said I was willing in such case to submit to the arbitration of a board of expert railwaymen as to whether or not the proposition was fair, and would be willing to abide by their decision.

"Further," said Mr. Hays, "I said to the representatives of the men: 'Suppose a strike is brought on, with all its disturbance of conditions and business, what shall we do eventually but settle it as I have proposed? We will have displaced a great many men, caused great losses all over and got no farther ahead.' But they refused to listen to this."

In announcing the beginning of the strike Monday, Vice-President James Murdoch, of the Brotherhood of Trainmen, said: "The joint committee returned to their homes on Saturday night, after bringing in the strike vote, leaving the general officers and a small sub-committee here to see if a settlement could still be arrived at. The instructions left with the sub-committee were that unless the company conceded the wage schedule recently adopted for the territory east of Chicago, with temporary modifications of this standard that had been agreed to, all employed in the train and yard service of the company should leave the service on Monday night at 5.30. In accordance with this, we met Mr. Hays Monday, when he elaborated somewhat upon his original offer, to the extent of saying he meant by it the award of the board of conciliation, and that the standard wage for the territory should be adopted by January, 1911.

"Mr. Hays told that the sub-committee and officers could not believe they had the right to set aside the strongly expressed position of the men, even if they were inclined to do so. This conference adjourned until the afternoon, when the sub-committee and officers presented Mr. Hays with the lowest possible basis of settlement that could be considered. That proposal to put into effect a temporary modification of the standard until January, 1911, on the territory east of the Detroit and St. Clair rivers.

"Mr. Hays took that under advise-

ment, and called the sub-committee back at 5.30, when he presented the company's position, which, he said, was their estimate of the award of the board of conciliation.

"The committee at a glance found that it was very far from being anything like the board's award, and that in the great majority of cases where rates had been specified, these rates were much below those suggested by the board. For instance, on the Portland-Montreal run we find Mr. Hays offering \$2.25 per 100 miles to a passenger conductor, instead of \$2.45 8-15, as filed in the board's award. We find that on the Montreal-Toronto passenger run he offers conductors \$2.31 per 100 miles, instead of the board's award of \$2.45 8-10. The minimum standard monthly salary for a passenger conductor in the other territory is \$125 a month, the board recommended \$101 a month. Mr. Hays suggests very many runs at \$100 a month and some as low as \$80 a month. The minimum monthly pay for a passenger brakeman recommended by the board was \$56. Mr. Hays offers in many cases \$55, and monthly increase of \$5 on a \$50 salary.

"Further, in his proposition, Mr. Hays ignored entirely the board's recommendation to standardize conditions on the Grand Trunk and its recommendation to put into effect the mileage basis of pay in either the passenger or local freight service. Existing, he proposes to perpetuate existing conditions, and in some ways to make them much more objectionable, since there would be greater inequalities in the past."

"Mr. Hays says the company is in receipt of applications from many persons desirous of employment, and the company will recruit from these and from other departments of the system. The rules and rates of pay will be made effective as to these. Pending the settlement of the strike, all the shops of the system will be closed.

In a statement issued yesterday afternoon President Hays, of the Grand Trunk, says:

"For the information of those who may not understand the reference made to company's proposition by Vice-President Murdoch, the men's leader, where he states that committee at a glance found that what was proposed was very far from being anything like the award contained in the majority report of the board of conciliation and investigation, and that in the great majority of cases where rates had been below those suggested by the board, I will say that Mr. Murdoch naturally ignored those instances where the proposition of the company conceded rates very much in excess of those granted them by the report of the board, and only selected instances where the company's proposition was not exactly the same as that of the board.

"There are a great many different rates of pay involved. In some, the increase offered by the company was as high as 40 per cent and in others as low as 10 per cent, but the company's proposition contemplated meeting every argument which the trainmen gave as their reason for being unwilling to accept the majority report of the conciliation and investigation board, namely, that it did not deal with relative rates of pay to conductors, baggage men and brakemen on any given trip, which established by precedent, and in working out a schedule on a systematic basis the company has adhered exactly to its promise, and has given the men increased wages to the extent of 15 per cent, over what they were getting for the same class of labor heretofore."

NEWFOUNDLAND FISHERIES CASE

J. S. Ewart Continues Argument Before Tribunal—Fishing Rights Under Treaty

The Hague, July 20.—Continuing his argument before the fisheries tribunal, John S. Ewart, on behalf of Canada, argued that the treaty of 1818 accorded fishing rights solely to inhabitants and American fishermen, and not to American vessels, so that the Newfoundland law of 1908, prohibiting inhabitants of the island from taking service on foreign ships has not constituted an infringement of the treaty. Further, the British law of 1824 contained similar provisions in regard to foreigners. Even in 1799, Newfoundland had a law prohibiting foreigners from fishing in her waters. The treaty did not, Mr. Ewart maintained, allow Americans to carry on fishing with crews composed entirely or in part by foreigners.

Mr. Ewart showed that Newfoundland had the right to prohibit the sale of bait and other fishing requisites to American vessels, for these vessels were entitled to no commercial privileges under the treaty of 1818. He denied that the treaty of 1818 implied the right of extra territoriality for Americans fishing in British territorial waters. The right to fish accorded them was not synonymous with exemption from colonial laws for the preservation and protection of fisheries. Americans were subject to these laws equally with British subjects.

In negotiations concerning the treaties of 1788 and 1818, there was not one syllable indicating any intention on the part of the British delegates to abdicate sovereignty in their territorial waters so far as American fishermen were concerned.

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MORE JEWS ARE EXPELLED FROM KIEFF

Five Hundred Have Been Compelled to Leave City Since July 15th

New York, July 20.—Private advices tell of the continuation of the expulsion of Jews from Kieff, Russia. Five hundred have been expelled since July 15th, these dispatches say, and 1,500 have been notified that they must leave. Expulsion is going on in other cities in the same proportion. It is declared. Six thousand have been driven out since the decree expelling all those unable to show cause why they should be permitted to live within the prescribed districts, was issued.

LOST IN DESERT FOR TWO DAYS

Man Wanders About Without Food or Water—May Not Recover

San Bernardino, Cal., July 20.—After wandering for two days on the desert without food or water, Dr. L. A. Marquise, who claims to have been a surgeon in the French army, was brought here from Needles and taken to a hospital. He is suffering from Panama fever and his recovery is doubtful, according to the physicians.

Marquise arrived at Needles from Phoenix last Thursday. During the evening he disappeared, leaving the following note on a table in his room: "Please let me alone for two hours. I am suffering from Panama fever and the delirium is on me. If anyone should attempt to find me I will kill myself. I have three grains of cyanide of potassium and a 45 Colt's revolver. Later you will have all the explanation necessary."

The man was found unconscious near the Santa Fe tracks at a desert station on Monday.

During a period of consciousness he told the physicians his name and that he is a graduate of the universities of Heidelberg and Vienna.

WOMEN IN CONFERENCE.

London, July 20.—The Wesleyan Methodist body has decided to admit women to participate in the annual conference. The principle was adopted at the conference of 1899 and the matter was subsequently submitted to the district synods, 24 of which approved and 10 disapproved. The conference now in session at Bradford, after a prolonged debate, confirmed the proposal on vote of 173 to 153.

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Unknown Man Ends His Life in a Spectacular Manner at Spokane

Spokane, Wash., July 20.—Two violent deaths occurred in Spokane yesterday.

An unknown young man, apparently about 25 years old, climbed to the trestle work of the Great Northern

bridge at Post street, deliberately slashed his throat with a razor and then plunged to the swirling depths below. His body has not been recovered. David D. Pilotto, an Italian, aged 24, unmarried, fell from a freight car of the Inland Empire system, near Waverly, about twelve miles from the city, between 1 and 2 o'clock, and was found a few minutes later dead, with several bruises and contusions on his head.

L. G. AGASSIZ DEAD.

New York, July 20.—Word has been received here of the death of Louis George Agassiz, nephew of the great scientist. He was a colonel in the Swiss army.

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A NOTABLE ANNIVERSARY.

Thirty-nine years ago to-day British Columbia became a province of the Dominion of Canada, thus being consummated one of those most important events which were destined to culminate in the creation of a united British confederation extending from the Atlantic to the Pacific on the continent of America.

For a number of years after the consummation of the union the people of this province looked upon their neighbors in old Canada with anything but kindly or cordial feelings. But the old grudge has passed away.

political and Imperial constitution of Canada would be imperfect, incomplete. The incorporation of the province within the scheme of confederation was one of the master strokes of the Fathers of Confederation.

FOUNDATIONS OF THE EMPIRE.

While Colonel Denison maintains that the future of the British Empire depends upon the rapid construction of Dreadnoughts, another great authority takes the position, with apparent sincerity, that the Imperial fabric must stand or fall on the maintenance of "togetherness" within the United Kingdom.

COLONEL DENISON'S FOREBODINGS.

Colonel Denison of Toronto is a fine type of a Canadian gentleman. His Canadianism is robust in the extreme, his Imperialism of the rampant variety. His business is to dispense justice unhampered by law in the Toronto police court.

stands how to circumvent their knavish tricks. Away with the mollicoddis. Give the Colonel men and cannon and forts and Dreadnoughts. If necessary double the national debt of Canada and pay the three hundred millions or so at the feet of this great warrior and Imperialist.

MUCH MONEY IN GROWING FRUIT.

Local Berries Appreciated on the Prairies and Orders Promised by Large Firm.

This will be a big fruit year. The strawberry yield was very large and nearly all lines of fruit are yielding well. The raspberries are practically the only exception. These have suffered a good deal from the hot, dry weather, with the result that the fruit is not large and there is not very much of it.

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BELL BEARS KING'S NAME.

The only parish bell in the Kingdom bearing the name of King Edward VII. was rung at the church of St. Mary the Virgin, Prittlewell, England, at the hour of the late monarch's funeral at Windsor. It bears a double inscription: John Darbie Made Me, 1622.

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The only parish bell in the Kingdom bearing the name of King Edward VII. was rung at the church of St. Mary the Virgin, Prittlewell, England, at the hour of the late monarch's funeral at Windsor. It bears a double inscription: John Darbie Made Me, 1622.

An Important Announcement For Friday!

The Third Friday in July Will Be One of the Sales' Busiest Days

\$35.00 to \$50.00 Costumes for \$12.50

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Table with 3 columns: Men's Suits, Regular \$8.75 to \$11.00 for \$5.00; Men's \$18 to \$22.50 Suits to Go at \$11.75; Men's \$12.50 to \$15 Suits to Clear Friday and Sat. at \$7.75.

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Men's Summer Weight Underwear, Reg 50c for 25c

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Another of our popular Blouse Sales takes place on Friday. These are an entirely new lot which just came in and which we have added to our July sale.

Special July Sale Bargains in Dress Patterns

Table with 2 columns: 6 ONLY, DRESS PATTERNS in crepe de chine, satin borders, 54 inches wide. In sky, Nile, rose, black, cream, pink. Regular \$18. Friday \$9.00; 4 ONLY, DRESS PATTERNS, in shot crepe effects, silk spot, 44 inches wide. Rose, Nile, pink and green. Regular \$20. Friday \$10.00.

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CORDOVA BAY STAGE

Stage will start running Sunday, April 24th, 1910. Round trips 75c, single trips 50c. Leave Pacific Transfer Station 7 a.m. every Sunday.

Seattle, Wash.—S. S. Inoué leaves daily, except Sunday, at 9 a.m.

Herr Wilhelm Peters, practical piano maker and tuner, has removed from 1102 Fort Street. All communications left at Hibben's until further notice will be promptly attended to.

J. O. Stinson has opened a real estate office at 1124 Fairfield road, just east of Cook street.

You can deposit your money at 1 per cent interest with The B. C. Permanent Loan Company and be able to withdraw the total amount or any portion thereof without notice. Cheques are supplied to each depositor. Paid up capital over \$1,000,000, assets over \$2,500,000. Branch office, 1210 Government street, Victoria, B. C.

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Gulf Islands—Next Sunday the S. S. Inoué on her trip among the Thousand Islands will stop one hour at Maple Bay, a splendid opportunity to get fresh air and see the beautiful scenery. Take V & S. train leaving Victoria 5:45 a.m. Picnic parties can bring their baskets and lunch under the trees in some of the pretty nooks near the landing.

Seaside Circle of the King's Daughters are holding a garden party at Oak Dell park, Colwood, on Tuesday next, from 2.30 to 6 p. m.

The provincial board of water commissioners has decided to adjudicate upon the water rights on a number of streams in southern Okanagan and will at once give the required ninety days' notice by advertisement.

The department of justice has advised the attorney-general of British Columbia that the law must take its course in the case of Ishimaru Kenjo, condemned to death for the murder of his partner. The execution will take place at New Westminster on Friday morning.

On Friday evening, July 29, a public meeting will be held in Lampton street schoolhouse for the purpose of discussing the provisions made last session for the formation of sewerage districts where desired, and taking steps to form one in Esquimalt if the residents decide to avail themselves of the act.

Building permits for stores and dwellings have been issued as follows: To George Carter, for stores and hall on Courtenay street, to cost \$4650; to J. C. Rattray, for three stores on the north side of Yates street, above Blanchard street; Algoma Simpson, for a dwelling on Quadra street, to cost \$400; to W. J. Dandridge, for a dwelling on Oak Bay avenue, to cost \$1150, and to G. Bjornfelt, for additions to residence on Vancouver street, to cost \$400.

Summons have been served on Michael Young, of the New England restaurant, and Arthur Levy, proprietor of Levy's restaurant, charging them with selling liquor during prohibited hours. The informations are sworn by Sub-Inspector Redgrave and are returnable on Friday morning. These are the first prosecutions under the new bylaw regulating the sale of liquor in restaurants, and have been invited as a means of testing the validity of the bylaw.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late George Raymond Ford will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 312 Menzies street, where services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Warnicker. Members of the Masonic order will attend the funeral in a body. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

There passed away last evening at the family residence, 615 Elliott street, Mrs. Caroline Agnes Robertson McDonald, widow of the late James McDonald. Deceased was born at Grand Lake, New Brunswick, and came to this city accompanied by her husband, three years ago, from Edmonton. While a resident of the Alberta capital she was an ardent worker in the W. C. T. U., being president of the branch there. There are no children. The remains will be forwarded to Edmonton this evening for interment. A short service will be held at the residence at 8 o'clock prior to the departure of the steamer.

There will be no meeting of the Cymrodion Society this month.

A patrol of Boy Scouts is being organized in connection with James Bay Methodist Sunday school.

Two slight tremors of the earth were felt in this vicinity yesterday, due to barometric conditions.

The bank clearings for the week ending yesterday afternoon totalled \$2,288,026, about the same as the week previous.

A special organization mass meeting of civic and other laborers is called for to-morrow evening in Labor hall at 8 o'clock. The laborers are sparing no pains to secure the affiliation with their organization of every laborer in the city.

At the grocers' picnic at Sidney to-morrow the ladies' guild of St. Andrew's Anglican church, Sidney, will serve lunches and refreshments. The proceeds to be used in furnishing the new church, about to be opened.

The fire brigade has been kept busy during the last few days, but fortunately only with small fires. Three more runs had to be made yesterday afternoon, two for grass fires on Humboldt street and near the Jubilee hospital. The third was a false alarm telephoned in from Rockland avenue. Chief Davis got from central the number of the telephone from which the alarm had been sent but the people at the house said no alarm had been sent from there.

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TEST OF BY-LAW IS DELAYED TILL FALL

Certiorari Application Following Conviction for Violation of Stable Regulation Stood Over

An application to test the validity of the amendment of last year in the nuisance by-law respecting stables was made by J. A. Alkman in Chambers before Mr. Justice Clement to-day and was stood over until September. The case was that of Richards vs. the city, the applicant having been recently fined for violating the by-law.

The applicant said that he did not propose to consider any but urgent matters during vacation, and that Mr. Alkman's certiorari application did not appear to him to be urgent. He would stand it over until the first Chambers day following vacation. City Solicitor McDiarmid appeared for the magistrate.

George Morphy was granted probate of the will of Blanche Edw. and A. J. Kitto letters of administration to the estate of J. E. Nicholls.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, July 20—5 a.m.—The barometer remains unusually high over Northern British Columbia and Alaska, and fine warm weather prevails both throughout the Pacific slope and across the continent to the Great Lakes.

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Thursday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm to-day and Thursday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm to-day and Thursday.

Observations at 5 a.m. Victoria—Barometer, 30.95; temperature, 53; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.

New Westminster—Barometer, 30.68; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, 66; minimum, 60; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.85; temperature, 41; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 52; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.16; temperature, 54; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. E.; rain, trace; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.86; temperature, 68; minimum, 60; wind, 12 miles W.; weather, clear.

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

Highest temperature, 75. Lowest temperature, 48. Average, 61. Bright sunshine, 13 hours 36 minutes. General state of weather, fine.

The regular monthly meeting of British Campaigners' Association will be held at the A. O. F. hall, Broad street, at 8 p.m. to-morrow, when all members are requested to attend.

LOGGING CAMPS SHUT DOWN THROUGH FIRES

Loss in Union District—Government Asks Co-operation of Private Parties

Heavy damage by bush fires is reported from Union Bay by H. E. Beasley, superintendent of the E. & N. railroad, who states that the destruction of timber has caused two logging camps to shut down and that a large amount of valuable equipment has been burned up. Mr. Beasley has just returned from a tour of inspection and says that great care will be exercised in clearing the right-of-way for the projected extension of the road from Nanaimo to Union.

No slashing will be burned until the rains come and, although this will mean a considerable delay, the contractors have found it necessary in view of the dryness of the bush.

Communications have been sent by the provincial government to mill-owners, lumbermen and railroad companies asking for co-operation in combating the flames in the Crow's Nest district, where the fire loss is greatest. The C. E. R. has assigned its fire patrol and is doing all possible to assist the government fire wardens in preventing and extinguishing fires.

A private telegram received by R. F. Green, of this city, yesterday afternoon from S. H. Green indicates the seriousness of the fires in the Kootenay district. The message is as follows: Kootenay, B. C., July 18th.

R. F. Green, Victoria. Forest fires have burned all buildings at the Payne, Rambler, Powers' Camp and the Lucky Jim, including the tram at Whitewater mine and Whitewater town. All the bridges and snowsheds between Nine Mile and Payne have been burned, and the steel is badly twisted. Missing: Ted Lucas; fatalities, Col. Pierson, Dan Peterson, Chas. Norman, W. A. Chesley.

LAST APPEARANCES.

Empress Company in "The Fatal Wedding" at Victoria Theatre.

The last two nights of the engagement of the Empress Theatre Company are announced at the Victoria theatre. To-night and to-morrow the attraction to be presented will be "The Fatal Wedding," a simple domestic drama of exceptional heart interest. The plot and scenes are laid in New York City and the interest never flags.

The characters are like those we meet every day and there is a beautiful touch of novelty in the part of a child that plays an important factor in the unfolding of the plot. Little Dulce Cooper, a clever child actress, will be seen in this role and she is admitted to be one of rare talent. Her performance of the part caused a sensation in Vancouver, and many claimed that they too, at six must be ten or twelve years of age.

Isabelle Fletcher will be the heroine, "Mabel Jocelyn," and Charles Ayres will be the hero. V. T. Henderson will have an exceptionally heavy role and one that requires an actor of great power. The scene between him and the child in the last act is one that draws tears to every eye. All the company will be well cast and the houses should be crowded to see the last performances of the talented company.

GROCCERS' PICNIC.

Final arrangements for the grocers' picnic at Sidney to-morrow were made by the committee last evening. In the baby show the prizes have been made a gold locket and a half-ton of coal. This event will be judged at 3.30 p.m. by three judges whose modesty makes them shun publicity. A 100-yard dash for grocery clerks was added to the programme.

Trains leave to-morrow at 8 a.m., 10.30 a.m. and 1.30 p.m. The committee would like all who can to take the early train, and the second one is likely to be pretty well crowded anyway. There will be three trains returning in the evening. Hot water will be supplied on the grounds.

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MINIATURE RIFLE CLUBS' CONTEST

INAUGURATED BY THE DAILY MAIL

To Be Shot Throughout Empire Each Year Sept. 30, Birthday of Lord Roberts

The London Daily Mail, at the request of Lord Roberts, has decided to inaugurate a competition for the miniature rifle clubs of the British Empire.

The Daily Mail Miniature Rifle Clubs' contest will be open to any team of ten from any miniature rifle club in the British empire affiliated to the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs, 11, Queen Victoria street, E. C., and will be shot on Lord Roberts's birthday, September 30, each year.

The following is the appeal which Lord Roberts addresses to the miniature rifle clubs in his Majesty's dominions:

I am most anxious that every man and youth belonging to the empire shall attain a thorough knowledge of rifle shooting, and the best means of doing so is to begin with the miniature rifle. Some of the most famous shots of to-day began in this manner, and I feel sure that if the movement became more general the day would not be far distant when his Majesty the King would reign over an empire of marksmen.

At present there are affiliated to the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs over 2,000 clubs, representing a membership of about 750,000. Great progress has been made since the formation of the

society in 1902, but much still remains to be done.

As an incentive to further effort, the Daily Mail has kindly offered to present each year for competition a fifty-guinea cup and silver commemorative medals, and I sincerely hope that every miniature rifle club at home and abroad which is affiliated or can become affiliated to the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs will make a special effort to enter a representative team.

I would also appeal to the editors of the imperial press to assist in this movement, and I would suggest that this can best be done by urging on their readers the great importance of rifle shooting and encouraging them to form miniature rifle clubs and affiliate themselves to the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs in order that there may be one vast organization entirely devoted to the welfare and development of this particular branch of rifle shooting, which is the easiest and cheapest form of bringing instructional facilities to the doors of the people.

(Signed) ROBERTS, F. M.
Conditions of the Contest.

As a large amount of work will be entailed in connection with the organization of the contest, secretaries of clubs and all those otherwise interested in miniature rifle shooting are requested to communicate with the Organizing Secretary, the Daily Mail Miniature Rifle Clubs' Contest, Carmelite House, London, E. C.

The following conditions of the contest have been drawn up:

To be shot for by club teams with miniature rifles and miniature ammunition on Lord Roberts's birthday (September 30, 1910), under the following regulations and conditions:—
Open to one team of ten from any rifle club in the British empire affiliated to the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs prior to the date of the competition.

Distance—25 yards.

No. of shots—10 deliberate, 10 in 30 seconds; 20 shots in all.

Competitors using repeating rifles in the rapid stage may not load them until the word "commence." Competitors using single-loading rifles may load and be at the present before the word "commence."

Position—Standing, kneeling, sitting, or prone.

Targets—The S. M. R. C. standard double No. 1 in the deliberate stage, and the S. M. R. C. standard double secondary target in the rapid stage.

These targets are double, and 5 shots should be fired at each. In the event of a competitor firing less or more than 5 shots at one target he runs the risk of losing the value of any shot not distinctly visible. Targets will be despatched to competing teams as soon as possible after the receipt of their entry.

Any team not receiving its targets by September 23 should immediately communicate with the organizing secretary, the Daily Mail Miniature Rifle Clubs' Contest, Carmelite House, London, E. C.

No extension of time for shooting can be allowed, and no claims in respect of undelivered targets can be entertained after the date of the match.

Entries—Entries must be received not later than the first post on September 1, 1910. Entries will only be accepted subject to the condition that the decision of the committee upon any point arising in connection with this contest is final.

Rifles and Ammunition—The rifles and ammunition to be used in this contest must comply strictly with the following specification:—
A miniature rifle may be of any pattern, single loading or repeating, of any calibre not exceeding .22 of one inch, or of larger calibre fitted with

any device for firing any of the cartridges defined in the next paragraph:

The .22 rim-fire long rifle cartridge.

The .22 rim-fire long cartridge.

The .22 rim-fire short cartridge.

The .207-230 central fire long or short cartridge.

The rifle may be equipped with sights of any pattern which do not contain glass.

The trigger pull must not be less than 4 lb.

Each competing team must shoot on Friday, September 30, 1910, in the presence of two umpires (see qualifications as to umpires). The targets used must be signed by the umpires, and accompanied by the umpires' certificate, must be enclosed in the envelope sent with them, and posted by one of the umpires not later than October 1.

The date of posting will be attested by the postmark, and targets posted after October 1 will not be accepted.

The umpires must have one or other of the following qualifications:—(a) A Justice of the Peace, (b) a minister of religion, (c) a county, district, or parish councillor, (d) a commissioned officer of any branch of his Majesty's forces, active or retired, (e) a solicitor, barrister, or chartered accountant, (f) a medical practitioner, (g) a police officer, not below the rank of inspector, (h) a member of the council or advisory committee of the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs.

The umpires must be present and witness the whole of the shooting. Must initial the targets before they are fired at and sign them afterwards, and must also sign the certificate sent with the targets.

Umpires are particularly required to count the number of shots fired in the rapid stage, and if more or fewer than ten to certify the number upon the target.

Sighting shots may be taken at other targets before each series of ten shots.

Where not otherwise provided for, the shooting regulations of the Society of Miniature Rifle Clubs will govern the contest.

Ten points will be deducted from any target in respect of each shot in excess of the required number.

In the rapid stage ten points will be deducted in respect of the first shot fired before the word "commence" or after the words "cease fire"; a second shot entails disqualification.

No allowance of time is to be made in the rapid stage in respect of jams or misfires.

The scores should not be counted nor may the targets be touched by any person other than an umpire after being fired at.

The award will be made by the committee as soon as possible after the return of the targets.

JERVIS INLET FATALITY.

Vancouver, July 19.—The Seattle yacht Davy Jones has returned from the head of Jervis Inlet, and reported that no trace has been found of the body of C. S. Wiley of Seattle. Mr. Wiley and his wife were drowned in a river at the head of Jervis Inlet through the capsizing of a dinghy. Henry C. Swing of Seattle, who was also thrown into the water when the boat swamped, escaped and brought the body of Mrs. Wiley here. The Davy Jones, which is a large power yacht, owned by the late Mr. Wiley, returned to the scene of the disaster but failed to find the body. The search is being carried on by loggers and others along the head of Jervis Inlet.

The letters in the various alphabets of the world vary from 12 to 32 in number. The Sandwich Islanders' alphabet has the first number, the Tartarian the last.

CHEMANIUS TO GIVE REVENGE

MEET BEACON HILL ON CITY DIAMOND

Win for Empress Nine From the Travellers in Victoria League Schedule Last Night

With Ed. Steele in the box and Scott behind the plate, the Beacon Hill nine will offer the ball fans some entertainment at the local ball yard on Cook street on Saturday afternoon, when the team lines up against the nine from Chemainus. The game between the up-island lumbermen and the seaside boys has been definitely fixed, according to Manager Sam Bowers of the Beacon Hill nine this morning, and the arrangements having been made with the management of the Royal park for the diamond that afternoon everything is right, and the ball fan, after two weeks' rest, will once again be able to sit in the cool and shade himself. Chemainus has played and defeated the Beacon Hill nine once this season. The Hills made the island trip and got the short end, 2, against the long end of Chemainus 5. The match was played in a temperature of 90 degrees.

Chemainus has played seven games this season, five at home and two away. To date Chemainus has seven wins, 10 its credit, and it is up to the Indians from the flat pole on the hill to take a fall out of them on Saturday. That is what the fans will go out to see.

The Chemainus nine contains two Indians. As there are several Indians playing in league ball, the performance of these two will be of interest.

Beacon Hill has played 11 games this season. The only teams that have beaten the Hills are Chemainus and the Princes. The Hills drew with the Regiment in the city league, but outside that have won right along and are at the head of the city league. Dawson and George will probably be the Chemainus battery.

Empress Beat U. C. T.
The Empress nine pulled up on the United Commercial Travellers ball nine in the city league last night, and after another win will tie them for first place on the list. The score last night was 10 to 2. Winsby, who twirled for the winners, was in rare form and passed over a line of mystifiers which the travellers could not handle. Holden completed the battery.

Hollatt and Gregg formed the battery for the defeated side. Up till the sixth innings the game was even, but from that the Empress got away with it.
The result of the game places the Travellers still in third place with 2 wins and three losses, while the Empress has three wins and four losses.

MANY GOOD PLAYERS ON NANAIMO TWELVE

North Ward and Coal City Saturday—Sweeney and Davidson to Run a Mile

North Ward lacrosse artists are training like beavers this week, getting into shape for the game with the Nanaimo twelve, that will take place at the Oak Bay grounds on next Saturday afternoon, when the coal miners appear here for the first time.

That the Wards have got some team to go against is a foregone conclusion. The Nanaimo team has not yet been announced, but on the line-up will be Lin Horn, the former Victoria West player; Menzies, who was one of the North Wards a few seasons ago; and Arnold, the Vancouver inside home player.

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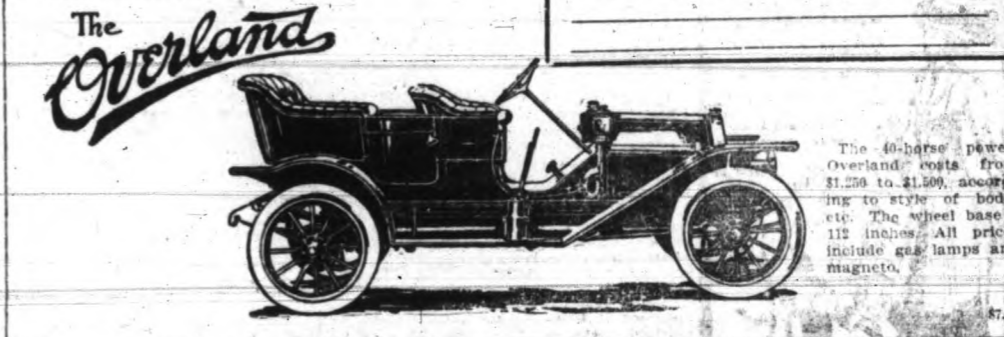
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Event List of P. N. A. Track Meet With Prizes Issued—Entries Close on July 27

Victoria athletes who propose to compete in the P. N. A. amateur track meet at Vancouver on July 30, under the auspices of the Vancouver Athletic Club, are notified that they will have to obtain registration tickets from the chairman of the registration committee of the amateur athletic union, T. Morris Dunne, of Portland, Oregon. This union is the American one and not the B. C. A. A. U. The entry list has been issued with conditions and prizes as follows:—100 yards run, 220 yards run, 440 yards run, 880 yards run, 120 yards hurdle race (16 hurdles 3 feet 6 inches in height), one mile run, pole vault for height, running high jump, running broad jump, 220 yards hurdle, throwing 56 lb. weight, throwing 16-lb. hammer, putting 16-lb. shot, throwing the discus, 5 mile run.

A gold medal will be given to the winner in each event. A handsome silver trophy will be awarded to the team scoring the highest number of points—5 for first; 3 for second; 1 for third.

An entrance fee of 50c. per man will be charged in each event. No entry will be accepted unless accompanied by the fee. Entries close with C. J. Marshall, Vancouver Athletic Club, July 27. The championship committee reserves the right to reject any entry.

FIVE IN BICYCLE RACE TO SIDNEY

Annual Event for Road Riders Starts To-morrow at 9 a.m. From Yates and Douglas

The Victoria-to-Sidney bicycle road race to be held to-morrow morning in connection with the grocers' picnic, has drawn out five competitors, who will start from the corner of Yates and Douglas streets to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

The entries are: Watson, J. Peden, Horth, T. Peden and Thomas. The race will finish opposite Critchley's store at Sidney, and from the time made last year will be completed by the winner in from fifty-eight to sixty-two minutes. Last year's time was 58 minutes for the eighteen miles, made by Tom Peden.

The race is an annual event and the prizes for to-morrow are as follows: 1. silver cup, value \$20, by merchants of Sidney; 2. gold medal, value \$10, by Douglas Bros.; 3. silver medal, value \$5, by Clayton & Costin; and 4. goods value \$3.50, by Timley Bicycle Company.

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CRICKET NOTES

With the cricket tournament in sight the local wickets are kept busy during the evenings. The Albions figure on having a strong team, but Victoria will be the strongest of the home clubs.

There are three first class wickets in Victoria. The Victoria club ground, the barracks ground and the Albion ground at Beacon Hill. The matches will be played on these.

There has been a first class cricket oval lying idle all the summer which neither of the clubs appear to have noticed. Oak Bay park, with a little preparation, would make as good a cricket ground as any in the city, and for championship matches would have the benefit of certainty in getting gate receipts.

The Empress club could have handled this ground. A good wicket can be laid there in one week, which would improve with use, and a few days' work on the field would put it in splendid playing order.

Owing to the fact that there are only three grounds, the tournament next month will have to be played on the draw principle. There will be some teams which will not meet others.

There will probably be twelve teams here. Nanaimo, Vancouver, Seattle, Portland, Burrard, Vernon, Calgary, Grand Forks and Nelson combined will be the visiting teams. The other four will be local, composed of Victoria,

Albions, Garrison and Strawberry Vale.

Vernon, two years ago, made a splendid fight for the cup, with a team got together at the last moment. The members promised that when they came to Victoria again they would prepare beforehand and being an eleven fully representative of the district.

Seattle can always be figured as having a chance, and the teams that will have a little better chance are Victoria, Burrard and Vancouver. The latter three are the strongest of the coast aggregation.

Portland has had the services of the former Victoria professional, Coppinger, and under his guidance the Rose city men should have improved over their form of 1908, therefore Portland can be considered.

Information is scarce on Nelson, but Calgary has always had a club, and if the Alberta men make the trip it will be immensely good for western cricket. The closer cricket is interwoven across the continent the better for the game.

There will be the usual social affairs arranged. The visitors will be guests at smokers and entertainments. The reception committee will do all possible to make the visitors glad they came.

SPORT NOTES

Spokane has jumped to the front on the Northwest, and is now one game ahead of Vancouver, with 50 wins. Tacoma, with 45 wins, is not out of the running yet.

The lacrosse executive met last night and arranged that the intermediate game between North West and Victoria West, over which there was a disputed goal, should be played again. The date is not yet fixed.


The next intermediate game is Friday night, between Oak Bay and Victoria West. There is a practice of the last named team called for to-night.

It is reported that an unknown may fight Johnson. The report emanates from James J. Corbett. The unknown is backed by \$5,000. Johnson can get six times that by a fight with Burns or Langford, and Corbett always was a bluffer from "way back." Even old Tom Sharkey offered \$25,000 to fight Johnson.

William Innes McMurrin, a well known Westminster lacrosse fan, died from the effects of the excitement of Saturday's lacrosse game at the Royal City. He was seized with a paralytic stroke of the game, was taken home, and was seized again. He leaves a wife and five children.

According to an official statement handed out by H. Ryall, secretary of the New Westminster lacrosse club, 11,367 people attended the match in the Royal City on Saturday between Montreal and Westminster. The receipts were in the neighborhood of \$7,000. As the gate is evenly divided between the clubs, Montreal should take back a good sized roll.

The Shamrocks, Vancouver's new la-



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cross club, which has professional aspirations, defeated the Vancouver amateur team this week by 7 to 3. The Shamrock team is composed of resigned players from Con Jones' team and others.

Managers Ryall and Welsh, of the Westminster lacrosse team, said yesterday they would not for a moment entertain any suggestion of the Montreal team that referees be changed for the next game. Ditchburn and Yorke will officiate on Saturday.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN.

Boston, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
First Game.
R. H. E.
Detroit 1 10 0
Boston 2 5 1
Batteries—Summers and Stange; Karger and Carrigan. (Fourteen innings.)

Second Game.
R. H. E.
Detroit 2 4 1
Boston 4 12 0
Batteries—Donovan and Schmidt; Hall and Carrigan.

Washington, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
First Game.
R. H. E.
Cleveland 0 4 1
Washington 7 12 1
Batteries—Harkness, Falkenberg and Easterly; Bemis; Gray and Beckendorf.

Second Game.
R. H. E.
Washington 2 4 2
Cleveland 5 7 2
Batteries—Groom, Relding and Street; Beckendorf; Young and Easterly.

Philadelphia, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Chicago 0 6 2
Philadelphia 4 5 0
Batteries—Lange, Olmstead and Sullivan; Morgan and Thomas.

New York, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
St. Louis 1 1 5
New York 5 10 2
Batteries—Ewell and Stephens; Ford and Mitchell, Sweeney.

NATIONAL.

Cincinnati, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game, 11 innings, follow:
R. H. E.
New York 6 8 2
Cincinnati 5 13 2
Batteries—Mathewson and Meyers; Suggs, Burns, Fromme and McLean.

Pittsburg, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Pittsburg 5 13 3
Boston 4 10 2
Batteries—Leifield, Phillip, Leever and Gibson; Curtis, Frock and Graham.

Chicago, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Chicago 3 11 6
Brooklyn 4 7 2
Batteries—Brown, Cole and Kling; Barger and Erwin.

St. Louis, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
St. Louis 2 9 2
Philadelphia 0 5 2
Batteries—Willis and Bresnahan; McQuillan and Doolin.

PACIFIC COAST.

Portland, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
San Francisco 3 6 0
Portland 2 5 0
Batteries—Henley and Berry; Scanton and Steen, Murray.

San Francisco, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Los Angeles 4 9 4
Oakland 3 7 3
Batteries—Nagle and Smith; Harking and Thomas.

Los Angeles, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Sacramento 1 5 0
Vernon 3 9 1
Batteries—Hunt and Lalonge; Breck-

NORTHWESTERN.

Tacoma, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Tacoma 6 12 4
Seattle 4 6 4
Batteries—Hall and Blankenship; Byrd and Custer.

Spokane, July 20.—Scores in yesterday's game follow:
R. H. E.
Vancouver 3 7 2
Spokane 2 19 5
Batteries—Erickson and Lewis; Bonner, Baker and Shea.

No one needs perseverance more than a man who knows he has a tendency to look on the bright side of things.—Platt.



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Colonel Anderson has completed his inspection of the work done by the Marine Department and is leaving tonight for Vancouver en route back to Ottawa. When seen this morning he said that he had chosen a good site for a new lighthouse at North Island, Queen Charlotte. This would not be built this year, as it would not be required until the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway was completed and trans-Pacific liners commenced running to Prince Rupert in connection with it. The site is on Dixon Entrance.

DECKS WERE SWEEPED CLEAR OF EVERYTHING

Nearly Six Weeks Occupied in Making Repairs to Saveric—Position of Weir Liners

Details of the damage to the steamer Saveric were brought by that steamer, the arrival of which was reported yesterday. On her way out on her last trip she was buffeted by a furious gale and heavy seas swept clean all the after deck, including the deckhouses and rails, so that photographs taken of her at the time show her like a vessel under construction. Nearly six weeks were spent in the Talkoo docks during which time another vessel had to be chartered for one voyage. There was a double reason in bringing the vessel across so close after the Oceana, which arrived last week. In the first place the Oceana is going off the run and the Saveric will replace her, and in the second place there were six thousand tons of cargo ready for transportation, and as this was a paying quantity the voyage was made.

WHALER GERMANIA LEAVES TO-MORROW

Signed Crew To-day—Large Catch at Sechart Station Up to Date

The crew for the steam whaler Germania was signed on this morning. Captain Harry Balcom being given command. A total company of eleven men will be employed on this steamer, which will leave for the Queen Charlotte to-morrow to commence hunting. The Germania will operate from the station at Rose Harbor. This station is now completed and it is anticipated that there will be a big catch there this year.

ANEMONE IS SOLD TO LOCAL RESIDENT

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MANY SALMON FOR CLAYOQUOT CANNERY

Thirty Thousand Taken on Monday, According to Accounts Brought by Steamer Tees

Reports from all over the province indicate that the sockeye salmon are running well. There are a large number being caught in the Todd traps, and the latest reports from the west coast indicate that there is going to be a record pack. Steamer Tees, which arrived last evening from Clayoquot and way ports, brings the news that at the Clayoquot cannery a large number of cases have already been put up, and that on Monday no less than 30,000 fish were taken in purse seines. This cannery is the property of Messrs. Brewster and Beckwith, of this city. Outside of the fishing there is little of interest up the west coast. The Tees reports that everyone is waiting for the completion of the railroad to Alberni, and the building of the long delayed Canadian Northern. When these are in full swing everything will boom.

SHIPPING REPORT

(By Dominion Government Wireless.) Point Grey, July 20, 8 a. m.—Clear; N. W. breeze; quick sea; 20.9; 63. Cape Lazo, July 20, 8 a. m.—Clear; N. W.; 20.9; 63; sea smooth. Tatoah, July 20, 8 a. m.—N. E.; 15 miles; 20.9; 54; sea moderate. Out four-masted schooner towing, 4.05 a. m. In steamer Tallac at 5.45 a. m.; steamer Maverick, 6.05 a. m. Estevan, July 20, 8 a. m.—Clear; W.; temp. 55; sea moderate. Pachea, July 20, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; 20.9; 57; sea smooth. N. Y. K. liner Awa Maru, 199 miles off Cape, at 11.55 p. m. bound in. Prince Rupert, July 20, 8 a. m.—Clear; calm; 20.4; 62; sea smooth. Spoke steamer Jefferson, 8.15 p. m.; will arrive Ketchikan, 3 a. m. Triangle, July 20, 8 a. m.—Dense fog; fresh N. E.; 29.5; 44. Point Grey, July 20, noon.—Clear; N. W.; 20.9; 53; out large 3-masted freight steamer with buff funnel, 11.45 a. m., and Princess Beatrice, 9.55 a. m.; St. Denis passed in 8.30 a. m. Cape Lazo, July 20, noon.—Clear; N. W.; 20.7; sea smooth. Tatoah, July 20, noon.—Clear; north 12 miles; 20.9; 50; sea moderate; In 2-masted steamer, probably Alameda, 9.22 a. m. Estevan, July 20, noon.—Clear; west; 55; sea moderate. Pachea, July 20, noon.—Clear; calm; 20.9; 65; sea smooth. Triangle, July 20, noon.—Dense fog; fresh N. E.; 29.4; 34; spoke Princess Rupert, 8.30 a. m., northbound off China Heights; Quadra, off Egg Island, 11.50 a. m. Prince Rupert, July 20, noon.—Clear; calm; 20.4; 68; sea smooth. Ikeda, July 20, noon.—Cloudy; fresh N. W.; sea moderate. Findlay, Durham & Brodie of this city, report that both Skeena River and Rivers Inlet canneries are doing exceptionally well this season so far. The run of salmon is very large and the fish are fine.

C. P. R. STEAMERS ARE DOING BIG BUSINESS

Many Tourists Going to View Taku Glacier by the Skagway Liners

The advent of the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company to this coast has so far made no appreciable difference in the business done by the C. P. R. The Princess Royal arrived yesterday evening from Skagway and way ports, bringing 105 passengers, among whom were a number of round-trip tourists, more especially the famous Taku glacier. This glacier is very fine and is well worth the trip to view it. On the last visit there was a good deal of loose ice, but in spite of this the vessel was able to get quite near the foot, from which point the scene was magnificent.

DOCK EXTENSIONS COMMENCE FRIDAY

Victoria Dock Co. Adding 100 Feet to Structure at Present There

The work of enlarging the wharf owned by the Victoria Dock Company, where the Iroquois lands and loads every day, is about to commence. The first piles will be driven on Friday next and will be continued until 100 feet has been added to the length of the dock. This will be triangular in shape and will be a great advantage to steamers leaving.

CHINESE PASSENGERS ON JAPANESE STEAMER

Awa Maru Brings Hong Kong Celestials as Well as Many Nipponese

Japanese liner Awa Maru arrived this afternoon with a general cargo from Oriental ports and a large number of passengers. She has for Victoria 51 passengers, including 13 Chinese, and also 20 tons of Japanese goods. The greater part of her cargo will be carried to Seattle and much of it will be shipped inland over the Great Northern Railway.

MARINE NOTES

The P. C. S. S. Co.'s steamship Umatilla, Capt. Reilly, has failed to make up the day lost on her last trip from San Francisco and will not leave here on her return voyage to California until 8 a. m. to-morrow.

SHIPPING GUIDE

Table with columns: Vessel, From, To, Date. Includes entries for Ocean Steamships, Coastwise Steamers, and Ferry Service.

FERRY SERVICE

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.

RATES SUSPENDED

New York, July 20.—Eastern railroads which filed increased freight rates with the interstate commerce commission, which were to go into effect August 1st, have voluntarily suspended them.

Notice

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Excursion Rates to Eastern Destinations

Good for Thirty Days Return, via Canadian Pacific Railway. On Sale July 22, August 3, and September 8, 1910.

Table listing excursion rates for various destinations including Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Boston, and North Sydney.

Secure your sleeping accommodation early. For routing and further information write to or call on L. D. CHETHAM, City Pass. Agent.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y DOUBLE TRAIN SERVICE DAILY

Table showing train schedules for Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, including North-bound and South-bound trains with times and agents.

Grand Trunk Pacific BI-WEEKLY SERVICE

FOR Prince Rupert, Stewart and Queen Charlotte Islands

Via Vancouver. S.S. "Prince Rupert"—3000 Tons—S.S. "Prince George" Every Monday, 10 a. m. Every Friday, 10 a. m.

FOR SEATTLE

Saturdays and Wednesdays—Midnight. Returning, leave Seattle Sundays and Thursdays at midnight.

For full information, tickets, etc., also for information re Grand Trunk Railway system or Grand Trunk Pacific points, apply Temporary offices, G. T. P. Dock, Wharf street, rear of Post Office. Write or telephone W. E. DUPEROW, C. P. A. HAROLD BROWN, Dock and Freight Agt. G. T. P. S. S. Phone 2431.

SEATTLE ROUTE S.S. 'IROQUOIS'

Leaves Victoria 9 a. m. daily, except Sunday, for Port Townsend and Seattle. RETURNING Leaves Seattle Midnight. Tickets interchangeable with C. P. R. Steamers. JAMES MCARTHUR, Agt. Phone 2264. 424 Wharf St.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Leaving Victoria at 5 a. m. July 20, 27, 34. UMATILLA or CITY OF PUEBLA. THROUGH SERVICE. Leave Seattle 9 a. m. Steamers GOVERNOR or PRESIDENT, July 22, 29, 31. After arrival of the said steamers in June and July. The contract with these steamers will expire upon completion of their present voyage and all accounts should be settled before the steamers are released. A. T. CRIGHTON.

CANADIAN MEXICAN STEAMSHIP LINE

All claims against the steamer "Georgina" and "Lonsdale," operated under the name of the Canadian-Mexican Steamship Line, must be presented within ten days after arrival of the said steamers in June and July. The contract with these steamers will expire upon completion of their present voyage and all accounts should be settled before the steamers are released. A. T. CRIGHTON.

Northern Steamship Company of B. C.

New Steamer "PETRIANA" Sails Thursday July 21st, 9 p. m. Hardy Bay, Bella Bella, Swanson Bay, Eslington, Skeena, canneries, Naas, Prince Rupert, Stewart and Portland Canal. LOADING AT FORTE'S WHARF. For freight and passage apply H. A. TREGEN, Gen. Agent, 424 View St., Victoria. Phone 2267.

NOTICE

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TRIANGLE ISLAND STATION.

Latest Dominion wireless station to be equipped. Alongside it is being erected what will be the most powerful lighthouse in commission on this continent.

of gun metal and has a diameter of 15 feet, standing 32 feet high. It will be placed on a reinforced concrete tower which, however, will be only 20 feet high. This will make the light 700 feet above sea level and will give it a large range.

The Estevan tower is also of the first order, but not quite as powerful as Triangle. It stands about 100 feet high and has been seen from a distance of forty miles.

The colonel found the harbor of Prince Rupert well lighted, and Stewart has such a good approach that no lights are needed. The intention is, however, to improve the marking of the inside passage, between this port and Prince Rupert, so that the fast steamers now plying to the north may find no difficulty in finding the way.

At Stewart the work on the approach to the new government wharf had commenced and Mackenzie & Mann are also building a wharf. This, he thought, would be a great convenience to the new mining town.

Colonel Anderson went over the West Coast trail, which has now been completed as far as Shelter Bite from Banfield. The department is continuing the work in the direction of Carmanah and men are now working on this.

MOVEMENT OF VESSELS

On the Coast. Seattle—Arrived: Str. Maverick from San Francisco; str. Humboldt from Skagway; str. Cottage City from Skagway. Sailed: Str. St. Helena for Nome; str. Admiral Sampson for San Francisco; str. Northland for Sitka; U. S. str. Albatross for Vancouver. San Francisco—Arrived: Str. Jim Butler from Tacoma; U. S. cruiser South Dakota from Callao. Sailed: Str. Virginia for Seattle; str. City of Puebla for Seattle; Jap. str. Chiyo Maru for Hongkong. Los Angeles—Arrived: Str. President from Seattle; str. Buckman from Seattle. Sailed: Str. Roanoke for Portland. Ketchikan—Sailed: Str. Meteor for Seattle. General. Liverpool—Arrived: Str. Mauretania from New York.

IRRIGATION AND ITS VALUE

IN BRITISH COLUMBIA DRY BELT A NECESSITY

Problems to Be Considered at the Coming Convention in Kamloops

Kamloops, B. C., July 20. -Professor Carpenter asserts that no less than three-quarters of the food supply of the world is grown by means of irrigation, therefore, stop these sources of supply and the greater proportion of the human race would be reduced to starvation. How important a part irrigation plays in China and India is comparatively little known, but the wonderful irrigation works on the Nile made possible by European skill and capital, have drawn much attention to the subject, showing that fabulous sums thus expended are justified by results now attainable by the Egyptian laborer. In Australia irrigated areas are increasing every year. In the Murray river district water is pumped three times before it reaches the level where it is used in growing grapes and currants.

These fruits are dried and shipped to England as raisins and currants, and dominate the London market. To come nearer home, immense sums are now being spent in the semi-arid states of America in making water available for the dry and thirsty but fertile soil. From these facts we learn two things, first of all the importance of the subject and the amount of skill and energy being exercised in planning and carrying these works to a successful issue, and, secondly, the favored position of Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia in having so much water so easily available for irrigation purposes.

The fertility of the soil of the interior of British Columbia, where water could be put on it, was soon recognized by the pioneers of fifty years ago and the creeks recorded under government regulation, an arrangement which worked very well until an ever-increasing number of settlers caused a shortage and bickerings, which in spite of the good offices of the government agents, who invariably endeavored to smooth over these difficulties, frequently culminated in a lawsuit. In this way the development of the dry belt of the province has been seriously retarded and in spite of every other natural advantage settlement has been slow.

The reasons are obvious, every irrigator has been a law unto himself, a very liberal law to himself, but a very miserly one to his neighbors. The first recorder may be an estimable man until there is a water shortage, then he becomes a water hog in the eyes of his neighbors, who, if put in his place, would act in exactly the same way as

he does. The mischief of it is not one in a hundred has ever given an hour's study to the proper handling of water, overflowing ditches, flooded arable land and pastures turned into swamps have been and still are the ethics of their irrigation and the scientist who would show a more excellent way is politely, and not always that, thrust aside and the waste continues.

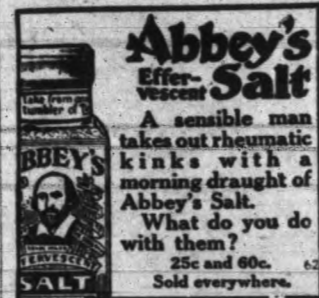
This seems the more aggravating, as in the majority of cases the water from the creeks is monopolized by agriculturists on the bottom lands within a few feet of a mighty river or an extensive lake, every mile of which contains enough water to flood the whole valley and would if utilized, leave the creeks available for settlers on the higher levels.

To advance this view is to be met with the emphatic statement that vested rights must not be interfered with, in other words, that a monopoly purchased 20 or 30 years ago for anything from \$10 to \$25 must be maintained with all its original advantages. Undoubtedly the rights have become exceedingly valuable, especially in view of the fact that a score of struggling settlers may be absolutely ruined in maintaining them, in which case should they not be taxed accordingly? This alternative would be acceptable to everybody but those holding the earlier records, but a still better way would be for the government to take the matter in hand and encourage the investment of capital for pumping water by electricity generated by the falls which are to be found in nearly every district in the province.

It may be urged that private companies are already at work; that is true, in a sense, and the Fruitlands Company at Kamloops and the B. C. Development Association at Pelly, the Columbia Valley Irrigated Fruit Lands Company of Windermere and the White Valley Irrigation Company in the Okanagan valley are fine examples of what can be done in this respect, but they only touch the fringe of the subject; they are concerned with choice blocks of lands of their own made available for the monied classes, who are wanted to settle on them, but are in no way available for the impecunious settler willing to do the coarser but equally necessary work of mixed farming.

But if these estates can be made to pay big salaries and dividends to their owners surely the Provincial and Dominion governments and the railway companies, the big real estate owners, the big stockholders, the big titles they seek to attract here. The feasibility of large works of this character have been demonstrated by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's enterprise in Alberta and the pity of it is that no counterpart of J. S. Denis of B. C. could do likewise for the multitudes they seek to attract here. The feasibility of large works of this character have been demonstrated by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's enterprise in Alberta and the pity of it is that no counterpart of J. S. Denis of B. C. could do likewise for the multitudes they seek to attract here.

These are matters which will occupy the attention of the forthcoming convention and there is hardly a man in the interior of B. C. but has pecuniary interests more or less affected by the situation. Hence it is now time to



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work up facts and figures for the delegates to present to the Western Canada Irrigation convention to be held in Kamloops the first week in August.

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The accompanying letter describes so well the condition of a person whose nerves are weak and exhausted that little need be added.

The dangers of such a state of health is sometimes overlooked by persons who do not realize that the next step is some form of paralysis which leaves one helpless in mind and body.

Mrs. Edward Schwartz, Ladysmith, Que., writes:—"It is a pleasure to let you know how I was benefited by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. I was run down and weak, unable to do any housework, was easily tired and exhausted, lacked energy and ambition, was very nervous, easily irritated, could not concentrate the thoughts, hands and feet were cold, I could not sleep, had frequent head aches and dizzy spells and palpitation of the heart."

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A pathetic drowning fatality in one of the reaches of the Medway below Chatham dockyard, the victim being a lad named William Pocock, the fifteen-year-old son of a well known Chatham fisherman, occurred recently. Pocock and a brother were, with their father, engaged in trawling for shrimps when William fell overboard. The father—who was wearing heavy boots and clothes—plunged in after him, but failed to save him. The father in turn became in danger, and was rescued by his other son.

DIAMONDS ARE PRESENTED TO QUEEN

Gift From South Africa in Commemoration of Union of Colonies

Sir Richard Solomon, high commissioner of the Union of South Africa, had the honor recently, on behalf of the government and people of the Union of South Africa, of presenting to her Majesty Queen Mary, in commemoration of the Union of the South African colonies, six diamonds mounted as ornaments and cut out of the well-known Cullinan stone, which was discovered early in 1905 in the Premier diamond mine, near Pretoria.

The ornaments have been mounted according to designs approved by her Majesty. The two largest of these diamonds, which are considered by experts to be of matchless quality, one weighing 92 and the other 62 carats, have been mounted as a pendant; three averaging about ten carats each have been mounted as a small pendant, and the sixth diamond as a ring.

It will be remembered that on November 9th, 1907, Sir Richard Solomon, as agent-general for the Transvaal, had the honor of presenting the original Cullinan diamond, weighing about 3,000 carats, more than three times the size of the largest diamond previously discovered, to his late Majesty King Edward VII. as an expression of the feeling of loyalty and attachment of the people of the Transvaal to his Majesty's person and throne. In graciously accepting the gift for himself, his heirs, and successors, his late Majesty stated "that he would cause this great and unique diamond to be kept and preserved among the historic jewels which form the heirlooms of the crown."

This stone was subsequently sent to Messrs. Ascher & Co., of Amsterdam, with whom an arrangement was made to cut it into two large diamonds according to a design submitted by them and approved of by his late Majesty; these diamonds, one weighing 516 1/2 and the other 393 carats, are now among the crown jewels.

After giving effect to the above arrangement there remained in the hands of Messrs. Ascher & Co. as their property several pieces of uncut stones (forming the residue of the original), which were cut by them into six beautiful diamonds, the subject of the presentation to her Majesty, and purchased some months ago by the Transvaal government so as to prevent their sale by Messrs. Ascher & Co. to any chance purchaser, forming portion, as they did, of a historical diamond.

It was the intention of that government to hand these diamonds over to the Union government as soon as they assumed office in order that they might be presented on behalf of the people of the Union to her Majesty during her intended visit to South Africa for the opening of the first parliament of the Union.

The greatly lamented death of his late Majesty made this visit impossible

and the government of the Union of South Africa therefore requested Sir Richard Solomon to make the presentation on their behalf.

Her Majesty graciously accepted the gift and requested Sir Richard Solomon to convey to the government and people of the Union of South Africa the following message:

"I am deeply touched by the generous wish of the government and people of the Union of South Africa to present to me these beautiful diamonds in memory of the inauguration of the Union. I gratefully accept the gift for myself and for those who come after me as an addition to the crown jewels.

"The diamonds will not only be lasting proof of the unique mineral resources of South Africa, but a cherished token of affection evinced towards me by its people. My only regret is that circumstances, alas, have made it impossible for me to receive this offering in South Africa itself during that visit to which I had looked forward with keen interest and pleasure."

It has been figured out that the British Empire is sixteen times larger than all the French dominions, and forty times greater than the German Empire.

As trade now stands, there is not enough gold out of the earth, if it were all coined, to transact the business of a day.

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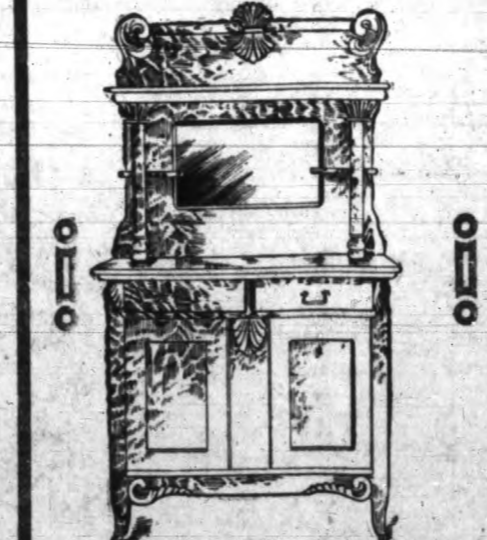
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

H. E. Newton left for Vancouver last night.

Lawrence Redington, Seattle, visited this city yesterday.

H. H. Morris has gone over to the mainland on business.

Miss Beasley went over to Vancouver last night on a visit.

W. C. Moresby came over from Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

C. W. Sprague, Seattle, spent yesterday in this city on business.

K. Leiser went over to Vancouver last night on a business trip.

L. Camusa went over to Vancouver on a business trip yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Pringle, Belleville, Ont., is enjoying a visit in this city.

B. Bridgman left on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver yesterday.

J. W. Givens sailed for the Terminal city on the Charmer last night.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Strand, Mexico, arrived in town yesterday from Seattle.

Brock Robertson returned from Vancouver yesterday on the Charlotte.

H. A. Ross went over last night on the Charmer for the Terminal city.

Dr. Ernest Hall was a passenger on the Charmer for Vancouver last night.

S. H. de Carteret crossed over to Vancouver last night on the Charmer.

Miss Fenwick was among last night's passengers on the Charmer for Vancouver.

H. Le Page returned from a brief visit to the mainland yesterday afternoon.

E. E. Welch left for Vancouver yesterday afternoon on the Princess Victoria.

Ernest Waller, Yates street, returned from Seattle yesterday on the Princess Victoria.

Col. A. W. Currie was among the

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of the province. He will visit the Kamloops, Okanagan, Kootenay, Columbia Valley, Boundary, Cranbrook and Roseland districts. The purpose of the trip is to select localities in which to have demonstration orchards established.

F. Arthur Robertson, vice-president of the Western Finance Co., Ltd., has returned to this city from a mountain-climbing expedition. He was successful in reaching the top of Mt. Stephen, which is 10,485 feet above the sea level, and is, according to Mr. Robertson, one of the grandest peaks in the great Rocky mountain range.

The marriage was solemnized recently at Philadelphia, of Mr. James H. Bacon, formerly G. T. P. harbor engineer, and Miss Beasley Tyson, Jacksonville, Fla.—Mr. Bacon is well known in this city, having made many friends during the time he was here. He also had a large circle of friends in the north. Mr. and Mrs. Bacon will take up their residence at Prince Rupert.

A very pleasant surprise linen shower was given last evening in honor of Miss Molly Hancock at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Abbott, Maple Hill, Saanich road, when a large number of friends assembled to wish her farewell, and every happiness prior to her departure for Vancouver. Miss Hancock is to be married Wednesday afternoon to Mr. Neil E. McKay, Vancouver.

A very pleasant anniversary garden party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Creed, Fernwood road, on Saturday, in honor of their silver wedding. Their children and friends gathered early in the afternoon in the prettily-decorated gardens and games of all kinds were played. In the evening a dainty supper, which was a surprise to the host and hostess, was served. The table was decked with lilies and roses by Mrs. J. A. Creed, Mrs. and Miss Herberger and Miss Edith Creed. In the evening several musical selections were rendered by Walter Creed, violin; John Creed, piano; Mr. Dinsley, flute; Mrs. K. Herberger and Bert Emery, piano.

The Evening Chit-Chat
BY RUTH CAMERON

To be able to give gracefully is a rather unusual talent.

But to be able to receive gracefully is an infinitely rarer one.

The childish and prolonged squabbles we hear so often in street cars over the payment of fares are an excellent example of the inability of many of us to accept a favor simply and gracefully.

To protest and make much fuss and feathers about receiving a favor seems to be the popular idea of gratitude.

As a matter of fact, it is extremely bad taste to protest a favor that you know in your heart you will accept in the end. Accept promptly and simply. Say "Thank you" in the prettiest and most gracious way that you know how, but with as little fuss and feathers as possible, and you honor your benefactor far more than by going through a rignarole of protest.

I had the pleasure of meeting the other day a well-known woman of whose brilliance and charm I had long heard, and the thing which impressed me about her, even more than her witty conversation and her beauty, was the perfect graciousness and simplicity which she accepted it when another member of the party offered her a more comfortable chair.

There is, of course, such a thing as the self-worship which accepts all favors simply and unprotestingly just because it looks upon them as tribute due.

But I do not mean that kind of simplicity. I mean the kind that seems to say, "You wish to do me a kindness. I thank you. I will try to honor you by accepting it as graciously as you give it, and some day I shall hope to have my turn at being donor."

The blessedness and happiness of giving is not a moral fiction. It is a live fact. To talk it up by an ungenerous reception is selfishness therefore.

I once knew a girl who for many years received an unusually good salary as a stenographer and had been lavishly generous with her earnings, doing good in every direction, and enjoying to the full the blessedness of giving. Reverses came to her. Her health gave way and she had to give up her position and go back to her home in the country.

Some of her friends and office mates, thinking it was a good opportunity to do by her as she had done by others, got together and made up a purse which they planned to give to her on her departure.

And she who had been indulging for years in the joy of giving refused to help others to do the same happiness.

She indignantly refused the purse, saying that when she needed charity she would ask for it.

For, like many others, though past-master in the art of gracious giving, she did not know the A, B, C of the art of receiving.

Just as it is far easier to look down upon anyone with dignity than to look up, so it is far easier to give with graciousness than to receive.

But she who has the true dignity may maintain it, no matter how often the accident of height forces him to look up, so he who has the true graciousness may maintain it no matter how constantly the accident of position and possession forces him to give rather than to receive.

Ruth Cameron

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Phil R. Smith left this morning on a bicycle trip to Alberni.

W. Finch Page left on a tour of the interior yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. F. V. Robertson left on a visit to friends in Butte, Mont., yesterday.

The Misses Sexsmith, Harrison street, are visiting friends in Seattle and Tacoma.

H. L. Courtney arrived on the Princess Charlotte from Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

T. M. Jones was a passenger for the Terminal city yesterday on the Princess Victoria.

Mrs. N. Shakespeare will receive on Friday, and not again until the second Friday in October.

Wallace Courtney left this morning for Shawanigan Lake, where he will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Irving Archer, 1216 Basil avenue, will not be receiving to-morrow, nor again until September.

The Misses Allan, of Arthur, Ontario, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. D. Allan, of this city.

W. Blakemore has left on a trip up the coast and will be absent from this city for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ribordy left by the Northern Pacific yesterday on a month's visit to St. Paul.

Mrs. E. C. Davidson and daughter, Miss Davidson, are among the visitors in this city from the Old Land.

J. L. Forrester was among the passengers on the Princess Victoria for Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

Miss Ethel Bailey left yesterday afternoon for Vancouver, where she will spend a week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Lee White and Miss Hallbohn, Ryde, Eng., are visiting this city as guests at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. A. D. Whittier left for Seattle yesterday to visit with Mrs. Hurlbut at her summer home on Lake Washington.

Thomas Watson was among the passengers on the Princess Charlotte which arrived from Vancouver yesterday afternoon.

Howard E. Bowers, of Wichita, Kansas is spending a three months' vacation with his brother, at 201 Phoenix Place.

Mrs. Francis, formerly of this city but now of Salt Spring Island, left on Monday for Calgary, where she will visit her son.

Miss Maryon Arnold, Sardinia, arrived by the Princess Charlotte yesterday afternoon, on a midsummer visit to her aunt, Mrs. P. Walker, Dallas road.

E. J. Haughton, superintendent of Dominion wireless on the Pacific coast, after spending several days in Vancouver, returned to this city yesterday afternoon.

Rev. Earl M. Wilbur, D. D., president of Unitarian Theological College, Berkeley, Cal., preached to the Unitarian congregation here on Sunday. He was the guest of John Gunn, Gorge road.

Among the passengers on the Princess Victoria from Seattle yesterday afternoon were: Mrs. Brooks and Miss Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rhodes, S. H. Kerry, E. W. Sullivan and E. Douglas.

Thirty-five members of the Raymond-Whitcomb party from Boston, Mass., arrived on the Princess Victoria from Seattle yesterday afternoon. They were taken on a sight-seeing trip around the city and left on the Princess Charlotte in the evening for the Sound.

W. E. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, left to-day on an extended tour

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

Table of San Francisco market prices for various commodities like wheat, barley, and sugar.

LOCAL MARKETS

Table of local market prices for various goods including meats, dairy products, and grains.

PACIFIC COAST STOCK EXCHANGE

Table of Pacific Coast Stock Exchange prices for various regional stocks.

VICTORIA STOCK BROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Table of Victoria Stock Brokers' Association prices for local and regional stocks.

GRAIN MARKETS

Table of grain market prices for wheat, barley, and other grains.

Table of wholesale market prices for various commodities including oils, flours, and other goods.

WHEALTHY PRISONER.

Seattle, Wash., July 20.—King county has the wealthiest prisoner ever incarcerated in its jail in the person of Chin Keé, Chinese laundryman.

FATAL PISTOL DUEL.

San Bernardino, Cal., July 20.—Calvin H. Mangie, a carpenter, is dead following a revolver duel in the yard of his home with Policeman Harry Hoop.

THE KING'S SONS.

It has been decided, writes the London correspondent of the Liverpool Courier, that when the proper time comes Prince Albert will in due course be created Duke of York, a title that is very affectionately regarded by both the King and Queen.

Amalgamated Development Co. Have Commenced Pumping Oil. The following is a copy of a telegram received from Katella, Alaska, by Auld, Gwin & McClarty: COPY RECEIVED AT 434 HASTINGS STREET, WEST, VANCOUVER, B. C. 62 ea zx Collect. Seattle, W. N. July 18, '10. Auld Gwin & McClarty, 518 Hastings St. West, Vancouver, B. C. Willoughby wires as follows: Well number one produced three hundred fifty barrels, sixteen hours. Getting number two ready now for pump. O. M. CLARK.

POLICE CHARGE MAN WITH MANY THEFTS

Charles Kersley, in Whose House Goods Were Found, Appears in Court. Charles Kersley, 1337 Vining street, was before Magistrate Jay this morning to answer a charge of theft of goods from the house of Rev. A. E. Roberts, and without having to plead, was remanded until to-morrow.

FIRES SPREADING IN OREGON AND WASHINGTON

Large Amount of Valuable Timber Goes Up in Smoke—Logging Camp in Flames. Astoria, Ore., July 20.—Half a million feet of lumber, two logging railroad trestles and a large amount of standing timber has been consumed in a forest fire which is reported to be approaching the camp of the Portland Lumber Company in the upper Gray's River district this afternoon.

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THE LONDON MYSTERY.

Dr. Crippen is Now Believed to Be in France or Spain. London, July 20.—It is believed that the police have found clues that indicate that Dr. Crippen, husband of the woman believed to have been murdered, and Mlle. Leneve are in France or Spain.

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The price is right, as also are the terms, \$200 cash, balance monthly.

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The woman clung to him, weeping, but Duncan put her gently aside, and, going out to the end of the veranda, whistled shrilly through his fingers. One of the boys came running up from the men's hut. "Jump on the old night mare, Harry; run up Wyonna, and put my saddle on her, and bring her here. Hurry up, now!"

The boy sped off into the darkness,

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Hammer Head; A Story of the Bush

By W. H. Ogilvie, in Pall Mall Magazine.

They were selling off the surplus horse stock on Thalangra station. The Thalangra brand was well known, and drovers, shearers, station managers and bushmen of every class and kind crowded round the ring to bid for the upstanding, broken and unbroken four and five year olds. These were disposed of at high prices, and then a few old cast-off stock horses, who had served their day, were submitted for sale. Most of them showed signs of wear and tear, and went at low prices to the teamsters and swagmen who had come along on the chance of picking up some old slave very cheaply, which might serve well enough for walking with bullocks or carrying a pack along the road at a foot pace. Old and worn out as most of these horses were, they yet showed signs of good breeding and a gameness of head and eye which was quickly recognized by good judges of horsemanship. It was generally understood that they had all been good ones in their day. One by one they were led in and led away the property of new owners at a price that in some cases amounted to only a couple or three pounds.

A ripple of laughter spread itself round the ring when a very old roan gelding with a ewe neck and prominent ribs and the quaint hammer head of extraordinary length came bounding into the arena with a youthful gaiety of action strangely at variance with his age and grotesque appearance. "You may laugh, gentlemen," said the auctioneer, a fine judge of horsemanship, "but this is a tried, good horse, they tell me—a horse of more than ordinary stamina and courage. Who'll give me a bid? Will anyone start him at a fever? Four pounds? Three pounds? Two-ten? Come, gentlemen, look at his head!" (Loud laughter.) "He's a game one, as any horseman can see. One pound, to start him?"

"Five bob!" ventured a dirty-looking teamster in a cabbage-tree hat. "Six and ninepence!" said a packer, sucking at a needle-wood pipe held upside down, in his mouth. Again there was a good deal of laughter, which increased when the old horse solemnly shook his long, hammer-like head. "He evidently don't want you for an owner," said the auctioneer, quick to seize his opportunity. "The dealer is quite—what?" returned the packer, taking his pipe out of his mouth the better to voice the retort. He was an Oxford man, and objected to be scored off by a country auctioneer.

"I'll give you a pound for him," said a kindly-eyed, brown-faced squatter, who was standing close to the auctioneer. "Thank you! A pound I bid. One sovereign I'm bid. Any advance on a pound? Are you all done? Going!—going!—gone! To Mr. James Duncan, of Willara. Next lot."

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and Duncan returned to the house. He pulled on his boots, fastened his spurs, and picked up a hat from a veranda chair. Then he went back to the sick room. Taking the child out of the cot, he wrapped him securely in a small blanket; then he kissed his wife. "Cheer up, Bessie, woman, we'll be in Bourke before 2 o'clock, and the doctor will soon put him all right; cheer up, girl!" He turned and strode along the veranda with his loose spurs jingling. The boy on horseback was dimly outlined beyond the gate. "I don't mind the horse, sir," he said. "The gate at the top of the paddock is open, and they've all got out, I think!" "Got out? Con-found it!—What? Every one of them?" "All but the old hammer-headed roan horse you bought on Wednesday—he's standin' beside the stockyard."

Duncan looked at the old, broken-down mare that the boy was riding, and she could not have galloped a quarter of a mile without falling down. She, at least, was out of the question. "Well, run the roan into the yard, and put my saddle on him. I'll be able to pick up a fresh horse at Mallan's. Hurry up, now!"

In two minutes the roan was standing before him, swinging his huge, ugly head up and down, and pawing the sand with an impatient fore-foot. "D-n it!" said the squatter, involuntarily, as he glanced at him. "I doubt if this old screw will carry me as far as Mallan's, but he ought to be better than the mare, anyway; his legs are sound. Here, give me up the child when I get on. Carefully, now!"

He swung into the saddle, took the pack, the bundle from the boy's hand, and, calling out, "Come and open the horse-paddock gate for me!" rode away into the shadows.

Once through the gate Duncan settled the child comfortably on his arm, and leaning forward, encouraged his horse to a trot. He had expected to find a dull and lazy brute slugging beneath him, and was agreeing to suit himself when the old roan caught up the bit at once, with a steady, strong pull upon the reins as he stretched away at a free canter. Five miles at this pace, and the horse seemed as ready as ever to go on. "By heavens!" Duncan said to himself, "this isn't a bad horse. He has come well across the plain." He reached down and unloosed the reins. "Scarcely had he closed it when the roan was up to the bit, and off again with his long, sweeping stride. Jim Duncan knew how to appreciate gameness in man or beast, and he patted the red neck with the hand that held the reins. This removed his hold on the bit, and the old horse, appreciating the slackening of his head, broke immediately into a smart gallop. The rider, knowing that every moment was precious, let him race along in the moonlight, saying to himself the while: "I'll change him at Mallan's—may as well let him go while he will. We'll be all the sooner fit Bourke, and that may mean the difference between life and death to the little 'un."

Mallan's hotel was fifteen miles from the station, and Duncan could scarcely believe his eyes when he saw the lights twinkling through the trees. He had steered the roan into a canter, and the old horse was fretting at the slow pace, and was tugging and rearing uncomfortably at the reins. Jim Duncan's left arm was growing tired with the strain, while his right was cramped where the child lay. He pulled the horse into a walk, and changed the precious burden to his left arm. Then he took a short hold of the reins. "Now, away you go, my beauty! As fast as you like! I don't believe Tom Mallan has a better horse in his stable than you, and I'd rather trust my child's chance of life to you than to the best he can lend me!"

The blue grass was waving girth-deep on Willara, and Jim Duncan was riding slowly across the Five Mile Plain. Beside him, on a stout little brown pony, rode young Teddy, strong, healthy, and sunburnt. Duncan's thoughts flew back to that fearful night more than four years ago when he had thought over that same stretch of country in a sweating fear that he

men, "an' he's ridin' an' old screw he bought at Thalangra sale. I wonder what he's ridin' him for; he'll be goin' for the doctor for his kid, now."

"Well, good luck to him, poor chap; said old Mallan, I know what that game means, and it's not a bonny ride!"

And the roan forged gamely on into the darkness, tugging at the reins as though his one object were to reach Bourke before the dawn.

Jim Duncan felt happier than he had done for many long hours. It was the helpless inaction that had unseated him. Now he felt that he was doing something to help his child, and he was glad. The beat of the brave hoofs under him stirred him to enthusiasm.

"By gad!" he said to the sharp, red ears that leaned back to him through the star-mist, "you're a game 'un and a good 'un, and if you carry me right through to Bourke, and save my boy's life, I'll see that you never feel a whip or a spur again."

was afraid to name. He pulled up his horse, and taking off his hat, murmured a prayer of thankfulness—the gratitude of a good man to his God. Teddy's pony began to tug at the tall grass, and Teddy to tug at his pony; angry, the little fellow reached over and hit the pony across the ears with his whip.

"Don't do that, my boy," said Duncan; "always be kind to your horses, Teddy—promise me!"

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REVOKES ALL-NIGHT LICENSES IN NEW YORK

Mayor Acts as Result of Tour of Broadway Restaurants and Cafes

(Times Leased Wire.)
 New York, July 20.—It developed today that Mayor Gaynor's revocation of all night licenses to certain restaurants and cafes on Broadway resulted from a personal investigation, which satisfied the mayor that best interests of the city demanded that these places be closed after certain hours at night. The mayor made a personal tour of the White Light district. In one restaurant a woman approached him and spoke endearingly. In another place where the flowing bowl was being passed freely a party of "all nighters" invited him to join them. Instead of accepting, Gaynor replied that such places may be able to run despite his wishes, but that "such scandalous things could not continue with his sanction."

The mayor is investigating the claim of actors who complained that there should be places where they may eat and drink when the performances at the theatres are over.

LYNN ESCAPES PRISON CELLS

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and the police station, on to Cormorant street, or came round through the city hall door into the building and made his way on to Pandora or Douglas street through the front or side entrances. Lynn had time either to get away on the "snooper" boat last night or to make his way into the country around Victoria. The perplexing part of the escape is that he was not missed last night when the prisoners were put in the cells.

The charge on which Lynn was to be tried this morning was holding up the Excelsior saloon with a revolver. He went there one night last week, demanded money, and tried to enforce his demands at the point of a gun. The licensee of the Excelsior refused to hand over, and told Lynn he could do anything he liked. Lynn was shortly afterwards arrested for drunkenness, and the gun was found in his pocket. In court Monday morning he said he had purchased it from a man on the corner of Niagara and Mendocino streets for 50 cents, while he was waiting for a car. He received a term of six months, and was then brought forward on the charge of holding up the saloon. The evidence of the prosecution was taken in this case yesterday morning, and a remand granted to Lynn, who said he desired to obtain witnesses.

Lynn first made the acquaintance of the police court about seven months ago, when he was given a term of imprisonment for deserting from a ship in Esquimalt harbor. At his former trial he complained he had been brought from Seattle to sign on the ship for a trip to Alaska, and when aboard found the ship was Australian bound. He had been given an advance of pay, and then deserted. He was recently released from jail on that sentence.

From the description, the police believe Lynn has taken the direction of Sidney, and will be found in that locality before long.

PACIFIC CABLE CANADIAN WIRE

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can code was employed. The characters of this code are regarded by cable men as not sufficiently distinct to be safely employed in handling important cable matter. The more precise continental characters leave less room for error or confusion, and these will henceforth be employed throughout.

The other improvement relates to speed. The Wheatstone machines for rapid transmission will be installed at the four relay stations—White River, Winnipeg, Calgary and Vancouver. At each of these stations two or three experts who have been brought from the London office, will watch the automatic relaying of all messages, their intervention being necessary only on emergency. The equipment at this end will be capable of handling 300 words a minute, although in actual operation Messrs. Baxendale and Milward do not anticipate that they will transmit more than thirty-five words per minute. Even this, however, is an increase of fifty per cent. on former averages.

About a score of trained men have been brought out by Mr. Baxendale, and they will have complete charge of the new wire, which is leased from the C. P. R., which also is charged with the maintenance of it. At Montreal messages are turned over to either the Commercial or the Anglo-Celtic companies, with coast stations at Canso and at Sydney, for transmission across the Atlantic.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

Woman Kills Daughter and Then Ends Her Own Life.

Miles City, Mont., July 18.—Mrs. Helen Philbrick, an authoress, killed her 11-year-old daughter, Faith, and then committed suicide, according to messages received here to-day from Rosebud Creek.

Mrs. Philbrick, who is alleged to have been mentally unbalanced for several years, was the guest of her brother, M. F. Howard, at his ranch. When she did not appear for breakfast last Sunday an investigation revealed the murder and suicide. Mrs. Philbrick was the author of "The Idiot and the Insane" and several other books. Among her effects were letters addressed to relatives telling of her intention to kill her daughter and end her own life. Her husband was drowned near this city five years ago.

ABANDONS POLICY OF OPEN SHOP

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of this injunction that Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison were sentenced to jail. Appeal in this case is still pending in the federal courts.

Van Cleave's fight against union labor, which he called the "muscle trust," has been carried on since 1905. Gompers Pleaded.

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 20.—The agreement settling the Buck Stove & Range Company's fight with union labor in no way affects the case against John Mitchell, Frank Morrison and myself," said President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor to-day. Mitchell, vice-president, and Morrison, secretary of the Federation, are under jail sentences with injunction by publishing the name of the Buck company in an unfair list.

The only change will be that the Buck company attorneys will drop out of the case, Gompers continued. Gompers said he was much gratified with the change in the methods of the Buck company.

The American Federation of Labor will assist the striking trainmen on the Grand Trunk, he said.

"The men on the Grand Trunk had

NEW JAPANESE TARIFF

Tokio, July 20.—An Imperial decree fixes the date on which the new tariff will go into effect as July 17th, 1911. Great Britain and ten other countries have sent notice of their intention to abrogate their date.

No word has been received from the United States as to settlement of the terms of the treaty between that country and Japan.

The alien land ownership law will not become effective until new treaties in regard to Korea have been signed. Everybody is awaiting developments in regard to Japan's movements in that country.

REFORMER TAKES CHARGE

Washington, D. C., July 20.—Major-General Leonard Wood yesterday became chief of staff of the United States

ARMY, SECOND IN COMMAND ONLY TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. He succeeds Major-General J. Franklin Bell, who has held the office for a number of years.

General Wood has long shown reform tendencies and it is expected that his incumbency will result in reforms in various branches of the army.

PICKLE PRICES RAISED.

Winnipeg, July 20.—Pickle manufacturers here say the local supply of raw material has fallen on account of the drought, and they must import what they need. Pickles have gone up in price.

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Tourists Welcome!
 Tourists will find this store filled with hundreds of most desirable souvenir items—little things that you'll not find in your home town, and things that not only serve as souvenirs, but decorate your home—or your friend's home.

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Some Smart Designs in Buffets
 Here Are Five Recent Additions to Our Furniture Floors

Below are listed five buffets chosen from our stock of these dining room pieces. These are recent additions that are exceptionally pleasing in design and interesting in price. We want you to have a look at these, and also at our big stock of dining room furniture. There's a broad assortment—something that'll please you.

BUFFET—A golden oak finish buffet. Has 1 full length linen drawer, 1 small drawer and 3 cupboards. The top measures 20x42 inches. Also has a 12x32 inch bevel plate mirror. Neat design and well built. Priced at \$25.

BUFFET—A solid quarter cut oak buffet, finished in nice golden. Has 2 small drawers (1 lined) and 1 full length drawer, 2 cupboards. Has a bevel plate mirror of best quality. A most attractive design and finished in best manner. Priced at \$32.00.

BUFFET—A handsome buffet style. Made from selected quarter cut oak finished golden. Has 1 full length linen drawer and 3 smaller drawers, 2 cupboards. Top measures 22x54 in. Has a 14x44 in. bevel plate mirror. Priced at \$80.00.

BUFFET—Your choice of either golden or Early English oak in this style. Has an oval bevel plate mirror 10x36 inches, 2 small and 1 full length drawers and 2 cupboards. Top measures 20x44 inches. A very neat design. Priced at \$40.00.

BUFFET—Here's a buffet style that'll please those partial to the Mission idea. This is a solid oak buffet, finished in Early English, 2 cupboards, 1 large and 3 small drawers. Bevel mirror, 14x14. Priced at \$60.00.

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