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## STRIKE ON C. P. R. TO BE SETTLED

### COMPANY GROWS TIRED OF EXISTING DEADLOCK

#### President Shaughnessy Opens Negotiations With Chiefs of Operating Staffs.

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### PREDICTS VICTORY OF SIR WILFRID LAURIER

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London, Aug. 27.—Discussing the prospects of a general election in Canada, the Morning Post says the opinion prevails that Sir Wilfrid Laurier will carry the country with a reduced majority. The paper points out that R. L. Borden has not the magnetic personality, nor has he the political powers of his great opponent.

### LEARNING MINING NEEDS AT FIRST HAND

#### Hon. Wm. Templeman Visits Roseland Camp—Minister Spends Busy Day.

(Special to the Times.)  
Roseland, Aug. 27.—Hon. William Templeman, minister of mines, arrived here today from Trail, where he inspected the smelter and lead refinery. Upon his arrival he was met by prominent mining men of Roseland, who entertained him at luncheon, after which he visited the Le Roi, Centre Star, Le Roi, No. 2, and other mines. He subsequently met the representatives of the mining interests in this locality and discussed matters relating to the industry.

### TOKIO EXPOSITION.

Japanese Government Decides to Postpone Event Until 1917.  
Tokyo, Aug. 27.—It is confidentially asserted that the government has decided to postpone the international exposition which was to have been held in 1912, for a period of five years, or until 1917. No announcement officially of this will be made until the various governments interested are informed.

### LIBERAL NOMINEE.

Richmond, Que., Aug. 27.—Richmond and Wolfe Liberals yesterday nominated E. W. Tobin, the present member, for the Commons at the next general election.

### HUNTING TRAGEDY.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 27.—Frank Dick, son of Hassen J. Dick, druggist, of this city, shot and killed his companion while hunting in the woods near St. George.

### ANOTHER CONTRACT LET.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—The National Transcontinental Railway Commission is understood to have awarded the contract for 150 miles of road between Lake Superior Junction and Nipigon, to O'Brien and Macdougall, of Ottawa.

### VICTIM OF CAVE-IN.

Dorchester, Ont., Aug. 27.—Frank Hunter, a farmer near here, was killed by a cave-in while working in a gravel pit today.

### PREACHES MESSAGE OF A "WHITE CANADA"

#### Vancouver Exclusionist Enlists Sympathy of Premier Roblin.

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Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—With "a white Canada" button coat, R. Hemphill, of Vancouver, organizer of the Asiatic Exclusion League, walked into Premier Roblin's office yesterday and learned his sentiments on keeping out Orientals from Canada.

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Valley River, Man., Aug. 27.—E. A. Burrows, M. P., was thrown from a gasoline railway velocipede here last night and was badly cut up.

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## TEACHER FOR ORIENTALS

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Halifax, Aug. 27.—Wm. E. Crowe, one of the best known business men of Halifax, and a prominent Oddfellow, has died suddenly of hemorrhage of the brain. He was a son of the late John F. Crowe, who for years carried on a grocery business here.

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### WHEAT YIELD TO BE OVER HUNDRED MILLIONS

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Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—The Northwest Grain Dealers Association gave out today the estimated yield of this year's crops in western Canada. The wheat average is 17.7 total yield, one hundred and seven million bushels; oats, average 35.5 total yield, ninety five million bushels; barley average, 30 total yield twenty five million bushels. Seventy five per cent of the cutting will be finished by the end of the week.

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Halifax, Aug. 27.—At the adjourned Conservative convention yesterday Mayor A. B. Crosby signified his acceptance of the party nomination of J. H. Borden. Mr. Borden has also accepted the nomination for the other seat.

## APPROVE IRISH LEADER.

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Halifax, Aug. 27.—The A. O. H. convention of the maritime provinces in session yesterday passed resolutions approving of John Redmond's leadership of the Irish party.

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Ballston, N. Y., Aug. 27.—Hostility to Governor Hughes because of his efforts to suppress gambling at the race tracks was expressed during the visit of the governor to the Saratoga county fair yesterday, when owners of trotters refused to start them at the races while the governor was on the fair grounds. Officials of the fair threatened and coaxed the horses in vain. Not until the governor had departed did the race proceed.

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## HON. MR. MOTHERWELL WEDES.

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Judith Head, Aug. 27.—Hon. Mr. Motherwell, minister of agriculture for Saskatchewan, and Miss Kate Gillespie for seven years principal of the File Hills school and missionary of the reserve, were united in marriage yesterday at File Hills. The couple have gone to Banff for their honeymoon.

## SASKATCHEWAN TO BUY PHONE SYSTEM

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Winnipeg, Aug. 27.—Speaking at a banquet tendered by the Liberal association, Premier Scott made the announcement last night that the Saskatchewan government would purchase the Bell telephone system of the Saskatchewan telephone companies' systems.

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### MRS. HAINS MAY GO ON WITNESS STAND

Similarity of Yacht Club Murder With Notorious Thaw Case.

New York, Aug. 27.—Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., and his brother J. Jenkins Hains, charged with the murder of Wm. E. Annis, probably will be placed on trial early in October, according to a statement made by District Attorney Darren. Mr. Darren said it would take two or three days to present the state's case and that he had not decided whether he would place Mrs. Hains on the witness stand. That would depend entirely on a talk he expected to have with her.

The district attorney said that he would get reports from time to time on the condition of the two prisoners, and that if he became convinced that either the captain or his brother were not sound mentally he would have a commission in lunacy to examine them.

Mr. Darren announced that on Monday next he will confer with District Attorney Jerome from whom he expects to get information in regard to the conduct of this case, in view of its similarity to the Thaw case, which Mr. Jerome prosecuted.

### CHICAGO-MILWAUKEE TO BUILD TOWARDS B. C.

Important Branch Line Will Tap Northern Portion of Big Bend Hills.

(Special to the Times).

Portland, Ore., Aug. 27.—A special from Chicago says the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad will soon file at Olympia, plans for a branch line from Newton and Beverly, Wash., northward towards British Columbia on the east side of the Columbia, tapping the northern portion of the Big Bend hills. The activity in pushing the Washington and Great Northern into the same territory is supposed to be responsible for this important feeder.

### GOLD FLOWS TO CANADA.

New York, Aug. 27.—The agency of the Bank of Montreal made to-day a shipment of \$200,000 in gold to Canada. This brings the total to \$7,750,000 in gold sent to Canada on this movement.

**JOE MARTIN RETURNING.**  
(Special to the Times).

Vancouver, Aug. 27.—Joseph Martin has reached Seattle on his way home to Vancouver from England.

**FORWARDED BY FORTUNE TELLER.**

Among many royal persons of whom tales are told of clairvoyant and other prophecies coming true is King Haakon of Norway.

In 1890, when he was Prince Charles of Denmark and a senior naval cadet, he was on a cruise in the Mediterranean. . . . one of the ports—Malaga—where they stopped, the cadets heard of a fortune teller whose prophecies often came true. So a party of them visited her.

What she told the prince he would not tell his companions, but he wrote it down and handed it to a personal friend to keep until he—Prince Charles—was dead for it.

Ten years later, in 1900, the prince redeemed the envelope, and for his friend read its contents.

"You will have a throne," it ran. "You will change your name without changing your language."

"This aspect, ma," remarked the prince, "is only my brother's death could have brought this about. But now that he is in good health himself and has a son, I can laugh at the prophecy."

But for all that, five years later he became Haakon VII. of Norway, changing his name without changing his language.

### CHIEF DEVITT LEAVES MIDWAY

HAS STARTED TO FOLLOW UP TRAIL

Expects Pursuit of Men Who Shot Thomet Will Be Difficult.

A telegram was received this morning by Superintendent Hussey, of the provincial police, stating that W. J. Devitt, chief constable at Nelson, had arrived at Midway, and had left last night to follow the trail of the two men who shot and killed Charles Thomet, a hotel proprietor in that town. The information was also given in the telegram that Thomet had succeeded in wounding one of the hold-up men, who broke into his premises on Tuesday night, before he was shot down himself.

The dispatch further stated that it seemed probable that the men had secured horses on which to make their escape, and if this is so it is probable that they are already quite a distance across the boundary. Superintendent Hussey has instructed Devitt to issue and circulate as expeditiously as possible printed circulars stating that the department has offered a reward of \$1,000 for the apprehension and conviction of the criminals. These circulars will be distributed on both sides of the border in the vicinity of the murder, and notice of the reward will be sent to districts further removed by telegraph and telephone.

The victim of the shooting is said to have been once employed as special constable at Midway during the construction of the Canadian Pacific and Great Northern railway branches through that town.

From the dispatches received up to date by the department, it is not known whether the two hold-up men got away with any money or not.

All the information that can be obtained of the men themselves is that they wore masks, and this lack of information will make their apprehension a matter of more difficulty. It is believed that the men implicated at Midway are the same who held up an hotel at Great Forks last week.

No pains will be taken by the department to secure the apprehension of the two desperadoes, and it is thought that the notice of so large a reward will set many skilful American detectives on the trail of the fugitives.

Constable Devitt has a leash of bloodhounds which he will use on the scent. It may, however, be necessary to resort to other means to effect a capture, as the country is very rough and broken, and the scent very not be easy to follow.

### JAP WAS REFUSED BY BOTH COUNTRIES

Case of Mijuki Komura Reveals Important Aspect of Oriental Question.

(Special to the Times).

Portland, Aug. 27.—A special from Washington says the department of commerce and labor is taking cognizance of the case of Mijuki Komura, who was caught crossing from Canada into the United States at Port Hill, Idaho, and then refused by both countries, is of considerable importance, inasmuch as Komura entered Seattle as a student but went to work instead.

The incident reveals a method not here to be considered which thousands of Japanese might come. Komura went from Seattle into British Columbia.

### VICTORIA FIRE ALARMS.

- Birdcage Walk and Superior St.
- Battery and Carr Sts.
- Michigan and Menzies Sts.
- Menzies and Niagara Sts.
- Montreal and Kingston Sts.
- Montreal and Simcoe Sts.
- Ontario and Dallas roads.
- Arden road and Phoenix Place.
- Niagara Chemical Works.
- Vancouver and Burdette Sts.
- Douglas and Humboldt Sts.
- Humboldt and Fairfield roads.
- Cook and Fairfield roads.
- Yates and Broad Sts.
- Fort and Government Sts.
- Yates and Wharf Sts.
- Johnson and Government Sts.
- Victoria Theatre, Douglas St.
- Headquarters Fire Dept., Cormorant St.
- Spencer's Arcade.
- New and Blanchard Sts.
- Fort and Quadra Sts.
- Cook and Yates Sts.
- St. Charles St. and Rockland Ave.
- Cadboro Bay road and Stanley Ave.
- Cadboro Bay road and Oak Bay Ave.
- North Pembroke and Shakespeare Sts.
- Quadra and Pandora Sts.
- Chatham and Blanchard Sts.
- Spring Ridge.
- North Chatham St. and Stanley Ave.
- Pandora and Chambers Sts.
- Douglas and Discovery Sts.
- Government and Princess Sts.
- King's road and Second St.
- Pountain, Douglas St. and Hillside.
- Oakland Fire Hall.
- Cormorant and Store Streets.
- Discovery and Store Sts.
- John and Bridge Sts.
- Craigflower road.
- Esquimalt road and Mary St.
- Douglas St. and Bunside road.
- Esquimalt road and Russel St.
- Sayward's Mill.
- Brande road and Delta St.

UNEASY LIES THE HEAD.

I saw Roosevelt when he was first elected President, twelve months afterwards. He had aged many years in the time. He showed signs of care, and of a crushing weight of responsibility.

His open-air life has enabled him, however, to play perhaps the most difficult game a President has ever had to do, to steer a course almost alone, to find friends and allies drop from him time after time, to visit the prospects of party for what he considered right. He has won, but it takes no secret to read in his eyes the thoughts of the coming days when he shall be back to the ranch again, an outdoor man—Fry's Magazine.

### HAVE LOCATED NEW STATION

CAPT. HUFF AND CAPT. BALCOM ARE IN CITY

Company to Operate Next Year—News of Queen Charlotte Islands.

Capt. G. A. Huff and Capt. Harry Balcom returned by the steamship Amur last night from Rose harbor, Moreby Island, where they located a site for the whaling station to be erected shortly by the Queen Charlotte Whaling company.

In conversation with a Times reporter to-day Capt. Huff said that the site selected was an excellent one. On the company's property there was a large waterfall which would guarantee a constant supply of water. The ground was level and the shore sloped away giving 5 fathoms of water within 200 feet of the shore which would give splendid locations for a slip and wharf.

Capt. Huff said that the company had arrangements for the construction of the station well in hand and were also negotiating for a steam-whaler. If present plans were carried out the station would be in operation next season.

The big ore bunkers at the Ikeda-Awaya mine, Ikeda Bay, were completed this week, according to Capt. Huff, and 1,000 tons of ore is ready for shipment loose by the steamship Transit on Saturday. In future the mine will ship loose ore right along as the necessity of sacking. The mine is progressing well and development work has been commenced upon another vein which is expected to yield high grade ore.

Capt. Huff, speaking of development on Moreby Island, said that there was a large increase taking place in the population of several new townships were being filled up. The provincial government surveyors completed the surveys of Ikeda last week and commenced work on the Jedway town-site of Monday.

### GEORGIA TOWN IS INUNDATED

(Continued from page 1).

assured of exorbitant rates. One man was seen in a tree, who was pouring forth pitiful appeals for assistance, and offering fifty dollars to any one that would rescue him.

At the Western Union telegraph office, when the water began to rise, many of the operators left the building for their homes. Five remained but were compelled to abandon the telegraph office for the chamber of commerce building, where the wires were found still intact. No business was handled, however.

At daybreak this morning the operators reported that the water had fallen four and a half inches since midnight and that if the fall continued, telegraphic communication with the outside world would be re-established by noon.

At the Postal Telegraph office, the operating force was compelled to desert their office when the water reached the top of the operating tables. However, the company was able to make enough changes to establish their service east and west with only a few wires.

It is not possible to give an accurate estimate of the financial loss resulting from the flood, but it is thought the loss will go well above the million mark.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 27.—At 4:45 this morning communication was had by the Associated Press office in this city with the Western Union Telegraph operators, who are marooned in the chamber of commerce at Augusta, who reported that at daylight the flood had diminished four and a half inches since midnight. No one was stirring about in the flooded streets and only here and there in the office buildings could a light be seen, giving evidence that there were a number of the occupants of the down-town buildings who spent the night on the second floor, unable to get to their homes.

In different sections of the city it is reported that many spent the night in trees as they could not find the way through the torrent of water which had been estimated as running through the city at the rate of 20 miles an hour. With the water through Broad street breast deep, in a current so strong that it is impossible for men to wade through, Augusta is being swept by a flood that has not been surpassed in its history.

From four to six feet of water is the gauge on the principal streets of the town, including the main business thoroughfare of the city, where are located nearly all of the public buildings, together with the principal business houses and banks. The floods are playing havoc with first floors and basements. The city is without light, fire or police protection.

Fire started last night in the cotton warehouse of Nixon & Danforth, and in the warehouse of the Nixon Wholesale Grocery Company. It is said the fire was caused by water reaching line stored in one of the warehouses, which exploded. The fire department was unable to render any assistance on account of the high water.

Two white persons and one negro have been reported drowned. It was also reported that a boat containing a family of husband, wife and two children was capsized and all drowned, but this could not be confirmed. A conservative estimate of the damage by flood and fire at this time has been placed at half a million dollars, but it is believed that this sum will be greatly exceeded before the flood water subsides.

Cotton Crop Damaged.

Columbus, S. C., Aug. 27.—Reports from all sections of the state indicate

THE BEST THAT'S ON THE MARKET.

### WHITE SWAN SOAP

SOLD AT ALL THE LEADING GROCERS

NEW LIVERY—The undersigned begs to announce that he has opened a

### Livery, Board and Sales Stables

AT 15-16 DOUGLAS ST., OPPOSITE CITY HALL

Board by month, and all kinds of equipments at reasonable rates.  
B. E. WELLS, Proprietor.

### Championship Lacrosse Match

MAPLE LEAFS VS. VICTORIA

—AT—

### ROYAL ATHLETIC PARK

SATURDAY (29th) 3 p. m.

GENERAL ADMISSION, including Bleachers, 25c  
GRAND STAND, 50c

### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR SALE—Cheap, postage stamps, large and valuable collection of rare British and foreign stamps. Apply Box 84, this office.

TO LET—Modern five roomed cottage, in good repair, stable, chicken house and full lot. Apply 82 Pandora avenue after 5 p. m.

THE "BRANDINGHAM" Restaurant, 828 View street, is removing into the Victoria block, 1112 Douglas street, and will open the new premises on Monday, the 24th of August.

WANTED—Ladies to do plain and light sewing at home, whole or spare time; good pay; work sent any distance; charges paid; send stamp for full particulars. National Manufacturing Company, Montreal.

MAN AND WIFE seek situation as caretakers, or any position of trust, man or woman. Apply Box C. D., Times Office.

FOR SALE—5 Marconi Wireless Telegraphy shares, at a bargain. Apply 57 Langford street, Victoria West.

FOR SALE—Incubator and brooder, new; also kitchen stove and piping, cross-cut saw, etc. Address Mrs. A. L. Langford street, Victoria West.

TO LET—2 unfurnished rooms, 47 Government street.

FOR SALE—Hunting dogs, 1 English setter dog broken to retrieve; 2 black retriever pups, 25c each; decoy geese, wild geese tamed, at \$5 each; and Toulouse geese, \$12 each. Address Mrs. A. L. Langford, Glanville Ave., Maywood P. O.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With or without board, or for housekeeping, no children. 1303 Quadra street. Phone 250.

WANTED—From 2 to 5 acres land, with running water, with or without improvements. Northwest Real Estate, 106 Yates street.

BIG SNAP—Sportsman leaving the city has authorized me to sell his \$10 Greener hammerless double-barrel shotgun, good as new, for \$50; also 20 gauge hammerless—double-barrel shotgun, new, for \$25. T. P. McConnell, cor. Government and Fort Sts., upstairs.

### MALONEY DIVORCE CASE.

New York, Aug. 27.—A hearing which had been set for to-day on the motion for a final judgment annulling the marriage of Helen Maloney, daughter of Martin Maloney, of Philadelphia, to Arthur H. Osborne, of this city, was indefinitely postponed. The case was marked off the calendar of the court without explanation. The referee has recommended that the marriage be annulled.

**AT COURT OF ST. JAMES.**

Tokio, Aug. 27.—It is believed that the successor to Count Komura as Japanese ambassador at London will be Baron Makino Noburaki, formerly minister of education.

Fish worth \$285,000,000 is landed every year in England and Wales, finding employment for 40,000 men and boys.

### RING UP 606

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To-day's News in the Times



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LOBSTER, new season's packing—fine quality, the excellent "Maple Leaf" brand, per lb. .... 50c, 40c, 25c and 20c  
 CREAMERY BUTTER, none better for table use. 3 lbs. for ... \$1.00  
 ALBERTA DAIRY BUTTER, another new shipment of this excellent make. 2 lbs. .... 45c

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**Clothes That Make Competitors Look Up!**

Whether the Suit you select here is priced at \$15.00 or \$25.00 or \$35.00, or at any price between, you'll find it way above the plane of suits usually sold at the same figure.

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**TONY PASTOR DIES IN NEW YORK**

HIS INFLUENCE ON HISTORY OF VAUDEVILLE

Deceased Actor Always a Favorite—1,500 Songs in His Repertoire.

New York, Aug. 27.—Antonio (Tony) Pastor, the theatrical manager, died at his home, Elmhurst, L.I., at 10.05 o'clock last night after an illness of several weeks, at the age of 71 years. The members of his immediate family were at his bedside.

"Barnum" of Theatre World.

News from New York that Tony Pastor is dead will recall old memories to thousands of people in Canada who have been entertained in his theatre. His name in the theatre world on the continent was equivalent to that of P. T. Barnum in the show-business. Tony Pastor, if not the most famous of American theatre managers, was one of the oldest, and his name was celebrated in two generations. In the history of vaudeville his career was one of the most important, for his influence upon this sort of entertainment has been more marked than that of any other man in the business.

Improving Vaudeville.

Before Tony Pastor improved vaudeville the old variety houses were simply resorts where men could drink and smoke and be regaled by crude posturing and more or less raucous singing. There was no money in catering to men who took their enjoyment thus; indeed there is money in it to-day, but Tony Pastor conceived the idea of inducing women to patronize the variety houses. He began by giving ladies' matinees, at which neither drinking nor smoking was allowed, and by further ameliorating the performance. The seats were distributed. They consisted of little sacks of flour. Later on clocks were substituted. Tony Pastor's scheme was successful, and the women in increasing numbers were attracted to his theatre.

Running a Decent Show.

Having once consented to enter the variety theatre, the women were not long in making their influence felt upon the character of the entertainment. They are to be credited with reforming vaudeville, and through Tony Pastor, a house until a couple of years ago in which a comedian could still slap another over the chops with a folded newspaper, and remark: "Say, who was that I seen you comin' down the street with the other night?" thus showing that vaudeville has not been refined off the earth, it is to-day far superior in moral tone to what it was before Tony Pastor gave away his first little sack of flour. It is only fair to say that Tony Pastor never catered to what was lowest in the characters of his patrons. His aim was not particularly high, and the reforms he wrought were unobtrusive, but he ran a decent house always.

In the Circus Business.

Rumor says that Antonio Pastor's father was in the perfume line, but the boy got into the show business almost as early as though he had been born on the stage. As a mere babe he sang at temperance meetings, and when still an infant used to rig up minstrel entertainments in his father's basement. At the age of eight he must have run away from home, for he worked for P. T. Barnum. Next year he broke into the minstrel semibreve with a tambourine. He lost his job because he was discovered giving private and unauthorized performances at night, much to the detriment of the circus receipts.

Then followed years with traveling circuses and minstrel shows. He became a singer and dancer, a gymnast, a clown, ringmaster, stage manager, scene shifter, even a tragedian. One of his first "hits" was the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" at the time of the Civil War. It was in 1865 when he rented his first theatre on Broadway, later moving to the Bowery, and he again to the "main pike," where for a generation his theatre has been pointed out to visitors as one of the sights of the town.

Some Famous Premieres.

Many famous actors and actresses made their first appearance at Tony Pastor's house. Among them may be mentioned Francis Wilson, Nat Goodwin, Lillian Russell, May and Flo Irwin (two Canadians, by the way), Denman Thompson, Lew Fields, William J. Scanlon, Jennie Yeaman, "Old Hoss" Hopy, the French Sisters, Harry and John Hopper and the elder Pat Robertson.

On the Klailo his reputation for charity was great, and many are the stories of his generosity. The public never tired of him, and until recently he had gone on the stage and done his little turn, thunderously applauded.

Tony Pastor's Repertoire.

It is said that he had 1,500 songs in his repertoire, dating back to—  
 Down in the coal mine, underneath the ground,  
 Where no ray of sunshine ever can be found;  
 Digging dusky diamonds all the season round,  
 Down in the coal mine, underneath the ground.

For the past few months he had been out of harness, after more than 60 years of continuous work in the show business. He has passed off the stage leaving a gap that will not be filled.

THE HORSE BLEW FIRST.

An Irish horse owner, whose horse had been prescribed for by a veterinary surgeon, put the latter in his office, and when he saw in his eyes and his face the picture of bad luck, cried:  
 "Oh, Dr. Moriarty, I'm poorly; the powder's kill me entirely!"  
 "The powder?" cried Dr. Moriarty.  
 "Why, I didn't tell you to take the powder. I told you to place it in a paper tube, and put one end of it in the horse's mouth, and blow hard!"  
 "Yes, sir," said Pat. "I put the powder in the chube, and I put the end of it in the horse's mouth, with the other end in my own, but, begorra! he blew first!"—The Schooler's Own.

**RAILWAY CONNECTION WITH AMERICAN LINES**

Three Systems Building to Port Angeles—Ferry Service to Victoria.

Important railway development is on the tapis for Port Angeles in the immediate future, which will directly affect Victoria. No less than three of the great American transcontinental lines have either already commenced or have their lines on Port Angeles. These include the Northern Pacific, the Union Pacific and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. Port Angeles is only seventeen miles across the straits from Victoria, and as soon as these lines or any of them reach Port Angeles a ferry service is to be put on to this city, which will then be placed in touch with three of the greatest American railway systems. The benefit of this is obvious. When these roads have been built, Port Angeles is expected to become the great commercial port that Abraham Lincoln considered it would when he selected it as the great shipping port of the American Northwest.

In May last the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, through a subsidiary company, the Angeles Railway & Terminal company, secured valuable water front concessions at Port Angeles, and since then men have been put to work surveying a line to connect with their main system. This company has already invested \$28,000,000 in timber lands in the district between Port Angeles and the Pacific ocean, and in its own interests is now going to tap the country with a railway, the port of which will be Port Angeles. This will not only make Port Angeles a great shipping point, but it will also, it is expected, make it one of the great gateways of this big railway system for the handling of its foreign traffic.

James J. Hill, not to be outdone by his rivals at Port Angeles, and a charter for a line to be called the Olympic Peninsula railway was at once secured through officers of the Northern Pacific. The building of this line is to be proceeded with at once. Construction is to be rushed so that the line may be completed as soon as possible, in order that the Northern Pacific may get its share of the timber traffic that is bound to follow the opening up of this country, and also get its share of the commerce that will, it is expected, come to Port Angeles once the first railway is in.

In the meantime James J. Hill's great rival, E. H. Harriman, has not been idle, but has had a line surveyed to Port Angeles, connecting with his system. This line will be built, it is understood, by the people of Port Angeles, coincident with the construction of the other lines.

Port Angeles harbor is known as one of the best on the coast, being large enough, it is said, to hold the entire American fleet. The harbor is protected by a line of forts on three sides, and a half mile from the western limits of the town enclosing, opposite the townsite, a body of water with a depth ample for the largest vessels afloat or that are likely ever to be used for seafaring purposes. There is an immense stretch of waterfront suitable for wharfage facilities, so that natural conditions are favorable to the development of a great seaport. As soon as railway connection has been secured it is proposed to put on a ferry service to Victoria giving a double daily service.

**WHERE SAVAGES BEAT US**

The rude, uncultured savage did not sit most of the day in a padded office chair, a carriage or car. His food was not prepared by a chef. He had to hunt for something to eat. And dinner, when he got it, was none too rich. But the rude, uncultured savage did not suffer from indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headaches, as we civilized beings do. Exercise and the amount of fruit and fresh vegetables in his diet, kept liver, bowels and kidneys working right.

None of us want to go back to the days of savagery and toothpicks, but a lot of us certainly would like to have the digestion of the savages.

We can, by taking "Fruit-a-tives."

"Fruit-a-tives" act directly on the stomach, liver, kidneys and skin, and keep these organs in perfect condition. "Fruit-a-tives" bring back lost appetite and sound digestion to the Dyspeptic—regulate the bowels of those who suffer from Constipation—and build up the whole system. Trial size 25c. Regular size 50c. or 6 for \$2.50.

**ALMOST DIED FROM COLIC.**

Little babies are affected just like their parents. "Last summer," writes Mrs. E. D. Riker, of Portsmouth, "my children ate green apples and were seized with violent cramps. My youngest child was in agony. I gave them each a dose of Polson's Nerviline, this had an immediate effect. One minute my poor children were doubled up with agony and almost the next they were cured." Nerviline is made to cure, and does cure summer complaint, cramps and stomach trouble. Test a 2c. bottle yourself.

**What Other People Think**

CANADIAN CLUB LUNCHEONS.

To the Editor:—I am glad to read the letter this evening from "Plain Talk."

I have heard many strongly expressed dismisals, with all of which I concur. The action of the club in raising the price of the luncheon (and presumably not meant as a temporary move) to 75 cents, fifty cents is surely ample, and if a good lunch, well served, cannot be found in this city by the club executive for that sum—well, it is a pity.

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<b>\$1.50</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>	<b>\$3.75</b>	<b>\$2.50</b>

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The disposition of Lord Derby's estate is not yet known. The late Lord Derby's brother, fifteenth earl, who died on April 21st, 1893, aged 67 years, left personal estate of the gross value of £1,869,611, and of the net value of £1,802,294, and the probate duty then paid was £54,083, and the state duty, or Goschen tax, was £18,021, at the rate of 1 per cent., whereas the estate duty and super-tax on a similar amount would now be at the rate of 11 per cent.

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### FEDERAL ELECTIONS AND ISSUES

The Ottawa correspondent of the Times, who is in a position to speak with knowledge, telegraphed yesterday that the House of Commons would be dissolved shortly and that the elections would be held in about two months' time. As our readers are doubtless well aware, two more sessions of the present Parliament might be held, as its constitutional term does not expire until the spring of the year 1910. If the government were animated by no other desire than that of a prolongation of its tenure of office, an appeal to the people might be postponed until a more convenient season. Canada, in common with all the rest of Christendom, is passing through a period of depression in trade. It is true the times are not so dull in this country as they are in the United States or upon the northern part of the continent of Europe; but there is a lull in business, due to some extent to a partial failure of the harvest of last year and to a greater extent to commercial sympathy with the situation in countries with which our business relations are most intimate. It is a fact established by experience that in times of depression there is a tendency to find fault with governments, to saddle them with responsibility for conditions with which they have no more to do than have the celestial bodies in their movements through space, and not so much to do as the regularly recurring seasons.

So we say that if the government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier were moved solely by a desire to retain power it might have postponed the general elections until times had improved, until the existing temporary depression in business had passed away—something which may be expected to come to pass long before the death by effluxion of time of the present Parliament. But the opposition, which determines issues, has challenged the government to test the strength of public opinion. It has deliberately obstructed public business in the House of Commons upon the plea that the Laurier administration has lost the confidence of the country. It has formulated charges of wrong-doing and malfeasance in office, it has alleged graft and maladministration in some of the public departments. In not a single instance has any of these charges been proven well founded either in connection with the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway or any other public work of importance, as readers of the Times, and the Colonist also, know who followed the melancholy case of Major Hodgins and his allegations, first form-

ulated through and elaborately dressed in the columns of our contemporary. In view of this attitude of the Conservative party, the government has decided to place the issues definitely before the people, to lay the actual facts as distinguished from allegations before the tribunal which makes and unmakes governments and parties, and ask it to pronounce judgment.

We have the most complete confidence in the result of the appeal which will shortly be taken. We welcome it in the firm conviction that the judgment will not only have the effect of permanently silencing the tongues of men like Foster, of unspcakable reputation, whose whole political stock in trade is slander, but will confirm in power a Premier who is first in the esteem of his countrymen and one of the leading—if not actually the leading—imperial statesmen of the present day—a man against whose character, public or private, the most malignant of his political enemies dare breathe a word of suspicion. We venture to predict that the triumph of Sir Wilfrid Laurier as a result of the elections of 1908 will be the most pronounced, all the circumstances considered, of his public career.

### REFRESHING, VERY.

It is refreshing to read an appeal for a two months' rest for clean government in Canada in a newspaper which defended the extraordinary Kaituma Island deal. There was an example of clean government, if you like. The whole of the site of what will be one of the great cities of the Pacific Coast was delivered into the hands of notorious persons from the United States to be disposed of to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company. Ministers of the Crown were either directly mixed up in or responsible for the malodorous transaction. The minister most directly involved was compelled to walk the plank, and the rest of the government has been directly connected with a scandal not nearly so indefensible. The Colonist defended both these transactions and supported the ministry which ought to have been condemned to perpetual exclusion from office because of its connection with them. Yet it will preach purity during the federal campaign and suggest impurity against men whose records are lustrous in comparison with the records of its own political friends. Indeed we understand that the individual who has been selected to manage the Tory campaign in British Columbia, the political boss who names candidates and directs issues, is none other than the principal figure in the Kaituma Island land inquiry and the Caron share deal. He will doubtless mount the platform shortly and plead for the return of candidates pledged to support pure government and high political ideals. As we have said, it is indeed refreshing to stand up and listen to sage admonitions and altruistic dissertations from men who have been

dismissed from office for the basest kind of conduct and from newspapers which have defended their conduct. The campaign in Victoria in particular promises to be one of the political curiosities of our own times.

Doubtless the leading men of the Conservative party would prefer, in the pending campaign, to keep their fiscal policy hidden under a bushel. But they cannot keep dark the fact that the party is under bondage to influences which would bleed the people of the country white under the guise of providing certain industrial leeches with "adequate protection." This is a matter of fundamental importance to the people of the West and of other sections of the country, who would necessarily be the principal contributors to the gaping pockets of high tariff beneficiaries. As the Hamilton Times pertinently remarks, the Toronto News interprets Borden's Halifax platform as declaring for high protection for the woolen men—and more taxes on the consumers. Not all Tory papers are eager to appear as advocates that the people should be required to pay more than \$7,000,000 a year for the protection of the Canadian woolen men? Perverts, however, are usually more extreme than their party. The News says: "The ruin of the woolen mills under the Fielding tariff and the refusal of the government to consider the dying conditions of the trade constitutes a fair ground of criticism against the Administration." and it presents Mr. Borden as demanding higher tariff taxes for their benefit. Does it think that the men who are obliged to pay \$3 duty on a \$10 suit in order that the woolen men may grow rich should become enthusiastic in their advocacy of doubling up that tax?

It is perhaps just as well that the Australian Islands are a long way from the United States. The Cornstalks seem to entertain a very high opinion of Americans and American institutions. They copied the United States system in the political constitution of their great commonwealth. A slight acquaintance might lead to a petition for annexation, but a fuller acquaintance might also result in sincere repentance.

We hope it is true, as reported, that the Canadian Pacific Railway company and its employees are coming together in amity, and that there is a bright prospect of the unfortunate strike being brought to a speedy end. This is no time with the greatest crop in the history of the country about ready to be taken to market, for our principal railway to be crippled in its operations.

Buenos Ayres is also feeling like making a noise or an appearance like a big nation. It is going to have battleships and torpedo boats built. The navy may never be put to any other purpose than furnishing employment for British shipbuilders. But in the present condition of trade that is something.

## On Sale To-morrow—A Special Purchase of Pongee Silk

- 28-inch Pongee Silk, regularly sold at 65c. TO-MORROW **35c**
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## To-morrow's Furniture Specials

- THIS YEAR'S FURNITURE SALE is one that we will be able to refer to in future as one of the best we have ever held. Many causes contribute to this, the principal one being Good Values, Splendid Assortment and Real Savings. For to-morrow we offer a few extra good specials that will help solve the furniture-purchasing problem for somebody, by offering good chances to save.
- SOLID GOLDEN OAK DINING ROOM SUITE OF CHAIRS, with leather pad seats. Five side and one arm chair in suite. Reg. value \$27.50. To-morrow **\$16.50**
  - EARLY ENGLISH SUITE OF DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, with leather seats. Five side and one arm chair in suite. Reg. value \$27.50. To-morrow **\$16.50**
  - ROCKERS IN THE GOLDEN OAK, with roll fronts. Regular value \$5.75. To-morrow **\$3.90**
  - BIRCH MAHOGANY ROCKERS, with roll-front seats. Regular value \$5.75. To-morrow **\$3.90**
  - MAHOGANY AND BIRCH SETTEE, with seat covered in brocade. Regular value \$28. To-morrow **\$14.75**
  - SOLID MAHOGANY ARM CHAIR, in brocade. Regular value \$28. To-morrow **\$18.75**
  - SOLID QUARTER-CUT GOLDEN OAK BUFFET, with British plate mirror in back and full three-quarter cabinet base. Regular value \$35.00. To-morrow **\$24.00**
  - BIRCH-MAHOGANY ARM CHAIRS, with seats covered in English tapestry. Regular value \$25.00. To-morrow **\$15.00**
  - BIRCH-MAHOGANY ARM CHAIRS, with upholstered seats. Regular value \$17.50. To-morrow **\$11.50**
  - MAHOGANY AND BIRCH ARM CHAIR, with brocade covered seat. To-morrow **\$14.00**
  - BIRCH-MAHOGANY ARM CHAIR, with tapestry covered seat. Regular value \$14.00. To-morrow **\$9.50**
  - BIRCH-MAHOGANY RECEPTION CHAIRS, with upholstered seats. Regular value \$13 and \$12.50. To-morrow **\$7.00**

## To-Morrow's Money-Savers for Men

Every man likes to get a bargain. No matter how careless a man may be in money matters, he always likes to get the chance to buy something under the regular price. These lines are all considerably underpriced, the first item in particular being a splendid special.

MEN'S OUTFIT SHIRTS, with separate lounge collar to match, in Oudine Flannel shades, blue, greys, fawns and mauves, checks and stripes and plain blue Oxford. These shirts are finished quite soft with soft cuffs and collar bands, and a separate stand-up turn-down collar to each shirt. All sizes, 14 to 17. Regular price \$1.75. To-morrow, special **\$1.25**

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## 25c Day in the Dress Goods Section

- New goods are arriving every day. We must have room for them. Therefore we will offer a lot of 50c, 75c and \$1.00 dress goods to-morrow at this price. Many different kinds of goods will be found in the lot. Some really "worth while" bargains that it will pay you to investigate. These are some of the makes of our 1.00, 75c and 50c goods for **25c**
- 75c Satin Cloth 25c
  - SATIN CLOTH, in light grey, old rose and mauve. Regular 75c. To-morrow **25c**
  - 75c Cashmere for 25c
  - CASHMERE, in nile, light green, myrtle, salmon pink, rose pink, royal blue and turquoise. Reg. 75c. To-morrow **25c**
  - \$1.00 Mollene for 25c
  - BOLLENNE, colors light mauve and nile. Regular \$1. To-morrow **25c**
  - 50c Delaines for 25c
  - DELAINE, in mauve and white and green and white. Reg. 50c. To-morrow **25c**
  - 75c and \$1 Lustre for 25c
  - LUSTRE, colors pink, grey, myrtle and cardinal. Reg. 75c and \$1.00. To-morrow **25c**
  - 75c Panamas for 25c
  - PANAMAS, in purple, old rose, grey, myrtle and fawn. Regular 75c. To-morrow **25c**
  - 50c CREAM VOILE, to-morrow **25c**
  - 75c CREAM CREPE DE CHINE, to-morrow **25c**

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- BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK, 68 inches wide. Regular \$1.00. Special Price **75c**
- TABLE LINEN, SATIN DAMASK, 72 in. wide. Regular \$1.25. Special Price **\$1.00**
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- HEMSTITCHED PILLOW SLIPS, Regular \$2.40. Special Price **\$1.80**
- HEMSTITCHED PILLOW SLIPS, large size. Regular \$3.00. Special Price **\$2.40**
- HEMSTITCHED PILLOW SLIPS, large size, fine heavy cotton. Regular \$4.20. Special Price **\$3.00**
- BLEACHED SHEETING, nice heavy quality, 63 inches wide. Regular 40c. Special Price **25c**
- BLEACHED SHEETING, plain and twilled, heavy grade, 72 inches wide. Regular 50c. Special Price **35c**
- BLEACHED SHEETING, 81 inches wide, heavy twill. Regular 50c. Special Price **35c**
- BLEACHED SHEETING, plain, fine and heavy, 90 inches wide. Regular 50c. Special Price **35c**
- BLEACHED SHEETING, heavy twill, 90 inches wide. Regular 60c. Special Price **45c**
- WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, size 60 in. x 80 in. Regular \$4.50. Special Price **\$3.50**
- WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, size 60 in. x 80 in. Regular \$5.50. Special Price **\$4.40**
- FINE WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, size 60 in. x 80 in. Regular \$5.75. Special Price **\$4.90**
- FINE WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, size 64 in. x 84 in. Regular \$6.75. Special Price **\$5.00**
- WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, all wool, good heavy weight, size 64 in. x 84 in. Reg. \$10.00. Special Price **\$7.50**
- WHITE WOOL BLANKETS, fine all wool, extra heavy, size 68 in. x 88 in. Regular \$11.50. Special Price **\$8.50**
- WHITE ALL WOOL BLANKETS, extra heavy and extra size, 70 in. x 90 in. Regular \$12.50. Special Price **\$10.00**
- WHITE ALL WOOL BLANKETS, extra heavy, extra size, 72 in. x 90 in. Regular \$15. Special Price **\$11.50**
- FLANNELETTE BLANKETS, colors white and grey, size 64 in. x 76 in. Regular \$1.25. Special Price **75c**
- FLANNELETTE BLANKETS, white only, size 70 in. x 78 in. Regular \$1.50. Special Price **\$1.00**
- FLANNELETTE BLANKETS, white only, size 74 in. x 80 in. Regular \$1.75. Special Price **\$1.25**
- AFRON LINENS, 44 inches wide, half-bleached. Regular 75c. Special Price **50c**
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Next Sunday the steamer Iroquois will make another of those delightful trips among the Gulf Islands, returning via the picturesque Pender Canal and Iroquois Channel. Train leaves V. & S. station, 2:45 a. m., for further information telephone 511.

If you are going to take a picnic party to Cordova Bay before the good weather is over, ring up 249 Pacific Transfer Company. You can get an ordinary rig for \$5 per day, will hold 8 or 10 people, or the only roller-bearing rig, rides like a buggy and holds from 10 to 12 people for \$6 per day. Ring us up before you move your furniture or baggage. For quick service get us. Phone 249.

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The extremely large and varied stock of silks of all kinds, curious and antique, and rattan furniture always affording a choice for unique and useful purchases at the Oriental Importing Company's stores at 510 Cormorant street, has recently received important additions, due to the arrival of an extensive assortment from China and Japan. Tourists and residents should not miss this opportunity of seeing the goods and saving money, as the company importing direct customers save 20 per cent. on the cost of their purchases.

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**WIFE BEATER PUNISHED.**  
Reeve of Saanich Dealt Out Justice in Court.

Ephraim Perdue, of Elk Lake district, was committed to jail for three months for striking his wife, by F. S. Quick, J. P., at a court held in the Saanich municipal hall yesterday morning.

Perdue pleaded guilty to the assault but said it had been provoked by severe tongue-lashings. Mrs. Perdue brought three neighbors along with her as witnesses. She said that her husband had been ill-treating her for some time and had ended up by hitting her. Perdue asked to be given another show, but Reeve Quick was obdurate. "You were addicted the use of liquor some time ago," said he, "and now I think the best thing I can do is to put you away for a while where you won't do anybody any harm."

The funeral of Alice Marion Michael, the little three-year-old daughter of E. D. Michael, of Cedar district, and grand-daughter of Thomas Russell, of Victoria, who died on the 23rd inst., took place in Ladysmith yesterday.

Owing to being unable to secure the Sir William Wallace Hall for Friday evening, the semi-monthly meeting of United Trades Association will be held on Saturday evening next at 8 p. m. in the above hall.

D. D. McTavish, who is severing his connection with E. G. Prior & Co., is accepting a similar position in Spokane, was presented last night with a testimonial by his fellow-employees. W. Buckett, on behalf of the donors, wished Mr. McTavish God-speed and a prosperous future.

Building permits were issued yesterday to the following: A. White, who will erect a dwelling on Painter brook street, to cost \$1,750; Charles Northam for a dwelling on Burnside road, to cost \$1,600; A. G. Godfrey, for a dwelling on May street, to cost \$2,000; and Mrs. H. K. Andrew for a dwelling on Hillside avenue, to cost \$2,500.

Work on the B. C. Electric Company's extension to Ross Bay cemetery, which has been held up for a few days until an agreement was reached between the city and the company as to the level on which the rails should be laid, whether to conform with the present grade or with the grade of the streets when it will be improved, there being a difference of 18 inches in some places. The company will grade its line up to the proposed new level as well as for 18 inches on either side of the rails and the city will undertake the improvement of the balance of the streets on the local improvement plan.

**STILL WAITING ON PROPERTY OWNERS**

**City Council Does Not Yet Know Kind of Pavement Wanted on Wharf Street.**

It is now practically certain that Store and Wharf streets will not be paved this year, owing to the fact the owners of property along the former have not yet informed the city council what kind of roadway they desire, whether wooden blocks, vitrified brick, tar macadam or straight macadam. Until the property owners do this the council can do nothing in the way of a new roadway. It is now some months since the council asked those interested for their wishes in the matter, but these have not been forthcoming. Had the council been given an answer in reasonable time Store street could have been paved this year for the 12 inch pipes for both the domestic water supply and the high pressure salt water system are now on hand and are being laid. The work of paving could, therefore, have been proceeded with at once. The mains for both water system are also to be laid in Store street at once but it is doubtful if the paving on this street will be undertaken this year as the weather will soon be here. Were vitrified brick adopted, however, the wet weather would not interfere with the work in any way, but further delay will prevent either being gone on with.

An effort is to be made to get Government street, between Fisguard and Johnson street, Broughton street between Wharf and Douglas, and Broad street between Broughton and Fort, paved this year in addition to Courtenay between Wharf and Douglas street. To do this the pipes for the salt water system are to be laid without delay. The paving of Gordon street will be held over until next year as there is a lot of blasting to be done, a work which can be carried out in the winter as well as at any other time.

When the paving works mentioned above have been completed it will mean that practically every foot of street in the section of the city lying between Douglas street and the Water front, from Fisguard street to the Causeway will be paved. The exceptions will be Cormorant street, between Store street and Douglas; Broad street between Johnson and Cormorant; Pandora between Government and Douglas, and View street between Broad and Douglas. These with the exception of View street are likely to be paved next year. The idea of the city council is that the paving can be gradually extended from this central net work, Douglas street probably being done next year if the property owners along it will agree to the work going ahead. One extension from the centre of the city already provided for is that of Belleville street between the south end of the Causeway and St. John street, thus giving a first class roadway from the inner harbor to the centre of the city, for the causeway will be paved next year, and also a large portion of the road from the outer wharf to the business section.

At the present time the city engineers have a gang of men at work repaving the pavement in places where blocks have given out. In addition Fort street is to be repaved before the wet season arrives.

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to get into the theatre and amongst the audience, undisturbed. Just as the first act was in progress Raffles started to walk towards the stage, as advertised in yesterday's Times, but before he got far down the aisle he was identified—Mrs. R. H. Watson—the lucky person, Mr. Raffles is indeed pleased to be able to present the prize to a Victoria lady who saluted him in the proper fashion, having the necessary articles as stipulated in the conditions, a White Swan Soap wrapper and a Province Cigar. As soon as Mrs. Watson tapped the mysterious one on the shoulder he at once admitted who he was in the presence of the fairly large audience, taking her with him upon the stage and introduced her to the people as being the prize of \$50 for his capture if caught at the place and time mentioned, and ending with a flourish at 10 o'clock. Remember what you may say and be sure and have a White Swan Soap coupon. These are the words: "You are Mr. Raffles, the Mysterious White Swan Soap Man."

Look for him at the following places: To-morrow he will appear at the corner of Johnson and Government street at 2 o'clock, and on the corner of Government and Yates streets at 4 o'clock. In the evening he will again appear at the A. C. U. W. hall.

B. C. Soap employees and press not eligible.

**THE PIPE BAND.**  
Concert will be given at Old Men's Home.

A concert will be given next Wednesday evening at the Old Men's Home by the St. Andrew's Pipe Band.

The pipers have been doing a lot of work lately and ought to have their instruments in good shape for a stringing session. Tuesday evening they honored Dr. Milne, honorary president of the St. Andrew's Society, who has been a substantial contributor to the band's funds. Contributions have been coming in quite plentifully and the band are now seriously considering the prospect of getting rid of their old uniforms and coming out in new ones. This transformation may be effected before the winter rains set in.

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**Rev. J. W. Wadman Will Be at Metropolitan Church To-night.**

This evening at 8 o'clock Rev. J. W. Wadman, superintendent of missions in the Hawaiian Islands, and formerly pastor of the Centennial Methodist church of this city, will deliver a lecture in the lecture room of the Metropolitan Methodist church. He will take for his subject, "Life and Work in the Hawaiian Islands."

The subject in the hands of Rev. Mr. Wadman should be most interesting. He is an entertaining lecturer, and the subject is one which lends itself to excellent effort. The many friends of Superintendent Wadman will embrace the opportunity of meeting him again. This lecture will take the place of the regular weekly prayer service of the church.

The regular meeting of Court Columbia, No. 834, Canadian Order of Foresters, will be held in the Sir William Wallace Hall, Broad street, on Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Every member and visitors of the above order are urgently requested to attend. A social committee will be appointed for the coming winter to arrange for games, etc.

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WARBURTON HAS A SPLENDID RECORD He Was Formerly Champion in the Brigade of Guards.

The boxing contest which the Fifth Regiment has decided to put on on the evening of Labor Day in the Drill Hall promises to be one of special merit. Warburton who is to meet Saunders in a contest for points of 15 rounds of 2 minutes each has a splendid record. He served three years with the Coldstream Guards before coming to Victoria and is now on the reserve list. It is but suitable therefore that his appearance here should be under a military organization.

LACROSSE. PLAYERS SUSPENDED. Thomas Jones and Hugh A. Stewart, of St. Mary's, Ont., have been suspended for life from the Canadian Lacrosse Union for having played under assumed names for Woodstock, in the C. I. A. intermediate semi-finals match at Galt last Saturday, says a Toronto dispatch.

SPORTSMEN ENDORSE LONGBOAT PROTEST Objection Was Taken After Runner's Entry, Was Made.

Montreal, Aug. 26.—At the meeting of the executive of the federation last night, the action of Leslie H. Boyd, its representative on the Olympic games committee, in protesting against Tom Longboat's entry to the Marathon race, was unanimously endorsed. In explaining his action, Mr. Boyd said the protest was made simply on the ground that Tom Longboat had competed at an unannounced meet in Canada. It was lodged only two days before the race, and then only on the assurance of the assistant secretary of the British Olympic committee that his entry had been accepted, and that Longboat would run notwithstanding any protests. So that knowing that a protest could be made without barring Longboat from competing and that the protection of the body Mr. Boyd represented would be fully assured, he felt justified in the action he took in the interest of amateur sport in Canada.

CAMBIE AND HOLLIER WIN MEN'S DOUBLES Yesterday's Results in the Bankers' Handicap Tournament.

Cambie and Hollier, of the Bank of Montreal, clinched the men's doubles in the bankers' handicap tournament by winning out in the final at the Belcher street courts yesterday afternoon. Tom and Wilson, of the Imperial bank, were their opponents at the nets, each double having captured two games prior to yesterday. Yesterday's game, as was expected, was a very interesting one, and there

were many ups and downs before Cambie and Hollier finally won out by the close score of 7-5. The game was rendered more difficult for the victors on account of them being very severely handicapped. The prizes for this event are two handsome silver cups. Cambie came to the front again in the semi-final for the men's singles, beating his opponent, Dewdney, by scores of 6-4, 6-3. The victor put up a very aggressive game and although Dewdney played well he found it very difficult to keep the ball out of his courts. The final in the men's singles will probably be pulled off on Saturday when Cambie will take on McDougall, also of the Bank of Montreal, who has been playing a very fine game throughout.

GENERAL NOTES. Dr. Emanuel Lasker scored another victory on Monday night in the series against Dr. Tarrasch of Nuremberg, for the chess championship of the world, after forty-two moves. Dr. Lasker has now won three games and Dr. Tarrasch one.

The London Stadium, in which this year's Olympic games were held, is this year's standing. It is possible that it may be purchased by the English Football Association, and if so, the cup final will be played there in April next. Killick, the Sussex professional, has participated in every one of his county's cricket matches for ten successive years.

BASEBALL RESULTS. YESTERDAY'S RESULTS. Aberdeen, 1; Seattle, 5. Spokane, 1; Tacoma, 5. Butte, 10; Vancouver, 7. Games To-Day. Seattle and Aberdeen at Seattle. Spokane and Tacoma at Tacoma. Vancouver and Butte at Vancouver. Northwestern League. Won Lost P.C. Vancouver 42 49 45.9. Spokane 37 52 41.3. Aberdeen 35 52 40.2. Tacoma 51 53 49.0. Butte 45 54 45.5. Seattle 41 49 45.2.

National League. Won Lost P.C. New York 69 42 62.2. Pittsburgh 67 47 58.7. Chicago 67 47 58.7. Philadelphia 59 49 54.6. Cincinnati 56 58 49.1. Boston 49 64 42.4. St. Louis 41 70 37.0. Brooklyn 40 70 36.4. American League. Won Lost P.C. Detroit 61 43 58.9. St. Louis 64 48 57.1. Cleveland 64 48 57.1. Chicago 62 50 55.8. Philadelphia 53 56 48.6. Boston 53 60 46.9. Washington 44 65 40.2. New York 37 75 33.0.

Coast League. Won Lost P.C. Los Angeles 72 55 56.6. San Francisco 69 58 54.3. Portland 61 56 52.0. Oakland 57 55 51.0.

SEATTLE TOURNAMENT IN FULL SWING Result of the Matches Played Yesterday Afternoon.

The tennis tournament in Seattle now in progress has attracted many of the best players from the Coast. Included among the number of contestants are several from Victoria. On Tuesday, in the mixed doubles, Mrs. George, Victoria, and T. J. Colwell, Seattle, were defeated by Mrs. Barton, Seattle, and W. S. Fitz, Seattle, 6-1, 6-4. Yesterday the matches resulted as follows: Men's Singles. Lukes withdrew from the singles, Pemberton filling in. Pemberton won from Read by default. Freeman defeated Lawe, 6-2, 6-1. Jukes beat Gardner, 6-4, 6-2. Perry won from Andrews, 6-4, 6-2. 6-3. Bruce-Smith defeated Kelleher, 6-4, 6-1. Bruce-Smith defeated Heilburn, 6-2, 6-2. Torabough defeated Jordan, 6-2, 6-4.

Men's Doubles. Moore and Hallinger defeated Bayles and Winston, 6-2, 6-0. Lawrence and Read defeated Pemberton and Kirkbride, 6-4, 7-5. Russell and Freeman defeated Kelleher and Andrews, 6-2, 6-1; Jordan and Bruce-Smith defeated Robertson and Murray, 6-2, 6-2. Gilbert and Jukes defeated Strout and Haight, 6-3, 6-1.

Ladies' Singles. Miss Bell defeated Miss Butchart, 6-2, 6-1. Mrs. Swift defeated Miss Baillie, 10-8, 8-6. Miss Jukes defeated Miss Danner, 6-1, 6-2. Miss Pooley defeated Miss Kershaw, 6-1, 6-4. Mrs. Gange withdrew, advancing Miss Sully to first round; Mrs. Southard defeated Miss Norris, 3-6, 6-4, 14-12. Ladies' Doubles. Mrs. Swift and Mrs. Southard defeated Miss Baillie and Miss Kershaw, 6-1, 6-4. Mixed Doubles. Mrs. Bell and Mr. Freeman defeated Mrs. Buchanan and Mr. Kirkbride, 7-5, 6-1. Miss Morris and Mr. Jukes defeated Miss Pitts and Mr. Jordan, 6-2, 6-2; Mrs. Jukes and Mr. Fordham, 6-2, 6-2; Mrs. Pitts and Mr. Jordan, 6-2, 6-2; Mrs. Lawe and Mr. Laws, 7-5, 6-1; Mrs. Southard and Mr. Russell, 6-2, 6-1; Mrs. Sully and Mr. Heaton, 6-3, 6-2; Mrs. Langley and Mr. Moore, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Smith and Mr. Lewis, 6-4, 6-2; Miss Gardner and Mr. Hall, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Pooley and Mr. Thompson, 6-2, 6-2.

BRIDGE BUILDERS. We read of the heroes of the battlefield, the ocean, and various other callings, but there is another class of men whose work is also heroic, and who are seldom heard of men who face death high in the air. They are what the engineer calls "riggers," and are the creators of the world's big bridges and the huge "sky-scrapers" of American cities. Without their bravery and skill the towering structures, which span the world's great rivers and gorges could not be put together.—The Wide World Magazine.

MACHINERY BOUGHT FOR OIL DRILLING Anthony Anderson Has Returned From East—Enthusiastic Over Prospects.

"I am more than ever convinced of the value of our property since witnessing the development of the Pennsylvania Oil Fields," said Anthony Anderson, secretary of the Canadian Northwest Oil Co., Ltd., to a Times reporter this morning. Mr. Anderson has just returned from a trip to the eastern oil regions, where he purchased a large quantity of drilling and other machinery for his company. One car load of this has already reached McLeod, the port of entry for the district in which the company's wells are situated, and two more car loads are en route. All this machinery is of the most modern type, and when it is on the ground and installed, the work of sinking new wells will be vigorously prosecuted. The directors have decided that the company's business demands the presence of a manager on the ground, and C. C. Johns, a large shareholder, has been chosen for the position. Mr. Johns will proceed to the oil field in a few days. A proposal from a big contracting firm to build and operate a sawmill on the property and an application for the use of part of the magnificent water power owned by the company are under consideration.

AMERICAN BAR. About Three Hundred Will Visit Victoria on Saturday. On Saturday afternoon and evening the American Bar Association, now meeting in Seattle, will be the guests of the local lawyers. There are about 300 members of the association coming by the steamer Spokane, which has been chartered for the purpose. Reaching here at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of Saturday they will spend the remainder of the day here, leaving again next morning for a trip down the Straits on the Spokane. While in Victoria the visitors will be taken for a drive about the city, and in the evening they will probably be entertained at the Empress.

At a meeting of the management committee of the Victoria yacht club, held last night, it was decided to insure the new club building against fire after some discussion. A number of minor matters were attended to. A vote of thanks was tendered to Messrs. Home & Bannerman for the use of their wharf at the formal opening of the club house. An invitation was received from the Everett yacht club to attend the latter's annual cruise, and a resolution was put on record to the effect that the committee wished all local power boats that could attend the cruise to take advantage of the invitation. There was a large attendance at the meeting and a number of applications for membership were received and accepted.

Publicity "Temptations." The merchant is led up into mountains of temptation very often in the course of planning his advertising. He is assailed almost every day by the various floating schemes for so-called advertising—by the town who "work" town after town and city after city with advertising "schemes" of various kinds. Now and then one of these is somewhat novel, and—losing sight of the other fact that it is otherwise quite worthless—the merchant throws away a little of his advertising appropriation. He could be just as effectively original if he changed the dollars he invests in such schemes into pennies and amused himself by scattering them from housetops. He would "attract attention" by such a proceeding—but he would not appeal to his fellow-citizens as a good advertiser. The "scheme-proof" merchant is the one who learned to concentrate his fire upon the target. He had learned that the best advertising is that afforded him by the best newspaper in his city; that he helps his best newspaper to grow still better; still more creditable to the city, by a liberal advertising patronage. And he knows that every dollar of his advertising appropriation foolishly spent has to be withdrawn from his real advertising campaign. Of course every merchant knows that all newspapers are worth while advertising mediums—but the poorest newspaper is immeasurably better than the best of the vagrant "schemes" that come along. STAMP LANDSCAPES. Between nine and ten million stamps are employed in the decoration of the walls of the refectory of the Hospice of St. Jean de Dieu at Ghent. For years the monks have utilized their leisure time in the formation of landscapes from bits of stamps, and at a distance one would never believe that only stamps have been used in their making, so rich are the colorings and so perfect the drawing. The idea originated with one of the brothers, who made a small picture of the patron saint of the hospice on the walls of his cell. Appreciating the beauty of his work the prior suggested that he devote his unique talent to the decoration of the walls of the refectory, and with the assistance of others among the brotherhood the monk has devoted years to the work, which stands unique among art productions. Seen close at hand the work resembles mosaic, but from across the room the bits blend so well together as to suggest oil. Only three sides of the room are yet completed, and contributions of stamps are constantly being received from visitors who have seen the work and have become interested.

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Local Markets—Stock Quotations from New York, Chicago and London—Doings in Mining Centres

The Local Markets

Table of local market prices including items like Pratt's Coal Oil, Bacon (B.C.), Hams, Pork, Mutton, Lamb, etc.

REASONS FOR NEW YORK'S LATEST CRASH

Partner Declares Suspended Firm Was Deliberately Shut Out in Cold.

New York, Aug. 27.—E. T. Buchanan, of the suspended stock exchange firm of A. O. Brown & Company, gave out a statement by giving details of the explanation of the members of the firm yesterday by the members of the committee which the exchange appointed to probe Saturday's market doings.

GRAIN MARKET

Table of grain market prices including Wheat, Corn, Oats, Barley, etc.

BANK OF ENGLAND

London, Aug. 27.—The Bank of England rate of discount remained unchanged to-day at 3 1/2 per cent.

IRON AND STEEL TRADE

Foreign demand for American iron and steel during the year ending June 30th was the largest on record, amounting in value to \$183,982,183, against \$181,539,871 in 1907 and \$160,944,985 in 1906.

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Table of New York stock prices including Amal. Copper, Amer. Car & Foundry, Amer. Cotton Oil, etc.

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Scientists in Japan have been investigating for some time into the possibility of discovering a substitute for wood pulp in the manufacture of paper.

The pulp that is now made from buckwheat stock is the result of many experiments on the part of a leading scientist. He claims now that he has not only been successful, but that the product of his manufacture is decidedly economical.

For a while it was hoped that the pulp made from rice straw, rags and waste would supply the reasonable demand in the market; but the materials

THIRTY BUSHELS PER ACRE ON THE AVERAGE

Visitor Back From Trip to Brandon Tells of Desire to Live Here

That thirty bushels per acre on the average will be the extent of the crop in Manitoba at an average of \$1 per bushel with 35,000 men already in the country between Moosejaw and Brandon and more en route to handle the harvest, is the report brought back to the city by S. J. Miller of the Imperial Hotel, who returned here two days ago after a trip through the wheat country as far east as Brandon. The estimate made by Mr. Miller is on a recent sight and from samples of wheat which he has witnessed, and from good weather, the harvest will this year be round thirty bushels, or twice the average of past years.

FIVE BOYS SENT TO THE REFORMATORY

Ages Range From Ten to Fourteen Years—Youngest is the Ringleader.

Five boys, ranging in age from 10 to 14 years, whose parents and guardians say they cannot control them, were each given two years in the provincial reformatory this morning by Magistrate Jay after he had found them guilty of various thefts, the principal one being that of 1,000 grain sacks, valued at about \$40,000, from the warehouse of Bannerman & Horn's.

WHOLESALE MARKETS

Table of wholesale market prices including Carrots, Bananas, Lemons, Walnuts, Apples, etc.

BANK DIVIDENDS PAYABLE

Table of bank dividends payable including Union Bank of Halifax, Bank of Montreal, Canadian Bank of Commerce, etc.

THE TIMERS OFFICE

The Timers office is open every evening excepting Sunday for the transaction of business.

CAPITAL FURNITURE CO. ONLY 4 DAYS MORE! Our special prices on Furniture, Iron Beds, etc., continue until the end of the month. SPECIAL THIS WEEK REGULAR 50c LINOLEUM 40c EXTENSION TABLES 96.50





This woman says that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured her after everything else had failed.

Shingle Roofs MADE Fireproof BY THE APPLICATION OF 'N.A.G. Slating' A FIREPROOF ROOF PAINT

ENFORCED RETIREMENT OF CAPT. E. PHILLIPS Former Commander of Manuka Quits Sea Through Ill-health.

Ocean and Coastwise Shipping Movements of Local Vessels—Trade Expansion in B.C. Waters—Gleanings of Interest From the Seven Seas.

MADE LONG PASSAGE TO PRINCE RUPERT Stern-wheeler Skeena Was Delayed by Adverse Weather and Tides.

MARINE NOTES The Union steamship Camosun sailed last night for Prince Rupert and way ports taking ten tons of freight from this port and the following saloon passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Macdonell, for Prince Rupert; Mr. and Mrs. Shady, for Port Eslington, D. Kelly, and Lieut. R. H. Robinson, for Prince Rupert.

Two Liners Collided with Giant Whales One Raced Kensington and Was Run Down—Another Stopped Teutonic.

Two whaling stories from the Atlantic are furnished by the Associated Press to-day, the steamships Teutonic and Kensington, of the White Star and Dominion lines, respectively, being the bearers of the news.

The Canadian-Australian liner Londale, Capt. Ingram, left Vancouver to-day for Comox where she will bunk up and will afterwards load lumber for Mexican ports. She sails from here on the 31st.

The four-masted schooner Alpena, with 1,154,000 feet of lumber from Chemung, arrived at Sydney, N. S. W., on August 2d, after an uneventful passage of 61 days.

A dispatch from Washington D. C. says that the U. S. Wireless stations at Fort Gibson and Nome, the last of the system from Seattle to Nome, are now in operation.

The steamship Superior, running in the Oriental line managed by Frank Waterhouse and company, is due from the Orient to-morrow.

NANOOSU IN COMMISSION, New C.P.R. Tug Placed on Ladysmith-Vancouver Run.

EMPRESS OF CHINA LEAVES FOR ORIENT White Liner Carried Over Four Hundred Tons of Canadian Flour.

With a fair-sized cargo, including 700 tons of flour and consignments of canned salmon, lumber, electrical machinery and general freight, the R. M. S. Empress of China, Capt. Archibald, sailed last night for Hongkong via Seattle. Over 400 tons of the China's flour shipment was Canadian.

VADSO REPORTS KNOX BAY FIRE DYING OUT

After being delayed two days by pressure of freight at northern B. C. ports the Boscowitz steamship Vadoo, Capt. Johnson, reached port last night. The Vadoo brought a heavy cargo south, including 4,500 cases of salmon, 2,000 cases each from the Beaver and Bella Coola canneries, and 500 from the Naas. In addition to this the Vadoo bore a considerable amount of general freight and a shipment of lime from Van Anda.

The officers of the steamship reported that the big fire in the vicinity of Knox Bay, Johnstone Strait, was burning itself out, and also that a forest fire was raging at Cracroft Island, Johnstone Strait.

The sockeye salmon run at Albers Inlet is over, and only a few cohoes are being taken by the canneries still fishing. On the Naas and Skeena a few sockeyes were being taken last week, and a fair run of cohoes was reported while at Bella Coola, the cannery here, along with exceptionally good run of fish. The starboard propeller at the Belmor and Claxton canneries at the Skeena is reported to be 23,000 cases each, and at Bella Coola 6,000 cases.

The Vadoo brought down 200 Chinese who had finished the season's work at the various canneries, and also a number of salmon passengers. She sailed north again to-day with a big cargo of general freight.

The city council will meet this evening as a court of inquiry under the Municipal Clauses act to hear evidence on both sides of the question in regard to the sanitary inspector's report on a house on Bay street, the owner of which refuses to connect with the sewer and also in regard to the complaint of the residents of the neighborhood as to the nuisance which they may table on Michigan street constitute.

SALMON PACK EXCEEDS EXPECTATIONS Output During Season on Columbia—10 Fishermen Lose Their Lives.

Astoria, Ore., Aug. 26.—At noon yesterday the Columbia river spring fishing season closed, and results as shown by approximate estimates are much better than have generally been expected. All classes of fishermen prospered. The gillnetters did not do as well as last season, but even the insipid traps at Baker's bay made money, and there is not a seining ground on the river but the canneries are out ahead, with the exception of a few that started late. There is a dropping off of the mid-cured pack. This was due largely to the lack of commercial demand. There was an extremely large run of steelheads during the latter part of the season. The last pack of steelheads graded better than the similar pack of chinooks, being much richer in oil and of better quality. On the basis of four-dozen one-point tails to the case, there were packed 223,300 cases, which is about 30,000 cases in excess of last year. Segregated, this pack is as follows:

McGowan, 3,000; Co-operative Fishermen, 25,000; Tallant, 10,000; Sanborn Cutting, 15,500; Packers' Association, 85,000; A. Booth, 16,000; Altoona Packing Company, 13,000; Pillar Rock, 12,000; Meier, 9,000; Warren, 15,000; Seifert, 2,500.

The mid-cured pack, put up in tierces approximating 800 pounds, amounted to 4,960 tierces, or about 2,000 tierces less than the previous year. Segregated, this pack was as follows: Fishermen's Co-operative, 700; Tallant Grant, 350; Sanborn Cutting, 160; Schmidt & Co., 700; Packers' Association, 1,500; Klavenhusen, 400; Vendsyssel, 300; Klavenhusen, 500; Warren, 350.

The sharp frozen pack of steelheads for shipment to the East and Europe amounted to 875 tons. Ten fishermen lost their lives during the season.

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REPORTS FROM WEST COAST

(By Dominion Radio-Telegraph). Tatoosh, Aug. 27, noon.—Cloudy; wind south, 15 miles; barometer, 29.85; temperature, 56. Out, a four-masted schooner at 9 a. m. German ship Wilhelmine in tow of tug Lorne at 10:50. In, a four-masted schooner at 11:30 a. m.

Pachena, Aug. 27, noon.—Cloudy and showery; easterly breeze; barometer, 29.85; temperature, 52. No shipping. Estevan, Aug. 27, noon.—Cloudy wind southeast; barometer, 29.82; temperature, 57. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Cape Ego, Aug. 27, noon.—Cloudy with light rain; barometer, 29.80; temperature, 63. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Point Grey, Aug. 27, noon.—Cloudy; strong southeast breeze; barometer, 29.78; temperature, 64. Out, Princess Royal at 10:40 a. m. In, steamship Iroquois at 9:55 a. m.

Tatoosh, Aug. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind south, 9 miles; barometer, 29.84; temperature, 56. In, barquentine James Tuft, towing at 6:30 a. m.

Pachena, Aug. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; light rain; wind southeast; barometer, 29.77; temperature, 71. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Estevan, Aug. 27, 8 a. m.—Cloudy; wind southeast; barometer, 29.90; temperature, 54. Sea moderate. No shipping.

Cape Lazo, Aug. 27, 8 a. m.—Clear; wind southeast; barometer, 29.80; temperature, 56. Sea moderate. No shipping. (By Dominion Wire). Carmannah, Aug. 27, noon.—Light.

Canadian National Exhibition AT TORONTO, ONT. Aug. 29th to Sept. 14th.

\$62.70 TORONTO \$62.70 And Return \$62.70 TICKETS ON SALE AUGUST 24th TO SEPT. 3rd. FINAL RETURN LIMIT, SEPT. 26th. IMPERIAL LIMITED TRAIN, No. 2, leaves Vancouver daily at 8:15 a. m. ATLANTIC EXPRESS TRAIN, No. 96, at 5:15 p. m. Through standard and tourist sleeping cars to all Eastern points.

For any further information write or call on CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, Cor. Fort and Govt. St., Victoria, B. C.

WRITE FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THE ONE-WAY COLONIST FARES VIA THE Northern Pacific Railway FROM THE EAST TO THE NORTHWEST IN EFFECT DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER

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News From Four Corners of B. C. Interesting Happenings Gleaned From All Sources in the Province.

SMELTERS AFFECTED BY SHORTAGE OF COKE. Recent Kootenay Forest Fires Are Factors in Crippling Industry.

Phoenix, Aug. 26.—Coke supply for the Boundary smelters is still an uncertain quantity, resulting from the recent crippling by fire of the shipping facilities at the Fernie ovens.

The smelter and mines of the Dominion Copper Company have now been tied up for nearly two weeks for lack of fuel. The company arranged for a supply of coke from the coast...

DISASTROUS FIRE AT ROSSLAND MINE. Shaft-house of Abe Lincoln Property Destroyed—Inferiorism Feared.

Rossland, Aug. 26.—Damage to the extent of several thousand dollars was done Saturday night by a fire which destroyed the shaft house and other surface buildings of the Abe Lincoln mine.

WOMEN WITH ECZEMA. READ THIS CURE BY ZAM-BUK. Why continue to suffer from Eczema when nature has provided a certain cure?

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION. Vancouver, Aug. 26.—At a meeting held last evening of the Vancouver Conservative executive...

COUNCIL TO REGULATE CONDUCT OF POOLROOMS. Outcome of Complaints Made to Ladysmith Aldermen—Bush Fires Quelled.

Ladysmith, Aug. 25.—The action of the city council in closing the hotels and saloons on Sundays, with the consequent improvement in the conduct and appearance of the town...

Ladysmith High School. The schools opened out for the fall term yesterday, and for the first time in its history Ladysmith now boasts of a high school.

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Another White Slave. Woman Found in Vancouver's Chinese Opium Den. Vancouver, Aug. 26.—In the police court this morning, Lillian Sabert, a white woman, found by the police in a Chinese opium den...

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OPENING UP RICH VALLEY OF FRASER. Considerable Railway Mileage Will Be Opened in Near Future.

New Westminster, Aug. 26.—Never before in the history of the Fraser valley has there been so much railway building actually in progress...

The V. V. & E. railway is already rapidly finishing the ballasting of both the new line between this city and Blaine, and the branch from Cloverdale to Huntingdon...

LADYSMITH TROUBLED OVER FOOTBALL OUTLOOK. Work of Soccer Team in Opening Matches Fails to Please.

Ladysmith, Aug. 26.—The followers and supporters of the local football team are none too pleased with the way in which their favorites have begun the season.

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Marine Engineers OWNERS and others requiring competent engineers can be supplied at short notice by applying to Secy. Council No. 1, N. A. of M. 888 Blanshard, Phone 431, or A. McVeen, Asst. Secy., Five Sisters' Block.

Mechanical Engineer W. G. WINTERBURN, M. I. N. A., Consulting Mechanical Engineer and Surveyor. Estimates for all kinds of machinery, etc., a specialty. Phone 1331, 121 Oak Bay Avenue, Victoria, B. C.

Medical Massage MR. BERGSTROM BJORNFELT, Masseuse, Room 2, Vernon Block, Douglas Street, Victoria, B. C. Office hours 1 to 6 p. m.

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Dated this 14th day of July, A. D. 1926. GUSTAVE MOERMAN, PETER MELROD, By his Attorney in Fact, Gustave Moerman.

JUST ARRIVED
Large shipment of Chinese Fongee Silks, best quality; also Japanese Cotton Crepe, of all colors and prices, for sale by piece or by yard, or in any quantity required, at lowest prices. 15 and 20 Cormorant street, Next the Fire Hall. WAH YUN & CO.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Pacific Northern and Orient Railway Company will be held at the office of Messrs. Bowler & Lawson, No. 918 Government street, on Wednesday, the 14th day of September, A. D. 1926, for the purpose of receiving a report from the directors, for the election of directors, and for the transaction of other business connected with or incident to the undertaking of the company. HENRY PHILIPS, Secretary.

Houses to Rent

ROOMED FURNISHED COTTAGE TO LET—On Dallas road, near outer wharf, with bath, hot and cold water, electric light, and all modern conveniences. Apply 104 Dallas road.

TO LET—Modern seven roomed house on Oswego St. Apply Robert Tatt, 28 Dallas road.

TO LET—Furnished, at Oak Bay, close to golf links, pretty five roomed house, with every convenience, beautiful sea view and choice high situation, large garden. Harman & Punnett, 22 Tronca avenue.

OAK BAY—Close to golf links, five roomed house, bath, h. and c., and all modern conveniences, good garden, 3 lots, to let furnished. Apply Harman & Punnett, 22 Tronca avenue.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET—Few minutes' walk from business center, 200 1/2 month. Maynard & Co., Mahon Bldg.

TO RENT—Rockland, comfortable 6-room house, 2 bath, 21 Tronca Ave. Phone 1777.

TO LET—Furnished house, on Florence road, 200 per month. Apply Heamont Post Office.

TO LET—4 roomed modern house, new, hot and cold bath, v. e., etc., with spacious grounds on Gorge waterfront. Apply Young or Legge, opp. Gorge Park.

TO LET—Two furnished cottages, on Dallas road, bath, h. and c., and cold water, and electric light. Apply Mrs. M. C. Smith, Seaview, 104 Dallas road, or 67 Fort St.

Houses for Sale

NEW 6-room house for sale, situated on Hampshire road, Oak Bay, well built and comfortable. Will sell for \$2,750, which is less than cost, on the monthly installment plan. Apply owners, McPherson & Fullerton Bros., 618 Tronca Ave. Phone 1577.

FOR SALE—On easy terms, new Bungalow, close to High School; the most convenient case in the city. Apply to the owners, McPherson & Fullerton Bros., 618 Tronca Ave., Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE—New 3 room cottage, nicely finished. Price and see. Full lot, good part of price. Will sell cheap. Owner leaving city. Call at 214 Graham street, city.

FOR SALE—Comfortable new 5-room cottage, everything modern; on easy payment system; a good lot on car line. Price, \$2,500. McPherson & Fullerton Bros., 618 Tronca Ave., Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE—We have some good houses and cottages in good location, also a number of fine lots, well situated, which we are requesting to sell at low prices. Empire Realty, 612 Yates street.

Houses Wanted

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6 roomed house, near car line, must have sewer connection. Apply J. S. R., Times office.

WANTED—A house near the car line; must have 1 1/2 rooms or over. Phone 4229.

WANTED—3 or 4 roomed cottage, with garden preferred, near tram. Write Box 44, Times Office.

WANTED—School teacher, for Otter Point, salary \$45 per month. Apply immediately to M. Emerson, Box 37, Times Office.

WANTED—An active life insurance canvasser and inducements unequalled. Reference and bond required. G. D. Scott, 48 Granville street, Vancouver.

STENOGRAPHER wanted with typewriter proficiency. Apply Box 318 Times Office.

WANTED—Messengers, with wheels. Apply Hasty Messenger Co., 1219 Langley street.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Girl for general house work; plain cooking. Apply Mrs. Aaronson, 115 Government street.

GIRLS WANTED. Apply B. C. Soap Works.

WANTED—Lady teacher for Sablim school, salary \$40 per month. Address P. Auchincloss, Esq., Duncan, B. C.

Lost and Found

\$5.00 REWARD—Lost, at the station or on train returning from Victoria, season ticket, lady's gold watch. Return to Times Office.

Miscellaneous Goods for Sale
FOR SALE—Thoroughbred pointer bitch, 2 years old, well broken. Apply 41 Hendry, corner Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue.

FOR SALE—Lady's new bicycle, best American make, \$20. Apply 63 Fort St.

FOR SALE—100 shares Canadian Northwest Oil. Apply Leonard Mills, city.

FOR SALE—Black mare. Apply Box 21, this office.

AUTO FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for realty or auto trucks. Auto, care Times.

CANADIAN-NORTHWEST OIL—If interested in this stock see us. Maysmith & Co., Mahon Bldg.

FOR SALE—Slightly soiled English bicycle; at snap; owner leaving city; can be seen at Pimley's, 211 Government St.

HORSE FOR SALE—Apply 6328 Menzies street.

RIGHT for island, fast selling article; a snap. Box 390.

FOR SALE—2 1/2 rifle, \$10.00; 2 rifle, \$6.50; riveted overalls, reg. h. now 75¢; shirts, 50¢; cost \$1.00; 2 pairs of pants, 25¢ each; pillows, 25¢ each; records, 25¢ each; hand bags, 10¢; lot military at any price. At the X. L. New and Second-hand Store, opp. Pantheatre, in Alley.

FOR SALE—Southdown pure sheep, bred and registered rams. Address A. T. Watt, P. O. Box 729, Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE—Business, with truck, team and harness. Fred. Jones, 256 Third street.

FOR SALE—Hundred Canadian Northwest Oil shares. Box 502, Times.

BROCCOLI, Kale, Brussels Sprouts and Savoy plants, 25¢ per 100; \$1 per 1,000. Catalogue of nursery stock free. Mt. Tolu Nursery, Victoria.

FOR SALE—Buggies, delivery wagons, farm implements, wagons, dump carts, etc. B. C. Hardware Co., Ltd., 50 Johnson St.

FOR SALE—Rover motor car, in first class running order, new fenders, or will exchange for Victoria car, fenders, or will pay difference in cash. Box 61, Times.

NEW MOTOR CYCLE FOR SALE—A sacrifice, owner going to England. See it at Pimley's, 211 Government St.

FOR SALE—Alarm clock, \$1.25; flute, cornet, mandolin, harmonica, and four linen's pulleys, \$3.50; vibrator, \$1.50; Eastman kodak, \$4. \$1.75; Gem safety razor, \$1.50; camera, \$1.50; each. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 1008 Douglas street, 4 floors below Government street, Victoria.

FOR SALE—A few new buggies, latest style, second-hand buggies, wagons and carts, two good fresh calves covered with rubber, 25¢ each, 2 good Fishers' Carriage Shop, 214 Discovery street.

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REAL ESTATE AND TIMBER ABOVE NORRIS BANK. Tel. 4862

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—FOUR ROOM COTTAGE, furnished, on water front lot 100x200, with boat and bathhouse, \$1,000. Terms.

ALBERNI—THREE SPLENDID LOTS, 2 1/2 (the three); by the end of the year these will be worth \$10.

\$500 buys an excellent CORNER LOT on Linden avenue.

3 PER CENT INVESTMENT. TWO EXCELLENT 6 ROOM COTTAGES, renting for \$20 monthly, \$2,000 cash, and the balance of \$1,500 at 6 per cent; buys this income property.

Rooms and Board

COMFORTABLE BEDROOM TO LET—Bath, etc. Apply 75 Fort street, above Douglas.

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms, every convenience. Phone 5125, 90 Fort St.

ROOMS TO LET—100 Yates street.

BOARD and residence in private house, close to sea, and in the country; adults or children; near good school. For particulars apply 103 Burdette Ave., City.

TO LET—3 nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 574 Flanagan street.

ROOMS AND BOARD—146 Rae street.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Good fishing boat and bathing, 1 minute from beach. Apply M. Crofton, B. C.

COMFORTABLY furnished rooms, with or without board, 75 Vancouver St.

WELL FURNISHED rooms, no board, in pretty house on sea front; terms moderate. 11 Boyd street, Dallas road.

TO RENT—Well furnished rooms, bath and phone. Apply 127 Alfred street.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—New house, 1008 Douglas street, 4 floors below Government street. Mrs. Klaus.

PRINCE RUPERT HOUSE, best location. Furnished housekeeping and single rooms.

Stores to Let

TO LET—Part of a store on Fort Street, good corner window. Box 25, Times.

Situations Wanted—Male

WANTED—Situation as driver-mechanic of automobile or launch, can do all repairs; private preferred. Address Box 164, Times Office.

Lodges

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE, 1008 Douglas street, 4 floors below Government street, Victoria.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 1, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock—Old Fishers' Hall, Douglas street. R. W. Fawcett, Rec. Sec., 227 Government street.

COURT CARBON, No. 78, I. O. F., meets on second Tuesday and fourth Wednesday of each month in R. K. of P. Hall, corner Pandora and Douglas streets. Visiting Foresters welcomed. Sec. E. Parsons, Lee & Fraser, Tronca Ave.; J. W. H. King, R. Sec., 121 Pandora street.

COMPANION COURT FAR WEST, I. O. F., No. 278, meets first and third Monday of each month in R. K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Isabelle Moore, Financial Secretary, 69 Burdette street.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Victoria Chapter, 22 Canadian Order of the Woodmen of the World, meets in R. K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets, 1st and 3rd Fridays in the month. Wm. Jackson, clerk.

K. of P. No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora Sts. H. Weber, K. of R. & S. Box 24.

VICTORIA, N. R. K. of P. meets at 8 o'clock, 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, D. S. Mowat, K. of R. & S. Box 184.

A. O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, No. 268, meet at K. of P. Hall 2nd and 4th Wednesdays. W. F. Fullerton, Secy.

VICTORIA LODGE, No. 1, A. O. U. W., meets every second and fourth Wednesday of each month in R. K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Members of Order visiting the city cordially invited to attend. R. Dunn, recorder.

Rates for Classified Ads
The rate for all "Want" advertisements is 10¢ per word per issue. No advertisement is taken for less than 10¢. Each figure and initial counts as a word. Six insertions for the price of four.

WANTED—DISPOSERS
Branch offices for the recycling of "Want" advertisements of the Daily Times will be found at the following addresses:
R. Redding, grocer, Catherine St., Victoria West.
F. W. Fawcett, druggist, cor. King's Rd. and Douglas St.
Dodd's Grocery, Esquimalt.
J. T. McDonald's Grocery, Oak Bay Junction.
Schroeder's Grocery, Menzies St., James Bay.
E. B. Jones, grocer, cor. Cook and North City streets.
Advertisements left at any of the above spots will be telephoned to the Times office and will be inserted as promptly as possible for the same price as if left at the Times office.

DISPLAY RATES
\$3.00 per inch per month. Contract rates and full information on application to Times Office.

TO THE BOARD OF LICENSING COMMISSIONERS IN AND FOR THE CITY OF VICTORIA:
Take notice that I, Nils Hansen, of the Rock Bay Hotel, 215 1/2 St., Victoria, B. C., hereby and solemnly intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at a public hearing to be held on the 13th day of September, 1926, as a Licensing Court, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by me for the said Rock Bay Hotel to Burton Alexander Holden, of Victoria City, British Columbia.
Dated this 13th day of July, 1926. NILS HANSEN.

WANTED—Pupils to the high painting business, at their most sitting, at a Licensing Court, for a transfer to Edward McAvoy of my interest in the license for the sale of wines and liquors by retail upon the premises situate in the Wilson Block, 216, W. Yates street, in the City of Victoria, and known as the "Wilson Hotel". Dated this 13th day of July, 1926. C. A. HARRISON.

READ THE TIMES

HOLMES & GREEN

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE 515 YATES ST., PHONE 1688.

OUR WEEKLY SPECIALS. On or Near 26th Car Line. MAY ST.—Lots (6x12) at \$200, easy terms. ROSS BAY—3 lots, \$275 each. FOWL BAY—House and lot, facing Bay. The above are all worthy of attention.

SWINERTON & ODDY

120 GOVERNMENT ST. Est. 1892.

FOR QUICK SALE 40 ACRES, CHEMAMAIN DISTRICT.

1,500 Feet Railway Frontage, 2 acres in orchard; 400 trees, 1/2 acre in potatoes, 1/2-acre in onions, 1 acre in oats.

3-roomed house, new large rooms. Stable, cowshed, poultry houses. Glass house with furnace. 2 cows, chickens, and pigs. Implements, incubators, etc. PRICE, \$5,000.

MONEY TO LOAN AT CURRENT RATES.

C. NEWTON YOUNG

REAL ESTATE AGENT, DUNCAN, VANCOUVER ISLAND, B. C.

OFFERS FOR SALE BUSINESS AND BUILDING LOTS, AND RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES IN DUNCAN, VICTORIA AND NANAIMO.

ALSO FARMS in the Cowichan Valley. WRITE FOR FURTHER INFORMATION AND PARTICULARS.

J. STUART YATES

22 BASTION STREET, VICTORIA.

FOR SALE. 20 ACRES—Banks District, just inside Sooke Harbor.

FINE SEA FRONTAGE—At Esquimalt, about three acres, cheap.

TWO LOTS—On Victoria harbor, with large wharf and abutment and large warehouse—in good condition, on easy terms.

THREE LOTS—On Yates street, with 10 stores, bringing in good rentals.

TO RENT—Large wharf, at foot of Yates street, rent \$120 per month.

21 ACRES—On Columbia river, Victoria District, cheap.

For further particulars apply to above address.

LEE & FRASER

9 AND 11 TRONCA AVENUE.

SEACON HILL PARK—Modern bungalow and 1 lot; only \$5,000, and on easy terms.

NORTH PARK STREET—4 roomed cottage and large grounds. Inquire at office for terms and price.

LOTS FOR SALE—On Ladyman, Blackwood and Prior streets, on very easy terms.

CORVOVA B



We Don't Sell What We Can't Guarantee

- LARGE FREESTONE PEACHES, per box \$1.25
FANCY PRESERVING CHERRIES, 2 boxes .25c
PRUNES, per basket .35c
REAL-NUTMEG-MELONS, each .35c
TOKAY AND MUSCAT GRAPES, per basket .20c, 15c and 10c
LARGE PINEAPPLES, each .50c and 40c
FANCY BANANAS, per dozen .30c
CRAB-APPLES (for jelly), 5 pounds .25c
FANCY GRAVENEY APPLES, 3 lbs. .25c
FANCY PEARS, 3 lbs. .25c

ECONOMY JARS

Miss Dowling, demonstrator, is still here telling folks how to can fruit, vegetables, meat, etc., in the cheapest and safest way.

DIXIE H. ROSS & CO.

UP-TO-DATE GROCERS 1317 GOVERNMENT STREET

'The Exchange' Maynard & Son

718 FORT ST. Phones 1737 and Res. A280

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE FURNITURE, ETC.

HAVE FOR SALE SOME MAHOGANY BEDROOM FURNITURE.

Old Sideboards and Chests of Drawers, Couches, Stepladders, Whatnots, Kitchen Shelves and Utensils.

Iron and Wood Beds, Springs and Mattresses, new and second-hand.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER Upholstered by competent men.

Stewart Williams. Hilton Keith.

Stewart Williams & Co. Duly instructed, by T. A. ELWELL, Esq., will sell

PUBLIC AUCTION Without Reserve.

NEARLY NEW FURNITURE

at his residence, 572 DALLAS ROAD, on

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28th at 2 o'clock.

Including: DINING-ROOM—Oak Ex. Table, 5 Oak Dining Chairs Upholstered in Leather, very handsome Oak Sideboard with

BRITISH Plate Glass Mirror, Writing Table, Rocker, Up Arm Chair, Fender, Fire Irons, Table Centre, Brussels Square Rug, Curtains, Pictures, etc.

STUDY—Mission Table with Leather Cover, Mission Writing Desk, handsome Mahogany What Not, 6 Cane Seated Chairs, Rocker, etc. Table, Stretcher, Horsehair Mattress, Prints, Oil Painting, Lace Curtains, Brussels Square 13 feet 6 in. x 12 feet, etc.

HALL—Hall Stand, Wicker Chair, 2 Rockers, Palm Portiere, Hall Table, Settee, Heater, Sporting Pictures, Hall Carpet, etc.

KITCHEN—Gas Plate Copper Bottomed Bake Oven (new), 12 yards of Inland Linoleum, Kitchen Table, Chairs, Meat Safe, Cooking Utensils, Child's Chair, Pot's Irons.

BEDROOMS—Handsome Brass and Iron Bedstead, Ostrermor and Spring Mattress, Iron and Brass Bedstead, Horsehair and Spring Mattresses, Oil Table, Chiffoniers, Lace Curtains, Brussels Squares, Linoleum, Mirror, Rugs, etc.

CHINA—Tea Set, Berry Sets, Crockery Glassware, very old and quality Spanish Californian Dinner ware, Moss Rose Pattern (very rare), about 20 pieces.

GARDEN—20 feet New Hose and Reel, Sprinkler, Garden Tools, Mowing Machine, 2 pairs Shears, Wire Gauze, Carpenter Tools, and other goods too numerous to mention.

On view Thursday, August 27th. Take the Beacon Hill car to Government street (Gate Carr street).

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams.

Auction Sale ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 28th At 2:30 p. m.

AT 1219 NORTH PARK ST. The contents of a 7-roomed house, including parlor, dining-room, kitchen and 4 bedrooms. Also garden hose and other articles too numerous to mention. Also a lot of hens.

G. H. FORD Auctioneer

COAL J. KINGHAM & CO. Office, 1210 Broad Street. Telephone 647.

Times' Want Ads. Pay

BUGGIES! BUGGIES! THE CANADA CARRIAGE COMPANY'S BUGGIES ALWAYS LEAD.

WHY?—Because they are built to wear, and because they are the best finished and most up-to-date rigs on the market today—THAT'S WHY.

Call and see the stock at 510 Johnson St.

B. C. HARDWARE CO., LTD.

NO FRUIT LIKE OUR OWN ISLAND FRUIT

Here are genuine values to interest thrifty Victorian housekeepers. Watch discerning ones come for these:

FINE COOKING APPLES, per box \$1.25

DUCHESNEE APPLES, extra fine for table use, per box \$1.50

OKANAGAN PEACHES, an unmatchable fresh consignment just to hand at right price.

The West End Grocery Co. Ltd. 1002 Government St. Phones 86 and 4761

Potatoes! Potatoes! ISLAND GROWN \$1.35 PER 100 LBS. FREE DELIVERY. SYLVESTER FEED CO. 709 YATES

The Taylor Mill Co LIMITED LIABILITY Dealers in Lumber, Sash, Doors and all kinds of Building Material. Mill, Office and Yard, North Government Street, Victoria, B. C. P. O. Box 628. Telephone 564

"PACKINGS." RAINBOW SHEET, PEERLESS PACKING, ROUND AND SQUARE CAR- LOCK PACKING. HEMP AND FLAX PACKINGS. TUCK'S ROUND AND SQUARE PACKING, FIBRE PACKING. KLINGERITZ SHEET PACKING.

PETER McQUADE & SON 78 (1214) WHARF STREET VICTORIA, B. C.

Maynard & Son AUCTIONEERS. Under instructions from MR. K. BERGER, we will sell On

Monday, 31st, 2 p.m. At his residence, 821 PANDORA AVE., 2 doors above Blanchard Street.

ELEGANT AND WELL KEPT FURNITURE & EFFECTS ROLLER TOP DESK MARTIN-ORME CABINET GRAND PIANO This furniture is almost new.

MAYNARD & SON, Auctioneers COL. PRIOR ENJOYED HIS LONG HOLIDAY

He Was Delighted With London and Conditions There.

Col. Prior has returned from a six months holiday in England and other parts of Europe. The time was enjoyable spent by him and Mrs Prior except for a two weeks sickness which

The conditions in England greatly pleased the Col. and while he maintains a deep love for Victoria he nevertheless cannot close his eyes to the fact that England and especially London offers wonderful advantages in the way of living. London is a gay place, he says, and life is enjoyed by the residents.

Then with regard to poverty and want, he says that London differs materially from cities of other countries in Europe. There has been a great change in the metropolis of the empire with respect to the housing of the poor and general attention to these wants.

With respect to it in this respect are the towns and cities of Italy where there is so much evidence among a large class.

Mr. Spering also confirmed the statement of A. T. Goward, local manager, that if the company could come to municipal competition the company would go ahead with the improvements of its system in Victoria, including the requirement of additional power supply, which would enable it to reduce lighting and power rates and extend its street railway system.

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

Victoria, Aug. 27.—8 a. m.—Since yesterday the barometer has fallen over this province in advance of an ocean stormy area, which is now causing a southerly gale on the coast and a general rain over Western British Columbia and the state of Washington.

Reports. Victoria—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, 62; minimum, 52; wind, 3 miles N. W. rain, 12 West—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 52; minimum, 42; wind, calm; rain, 14; weather, rain.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.0; temperature, 54; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W. weather, fair.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, 44; minimum, 4; wind, 4 miles W. rain, 14; weather, fair.

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—The name of W. T. H. Preston, former commissioner of immigration in London, is mentioned as the likely successor to the late Peter Hall as trade commissioner at Birmingham, England.

Weiler Bros. The Largest and Best In the Whole Wide West Established 1862. COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS VICTORIA, B.C.

FALL COMFORTS

OUR SHOWROOMS are veritable storehouses filled with Fall comforts, objects of beauty and utility. Now is the time to transfer these fine goods to your home so that you can get the full benefit of a thoroughly comfortable abode all through the Fall and Winter. For instance:

Carpet Comfort Those who are furnishing new homes or replacing old carpets should take an early opportunity of inspecting our immense range of AXMINSTER CARPETS, unexcelled in quality, luxurious to the tread, very rich in effect and exclusive in design, qualities which readily explain the popularity of this weave of carpet.



EMPIRE QUALITY, per yard, \$2.00 IMPERIAL QUALITY, per yard, \$2.50 ALBERT QUALITY, per yard, \$3.50

ALL PRICES ARE FOR CARPETS WELL MADE AND WELL LAID.

NEW BRUSSELS CARPETS Hard-wearing, easily cleaned surface, colors and designs to suit every conceivable purpose, in addition we give you the advantage of selecting from the world's leading factories, who only sell their renowned fabrics through us. Prices, per yard, \$2, \$1.35, \$1.25 and \$1.00

Table with columns for Crossley's Famous Tapestry Squares and Finest Brussels Art Squares, listing various sizes and prices.

Weiler Bros. THE "FIRST" FURNITURE STORE OF THE "LAST" WEST GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

OUTLINE PROGRAMME FOR MINING INSTITUTE Reception Committee Discuss Plans for Entertaining Visitors in Victoria.

The programme for the Canadian Mining Institute's summer excursion party, who are expected to arrive in Victoria on the 21st of September, was considered at a meeting of the general reception committee held in the board room yesterday afternoon.

Man Charged With Murder Makes Desperate Attempt at Suicide. Ironton, Ohio, Aug. 27.—Robert J. Frowine, in jail here charged with the murder of Harry Frecka, attempted suicide yesterday by butting out his brains against a sharp shelf projection in his cell.

OTAWA NOMINEES. Ottawa, Aug. 27.—At the Conservative convention last night the candidates were nominated for the federal elections. The French-speaking nominee was Dr. J. L. Chabot, who was elected by acclamation. The English candidate selected was Thos. Birkett, on the first vote by a majority of 300.

FOR FERNIE SUFFERERS. Montreal, Aug. 27.—At a meeting of the board of trade council yesterday it was decided to close the Fernie relief fund and send the balance to Fernie. The fund amounts to \$6,000 and already \$5,000 has been sent to Fernie. The remaining \$1,000 will go to-day.

CANADA AHEAD. Motherland Behind Hand in Matter of Agricultural Education. Cuelph, Aug. 27.—The Scottish agriculturists who are touring Canada visited the Ontario agricultural school yesterday and were much impressed. One of them stated that Canada was ahead of Britain in the matter of agricultural education, and expressed the hope that the imperial government would awake to the importance of the great benefits of such institutions as Canada could boast of.

BIGAMIST DIES IN PRISON. Kingston, Aug. 27.—J. E. Anderson, who was sent to the penitentiary for seven years for bigamy, having married a Renfrew lady while his wife and family were living in Toronto, died in the penitentiary yesterday. He had been in the hospital ever since his incarceration, suffering from throat trouble. He was 52 years old. At the time of his arrest Anderson was the inspector of public schools at Brockville.

ARGENTINA NAVY. Chamber of Deputies Approves Building of Warships. Buenos Ayres, Aug. 27.—It is stated that a secret sitting of the Chamber of Deputies approved the scheme for the proposed new armaments, which includes the building of two powerful battleships, 4 flotilla of torpedo boats, and destroyers, and the purchase of a reserve of guns.

TO REBUILD FOUNDRY. St. John, N. B., Aug. 27.—The Enterprise Foundry Company at Sackville, whose works were recently destroyed by fire, has decided to rebuild.

RAILWAYMEN'S WAGES. Montreal, Aug. 27.—The executive of the conductors and trainmen of the G. T. R. is in session here. It is admitted that the wage question is being discussed.

Ralph Smith, M. P., and Mrs. Smith came down from Nanaimo last night and are guests of Mrs. Templeman at Simcoe street for a few days. Mr. Smith will spend a week in the district.

There are more than 1,000 motor-boats already on the canals of Holland.