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MINISTER OF MARINE ORDERS INVESTIGATION

Into Sinking of Tug Chehalis By Steamer Princess Victoria--Mr. Justice Morrison Will Probably Preside.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, July 25.—The C. P. R. were prompt in asking for an official investigation into the serious accident on Saturday, when the small tug Chehalis was run down by the Princess Victoria at the entrance to Vancouver harbor. The minister of marine and fisheries has issued orders for a formal investigation, which will probably be conducted by Mr. Justice Morrison of the Admiralty court, assisted by the assessors, one from Vancouver and one from Victoria, who have yet to be selected.

A searching inquiry is demanded and will certainly be held. The official statement that a small launch was largely responsible for the accident to the Chehalis is confirmed by Frank Grant, of D. Spencer, Ltd., who was on the Princess Victoria at the time of the disaster. Mr. Grant explains that the launch

GIVEN ANOTHER DAY TO DECIDE

WHETHER INFORMANT MUST BE MADE KNOWN

James Anderson Says He Did Not Ask His Wife to See Percy Brown.

The commission, consisting of Fred Peters, K. C., inquiring into the Laurel Point land transaction, in which it is alleged that information relative to the amount of the tender of W. J. Pendray was given out from the lands and works department, resumed its sittings this morning.

Mr. Peters said that in the ordinary sense of the word the article was a very foolish and open contempt of court. It was highly improper, he thought for any paper to make comments during the taking of the evidence. If we were sitting as a supreme court judge he would certainly have the editor of the Times brought before him and ask him to explain. It was questionable whether a commissioner had power to punish a contempt not committed in the presence of the court.

There was not only a contempt but a misrepresentation of the evidence. There was nothing to show that any one was able to search the waste paper basket of the lands and works department. The document alluded to did not contain any information which could be of special service.

Frank Higgins said he supposed the remarks of the commissioner would apply also to the statements contained in a Columnist article in which it was alleged that the investigation was "useless."

The commissioner said he had not seen the article, and if Mr. Higgins had any objection to make it should be produced.

The commissioner added that he thought that comments should not be made by the press during the taking of evidence.

Dr. J. Gibbs was the first witness, and said that he had discussed with Jas. Murray the question of a tender for Laurel Point. He had figured out with Mr. Murray that Mr. Pendray would likely bid \$2,000 or possibly \$2,050 to secure it.

Cross-examined by Frank Higgins witness said that he and Mr. Murray were contemplating financing this themselves. They might have discussed the question that Mr. Pendray would be a probable purchaser. Witness could not remember of it. He could not remember Mr. Murray mentioning Jas. Anderson.

prevented the C. P. R. liner crowding into the shore line at Beacon Point closer than she did. The life craft with a party aboard was heading up to the waves with seemingly little more power than was necessary for steering. She held the course that would have meant safety for the Chehalis could the Princess Victoria have taken it. Under the circumstances the Chehalis was steering into the narrow channel from another direction slightly in the lead of the Victoria.

The latter appeared to strike a squaring the rail which the two vessels came together. He then rushed to the other side and saw the Chehalis roll over to that side before sinking.

Cross-examined, witness said that Mr. Murray told him that he had not seen the finance it. On the "Princess" day before the tenders closed Mr. Murray said that he would have to interpret James Anderson in this. He told him later that Mr. Anderson was going to Seattle, where he would interest a man with capital. Later Mr. Murray said that Mr. Anderson was not able to go to Seattle, and later still that Mr. Anderson had interested Mr. Harrison.

There was no understanding with Mr. Murray as to what was to be made out of the transaction if a sale were effected. There was no other understanding, except that which would be understood between two honest men, that if there was anything made out of it through financing it that he would participate in the profits.

In reply to the commissioner witness said that he got no information from the lands and works department.

James Anderson, sworn, testified that the first time his attention was called to Laurel Point was by Jas. Murray. Witness did not pay much attention to it. He ran across C. A. Harrison on the Saturday morning that the tenders were opened. He gave Mr. Harrison a sketch plan of the property which Mr. Murray had given witness. Later Mr. Harrison said he had put in a tender. He was given no assurance by Mr. Harrison, when he had the conversation with him, that the latter would put in a tender. He was not to participate in the profits. He had had no information from the lands and works department.

Cross-examined, witness said that he never told Mr. Harrison that he picked up the plan given to Mr. Harrison in the lands and works department. He told Mr. Harrison that it was got from the lands and works department, as it was a copy of the official plan. When Mr. Murray discussed "the question" with witness, the former said that Pendray's tender was likely to be in the neighborhood of \$2,000. He had probably mentioned the amount to Mr. Harrison and to the wife of witness in a casual way in discussing business. Witness said that he did not know for certain that Pendray was tendering. He never suggested to his wife that it would be a good thing to find out what Pendray was bidding. He did not know who was acting for Pendray. His wife was not interested, he knew in that matter at all.

Mr. Higgins called attention to the fact that Mr. Brown had said that Mrs. Anderson came into his (Mr. Brown's) office about 11.30 on the day that the tenders were opened.

Mr. Higgins wanted to know if he saw his wife after that.

The commissioner objected to this, as it was privileged from Mrs. Anderson's standpoint. Further cross-examined witness said that he thought he saw his wife on that day about the lunch hour. Mrs. Anderson did not say anything to him about what had taken place in Mr. Brown's office. Witness did not discuss the question of the Pendray tender with his wife on the morning of October 7th, the day the tenders were opened. Mr. Anderson said that he probably told his wife that Mr. Harrison had put in a tender. Witness was not interested in the transaction, and could not recall what took place.

He had probably discussed with his wife everything he knew about Pendray being likely to tender. All that Mrs. Anderson knew about this transaction was gained from witness. His wife told him so since the event. Witness said that Mrs. Anderson was from any instructions from himself. Further cross-examined witness said that he had known Hon. R. F. Green for a long time. He had never discussed any public business with Hon. Mr. Green or any other minister. The commissioner said that he would not have any questions asked as to any transactions outside of this Pendray deal.

Mr. Higgins said that he proposed to show that Mr. Anderson and Mr. Green discussed public matters affecting the department over which Mr. Green presided.

ENORMOUS GROWTH IN FOREIGN TRADE

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Taking the trade of Canada by decades since 1874, the following is the result: 1874, \$174,176,781; 1888, \$189,672,575; 1896, \$229,025,369; 1906, \$552,100,000. Exports of Canadian farm produce were \$128,418,297, as compared with \$93,331,868 for the previous year, an increase of \$35,086,429. The forest gives an increase of five millions, the fisheries five millions and manufactures of three and a half million.

For the month of June the imports for consumption were \$22,949,761, an increase of \$4,284,115. There was an increase in the exports of domestic produce of \$2,495,162, and of \$886,227 in foreign.

REPORTS ON ALL WATER SUPPLIES

WILL BE GIVEN THE ALDERMEN TO-DAY

Mayor Says It is Possible to Get Increased Supply For Next Year.

There will be no special meeting of the council for the consideration of water reports as contemplated at Monday's meeting of the board. As the aldermen could only have a few days in which to study these reports if a meeting was held this week, the Mayor has decided not to call the special session referred to until Tuesday evening. Copies of the reports will be distributed to-day. All were completed this morning, but the one on the Mill stream proposition, and this will be available with the others before the day is over.

His Worship was asked this morning for a statement on what would be submitted to the council in these reports, but declined to give the information sought. "It was only due to the statement," he said, "that they should first review the reports before the public has the opportunity of criticizing. I propose that they shall not be published until they have first come up in council. The reports have been carefully drawn up and clearly indicate the cost as also the additional cost of each proposition to the city."

His Worship said that in what is presented to the aldermen for their consideration there are no recommendations. The reports simply give information concerning each and every water proposition available to the city. The aldermen can therefore decide for themselves without prejudice.

While refusing to mention what proposition he intends taking with respect to any of the propositions reported upon, the Mayor said that it would be quite possible for the city to secure additional water supplies and to set up a committee for all those who are interested in the question of an adequate supply.

FREIGHT HANDLERS' STRIKE.
Idle at Oakland.
(Associated Press.)
San Francisco, July 25.—Between 400 and 500 freight handlers in the employ of the Southern Pacific in Oakland went on strike yesterday. They demanded an increase in pay from 22 1/2 cents to 25 cents an hour, such as was granted the freight handlers on this side of the bay over a week ago.

CANNERIES ARE CLEAN.

Report Made by Committee From Fisheries Commission of Conditions.

The D. G. S. Quadra left to-day for the West Coast with a party comprising members of the fisheries commission.

The committee consisted of J. C. Brown, ex-M. P. P., and Richard Hall, M. P. P., together with the secretary, J. C. McIntosh; C. Sweeney and J. P. Babcock will not be able to leave on the trip. E. G. Taylor, Dominion fishery inspector, has accompanied the commissioners in order to give them the advantage of his knowledge of conditions.

The commissioners will not take formal evidence, but will in addition to other work investigate whether United States vessels are poaching on the coast.

J. C. Brown, C. Sweeney, J. P. Babcock and E. G. Taylor, secretary of the provincial board of health, visited the canneries on the Fraser on Monday. This trip was made in response to a request from the department at Ottawa to make a thorough inspection and ascertain in an official way whether the conditions about the canneries were cleanly, etc.

The committee were able to report back that everything was in the most satisfactory condition, and that there was as much care taken in the canneries as in most of kitchen where food was prepared. In an official way this report will be circulated. It is understood, by L. P. Broder, minister of marine and fisheries, among the consuming markets of Europe.

GOT WRIT OF ERROR.

George D. Collins Scores Point in His Protracted Fight For Freedom.

A dispatch from San Francisco of yesterday's date says: George D. Collins scored a point Monday afternoon, the first he has gained since his conviction for perjury, when Judge Hebbard promised him a writ of error. It will bring his case before the Supreme court of the United States in October. It had been thought the lawyer had reached the end of his fight on the technicalities of the law, but his persistence and resource of law-picking have again served to give him a taste with prosecutors and courts. Access to the highest tribunal of the land is the one for which Collins has been working. The ruling of Judge Hebbard granting the writ of error is a great victory for Collins. The question he has raised involves a federal point. Collins claims that it was an illegal proceeding by which he was extradited from Victoria on one indictment and tried and convicted on an indictment brought subsequent to his return. The writ of error cannot be taken up before the next term of the Supreme court, which will be held in October.

ARRANGING FOR CRICKET WEEK

MANY VISITORS ARE EXPECTED IN CITY

Valuable Trophy Offered by C. A. Harrison—Preparing For Entertainment of Players and Friends.

The local cricketers are very enthusiastic over the prospects for the tournament which is to be held under the auspices of the Victoria Cricket Club in this city during the month of August. Mention has from time to time been made of the event which begins Monday, August 30th, and extends over the whole of the week.

According to the information now in the hands of the committee in charge there will be about seventy players in the city during the whole of the week. In a great many instances the members of the visiting teams will be accompanied by their wives and other friends, so that there will be many more visitors than is represented by the actual players on the teams.

The local committee realize that with so many friends present it will be necessary to provide entertainment other than that afforded by the various matches played on the field. It is likely that on the Friday evening of tournament week there will be an informal dance given at Assembly hall. It will in all likelihood be a "Planned Dance," thus removing all objection which might arise at such a time to the more formal dress affair.

The cricketer club of Nelson has telegraphed that it will send a team, so that there is likely now, in addition to the local eleven, to be teams from Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nelson. In view of Nelson coming, the committee in charge is preparing to make necessary alterations in the schedule of matches. C. A. Harrison, of the Driard hotel, has provided a valuable silver trophy to be competed for among the teams. It will be the only trophy of honor which will be presented.

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THE KING AND CANADA.

Lord's Papers Regret His Majesty Cannot Visit the Dominion.

London, July 24.—Discussing the King's position in regard to the invitation to visit Canada, the Outlook says: "The difficulties in the way of a visit to Canada have been exaggerated. For the first time the Mother Country had the power to take a step of real importance in the development of imperial unity. The other colonies would have been satisfied to be represented by Canada. In accordance with a visit of the crown as a national recognition, the issues involved were so vast that nothing should have stood in the way, except for reasons far weightier than given in Lord Eglon's dispatch."

The Spectator hopes that at a future date His Majesty will be able to visit a country of pre-eminent loyalty, which by actual achievement and the splendor of its destiny is regarded as the best among the allied nations of the Empire. Recognizing the necessity for the presence of the King at home now, the Spectator urges a change in His Majesty's duties giving more freedom in the future.

THE BATTLESHIP DOMINION.

Presentation of Silver Plate Will Be Made on Friday.

London, July 24.—At Portsmouth on Friday next the handsome silver centrepiece, which has been presented to the Dominion, will be presented to the Dominion. The centrepiece is a silver plate, which was designed to represent Canadian resources. A number of the subscribers to the Dominion fund are present.

QUEEN WILHELMINA.

(Associated Press.)

The Hague, July 25.—Queen Wilhelmina passed a good night. Her condition this morning is satisfactory.

REVOLUTION IS SPREADING IN RUSSIA

Troops Moving Against Rebels--Colonel of Gendarmes Slain in Warsaw--Troops Being Massed at Moscow.

(Associated Press.)

Moscow, July 25.—The massing of troops in this city continues. The railroad lines are carefully guarded, and the whole city is under semi-martial law.

In addition to the regular troops guarding Nicholas station, the remnants of the line connecting Moscow and St. Petersburg, a machine gun detachment is on duty there.

Situation at Odessa.
Odessa, July 25.—This city is comparatively quiet to-day. About 70 Jews have been arrested on suspicion of belonging to a self-defence organization.

On Strike.
Irga, Livonia, Russia, July 25.—Nine thousand workmen here struck work to-day.

Not Allowed to Land.
Revel, Esthonia, Russia, July 25.—A steamer loaded with Finnish workmen arrived here to-day, but the authorities would not permit them to land and the vessel departed, the men signing the "Marseillaise."

Appeal to People.
St. Petersburg, July 25.—Count Heyden, Prince Ljoff and St. Stokovitch, the three members of parliament who refused to sign the address to the country, issued at Viborg on July 23rd, to-day issued a separate address, appealing to the people to submit quietly to the imperial decree dissolving parliament and to prepare for the election of members to the new parliament.

The address points out that the Emperor acted within his constitutional rights under the fundamental law, and says that the signers of the address offer this advice from the profound conviction that it would be a crime in the midst of the political dangers to attempt to shake the power of the sovereign.

After firmly setting forth the views of the signers of the address regarding the solution of agrarian and other questions, and their dissent from the government programme, which made the relations between parliament and the ministry impossible, the address says the Emperor only expressed his legal prerogative in submitting the issue again to the people to decide whether the voice of parliament actually credited with the sentiment of the nation. It then appeals to the people to prove by their calmness that they are fitted for self-government, add at the same time to show the monarch by the representatives whom "they conscientiously elect" what they desire, and it adjures them not to attempt to use force which would be criminal madness, as it would surely provoke severe measures, adding: "The government is compelled to maintain the integrity of the state and the safety of the citizens at any price. Resistance with force not only gives an enormous number of offences, but will also bring Holy Russia to economic and political ruin."

Returning From Finland.
St. Petersburg, July 24.—The most serious immediate problem confronting the government is what to do with the members of the outlawed parliament, isolated arrests of members have occurred in various parts of the country and it is difficult to see how the government can avoid arresting all who participated in the Viborg meeting.

More than a hundred of the Russian members of parliament, who yesterday issued an address to the country, reached the Finnish railroad station here from Viborg at 3 o'clock this afternoon. A crowd of several thousand persons gathered there before the arrival of the train, but a heavy force of gendarmes promptly hurried the people into the streets, where they were driven away by mounted gendarmes. Several arrests of suspects were made in the crowd, but the orders of the police evidently were limited to preventing a demonstration, the cavalry in a neighboring barracks not appearing.

The last car of the train was occupied by the members of the Group of Toli and had red flags flying from the windows as it rolled into the station. Prince Dolgoroukoff and M. Naboukoff headed the members as they marched out in a body through the lines of police. A few friends, who managed to obtain admittance to the station, greeted the parliamentarians warmly, but they feared to indulge in any demonstration which might have justified the arrest of the members, who fully expected to be surrounded and marched off to prison. They appeared grave, but resolute.

On the train it had been arranged that the members of the various groups, if not arrested, should hold a caucus this evening and confer on the next step.

There seems practically no difference of opinion now. They have gone too far to retreat. They stand irrevocably committed and must march on. The only difference of opinion is what the next step will be and how far it will go.

LEGAL NEWS.

Mr. Justice Duff in Chambers This Morning--Special Sitting County Court To-Morrow.

Before Mr. Justice Duff this morning there was an interesting argument on an application to make a writ nisi for a writ of prohibition absolute. It arose in the case of Wallace vs. Hansford and was an appeal from the County court judge in Vancouver. Judgment was given in favor of the defendant.

Mr. Justice Duff's Honor Judge Duff, who is from a conviction by Police Magistrate Hall, who convicted a man named Hanson under a plea of insanity. A writ of habeas corpus was recently granted an habitual drunkard, and therefore local saloon-keepers are prohibited from supplying her with intoxicants. Giving the name of Mrs. Anderson, who purchased some whiskey from Hanson, who it is stated, did not know her.

The only other cases to be heard are two of minor cases, for debt, which were entered too late for last sitting.

LEGAL NEWS.

Further Massacres Feared.

It is feared that the uprising at Odessa is but the first of a series of anti-Jewish massacres throughout the country. The peasant and workmen members of parliament expect the revolutionary upheaval to first begin in the country. Revolutionary enthusiasts are scattering to the peasants and expect to induce them to rise almost in a body.

Word has been received here that the Moscow Workmen's Council will be held Sunday or Monday and a tentative decision to call a strike will be taken on Sunday.

A telephone message from Moscow says that a great popular demonstration organized by the leaders of the workmen as a preliminary to the strike occurred on the streets there today. But in pursuance of the plan, care was taken to keep within peaceful limits and there was no interference on the part of the police or troops.

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stone, Montana, is his brother, and says he had a brother, Harrison, better known as "Harry" Webb, in Saskatchewan, until a few months ago, and since then has lost track of him. A sister, Mrs. E. Sutherland, lives in Hansfield, Mar.

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THE USUAL METHOD.
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Officers Recalled.
Vienna, July 24.—Russian officers spending leave of absence at Austrian watering places have been telegraphically ordered to return to Russia. The orders point out that the authorities make it necessary to place the army on a war footing.

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PREPARING FOR BIG CONVENTION
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Halifax Doctor Perished While Swimming—Two Sailors Drowned as Result of Melee at Quebec.

Workmen Arrested.
Moscow, July 24.—The police to-day attempted to capture all delegates to the workmen's council, but succeeded in capturing only fourteen.

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Arbitration.
W. J. Bryan's Proposal Adopted by Inter-Parliamentary Union.
London, July 24.—Wm. J. Bryan's offer to arbitrate a treaty between the United States and Great Britain was discussed at the session of the inter-parliamentary union this morning and resulted in its being recast as follows:

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BAPTIST SUMMER ASSEMBLY.

Christian Revival Meeting Opens in Nelson To-day.

"There will be a great gathering of members of the Baptist denomination in this city this week," says Sunday's Nelson News. "Commencing on Wednesday a summer assembly, organized by Pastor Shanks, will convene and continue until Sunday, August 5th. The idea of this assembly is based upon the Northfield, Mass., gatherings, and is designed to combine a vacation with a Christian convention. The meetings will be held in a spacious tent to be erected on the public school grounds, immediately in front of the Baptist church. This tent is 70x50 feet, with nine-foot walls.

"There will be daily Bible lectures and special addresses on various subjects by prominent divines. Every evening there will be special music by the choir and solos by local and visiting soloists.

"Among the prominent divines who will be in attendance are Rev. S. A. Northrop, of Los Angeles; Rev. T. S. Stockhouse, of Winnipeg; Rev. G. H. White, of Charlottetown; P. E. L. Rev. N. Herman, of Pigeon Lake, Prairie; Mr. Rev. John McLean, of Glasgow, Scotland; Rev. G. T. Webb, of Chicago, general secretary of the B. Y. P. U. A.; Rev. J. A. Gordon, D. D., of Montreal; and Rev. C. Padley, of Lethbridge, Alta.

"Within the big tent, where the meetings are to be held, there is to be provided an information bureau and denominational exhibit. The latter will consist of Baptist church literature and supplies, and at the information bureau visitors will be assigned to residences during their stay in town and all questions will be answered."

At a meeting of the Philadelphia board of health Tuesday the announcement was made that twenty slaughter houses recently condemned as unsanitary had closed permanently. Sixteen other establishments were improved by order of the board; and the owner of one slaughter house who refused to obey the mandate to improve his plant was ordered prosecuted.



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TRADE RELATIONS WITH JAPANESE

CANADA NOW ENJOYS PRIVILEGES UNDER TREATY

Substantial Tariff Reductions are Accorded to Certain Products of the Dominion.

The treaty of commerce and navigation between Great Britain and Japan, ratified at Tokio August 25th, 1894, with the supplementary convention respecting the duties to be charged on British goods, signed at London, England, at Tokio November 21st, 1895, which have now been made applicable to Canada, are of very considerable importance to the people of British Columbia, as well as to the rest of the Dominion.

Under this treaty substantial tariff reductions are accorded to certain products of the Dominion, and therefore a publication of the tariff will undoubtedly be of great interest to the readers of the Times.

Under the original treaty of 1894 Canada had the option of becoming a party thereto up to 1897, but the late government, in its wisdom, decided not to ask that Canada should be included, while the present government came into office in 1896, only a few months before the time for taking advantage of the treaty would expire. Since that time nothing has been done to bring Canada under the provisions of the treaty until recently, when representatives of Great Britain and Japan decided that if Canada still desired to take advantage of the treaty she could do so. The result is that Canada has now become a party to the treaty, with effect from the 1st of July, 1906.

One of the results of our exclusion from the provisions of this treaty was that in many cases a duty of 20 per cent, or more had to be paid on Canadian products entering Japan, as against only 15 per cent, or even less, in the case of United States products. The United States enjoying the benefits of a treaty of a similar character to that now entered into by Canada.

Two very important changes in the treaty are the first and second, as follows:

Article I.

The subjects of each of the two high contracting parties shall have full liberty to enter, travel, or reside in any part of the dominions and possessions of the other contracting party, and shall enjoy full and perfect protection for their persons and property.

"They shall have free and easy access to the courts of justice in pursuit and defence of their rights; they shall be at liberty equally with native subjects to choose and employ lawyers, advocates and representatives to pursue and defend their rights before such courts, and in all other matters connected with the administration of justice they shall enjoy all the rights and privileges enjoyed by native subjects.

"In whatever relates to rights of residence and travel; to the possession of goods and effects of any kind; to the succession of personal estate, by will or otherwise, and the disposal of property of any sort in any manner whatsoever which they may lawfully acquire, the subjects of each contracting party shall enjoy in the dominions and possessions of the other the same privileges, liberties and rights, and shall be subject to no higher imposts or charges in these respects than the most favored nation. The subjects of each of the contracting parties shall enjoy in the dominions and possessions of the other entire liberty of conscience, and, subject to the laws, ordinances and regulations, shall enjoy the right of private or public exercise of their worship, and also the right of burying their respective countrymen according to their religious customs, in such suitable and convenient places as may be established and maintained for that purpose.

"They shall not be compelled, under any pretext whatsoever, to pay any charges or taxes other or higher than those that are, or may be, paid by native subjects, or subjects of the most favored nation."

Article II.

The subjects of either of the contracting parties residing in the dominions and possessions of the other shall be exempt from all compulsory military service whatsoever, whether in the army or navy, or in any other service, and from all contributions imposed in lieu of personal service, and from all forced loans or military exactions or contributions.

The remaining articles refer to freedom of commerce and navigation, and the respective rights of citizens of either country to hold and use property in the country of the other party.

The important part of the treaty is, of course, the tariff, which is given in full hereunder.

TARIFF.

No.	Articles.	Duty.
1.	Candies, manufactures of, ad valorem	10 per cent.
2.	Cement, Portland, 100 catties	0.062

3.	Cotton yarns, plain or dyed, 100 catties	4.150
4.	Cotton Tissues	0.015
5.	Drills, square yard	0.062
6.	Duck, square yard	0.062
7.	Handkerchiefs in the piece, square yard	0.012
8.	Prints, square yard	0.012
9.	Satens, plain, figured or printed, broadings, square yard	0.017
10.	Shirtings, dyed, square yard	0.012
11.	Shirtings, grey, square yard	0.006
12.	Shirtings, twilled, square yard	0.011
13.	Shirtings, white or bleached, square yard	0.010
14.	Tachos, square yard	0.060
15.	Turkey red cambrics, square yard	0.012
16.	Veilings, square yard	0.011
17.	Victoria lawns, square yard	0.006
18.	All other sorts of pure cotton tissues, and all tissues of cotton mixed with flax, hemp or other fibre, including wool, the cotton, however, predominating in weight, not specially provided for in this tariff, ad valorem	10 per cent.
19.	Coal, including anthracite, bituminous and lignite, in bulk, ad valorem	10 per cent.
20.	Iron and mild steel	10 per cent.
21.	Pig and ingot, 100 catties	0.062
22.	Bar and rod, exceeding 4-inch in diameter, 100 catties	0.200
23.	Nails, including spikes, sprigs, tacks and brads	0.012
24.	Wire, including galvanized, ad valorem	10 per cent.
25.	Pipes and tubes, ad valorem	10 per cent.
26.	Plate and sheet, 100 catties	0.125
27.	Screws, bolts and nuts, plain and galvanized, ad valorem	10 per cent.
28.	Sheet, galvanized, both plain and corrugated, 100 catties	0.740
29.	Tinned plates	10 per cent.
30.	Iron, galvanized, ad valorem	10 per cent.
31.	Wire and small rod, not exceeding 4-inch in diameter, 100 catties	0.200
32.	Wire, telegraph or galvanized, 100 catties	0.250
33.	Note—By the term "mild steel," as used in this tariff, is understood mild steel manufactured by the Siemens process, Bessemer or similar processes, and approximating in value to iron of the same class in this tariff.	
34.	Lead, pig, ingot and slab, 100 catties	0.316
35.	Leather	10 per cent.
36.	At sole, 100 catties	0.800
37.	Other kinds, ad valorem	10 per cent.
38.	Linen yarns, plain or dyed, 100 catties	0.320
39.	Linen tissues	0.012
40.	Cannas, square yard	0.041
41.	All other sorts, ad valorem	10 per cent.
42.	Note—It is expressly understood that ready-made clothing and other made-up articles are not included under the heading of Linen Tissues.	
43.	Mercury or quicksilver, 100 catties	0.418
44.	Milk, condensed or sterilized, 1 lb. tin	0.022
45.	Oil, paraffin, ad valorem	10 per cent.
46.	Paint in oil, 100 catties	1.204
47.	Paper, printing, 100 catties	1.163
48.	Saltpetre (nitrate of potash), 100 catties	0.400
49.	Silk-faced cotton satins, ad valorem	15 per cent.
50.	Note—It is expressly understood that all other mixed tissues of cotton and silk, and of wool and silk, where the cotton or wool predominates in weight, are to be classified for duty under Nos. 17 and 61 of this tariff respectively.	
51.	Steel (Other Than Mild Steel)	10 per cent.
52.	Bar, rod, plate and sheet, ad valorem	10 per cent.
53.	Wire and small rod, not exceeding 4-inch in diameter, 100 catties	1.819
54.	Sugar, refined	10 per cent.
55.	(a) No. 15 to No. 20, inclusive, Dutch standard in color, 100 catties	0.748
56.	(b) Above No. 20 Dutch standard in color, 100 catties	0.827
57.	Block, pig and slab, 100 catties	1.262
58.	Plates, 3/4 ad valorem	10 per cent.
59.	Wax, paraffin, 100 catties	0.544
60.	Woolen and worsted yarns, plain or dyed, 100 catties	3.108
61.	Woolen and Worsted Tissues, Pure or Mixed With Other Materials	10 per cent.
62.	Alpacas, square yard	0.075
63.	Blanketing and whipped blanketing in plain weave, 100 catties	7.438
64.	Buntings, square yard	0.061
65.	Cloth	10 per cent.
66.	(a) Wholly of woolen or worsted yarn, or of woolen and worsted yarn, such as broad, narrow, and army cloth, cassimeres, tweeds and worsted coatings, square yard	0.953
67.	(b) In part of woolen or worsted yarn and in part of cotton yarn, such as pilot, cotton, and union cloth, square yard	0.939
68.	Flannels, square yard	0.044
69.	Hessian cloth, square yard	0.029
70.	Manilla, square yard	0.020
71.	Muslin, square yard	0.021
72.	Where the warp is worsted and the weft woolen	10 per cent.
73.	(b) All other kinds, ad valorem	10 per cent.
74.	All other sorts, pure or mixed with other material, the wool, however, predominating in weight, not specially provided for in this tariff, ad valorem	10 per cent.
75.	Note—It is expressly understood that ready-made clothing and other made-up articles are not included under the heading of Woolen and Worsted Tissues.	

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Weights, Measures and Coins.

The catty mentioned in this tariff is the Japanese catty. It is equal to 360 grammes of the metric system of weights, or 1.237 lbs. English avoirdupois weight. The pound is the English avoirdupois weight.

The square yard and square foot are the English Imperial surface measures.

The yen is the present Japanese silver yen of 360 fineness and the grain in weight.

Rule for Calculating Ad Valorem Duties.

Import duties payable ad valorem on this tariff shall be calculated on the net weight of the goods as the price of purchase, production or fabrication, with the addition of the cost of insurance and transportation from the place of purchase, production or fabrication to the port of discharge, as well as commission, if any exists.

THE LATE RUSSELL SAGE.

New York, July 24.—The funeral services over the body of Russell Sage were held in the First Presbyterian church at Far Rockaway, Long Island, to-day. Several prominent persons were present. Mrs. Sage attended the service. Afterward the body was placed in a special car and brought to this city, where it was taken to the Sage home on Fifth avenue.

The arrangements for the funeral to-morrow provide for the removal of the casket from the Fifth avenue house at 9 a.m. to be taken to the Grand Central station. Two special cars will be attached to the regular Saratoga special, which leaves at 8:45 o'clock. The funeral will be held in Troy at 3 p.m.

The casket containing Mr. Sage's body when finally interred will rest in a heavy steel case which when once sealed cannot be opened, and which in turn will be encased in concrete. Until such time as these arrangements can be carried out in detail, it is said, the temporary grave will be carefully guarded.

FUR BUYER'S SUICIDE.

Was Found Dead in His Office in Montreal.

Montreal, July 24.—M. W. St. John, Jewellery importer, manufacturing agent and fur buyer, was found dead in his office at the Temple building, St. James street, at 2 o'clock to-day. Prussic acid seems to have been the means taken by the dead man to put an end to his existence. Death must have taken back several hours in fact the impression amongst those who knew him is that he took the poison last evening. Various reasons are given as possible explanations for the action. The most probable cause was fear of arrest as he appears to have been mixed up in the disposition of some pins stolen in Chatham, Ont., and shipped here by the thief.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Nelson, July 24.—F. B. McNab, a Water-Engine Company official, dropped dead in the Grand Central hotel last night as he was about to register. He was aged 65 and a resident of Winnipeg. Heart failure was the cause.

CHARGE AGAINST CAPTAIN GRIFFIN

WILL BE HEARD IN VANCOUVER TO-MORROW

Sad Circumstances Connected With Drowning of W. H. Crawford—Captain House Improving

The preliminary hearing of the criminal charge laid against Capt. Griffin, of the steamer Princess Victoria, will be proceeded with to-morrow in the police court at Vancouver. Capt. Griffin is charged with manslaughter, as previously mentioned in the Times as a result of the accident which befel the tug Chehalis. The information was laid at the instigation of R. H. Bryce, whose wife was drowned with the capsizing of the Chehalis, and other survivors of the disaster.

On Monday morning the case came up in the Vancouver police court. R. H. Bryce was in court instructing the prosecution. W. J. Bowser, K. C., acted as prosecutor, while J. E. McMullan, solicitor for the C. P. R., was counsel for the defence. In asking for an adjournment, Mr. McMullan said the information was laid on Saturday, a few hours after the accident, and no doubt those who had it were laboring under great excitement. He thought it was unwise to set criminal proceedings in motion just yet, and suggested waiting until after the investigation was held by the Dominion government, which would be before experienced seamen and officials.

Mr. Bowser strongly objected to an adjournment longer than for a couple of days, stating that any investigation would have no bearing on the criminal proceedings. Witnesses were available at present, but would not be in the city long, and if a long adjournment were granted these might go away, some of them being tourists. He contended that the court had a duty to perform, and since the charge had been laid it should be gone on with. No matter what the result of an investigation, criminal proceedings would not be affected.

Mr. McMullan asked for a remand for eight days, but the magistrate supported Mr. Bowser and stood the case over only until Thursday.

Mr. Bowser thought the bail of Captain Griffin, which was \$2,000 on his own recognizances and \$1,000 each by two sureties, was too small, but the court held that it was sufficient.

Probably as sad a story as any in connection with the wreck is that of the death of W. H. Crawford, the young man who was going out as a stevedore. Mr. Crawford was a son of V. J. Crawford, a well-known real estate agent of Vancouver. The deceased young man was only 22 years old, and three weeks ago returned from Seattle, where he had been attending Washington University for a year, and had intended to go to Montreal in September to attend McGill University and finish his course in engineering. He lived with his parents, next door to Captain House, with whom he was very friendly. He was only on Saturday at noon that Captain House telephoned to Mr. Crawford, telling him that the Chehalis was going out under charter, that the duties would not be heavy and it would be a nice outing for the young man. Mr. Crawford told his son, who gladly accepted the chance of an outing, and left in high spirits. Since his notification came rather late the Chehalis waited for him. Mr. Crawford was a young man of brilliant promise.

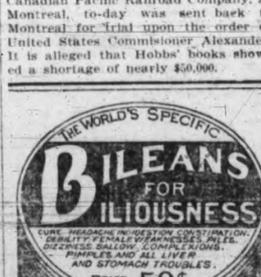
R. N. Rich's coat, which was reported to have been lost at the time of the wreck, was found later by Captain Sam Mortimer, in his boat, and returned to the city police. There were \$200 in cash and some letters in the pocket. Mr. Rich it will be remembered, was one of the survivors. He was traveling as a guest of P. Shalleros.

Capt. House, of the Chehalis, who was taken to the hospital after his rescue, is making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

HOBBS SENT BACK.

Former C. P. R. Customs Inspector Must Stand Trial at Montreal.

New York, July 24.—David Hobbs, the former customs inspector of the Canadian Pacific Railroad Company, at Montreal, to-day was sent back to Montreal for trial upon the order of United States Commissioner Alexander. It is alleged that Hobbs' books showed a shortage of nearly \$50,000.



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THE TREATY WITH JAPAN.

The long-deferred treaty of commerce between Canada and Japan has been finally ratified and brought into force. Under it a great stimulus will certainly be imparted to trade between this country and the Japanese Empire. As will be observed on an examination of the schedule of duties, published in another column, to which Canadian goods will be subjected on entry into the Oriental country, our merchants and manufacturers will be afforded very substantial relief in comparison with the rates which have hitherto prevailed. Henceforth we shall enter the markets of our nearest and most enterprising neighbor on the other side of the Pacific on terms of absolute equality instead of being subject to a discrimination which hitherto must have been a considerable handicap to the development of business.

It will be contended, of course, by critics of the government that Canada should have been brought under the terms of the treaty between Great Britain and her Oriental ally some years ago. But, as has been explained, the present administration took office but a short time before the time for ratification of the treaty expired. The ministers had not had time to make a thorough examination of the provisions of the arrangement and to master it in all its details. Having satisfied themselves on this point, having arrived at the conclusion that it would be to the interest of the Dominion to come in under the arrangement, the ministers took advantage of the opportunity which recently presented itself through the renewal of the treaty between the Mother Country and Japan, with the result that Canada is now one of the parties to this important treaty of commerce. There is but little doubt that the results of the arrangement will be satisfactory alike to the people of Canada and to the other enterprising nation principally concerned.

THE MINISTER OF JUSTICE.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, may be a weak man and a source of weakness to the government of which he has recently become a member. But no one who knows the Minister of Justice or is familiar with his record as a man and as the leader of the Bar of Ontario or who remembers his attitude as one of the representatives of Canada on the Alaska Boundary Commission, will be inclined to accept this Tory estimate of his character. The public conception of Mr. Aylesworth is that he is a particularly strong man, and this estimate will be confirmed, not weakened, by the evidently keen desire of the opponents of the government to convey the impression that the public career of the Minister of Justice thus far has been a failure and that because of this realized failure he is anxious to retire and resume his pet avocation, Mr. Aylesworth in his capacity as a Minister and as a member of the House of Commons has had several verbal encounters with the leader of the opposition, and it is generally agreed that in these clashes the new minister has not exactly been worsted. Of course it is asserted by the Conservative press, now that Mr. Fitzpatrick has retired from the hurly-burly of politics and taken a seat upon the Bench of the Supreme Court of Canada, that he was an ideal Minister and worthy of all confidence and respect, while his successor is a man of doubtful ability as a legal authority and of questionable tact as a

parliamentarian. But, all this is in accord with precedent and practice. Ministers are all strong men after they add the prefix "ex" to their titles. This is conceded in order to give point to the contention that the Cabinet is losing strength by the changes in its personnel. It would be unreasonable to expect any departure from the customary in the case of Mr. Aylesworth. Still the general verdict is that the new Minister of Justice will do and that the Ministry has not lost either strength or prestige by the selection by the Premier of one of the strongest men and ablest lawyers in Canada as one of his colleagues.

PUTTING THEORIES TO CON-FUSION.

It is evident that there are depths in the fathomless sea of trade in which the most persistent of political economists cannot find bottom. A favorite theory with protectionists is that Great Britain, because she imports goods of a value greatly in excess of the goods she exports, must be steadily draining herself of wealth and that the end must inevitably be complete impoverishment and ultimate ruin to her industries. Despite warnings and doleful predictions, the dogmatic, conservative Briton sticks to his traditional (almost) policy of free trade. He continues to import vastly more than he exports, and still he appears to be gaining in wealth, and this notwithstanding the fact that all his rivals are constantly striving and contriving to find ways and means of striking effective blows at his business. The combination of antagonistic forces may in time accomplish that to which it has devoted itself with such ingenuity and industry. The determination that nothing which can be produced or manufactured at home shall be sought in a foreign country at any price may be realized and may bring with it the commencement of the products of British industries within the somewhat narrow bounds of the British Empire, but it is noticeable that thus far British-produced goods have a curious habit of bursting asunder the bands in which protectionists of the extreme sort have essayed to bind them. And Great Britain waxes in wealth and prosperity to an extent which is altogether inexplicable from the protectionist point of view. We have an idea that possibly the old land will continue to defy the machinations of her rivals and that she will continue to flourish in such a degree as can be expected considering the circumstances and conditions of her case. It is true that in some respects she has been surpassed by her great daughter in the United States, and that in turn she may be overtaken and headed by Canada also; but such developments were inevitable and would have occurred in any event because of the illimitable resources of this new continent. They are not in any respect a result of the application of any particular trade policy or on account of the development of an economic theory.

In considering this matter of the perplexities of the balance of trade idea, the New York Times points out that during the decade from 1895 to 1905 the export trade of the United States increased six fold, while the increase in the case of Great Britain was less than a quarter. "In eleven years the United States had an excess of exports of nearly five billions, and England had an excess of imports of nearly ten billions. Devotees of the balance of trade dogma should wrestle with this contrast. Where did England get all the gold to pay for her imports, and what did we do with all the gold we received by a hypothesis contrary to fact? The balance of trade fetish hardly deserves such a slaughter as this."

A THREATENED HOLY WAR.

The state of discontent which prevails in Egypt, or rather which is assumed to prevail in Egypt, at the present time, demonstrates anew the fact that much depends upon the point of view. The fellahs were never so comfortably situated during all the centuries of his country's history. He is looked after almost in a paternal fashion. None dare oppress him or make him afraid. In a literal sense he dwells in absolute security beneath his own vine and figtree. He realizes all this and appreciates it in his own peculiar way. And yet he is not satisfied, because foreigners have come in, set him free and put him in the way of prosperity. The memory of that which he was compelled to endure under his taskmasters has apparently departed, and he is evincing a disposition to revert back to the old conditions of home rule. That is what the dispatches say in raising an alarm and attempting to demonstrate that a "holy war" against the dogs of infidel intruders is contemplated by a united Islam. Admitting that Pan-Islamism is a latent yet formidable and energetic force in the East, and that it is being reawakened, whether considered from the religious or political point of view. In a communication addressed to the London Standard, Mustafa Pasha Kamel pointedly denies that the anti-British movement in Egypt has anything to do with Islamic activity, and adds: "We Egyptians know Islamism in its true sense. We know very well that it is the religion of progress, justice and civilization, and that Christians live in great security under its rule. We know that the safest way to raise and advance the Moslem nation is to go

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GIVEN ANOTHER DAY TO DECIDE.

(Continued from page 4.)

ness did not know that his wife saw Mr. Harrison on the morning of September 21st. Mr. Higgins was then asked if he was prepared to say anything with respect to why he should not answer the question as to the source of the information of the article complained of in the World.

Mr. Higgins wished to see the transcribed notes before deciding. It was found that the notes had not been transcribed. The commissioner said that he did not think this was an unreasonable proposal of Mr. Higgins. Mr. Taylor said this was only another attempt to delay on the part of Mr. Higgins. The latter sought time to hear other evidence.

The commissioner pointed out that he thought the request of Mr. Higgins was a very reasonable one. He understood, although he could not recollect very clearly, that Mr. Higgins said he did not know the source of the information. He knew who sent the information to the office, but not where it came from. There was a question to decide whether in view of that he (the commissioner) had any authority to force Mr. Higgins to reveal the source.

It would allow the matter to stand until the next sitting of the commission. In the meantime the stenographer should transcribe the notes at her earliest convenience. Hon. R. P. Green was then recalled. Frank Higgins asked how long witness had known Mrs. Anderson.

Witness answered "Six" and the commissioner ruled it out of order. Mr. Higgins wished to know if witness was not on friendly terms with Jas. Anderson. The commissioner said that he would not admit this as evidence. Mr. Higgins said that he wished to show that Mr. Anderson and witness were on friendly terms. That they had discussed public matters before, and that Mr. Green on a former occasion had admitted that he was a frequent visitor at Mr. Anderson's house.

Mr. Taylor objected to this remark, and the commissioner said that he would not take any cognizance of anything which took place outside of this transaction. He had no jurisdiction outside of this matter. Mr. Higgins and the commissioner then entered into a discussion as to whether it was admissible that Mr. Green should be asked whether he was on friendly terms with Mrs. Anderson. The commissioner said he would admit a question as to whether the witness had had a conversation with Mrs. Anderson between September 21st and October 7th.

Mr. Green said that he was away from September 23rd to October 6th. He, therefore, believed that he did not have a conversation with Mrs. Anderson between the dates mentioned. Pendray's tender was handed in September 21st, and the tenders were opened on October 7th. James Murray was recalled, but it was decided to have him stand over until the afternoon. Mr. Murray said he desired to contradict certain statements made by D. W. Higgins.

It was decided to adjourn until 2:30 when Mrs. Anderson according to a message received by Mr. Taylor, would be in the city, and would be ready to give evidence. NEWSMEN AS VISITORS. Arrangements for Entertainment of Washington Correspondents. While in City. Tomorrow the city will be visited by the correspondents of various newspapers of the American continent, who make Washington, D. C. their headquarters. Geo. H. Ham, the popular press representative of the C. P. R., is pilot to the company.

There was a meeting of the reception committee of the Victoria Development and Tourist Association last evening when arrangements were made for the reception to the visitors. It was decided to take the correspondents to the Victoria Hotel, where they will be given a trip up the Gorge in launches. On Friday forenoon the Times and Colonist will give the visitors an outing in automobiles taking them about the city and to some of the adjacent fruit sections. UNDER WATER. (Associated Press.) St. Boygan, Wis., July 25.—Thirteen acres of cultivated land on the borders of Lead Lake in Fond Du Lac County, sank yesterday and is now covered with deep water. The sinking is supposed to be a slight earthquake shock.

David Spencer Ltd. WESTERN CANADA'S BIG STORE. Store Closes to-night at the usual hour, six o'clock, and will remain closed all Thursday. SEE THURSDAY'S PAPER FOR A LIST OF FRIDAY'S SPECIAL SALES.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts and Expenditures in Connection With Farewell to Imperial Troops.

The following statement of receipts and expenditures in connection with the farewell to the Imperial troops leaving Victoria has just been handed the Times for publication:

Table with Receipts and Expenditures columns. Receipts include Cash subscribed, Cash expended for sundry expenses. Expenditures include Chandler & Mitchell, cost of presentation cup, Printing Bros., photographs of address (for copies), B. C. Photo-Engraving Co., Pacific Transfer Co., Jones & Co., photographs of cup (for copies), Cash expended for sundry expenses.

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Table listing names and amounts: List of subscribers re presentation to Imperial troops on departure from Victoria. City of Victoria, Hon. James Dunsmuir, Sir Henri-July de Lotbiniere, Challenger & Mitchell, B. C. Market Co., Ltd., Esquimalt Water Co., A. J. C. Gaitley, Hon. F. T. Fulton, Welles Bros., B. C. Electric Railway Co., W. & J. Wilson, Victoria-Phoenix Brewery, Lieut.-Col. J. Hall, The Colonial F. & P. Co., The Times P. & P. Co., R. A. C. Grant, G. Gillespie, F. R. Gregory, E. Crow Baker, A. W. Jones, R. Hall, M. P. P., H. B. Mackenzie, J. Gibb, P. G. Verdon, McPhillips & Heisterman, M. W. Watt & Co., R. P. Bluhel & Co., Pirher & Leiser, Turner, Beeton & Co., Ltd., Barnard & Rogers, Pacific Coast Realty Co., Hon. R. G. Tallow, Stephen Jones, Limerick Creamery, J. H. Lawson, Jr., Hon. R. McBride, Fred. Carne, T. E. P. McEmin, Hon. R. F. Green.

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CASTELLANE DIVORCE CASE.

Will Come Before the French Court During Month of October.

(Associated Press.) Paris, July 25.—The court has definitely decided that the hearing of the suit of Countess Anna De Castellane against her husband, Count De Boni for divorce shall be heard October 11th or October 24th if the parties are not ready on the first date mentioned. The hearing of the suits of the count's creditors, in which they are seeking to hold the countess liable for the obligations incurred by the count has been fixed for the same dates.

THE DALTON MURDER.

Funeral of the Victim Was Largely Attended.

Nanaimo, July 24.—All interest in the South Wellington murder case, was overshadowed to-day by the funeral of the murdered girl, Mary Dalton, which was one of the largest seen here; a special train from Ladysmith bringing up a large crowd of friends of the deceased. The most important development to-day has been the discovery of empty shells near the scene of the murder. The shells were .38 caliber, which correspond with the empty revolver taken from the suspect. Dr. O'Brien finished his post mortem examination of the body and any one of which would have been fatal.

UNREST IN PERSIA.

People Demand Return of the Mullahs—Refugees in British Legation.

Teheran, Persia, July 25.—The political discussion here is again assuming an acute phase. The people are loudly demanding the dismissal of the grand vizier, the return of the Mullahs and a codification of the laws. The Mullahs who recently left the great Mosque are now assembled at Kumsk, a great place of pilgrimages. There are now over 5,000 refugees un-

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Provincial Assayer Sees Cliff as Big as Parliament Buildings on Nootka Sound.

Masses of grey and white marble as big as the parliament buildings were inspected by the provincial assayer, Herbert Carmichael, who has just returned from the West Coast. These were seen at Deserter Cove, Nootka Sound, on the quays just being opened up. Mr. Carmichael travelled some 600 miles in a small steam launch during the time he was away, and journeyed alone most of the time.

"I inspected all the known mineral deposits from Barkley Sound to Nootka," he said this morning, "and found that a large amount of development is going on. A new feature I noticed, and an encouraging one, is that the work being done at present is of a workmanlike manner and will do much to prove the continuity of the deposits. Practically all the ore so far found is copper-gold, and I believe some of the groups will become permanent paying propositions."

Nootka Sound is the location of two important deposits. The marble quarry at Deserter Cove is the best I have yet seen in the province. The marble rises in abrupt cliffs from deep water, and one solid mass I noticed was bigger than the quarry at Nootka. It is of splendid quality, unbroken, and can be taken out at very small expense. The color is greenish and pure white and it will take a high polish. Many of the deposits I have seen in other localities are much broken up, but that at Nootka is as perfect as possible.

Marble in large quantities is also to be seen in the vicinity. The claims staked at present are on Head Bay and owned by Thomas Stockham and others resident at Clayoquot. I examined the deposits with some care and believe that they are permanent and contain a good percentage of iron."

During his trip Mr. Carmichael visited many places and noticed a great amount of activity. Lumbering and fishing are doing well. He paid a couple of visits to the whaling station at Sechart and was surprised at the extensive nature of the works.

As stated some time ago, the provincial assayer will devote a large part of this season inspecting deposits of building stone. This valuable material will form the subject of an extended report to appear in the next issue of the annual volume issued by the department of mines.

He is awaiting the return of Hon. Richard McBride before deciding upon a further itinerary.

Two splendid specimens from the West Coast will shortly be deposited in the provincial museum. The first comes from the new find on the Monitor mine at Alberni and consists of a broken mass of magnetite intermingled with cupiferous pyrites. From the Ormond claim, near Clayoquot, the other has been secured and consists of a large specimen of pyrite copper, apparently carrying heavy values.

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The death of Margaret Robertson, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, Simcoe street, occurred at the St. Joseph's hospital on Sunday. Deceased was only seven months old.

E. T. Smith, collector of revenue in the public works department, is in the province on a tour of inspection, covering nearly every branch in his jurisdiction. He will probably visit Victoria shortly.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow afternoon in the parlor of mission hall, 42 Yates street, at 3 p. m. Members are requested to be present, and strangers will be made welcome. The executive will meet at 2 p. m. sharp.

VICTORIA'S DAILY WEATHER

Tuesday, July 24

Highest	Deg.
Lowest	Deg.
Mean	Deg.
Sunshine, 12 hours 24 minutes	

VICTORIA WEATHER
June, 1906.

Highest temperature	Deg.
Lowest temperature	Deg.
Mean temperature	Deg.
Total precipitation for the month, 6.5 inch; average amount, 0.94 inch.	
Bright sunshine, 215 hours 18 minutes; mean daily proportion, 0.44 (constant sunshine being 1).	

SHEARWATER'S NEW SKIPPER
Commander Adrian G. Allgood has been selected to relieve Commander A. T. Hunt in the command of the sloop Shearwater on the Pacific coast, from the 1st of August next.

The new skipper of the Shearwater commanded his naval career in July, 1880, was promoted sub-lieutenant in 1888, lieutenant in 1890, and reached his present rank just three years ago. He has a good record of service on almost every station in the Empire, and has had the advantage of seeing a full complement of the world's navies.

He was a naval cadet on board the Agincourt during the Egyptian war, 1882, was a sub-lieutenant of the Racer during the operations at Suakin, 1888-89, under Sir C. Grenfell, now Lord Grenfell, and was employed in landing a company of the Seaforth, and mounting it in the trenches. At the action of Gemalzak, he was naval transport officer, and in charge of the guns of the Racer (clasp to medal). Commander Allgood is a very smart officer, and no doubt will keep up the reputation of the Shearwater as one of the smartest ships of her class in the royal navy.

TOWING SHIPS AGAIN
Tug Lorne has returned to the pro- cess of towing ships. For a week or more the steamer carried a party of ladies, headed by Mrs. Joan Dunsen, among the islands of the gulf. The Lorne arrived on Monday, and this morning left for the Terminal City to tow the German ship Seppahar to sea. On her return from the Cape she will bring the Segara from Chemaluis to the Royal Roads. The Segara is lumber laden, and is coming to the Roads for orders.

DREDGE HAS MISHAP
The government dredge King Edward met with an accident on Saturday, her bow being dismantled and her machinery damaged. She was working near the mouth of the Fraser when an agitator fell over into the water, carrying a portion of the woodwork with it. The Samson went to the rescue. The two were lashed side by side and the King Edward was taken to the government dock at Sapperton.

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Important business, including work in the second degree, will occupy the attention of members of Columbia lodge, No. 2, I. O. O. F., at to-night's meeting. A large attendance is requested.

The merchants' picnic committee ask mention to be made of the fact that the Brady-Huston Co. contributed a case of pickles, value \$5, and the capital cigar store a pipe, value \$2, to the prize list. These have been omitted from previous reports of donors.

Admiral C. F. Goodrich, of the United States Pacific squadron, is to be succeeded by Rear-Admiral W. T. Swinburne. The former has been ordered home and placed on waiting orders. Admiral Swinburne will reach the coast shortly, and hoist his flag on the Chicago, which is expected to visit Victoria again about August 2d.

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July will soon be gone, and with it the opportunity to get first class cabinet portraits at \$2.50 per dozen. At Foxhall's Studio, 29 1/2 Government street.

A stage will leave for Cordova Bay Thursday evening at 6 p. m. from the Pacific Transfer stables. Fare 50c. Single or double trip.

Auction Sale.—A sale of more than ordinary importance will take place next Friday, when Mr. J. Rostom will dispose of all his most elegant furniture. Anyone wanting really good furniture should not fail to attend this sale. Messrs. T. Eaton & Co. are the auctioneers.

Excursions among the Gulf Islands by steamer Iniquis Wednesdays and Saturdays. For information Tel. 511.

The date for receiving entries for the annual regatta of the James Bay Athletic Association has been extended till Saturday, July 28th, from July 26th, as mentioned in the sports column.

A meeting of directors of the British Columbia Agricultural Association is being held this afternoon in the offices of the secretary, J. E. Smart. The most important business will be the election of an hon. treasurer, Noah Shakespeare having been compelled to resign that position owing to pressure of other business. The prize lists are in the press, and will be issued shortly.

Government street is to be extended to the Dallas road without further delay. The removal of the buildings on the Cameron estate, which has for weeks retarded the work, has been commenced, and all is now clear sailing for the city in so far as this enterprise is concerned.

The board of examiners will hold its initial meeting in the educational department tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of passing on papers written at the recent examinations for teachers' and high school certificates. It is possible the work may be completed by Friday evening.

Complaints having been made about camp fires at the various sea side resorts, His Worship Mayor Morley has given the chief of the fire department and chief of police instructions to enforce regulations regulating the making of camp fires. Privileges will be given campers providing that each camp shall be responsible for its fire, but wherever there is a violation of the regulations a permit will be cancelled.

Recent articles published in the Times regarding the resources of Vancouver Island are having wide publicity. This month the West Coast Lumberman reproduces a three-column account of the possibilities of the pulp wood industry. The Winnipeg Commercial, in the last issue to hand, republishes no less than three articles of this character, one on the trade in Oriental curios, another regarding immigration to Bulkley valley, and still another one describing salmon fishing.

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Next Sunday on her trip among the Gulf Islands the steamer Iniquis will stop two hours at the Crofton smelter. Take a trip and you will be delighted.

Charles Birch, a Saanich farmer, appeared in the city police court this morning to answer a charge of refusing to pay taxes. Frank Higgins was present in the interests of the defendant, and legal battle seemed evident. The case, however, was settled in short order. It was shown that Mrs. Birch was the employer of a number of Chinese for whom the collector had endeavored to secure taxes. The money was handed over by Mrs. Birch, and the magistrate thereupon dismissed the case.

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Keen rivalry among lively men of this city has recently been created with the result that a rate war in hack hire appears inevitable. The gauntlet has been thrown down by G. J. Johnstone, of the Johnston transfer, 125 Douglas street, who according to an advertisement in the Times, has cut the hack rate for driving to 70 cents an hour. This is just half the rate usually charged, and the action is likely to be followed by lively competition among lively men in this city.

The garden party held yesterday afternoon by the Ladies' Aid of the Church of Our Lord, in the garden of Mrs. Dennis Harris, Superior street, was an unqualified success from every point of view. It was an ideal day for such a gathering, in the cool shade and among the lovely roses and other flowers, so that it is not surprising that a large number were present. Mrs. and Miss Harris received the guests, and tea and refreshments were served by Mrs. and Miss McTavish, assisted by the Misses Fawcett and Wilson and others. Ice cream was served by Mrs. Higgins. A candy stall was in charge of Misses W. Wilson and M. Gladstone, and a stall for the sale of fancy articles did good business in the hands of Mrs. Gladstone, Mrs. James and Miss Lawson. Thanks are due to very many who contributed to the success of the gathering.

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Sporting News

LAWS TENNIS. TOURNAMENT CONTINUED. Yesterday afternoon's games in the Victoria Tennis Club's tournament were even better attended than those played previously. The programme was a lengthy one. Today is semi-final day in all three classes, the ladies' and mixed doubles and the gentlemen's singles.

BASEBALL. CALGARY'S RECORD. During the present season Calgary has played 27 games, winning 12, losing four and drawing in the other four. They have scored 141 runs against 68. They have scored five shut outs and have not been shut out.

PINK PROFANITIES. In view of tomorrow's ball game the following pink profanities have been classified as permissible by President Bert of the Pacific Coast League: 1. When a player strikes out he may say "damn it."

THE GUN. NO SHOOT TO-DAY. There will be no shoot of the Capital Gun Club this afternoon owing to the Wednesday half holiday being passed over for the picnic to-morrow.

THE OAR. ANNUAL REGATTA. The annual regatta of the J. B. A. A. will be held on Saturday, August 11th. There will be a large number of races including single skiff, Peterboro canoe, tilling, upset canoe and a swimming match.

THE RIFLE. B. C. R. A. MATCHES. The British Columbia Rifle Association's 23rd annual prize meeting opens tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock on the Richmond range near Vancouver.

LACROSSE. VANCOUVER PROTEST. An aftermath of the Maple Leaf-Vancouver match on Saturday is a protest entered by the former club. The charge of professionalism has been made against the Vancouver club.

CRICKET. MATCH WITH VANCOUVER. There will be an all day match on Saturday between the Victoria Cricket Club and the Vancouver eleven. When the game is over the local club was defeated, but it is hoped to turn the tables on Saturday.

CATTLE STOLEN. Grand Forks, B. C., July 23.—Word reached here on Saturday from Moloan, on the West Fork of the Kettle river, that a bunch of some eighteen head of fat beef steers belonging to P. Burns & Co. were stolen from the grazing grounds of their owners a couple of nights ago.

IMMIGRATION LAW. London, July 21.—The Yorkshire Post publishes the new Canadian immigration law which might have been enacted in some quite alien country.

An Enemy of The King by Hagenbuch Wyman.



(CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued.) The men cheered for joy at the announcement that we were at last to rejoin our Henri's flying camp. In the guard house we found Pierre and the other guardsmen, both seemingly bound by Frojac. We released Pierre and sent him to his mistress. I put Blaise at the head of my company, and we set forth half of the team going first, then made emboise and I then Jeanette and the two boys, and lastly the other half of my force.

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SEARCH FOR MURDERER. Partly Leaves Hazelton—Have Provisions Sufficient to Last Till the Fall.

Hazelton, July 23.—John Flewin, government agent at Port Simpson, arrived here some days ago and after completing the organization of a party to hunt down the Indian murderer Simon Gun-a-Noot and his brother-in-law Peter-Freemadam, who he supposed to be identified with the crime returned to Port Simpson.

A DRILLING CONTEST. The machine drilling contest at Phoenix, B. C., has furnished a great deal of interest to miners and mine owners all over the province.

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ance of the week here.

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and start from there on Monday
morning in an attempt to cover the 180
miles to Seattle in twelve hours. The
party will go first to New West-
minster, at which city they will cross
the Fraser river. Thence they will fol-
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continue to Bellingham, from Belling-
ham to Mt. Vernon, from Mt. Vernon
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Rich gold quartz was found on the
surface.

PREPARING FOR HOLIDAYS.
Federal Ministers Will Shortly Leave the
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(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, July 24.—Tomorrow will close
the cabinet sittings for a few weeks to
come. It is not expected that there will
be any more important meetings before
September. During the absence of the
cabinet members, the ministers will spend
August in their homes. The prime min-
ister will leave probably on Thursday,
and the end of the week will leave Otta-
wa pretty well deserted by ministers,
and when they go the leading officials
generally follow.

To-Day's Meeting.
Ottawa, July 25.—The last cabinet meet-
ing of the session will be held to-morrow
morning for Athabaskaville.

MURDERER ENDS LIFE.
Los Angeles, July 24.—W. J. Hudson,
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