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TEN ARE KILLED IN COLLISIONS

CABOOSE DEMOLISHED BY PASSENGER TRAIN

Hand-car Run Down by Freight in Rocky Cut on Railway.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Chicago, Sept. 28.—Six stockmen are known to be dead and a number of others are injured as the result of the Cincinnati Flyer on the Pennsylvania railroad colliding early to-day with the caboose of a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul stock special, bound for the stock yards.

The dead, Jacob Pullman, N. D.; Frank Rock, Dickinson, N. D.; H. H. Potter, Diamond, Mont.; Daniel Schonger, Fayette, N. D.; W. J. Stevens, Livingston, S. D.; John Postol, Winona, N. D.

The seriously injured are: G. H. Hamilton, Livingston, S. D., cut and bruised; Herman M. Worth, Hampden, N. D., right foot broken; W. W. McDonald, Elgin, Ill., spine injured, condition serious; S. G. Buckley, Fallon, Mont., cut and bruised; Freight conductor Henry Bond, Leg broken; Peter Johnson, of Elderland, N. D., sustained a fractured skull and his recovery is not expected.

Although they were badly shaken up, none of the passengers were seriously hurt.

Sixteen men were riding in the caboose when the passenger train ran into it in the yard, a few blocks from the passenger station. The engine plowed through the caboose, tearing it into kindling wood and setting fire to the debris. Six of the bodies were recovered within a few minutes after the crash, while the flames were eating up the splintered parts of the demolished car.

The passenger train left the Union station, bound for Cincinnati. No signals had been given, so far as could be learned, that any other train was on the tracks. The crash came at Twelfth street.

Four Killed.

Waukegan, Ill., Sept. 28.—Four persons were killed and three injured in a collision between a freight train and a hand car one mile west of Edgar, last night. A party of nine persons was returning from church at Poniaowski on a hand car and had reached a rocky cut in the road when the train crashed into them. The dead include Jos. Cant and his two young children and Victor Literski.

ANOTHER "JOY RIDER" DEAD

FOURTH VICTIM OF SEATTLE ACCIDENT

Licenses of Saloons Visited by Members of Party Are Revoked.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Seattle, Wash., Sept. 28.—Axel Anderson, one of the auto party which went over the bridge on Fourth avenue south and Lane street last Thursday morning, is dead of his injuries at the city hospital, making the fourth victim of the ill-fated party. Anderson succumbed to his fearful burns last night. His sister is among those injured.

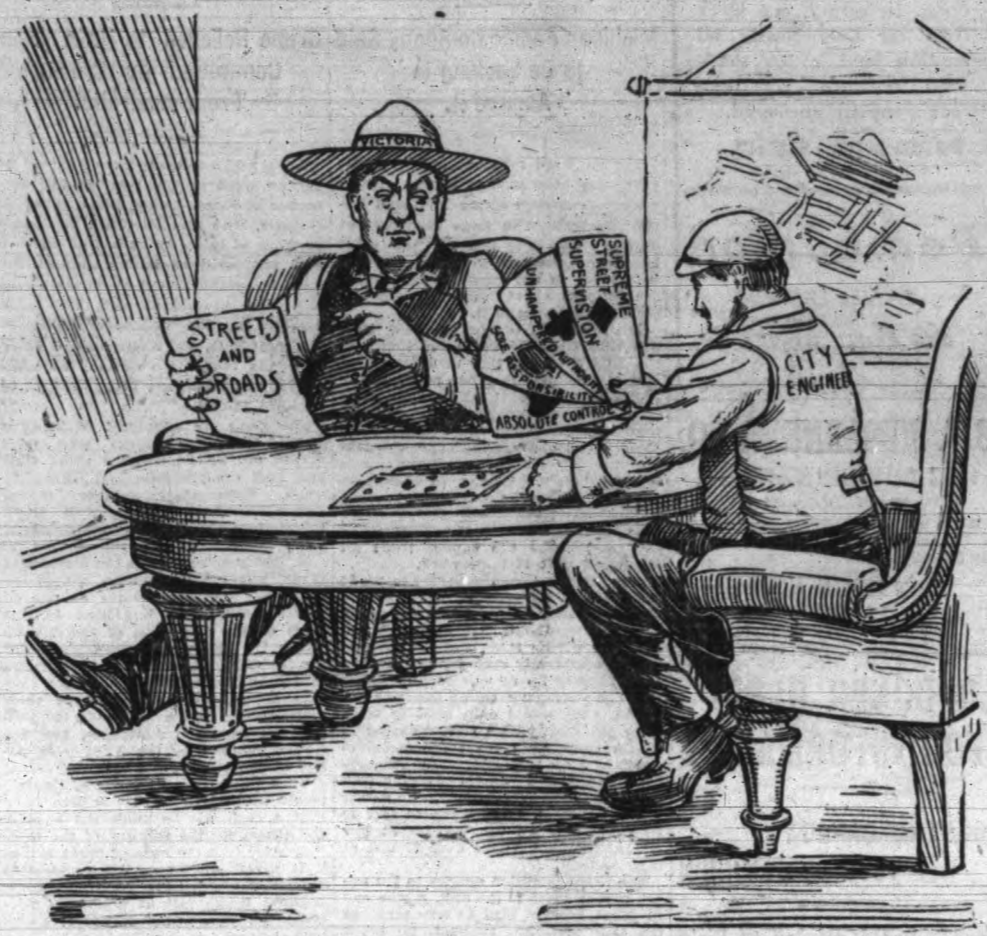
The others who died were Goldie Porter, Mabel Johnson and Winnie Frazer.

Saloons Closed.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 28.—The city council of Georgetown last night passed an ordinance prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors to women except in dining rooms and restaurants, revoked the licenses of the saloon keepers in whose places the victims of the fatal automobile ride of last Thursday morning were served drinks and ordered published an ordinance passed last year closing saloons at 1 o'clock a.m. All three of the ordinances will be published and become effective October 5th.

The action of the council anticipates the announced plans of Sheriff Hodge for policing Georgetown with special deputies.

Following the revoking of the licenses of the places in which the victims of the "joy ride" were served drinks, Mayor Mueller ordered Marshal Johnson to close these saloons and this was done immediately.



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NEW SYSTEM ON STREET WORKS

LATERAL CONNECTIONS GET FIRST ATTENTION

No Longer Will Thoroughfares Be Torn Up More Than Once.

(Special to the Times.)
That the city council is determined that hereafter there shall be no complaints on the part of the citizens of Victoria in regard to the needless tearing up of the streets two or three times in order to make the various underground connections, was made clear by the proceedings of that body yesterday evening, when practical effect was given to the suggestion made some weeks ago that it be a principle in civic work for all lateral connections to be made when street improvements are first undertaken.

The desirability of embarking upon such a policy, which has long been urged by the citizens generally, was brought directly to the attention of the members of the board by a request from the residents of Belmont avenue that such connections be made on that thoroughfare where it is being graded and macadamized, and it was determined to endeavor to meet the views of those ratepayers. The water commissioner and the gas company were notified of the intention of the city to do this work, and it is assumed that the replies were satisfactory, as at last evening's meeting of the council announcement was made that other streets are to be similarly treated, and that hereafter this policy will be strictly adhered to in carrying out all street improvement work.

The question of making more lateral connections was raised by Ald. Turner, when the by-law for the paving of Fort street, between Yates and Oak Bay avenue, came up for consideration. Ald. Turner urged that the gas and sewer connections be provided for. This was agreed to by the aldermen board, and similar connections will be made where possible, in carrying out the following additional works of local improvement, which were authorized last evening:

To grade, rock surface and drain Phoenix Place, between Toronto street and Avalon road.

To grade, drain and rock surface Langford street, from Catherine street westerly.

The decision of the board to make lateral connections on all streets wherever possible at the time that the thoroughfares are first improved will remove a long-standing grievance against the methods which obtained in the past. Repeatedly complaints have been made that a few days after streets had been macadamized and boulevarded a gang of men have come along and torn up the road bed and the pretty grass plot to make lateral connections. A glaring instance of the ill-operation

NEW ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESES PROPOSED

Suggestions Sent to Rome as Result of the Plenary Council.

(Special to the Times.)
Rome, Sept. 28.—As a result of the first plenary council of the Roman Catholic church in Canada proposals have been made to the Vatican for the creation of several new dioceses, especially in the two new provinces, including almost certainly a diocese administered from Regina, where the Bishop would reside. Some subdivision of the dioceses of eastern provinces are also suggested, and if this redistribution took place, the present diocese of Ottawa would probably be split up into two dioceses, the provincial border being taken as the ecclesiastical boundary such a division being the more likely in consequence of the claims of the French-Canadian element of the present diocese for a bishop and diocese of their own.

CONTRACT LET TO SURVEYORS

GORE AND MCGREGOR GIVEN A BIG JOB

Will Run Boundary Lines in Timber Tract for Amer- ican Securities Co.

As announced in the Times last evening, E. B. Kurtz, of the American Securities & Finance Company, which has acquired large tracts of timber in Cowichan district from the C.P.R., was in conference with a leading firm of land surveyors preparatory to entering into a contract for the immediate delimitation of the area in which lies the timber which has been secured. This conference, which took place yesterday, resulted in the important contract for this survey work being given to the firm of Gore & McGregor, who have large experience in such class of work on this Island. The sum involved in this initial survey will in itself be large. The delimitation of the land which has been acquired by the New York company is necessary before the company can get the title deeds to the same. J. Herrick McGregor left this morning for Cowichan Lake.

Messrs. Gore & McGregor will dispatch a survey party to the scene of operations at the earliest possible moment. They find it somewhat difficult to get the right class of labor, outside of the skilled engineers who are employed. The present season has been a particularly busy one with the local firm of land surveyors. They have a half-dozen parties out now in various portions of the Island, one having been engaged all summer on a big job in the delimitation of timber lands in the vicinity of Sproat and Great Central Lakes.

While it is obvious that the benefits from the commencement of the huge timber enterprises are to be of great value to the country, it will come hereafter that the public that is benefiting to an appreciable extent only a few hours after the deal between the C.P.R. and the New York company was completed.

By the terms of the contract between Messrs. Gore & McGregor and Mr. Kurtz, the lines are to be surveyed and the timber limits with all possible haste, and this will necessitate the employment by the surveying firm of a large number of men. This will imply the purchasing of large quantities of supplies and outfits, and thus almost before the ink is cold on the agreement between the C.P.R. and the American Securities & Trust Company, money will be dispensed right in the city of Victoria to the benefit of the tradesmen.

On all sides yesterday there was great satisfaction at the announcement of the Times that there would be the utmost promptitude shown in the prosecution of the joint enterprises involved in the transaction—the building of branch lines of railway by the C.P.R. and the commencement of actual preliminary work by the New York capitalists who have secured the valuable property.

It is said that the people of Duncan are jubilant at the good news which means so much for their pretty little town, and there has been a stiffening of real estate values in consequence.

BLUEJACKETS ON WAY TO ESQUIMALT

Will Join Crews of the Shear- water, Algerine and Egeria.

(Special to the Times.)
Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 28.—Twenty-four bronzed, broad shouldered blue-jackets stretched their legs in the C.P.R. depot to-day and cracked jokes with the railway men while some attempted to size up "The Port" as seen from depot. Lieut. Moore is in command. The men were relieved from Chatham and Fort Vancouver, and bound for Esquimalt, where they will join the crews of the Shearwater, Algerine and Egeria.

OMAHA STRIKERS WILL CONTINUE FIGHT

Company Declares Plenty of Men Are Available to Run Street Cars.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Omaha, Sept. 28.—"The Omaha car strike will pass into history at noon to-day." This was the statement made to-day by President Watters, of the car company. In this connection he said: "We now have enough competent men to man the cars and we will no longer recognize the strikers."

The striking employees maintain that the company is not in a position to operate enough cars to supply the public's need, and declare that they intend to fight the company to the last ditch.

No violence has been reported for several days.

STATES WILL ENTER PROTEST

ALARMED BY JAPANESE ACTIVITY IN CHINA

Action to Be Taken Towards Preserving "Open Door" Policy.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Washington, D. C., Sept. 28.—It is reported that the government will soon take action towards preserving the open door policy in China, which it has been seriously menaced by the recent activities of Japan in the Chinese domain. It is understood that Japan, by the terms of the recent Japanese-Chinese agreement regarding the rights of Japan in Manchuria, has obtained control of extensive mining concessions in the southern section of the great province of an indeterminate period.

This is out of line with the open door policy as construed by the late Secretary Hay, following the exchange of notes between the various powers in 1899, when several governmental spheres of influence were defined. For several weeks American attaches to the diplomatic service have been gathering information regarding the full understanding entered into between Japan and China regarding the Antung-Mukden railroad and the concessions granted to the Japanese, with the result that steps for a formal protest are being made, it is said.

BUTTE MINERS AGAIN AT WORK

Operations Proceeding as Usual on Properties in Montana.

(Times Leased Wire.)
Butte, Mont., Sept. 28.—All signs of the strike of miners and the strife between the engineers and the mine workers had disappeared to-day, and work is proceeding as usual throughout the district. All mines resumed operation last night and the regular day shifts went into their places this morning. The visit of President Taft resulted in no outward demonstration.

FRUIT DAMAGED BY SNOW.

Hamilton, Sept. 28.—Several inches of snow fell at Jordan, a small place between Hamilton and St. Catharines Sunday and damaged late fruit considerably.

WOMEN DROWNED.

Kinston, Ont., Sept. 28.—Nellie Stevenson, of Collins Bay, was drowned yesterday while out in a small boat on the bay.

SETTLING UP LANDS ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

Salvation Army Officers, Including Col. Lamb of London and Commissioner Coombs, Are Looking Into Prospects for Co-ozination.

There arrived in the city last evening a party of Salvation Army officers occupying important positions who are to-day looking over the chances for taking up a scheme of settlement on Vancouver Island. Included in the party are Col. Lamb of London, the head of the immigration work of the army; Commissioner Coombs, the administrator of the army's affairs in Canada; Major Morris who is the highest officer in R. C. staff; Capt. Walker, field officer of Vancouver, who has charge of the immigration work in the province, and Staff Capt. Collier of Vancouver, who looks after the social end of the army's work there.

In company with H. C. Beasley, manager of the E. & N., the party left this morning for Nanaimo. From that point they will proceed by autos to the cleared lands that the C.P.R. has near Little Qualicum and inspect other points which it is suggested may be opened for colonization.

Interviewed by a Times reporter upon the objects of their mission, Col. Lamb said that upon the result of the tour in large measure what course would be followed by the Salvation Army with respect to taking up a scheme of settlement here.

The climatic conditions and the good prices obtained for the products of the soil appealed to the officers as a reason for supposing that there might be excellent results follow a colonization scheme on the Island. The details are to be worked out after the Army decides upon the question. The idea is for the Salvation Army to stand between the settler and the C. P. R. The great organization which has been so successful in its immigration schemes will see that the railway company lives up to its undertaking and that the settlers also live up to their part in the scheme. "We will play the part of an honest broker," said Col. Lamb.

The head of the Salvation Army immigration work pointed out that there were conditions on Vancouver Island where the land had to be cleared, and where the situation differed so materially from what it was on the prairies, that tended to build up a really better manhood. There was work all the year for the settler. On the prairies six months of work was followed by six months of comparative idleness.

In the building up of a strong manhood the conditions surrounding the life which called for twelve months' work in the year was an advantage. The children grew up better lessons for the facing of life's problems. For that reason he was rather inclined to believe that life on Vancouver Island, with the necessity for clearing the land, would give better results than probably it would on the prairies where quicker returns were to be expected.

The railway company for its part is ready to assure the settlers of a year's work in connection with the construction of the E. & N. line if they desire that in order to get an income to tide them over the early stages. Where a settlement is formed the Army will locate among those brought from the Old Land some who know local conditions and can act as instructors to the new comers. If necessary one is located who has horses to furnish and will assist the new farmers by leasing the horses and implements to them, an account being kept of all such work, and the Army to be reimbursed later. In short, the Salvation Army, as has been the experience in other parts of the Dominion where they have taken this immigration work up, adapt their aid to the direct needs of the settler and give him the most practical kind of assistance to meet the conditions.

Commissioner Coombs pointed out that if the proposal is carried out the Army will also take the necessary steps to overcome the loneliness that so often oppresses the new settler in the remote parts. The social side will be looked after. Settlements will be formed with that in view so that acquaintances may be formed and life may be made as pleasant as possible. The means will be afforded for entertainment as well as work, and the Army will devote its energies to making the lives of the settlers all that could be desired.

From the conversation with the officers of the Salvation Army it is evident that if Vancouver Island appeals to the officers as a suitable place for settlement a decided impetus will be given to the colonization. Col. Lamb is favorably inclined to the project. He is pleased with the outlook on the Island and there can be little doubt that a satisfactory arrangement may be reached between the Army and the C. P. R. The latter is anxious to settle the Island with actual farmers in the interests of freight traffic for the years to come.

The present project is one connected with the C. P. R. alone, the provincial government is not concerned in the negotiations.

The party will spend until Wednesday on the Island, when they leave Nanaimo for Vancouver. The visiting Salvation Army officers will then start east again, visiting Edmonton on the way, being present at the laying of the foundation stone of the new parliament buildings there.

At Calgary Col. Lamb and Commissioner Coombs looked into the colonization scheme the Army has in connection with the irrigated lands there. The settlers brought out to Canada, says Col. Lamb, are proving very satisfactory. They are in nearly every case doing well and making material progress.

Commissioner Coombs, after Colonel Lamb leaves for England, will make a tour of the west to go more fully into a number of matters relating to the work of the Army.

ATTACKS ALIEN LABOR AGITATORS

SPEECH BY PRESIDENT OF CANADIAN FEDERATION

Government Inquiry Into Ef- fects on International Un- ionism Proposed.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Sept. 28.—At the annual convention of the Canadian Federation of Labor, which opened here to-day, President Patterson, of Ottawa, made a violent attack on the sinister influence of American labor agitators and international unionism on the interests of Canadian industry and labor. He charged that the strike at Glace Bay was at the bottom of the result of the machination of American capitalists.

The general executive in their report urged the government to appoint a royal commission to inquire into the effect of international unionism in Canada.

The federation represents mainly unions in Quebec and Ontario.

WILL TEST SOIL OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Experiments to Be Made With Australian Fodder Plants.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Sept. 28.—Canadian Trade Commissioner Ross, at Melbourne, reports that a proposal has been made there to send Australian fodder plants to British Columbia where the climate and soil are thought to be suitable for their cultivation. It is probable that next spring experiments will be made to test the adaptability of indigenous Australian plants to British Columbia soil.

SENTENCED TO DEATH.

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—Demetri Treaschinko, the Russian who was convicted of killing the 15-year-old Dorothy Malanoff with whom he was infatuated, was sentenced to be hanged December 10th, by Judge Cabanis yesterday.

To the Boys and Girls: The October PUZZLER. Is ready at Campbell's Prescription Drug Store. Includes an image of a camel and a list of various medicines like Squibbs' Violet Talcum Powder.

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SAYWARD MILL MAY BE SOLD. NEGOTIATIONS ARE REPORTED IN PROGRESS. Michigan Pacific Company Said to Be Seeking to Acquire it.

The Sayward mills, according to report, may soon change hands, passing under the control of the Michigan Pacific interests with large holdings at Jordan river. It is said that an option has been taken by the company, but both sides to the reported transaction are reticent about stating definitely anything relating to it.

STEAMER DESTROYED BY EXPLOSION AT SEA. Clan Mackintosh Lost on Voyage to Calcutta—Only One Sailor Escapes.

SUSPECTED THIEF STILL AT LARGE. POLICE LOSE MAN WHO ROBBED REDFERN'S. Crime Believed to Have Been Committed by Crooks From Australia.

Local police officials have received as yet no word of the rearrest at Vancouver of James Ennes, alias James F. Roberts, who was identified by Harry Redfern of this city as one of the two men suspected of having robbed the Redfern establishment about six weeks ago.

The gang are suspected of being a group of clever crooks who were driven out of Australia a short time ago. All the prisoners had diamonds, uncut, upon their persons, stones which tallied in weight with those taken from the Redfern establishment here.

TWO MEN KILLED BY MASKED ROBBER. Holdup Man Makes Escape After Looting Register in Saloon.

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SPANISH SUCCESS. Towns in Morocco Occupied by Troops After Desperate Fighting. Madrid, Sept. 28.—The war office yesterday announced the complete success of the manoeuvres in Morocco against the Moors.

MURDERS HIS WIFE. Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 28.—After a night of terror, following her stepfather's threat to kill the family, Anna Kiama, 14 years old, left her bedroom this morning to find her mother murdered in bed, her head having been crushed with an axe.

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Civic Notice. The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to execute the following works of local improvement, viz: 1. To grade, tar macadamize and drain Craigflower road from Arm street to Russell street.

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CHEMISTRY HOLDS KEY TO SECRETS
ONLY HOPE OF SOLVING NATURE'S PROBLEMS

Edison Says Intellectually We Are Just Emerging From "Dog Days."

New York, Sept. 28.—Declaring that intellectually we are living in the "dog age" and that chemistry is the only hope man has of solving many of nature's baffling problems, Thomas A. Edison said yesterday that he could not explain the Aurora Borealis phenomenon which interrupted all electrical currents Saturday and Sunday. He said:

"You know as much about the thing as I do, or as anybody else, as far as I am aware. I observe that some person who thinks he is wise, says the manifestation was comical. If it had been comical, if it had not been local, this whirling sphere upon which we live would have rolled up like a scroll of gossamer whirling madly out of its orbit into limitless, unthinkable space."

"What is magnetism? Whence comes it? Ah, if we only knew what that is, or if we only knew anything about God's great immutable laws. We are just beginning to interpret them a little—but that little is very little. In fact, intellectually, we are just emerging from the dog age. We say we are in a wonderful age. We are just in its threshold."

"Chemistry holds the key. That is the science of sciences. There God's sanctuary will be unlocked. And when it is, what a world this will be to live in, no more striving and struggling and clutching in the dark then. Light, light, there will be light—everywhere, and those who come after us will wonder at our blindness."

"Do you think it possible that after a while we shall be able to shed a glow from the sky at night that will destroy darkness?"

"Never," Edison replied, with emphasis. "God made the night. Man cannot destroy it any more than he can destroy the day, which God made."

"When you reflect that we are able to utilize only about three per cent. of the efficiency of electricity, after we have harnessed it, and that 97 per cent. utterly goes to waste, you will get some idea of how far a little of the mysterious fluid or fire or whatever it may be called, goes."

"Then do you not yet know what electricity is?"

"If only I or anyone else knew what it was we might do something really worth while," he said.

Authenticity of Cook Pictures Assailed

Brooklyn Paper Says They Were Taken by Members of Relief Expedition.

New York, Sept. 28.—The Brooklyn Standard-Union, with which Herbert L. Bridgman, secretary of the Peary Arctic Club, is connected, in an editorial yesterday assailed the authenticity of the pictures being published in connection with Dr. Cook's narrative, "The Conquest of the Pole." It intimates that the pictures were not taken by Cook on his recent trip, but are some photographs taken in 1901 by members of the Peary relief expedition, which was commanded by Bridgman. Dr. Cook was the surgeon on that expedition. The editorial says:

"The Standard-Union charges that the whole world is being deceived by the pictures. They were not taken by Dr. Cook on his recent expedition, who is responsible for this deception." The Herald or Dr. Cook must explain."

Will Lodge Complaint at Washington

Woman Indignant Over Treatment by U. S. Immigration Officers.

Montreal, Sept. 28.—Mrs. M. Baidie, wife of a prominent automobile manufacturer and former mayor of Toronto, has left for home last night a very indignant woman.

Some time ago Mrs. Baidie sent her two children across the Atlantic to visit relatives. They sailed in charge of the captain of the steamship Gramplan. They returned in the captain's charge on the same boat, reaching Quebec on Saturday night. Their mother had come to Montreal to meet them, but when the Gramplan arrived here there were no children on board. Then Mrs. Baidie learned that they had been taken from the ship at Quebec by United States immigration officers, despite the fact that they were travelling first-class and that class of passengers is always landed at Montreal. Mrs. Baidie went down to Quebec and found the children in charge of a man, who willingly turned them over to her. She returned to Montreal and as she left the train was accosted by another United States immigration officer, who took her and her children in charge. At the immigration office here she alleges she was put through a sort of third degree and compelled to answer all sorts of questions, and it was only after she had secured the assistance of Wm. Stitt, general passenger agent of the C. P. R., to whom she had a letter of introduction, that she was able to secure release from the charge of kidnapping her own children. Mrs. Baidie says that her husband is going to take the case to Washington.

Burns Herself to Death

Buffalo, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Lydia Snyder, 29 years of age, inmate of the Buffalo state hospital for the insane, died yesterday from self-inflicted burns. Early yesterday, while Miss Cooley a nurse, was making out a report by the light of a lamp, Mrs. Snyder crept up and grabbing the lamp, poured the oil over her clothing and set fire to it. Miss Cooley and Mrs. Coak, another nurse, were badly burned about the face and hands in trying to smother the flames.

Astronomer Sights Spot on the Sun

Father Odenbach Believes it May Become Visible to Naked Eye.

Cleveland, Sept. 28.—The announcement of Father Odenbach of St. Ignace college, that he observed a large spot on the sun early yesterday, following the earthquake which shook the central part of the country, combined with the mystery of the remarkable effect of the Aurora Borealis during the last few days, has set the scientists thinking. Those that have been questioned say they know of no possible connection between the earthquake and the sun spots, but they agree that it is probable that there is some relation between the electric currents, which upset communication Saturday, and the spot on the sun. Father Odenbach said:

"The spot on the sun is thousands of miles in area. When I caught a glimpse of it with my field glasses, it looked as big as a pea. It may become visible to the naked eye."

Father Odenbach estimates that the displacement of the earth by the quake was one-twentieth of an inch.

SEVEN HUNDRED REPORTED MISSING
Many Bodies of Storm Victims In Marshes Along the Gulf Coast.

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—A railroad wrecking crew which arrived yesterday from Dunbar reported that they found thirty dead bodies along the right-of-way of the Louisville & Nashville railroad, and that the havoc wrought by last week's storm is beyond description. Father Richard, pastor of the Montagus Catholic church, reached this city from Houma and declares that hundreds of bodies are still in the marshes. Father Richard said he believed that no less than 250 and probably more than 300 persons lost their lives in Terrebonne parish. He said that 225 are known to be dead in that parish and that 700 are missing.

The reports generally indicate that the extent of the life and property damage last week were too low.

TIMBER COMMISSION AT NEW WESTMINSTER

Memorial Presented by the Trades and Labor Council.

New Westminster, Sept. 28.—The timber and forestry commission held a sitting here yesterday.

E. H. Bucklin, of Small & Bucklin, on the contention in regard to the comparative values of Dominion and provincial licenses as collateral, stated that the banks would not accept either as security alone, but that as an asset they had a value with a man's other assets. In this connection the Dominion license was looked upon more favorably than the provincial by the banks because of the practical perpetuity of tenure. Both forms were subject to certain conditions which might work a hardship, though no government had shown an inclination to enforce these, but the Dominion form was looked on by the banks as containing evidence of its perpetuity, while the provincial form did not.

Mr. Bucklin said that the action of the government last session in announcing that legislation would be brought in to extend the tenure of license was looked upon as a favor to the lumbermen at the banks, and for this the lumbermen should be very appreciative. The local manager of the Bank of Montreal had considered this promise greatly improved the license, and had taken it into consideration in making a loan. Mr. Bucklin said he was leaving the question of both rental and royalty open to be fixed by the government.

E. J. Fader stated that hemlock was going to be very valuable timber in this province, although at present it was not classed as good stuff. It made as good lumber as cedar and birch, but much lighter than fir could be shipped into the territories much cheaper. Where fir would cost \$18 for freight, hemlock could be shipped for \$14.

"On the score of labor the witnesses agreed that if they could get white labor they would be willing to pay the higher wages this would entail. The proportion employed here, so far as the evidence went, seems to be about half and half, white and Oriental, the latter being in the unskilled class. The wage paid them is half what is paid to white labor."

In the evening a memorial was presented to the commission by Thomas Turnbull on behalf of the New Westminster trades and labor council, protesting against perpetuity of tenure, alleging the existence of a lumber combine, and asking for the assessment of the period of timber property as a basis for rentals and for a system of handloggers' licenses which would allow men, singly, or in co-operation, to go into logging. Mr. Turnbull admitted that white labor is paid higher on the coast than elsewhere in lumber manufacturing, and he was unable to suggest a means of overcoming the lack of white labor in the mills.

Children Injured in Panic in School

Scholars, Terrified by Black Hand, Stampede When Fireworks Are Set Off.

New York, Sept. 28.—Terrified by Black Hand stories, 1,000 children stampeded yesterday in a Polish parochial school in Jersey City, when fireworks were set off in the street below, and in the mad rush for the doors, fourteen were crushed, one so seriously that death will probably result. The fatally injured child is Marianna Zelskashy, seven years old, and the other comprise five little girls and eight boys, all ranging from seven to ten years of age. The latter are in Jersey City hospitals, but it is believed that all will recover.

The schoolhouse is a three-story brick building, a stone's throw from an Italian church, which had obtained a permit to set off fireworks during a church celebration. A rumor went out last week among the children in lower Jersey City schools that threats had been made to blow up the schools with dynamite. The children of St. Anthony's school have been particularly nervous about it, and when the bombs went off suddenly, they ran shrieking from their recitation rooms into the halls. Cries of dynamite and the Black Hand rang through the building. The calls of the priest in charge had no effect. The terrified children poured into the halls and rushed wildly down the stairs.

There are two street doors, but one of them was closed. A few passed safely out of the open door, but at the closed entrance there occurred a disastrous jam. Here several of the smaller children were trampled into unconsciousness, while others ran back into the building and sprang through open windows fifteen feet to an araway below.

Police men and passersby, attracted by the cries, rushed to the scene, but order was not restored until fourteen had been seriously hurt. Police came from nearby stations, and ambulances arrived from three city hospitals. The police climbed in windows and got the children away from the doors and laid the injured on the floor. Several were unconscious, and nearly all were bruised. Reports spread quickly and hundreds of mothers mingled in the crowd, moaning, weeping and adding to the general confusion.

Wages Increased

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 28.—The American Window Glass company signed a wage scale yesterday with the Window Glass Cutters and Plattner's Protective Association of America. By this scale the company agree to pay an eight per cent. advance in wages, making the wages the same as those paid in the hand-blowing factories. Practically all the old men will return to work, ending the strike which has lasted three weeks.

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PROVINCIAL POLITICAL SITUATION. If there is "talk on the street" that pressure is being brought to bear upon the Ottawa government to appoint a successor to Lieut. Governor Dunsmuir in order that should Mr. McBride wish to go before the people such wish may be thwarted, it is very foolish talk.

ment had no railway policy, and that its negative position had been simply justified by results. Other provincial governments had endeavored to encourage the construction of railways, and nothing had resulted, whereas this government had done nothing, and look at the amount of railway construction that had been going on. The C.P.R. was building new branch lines on Vancouver Island, the Grand Trunk Pacific was extending its system to the coast through British Columbia, and the Great Northern Railway company was adding materially to its interests on the lower mainland, the result of inducements extended by the Dominion government. Apparently the McBride government has decided that the time has come to abandon its negative attitude towards railways or it would never think of doing anything in the way of guarantee of bonds as an inducement to the Canadian Northern Railway company to extend its system from the prairies to the Pacific Coast.

was inevitable that the tendencies of the political times should eventually sever the slender thread which bound him to the traditions, as he understood them, of Cobden and Bright and Gladstone. But the valedictory, although worthy of the only surviving British orator, although a moving appeal on behalf of the landlord interests, although a speech which compelled the attention of audience or reader to its very last sentence, was not absolutely convincing. In logic it limped painfully in parts, it will not stem the tide of reform in the incidence of taxation which is sweeping over the United Kingdom. And it was probably the last word of Lord Rosebery as a statesman. He will plough the new furrow to the end.

Montreal Gazette (Conservative): The Manufacturers' Association committed what might be termed a tactical blunder in formally excluding the press while they discussed the recommendation of their tariff committee in favor of a tariff commission. This will arouse a feeling of suspicion in the minds of many people touching this common sense idea. Why should the manufacturers feel it necessary to go into secret session in order to discuss the appointment of a body which will have no power to change a single letter or figure in the tariff schedules, but can only investigate complaints and suggestions and report to the government? If the association had followed its secret session by announcing that it did not favor the proposal, all would have been well. Then the people would have been satisfied that it was "a little bit of all right." But the unfortunate truth is that the association came out of its secret session to commend the idea. We hope that this will not kill it. The manufacturers should understand that the tariff is a public question—a people's question—and that the people like it to be discussed in public.

President Taft of the United States is seriously considering the advisability of going on strike. He complains that his friends expect too much of him as he journeys through his great dominions. Wherever he goes he is expected to make speeches, and there are limits to the speech-making powers of every man, except possibly Theodore Roosevelt or W. J. Bryan. Should Mr. Taft go on strike the industrial progress of the United States would not be seriously checked. Nor has the president said anything in the course of his numerous addresses that might not just as well have been left unsaid, or merely thought. We have not observed that the opinions of this or any other president have materially changed the attitude of the real governing body of the country, Congress, to matters of moment—the tariff, for example.

It has been suggested on several occasions through the Times that the only way to stop reckless driving by chauffeurs would be to pass legislation that would prevent manufacturers from building machines that would not run faster than the maximum speed allowed by law. Such an act is now before the imperial parliament. All machines must be geared so that the legal limit cannot be exceeded. This will cause the saving of many lives by the prevention of accidents that have become altogether too frequent.

An interesting batch of communications upon various subjects will be found to-day upon page eight of the Times.

ROSEBERY'S VALEDICTORY. One could hardly read the very able speech of Lord Rosebery, delivered in Glasgow a few weeks ago, without feeling the very deepest sympathy for "the poor but honest dukes." In fact, their most commiseration be felt for their graces of Bedford, Buccleuch and Westminster, who have long struggled to live honest lives on paltry incomes from their magnificent estates. But of course all the world knows there are other dukes, such as his grace of Northampton, relatively imppecunious fellows, who have been forced to contract marriages of convenience with American heiresses in order to retrieve the fortunes of their honorable houses. No wonder Lord Rosebery has been moved to compassion and compassionate eloquence by the thought of the sufferings, which must befall many of his fellow-peers should the land tax proposition of the Chancellor of the Exchequer be adopted by the House of Commons and receive the negative approbation of the august House of Lords.

WHAT WAS EXPECTED. (Belleville Ontario). Premier Gouin of Quebec declares that he will stick to his policy of preventing the export of pulpwood from Crown lands, and will not be intimidated or coerced by Yankee tariff discrimination. That is such a pronouncement as might have been expected from a self-respecting Canadian statesman. Canada can find a market for all the pulpwood products which her people can manufacture.

A PRESENT-TIME INQUIRY. Oh, say, Ain't we getting too gay? Ain't we getting too gay? To last? Ain't we whooping things up so much? We'll all be in Dutch? Ain't we pushing too hard? Without regard? To anything except that we must do it all immediately? Ain't we banging all records? Is a way that ought of the 21st December? To prove that our energy is overwrought? Wow.

PERSONAL. It will be of interest to the many friends in this city of Lieutenant T. H. Tennent, Royal Engineers, to know that with his wife and two daughters he has received orders on completion of his tour of foreign service in Hongkong to return to England, by the transport Rewa, leaving Hongkong on the 27th November and due to reach Southampton on the 21st December. He is leaving his son in Hongkong in the shipping office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. On arrival in England Lieut. Tennent is to proceed to Aldershot for duty with the R. E. troops and companies.

A. E. McPhillips, K. C., M. P. P., leaves this afternoon by the N. P. R. for Ottawa, returning over the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Limited, in the case of Crompton against that company.

Secretary McGaffey, of the Vancouver Island Development League, left to-day for Sooke, where he will speak to-morrow night on the needs for development work in the Sooke district.

Bishop Perrin arrived home yesterday from Chemainus and Duncan, where he has been on church business.

GORGE!

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Local News

A reunion of Baxter Hive, Ladies of the Maccobees, will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Semple's hall, Victoria West. All members are requested to be present as business of importance is to be discussed.

At St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill, the annual harvest thanksgiving service will be held on Thursday next, September 30th, at 3:30 p.m., when the offertory will be given to the Missionary Society of the Canadian church. The preacher will be Rev. Wm. Barton.

A meeting of the committee appointed by the Board of Trade to take up the resolution in connection with the new graving dock and a shipbuilding industry at Esquimalt will be held to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock in the Board of Trade rooms.

St. John's Senior and Junior Guilds intend holding a birthday party on October 26th (Tuesday). A good programme and a jolly evening is promised to all who attend. The proceeds go to the debt on the St. John's school room.

The board of trade, the trades and labor council and the mayor and aldermen are now in possession of data relative to the Sooke lake development project. This consists of extracts from the report of Arthur L. Adams, the city's water expert, and also that part of the report of Mr. Ashcroft, the government engineer, on the estimated cost of alternative routes to Sooke lake.

Special Thanksgiving service will be held in Christ Church cathedral to-morrow, the festival of St. Michael and All Angels. The following services will be held: Holy communion at 7 and 8; matins, holy communion and address by the Bishop at 11; and choral evensong at 8 p.m., when the sermon will be preached by Rev. H. A. Collison, of St. Luke's, Cedar Hill.

Building permits have been issued as follows: To the Sweeney Co. for the erection of a frame shed for storage purposes on Johnson street, to cost \$200; to H. S. Griffiths, for a frame building on Yates street, to cost \$50; to David Burnett, for a dwelling on Cornwall street, to cost \$500; to James Donaldson for a dwelling on Lady Smith street, to cost \$800; to R. Hetherington for a dwelling on Bank street, to cost \$1,900.

Ald. Stewart favors a reform in the system heretofore followed when the corporation has called for tenders for brass goods. It has been the practice to simply call for a certain number of pieces of the particular part required for the purposes of the city, and the alderman mentions that this has resulted in tenders being submitted, in some instances, for inferior goods. He had looked into the matter and was of the opinion that the only way that the city could get tenders for brass goods of good quality was to insert that the brass shall be of certain grade. He made this allusion to the matter on the water commissioner having recommended the calling for tenders for the annual supply of this material, and the council decided to take the matter up at the next meeting of the streets committee, when the water commissioner will be present.

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Holmes' Frostilla . . . 20c
Dartring Lanoline . . . 20c
Vaseline Camphor Ice . . . 15c
Vaseline Cold Cream . . . 15c
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MISSION WORKERS HOLD CONFERENCE

Gathering of Those Interested in Laymen's Missionary Movement.

A meeting of those interested in the Laymen's Missionary Movement was held this afternoon on short notice to meet R. W. Allin, of Toronto (Anglican) and Rev. A. E. Armstrong, also of Toronto (Presbyterian). These gentlemen are acting as secretaries of the movement for their respective denominations, and they are here at the request of the central committee to arrange for public meetings in November next, when prominent laymen from Ontario will be present to hold conferences with the local workers.

At this afternoon's meeting, Bishop Perrin presided and there were present Revs. C. E. Coopes, E. G. Miller, Anglican; D. MacRae, W. L. Clay, Dr. Campbell, Presbyterian; T. E. Holling, A. N. Miller, A. E. Roberts, Methodist; T. W. Gladstone, Reformed Episcopal; and A. J. Bruce, Y.M.C.A. Among the laymen present were Messrs. H. S. Crotty, R. S. Day, A. T. Frampton, Beaumont Boggs, C. C. Michener, E. G. Martin, R. G. Howell, F. Davey, Geo. Carter and others.

The statement of Messrs. Armstrong and Allin was considered, and on motion of Messrs. Bruce and Frampton it was resolved to accept the offer of the central committee to send a deputation to this city on November 14th, 15th and 16th. There will be a large number of laymen in the party, and the meeting will be of intense interest. The executive committee of the laymen's movement in the city were asked to arrange all details of the meeting to be held. There was an interesting informal discussion regarding the results obtained by the movement in the past twelve months, and the consensus of opinion was that the movement had been of great benefit to the churches.

JUST OUTSIDE. Two women chanced to meet on a street car in Chicago. "Why, how do you do, Mrs. Thompson?" exclaimed one of them. "I called at your home one day last week and there was nobody at home." "We've moved, Mrs. Giles," said the other. "Didn't you know that?" "No. When did you move?" "About two weeks ago. We got tired of living in all the noise and bustle, and we went away out in the suburbs." "What direction?" "Northwest." "And where are you located now?" "It's a new neighborhood, Mrs. Giles, and I can't describe it exactly, but if I had a map of the city here I could show you. We live just half an inch outside the city limits." BRIBERY. De Platt—"Is it true that you once bribed an officer of the law?" Suburb—"You can call it a bribe if you want to. I gave a policeman \$2 to induce our cook to stay."—Chicago News.

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James Forman has been appointed to make an independent valuation of the property which the city will have to expropriate on Government street, between Niagara and Toronto streets, in the widening of that portion of the thoroughfare.

The question of an agreement between the firm owning the Shepland farm in the municipality of Oak Bay, relative to the question of the maintenance of roads when the farm is subdivided, was discussed at some length last night by the Oak Bay council. No satisfactory conclusion was reached as to the exact meaning of the clauses under discussion, and a new draft will be made.

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The Victoria male voice choir will hold their regular practice this evening at 8 o'clock in Y. M. C. A. rooms. All members are requested to attend.

Two men charged with drunkenness were the only culprits to confront Magistrate Jay in the police court this morning. The usual fines were imposed.

The address given by Rev. Dr. Mariett, of Seattle, in the Metropolitan Methodist church last evening was listened to by a large number. A vote of thanks was tendered the speaker on motion of Miss Jones and Speaker. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Club of the church.

To-morrow is the day of the tea and entertainment at the Aged Women's Home, and judging from the arrangements that are being made it promises to be most enjoyable. There is no admission either afternoon or evening, and every one will be made welcome. The proceeds go to buy winter fuel.

The monthly social of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of St. Paul's Presbyterian church was held at the residence of W. J. Robertson, 1320 Johnson street, on Wednesday evening last, and was largely attended by the young people and their friends. A delightful evening was spent with music, games, etc., and dainty refreshments were served at the close.

At the session of the board of railway commissioners which is to be held here on October 12th, the city will explain to the board that a delay has occurred in going on with the work of improving Esquimalt road in the vicinity of the railway crossing, as requested by the commissioners, owing to the fact that the award was made after the civic estimates were made and the city has no funds on hand at present to prosecute the work.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Anne Daniels took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of her son-in-law, Charles Holmes, 545 Niagara street, and at 3:30 o'clock at the St. Barnabas church. The Rev. E. G. Miller conducted the services and the hymns, "Thine Forever" and "On the Resurrection Morning" were sung. Arthur Longfield presided at the organ. There was a large attendance of friends and many flowers were sent. The following acted as pallbearers: Jas. Macnair, T. Elkington, J. Swartz, R. Layrite, G. T. Fox and T. Luscombe.

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CONFERENCE ON SCHEME FOR UNDERGROUND WIRES

Representatives of Telephone Company Meet City Council and Discuss Plans.

Previous to the regular session of the city council last evening the board was waited on by G. Halse, Vancouver manager of the British Columbia Telephone Company, and R. B. Mielking, its local representative, for the purpose of discussing the scheme now under consideration for the placing of the telephone wires underground. As a result of the conference it developed that the plan, which embraces an area bounded by Blanchard street, Pandora avenue, Humboldt street and the water front, will cost considerably more than was at first anticipated.

It had been computed some months ago that the cost would not exceed \$50,000. The proposition was for the city to raise the money, the company to meet the annual interest and sinking fund to nine-tenths of the amount, the city to pay the remaining tenth. Recently it was decided to appoint a special committee to endeavor to secure from the property owners the right to gain access to their premises. The intention is to run conduits from the streets to the centre of the various blocks. This city has the necessary authority to secure right of way, and what is desired by the telephone company is an agreement between the company and the city relative to the whole scheme. Mr. Halse stated that the company's engineer had estimated that it would cost about \$75,000 to lay the conduits on the streets exclusive of the cost of labor.

Several agreements, such as he thought might be adapted to local conditions, were submitted by Mr. Halse, and these will be considered by the city solicitor and a suitable person appointed to negotiate with property holders interested.

Good potatoes, 90c per sack; sweet potatoes, 5 lbs. for 25c; Maypole creamery, 3 lbs. for \$1.—E. B. Jones, cor. Cook and North Park Sts., Phone 712.

The Native Sons, Post No. 1, will hold a progressive, continuous 500 tournament in the K. of P. hall this evening. After the business in connection with the lodge is disposed of the game will be indulged in.

"Paid in Full" was staged last night at the Victoria theatre to a comparatively small house. The play itself is one of an unusual character, the leading man, being the villain, and the yellow streak in him developing more and more to the very close of the plot. The setting for each of the four acts

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The plan of organizing a regimental association to take the place of several company associations was discussed last night at the parade of the Fifth Regiment, C.A.G., and a committee consisting of two representatives from each of the companies, the band officers and sergeants' messes was appointed to draft a constitution and report back on Wednesday night. If the plan is completed the room at present occupied at the drill hall by the band will be furnished as a club room and fitted with a billiard table and club requisites.

The permanent sidewalk on the west side of the causeway has about been completed, and at the earliest date a start will be made on the work of paving the roadway to the section running from Humboldt street to Belleville. With the completion of this latter work the large improvements in the area surrounding the Empress hotel will practically have to be made, and the transformation will result in the great beautification of the section, not to mention the convenience to pedestrians and vehicular traffic. Workmen are now busy finishing the section of Belleville street lying east of Government.

VANCOUVER ISLAND SUBJECT OF STUDY

Young People of St. Andrew's Church Have Enjoyable Meeting.

The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's church had a very enjoyable meeting last evening. The subject for the evening was "Vancouver Island." Mr. Albert Robertson gave a very interesting and instructive talk on the timber resources of the island, which was much appreciated by those present.

This was followed by an address by Mr. Thomas on the island viewed from the standpoint of the tourist and sportsman, and the able manner in which Mr. Thomas handled his subject was sufficient proof that he had devoted much time and care in preparing his address. A delightful piano solo by Miss Robertson at this stage of the proceedings called forth very hearty applause and added much to the pleasure of the evening.

The president then called on Mr. Ernest McGaffey, the untiring secretary of the Vancouver Island Development League, who held his audience spellbound with the facts regarding Vancouver Island which he had gathered since coming to this city. He has traversed nearly all the accessible parts of the island, and is most enthusiastic regarding its future development and the wonderful possibilities that lie before it. He had no hesitation in saying that Vancouver Island would some day be one of the brightest gems in the British Empire. Needless to say those present were highly delighted and edified by Mr. McGaffey's address, and he will always be a welcome visitor at any meetings. The singing of the National Anthem brought the programme of the evening to a fitting close.

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SOCCER LEAGUE GETTING READY ASSOCIATION MET AND DISCUSSED PLANS Question of Divisions Gives Some Trouble to Delegates.

At last evening's meeting of the Victoria District Football League it was decided that another meeting be held on Thursday evening, Sept. 30th at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, for the purpose of drawing up the schedule for the coming season.

Considerable discussion was before last evening's meeting and it took considerable time to dispose of it. All the teams had representatives present.

Considerable discussion was heard on the second division as to what is really meant, Mr. Lockley tried to make things clear and explained his understanding of the question.

Cedar Hill made an application at the meeting to be admitted into the second division on the condition that they did not feel strong enough to enter the senior league.

The referee question came up before the meeting but was left over until Thursday evening for discussion.

Another important move made last evening was that the goalkeepers must wear different and distinct colors from any other players on the field so that they may be easily distinguished by the referee.

BASEBALL

LEADING TEAMS MAKE MONEY. Seattle and Spokane clubs are the only ones in the Northwestern League that have made any money this season.

Seattle vs. All-Star Team. Ralph Frary, considered as one of the best umpires on the coast, has picked an all-star team, which he thinks can give the Seattle pennant-winning aggregation a stiff argument after the close of the season.

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New California Jockey Club Announces Racing Season.

(Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—For the first time since the passage of the Otis-Walker anti-racing bill by the last legislature, announcement of a racing season made to-day by Thomas H. Williams, president of the new California Jockey club.

STRAWBERRY VALE WINS. On Saturday afternoon a cricket match was played between the Albions and the Strawberry Vale team at Beacon Hill, resulting in a win for the former.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Lists players like F. W. Ashby, b. Thomas, R. White, b. w. Thomas, etc.

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YESTERDAY'S RACES AT MINORU PARK

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(Times Leased Wire.) Chicago, Sept. 27.—B. Johnson, president of the American League, is today investigating charges made by the Washington Senators and the Detroit Tigers that the New York Highlanders have been stealing their signals.

RESULTS OF GAMES IN BASEBALL LEAGUES

Table with 2 columns: League, Game, Score. Lists National and American league results.

THE TURF

JOCKEY MAHER WEALTHY. "Danny" Maher, the Hartford jockey, who has made such an enviable record for himself abroad since 1901, won two big races in England last week.

MOTORING DISTANCES.

Table with 2 columns: Location, Distance. Lists distances from Victoria to various points on Vancouver Island.

ATHLETIC POSTPONED MEETING.

The meeting of the Victoria West Athletic Association, which was to have been held last evening in the association rooms, was postponed, owing to the fact that Alex. Monteith, president of the association, was called away on business and could not be present.

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(Times Leased Wire.) New York, Sept. 28.—James J. Jeffries, who retired from the roped arena several years ago as the undefeated heavyweight champion of the world, is due to arrive in this city about the middle of next week.

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TAKING ADVANTAGE OF FAVORABLE WEATHER

More Work Decided Upon at Last Night's Meeting of Council.

Taking advantage of the remaining period of fine weather which will ensue before the advent of the winter season, the city council has determined to proceed with as large an amount of work of civic improvement as possible, and with all haste. Should the winter prove an open one there will be no cessation of activity in the engineer's department in the effort to keep pace with the remarkable growth and expansion of the city. There are hundreds of requests for local improvements which can only be taken up in turn, and should weather conditions permit they will be advanced before spring, but in any event the following new work will be done on the recommendation of the city engineer at last evening's meeting of the city council:

Grading and tar macadamizing Quadra street, between Pandora avenue and Hillside avenue, and constructing permanent walks on the east side of Quadra from Pandora avenue to Hillside avenue, and on the west side of Quadra street from Caledonia avenue to Hillside avenue. Cost \$50,000, city's share \$9,384, and amount chargeable to city in front of park and cemetery, \$3,381.

Permanent sidewalk on north side of Michigan street from Beacon Hill Park to Government street; also boulevard with curbs and gutters on south side of said street from Government street to Menzies street, and on the north side from Beacon Hill Park to Menzies street, and of grading, draining and rock surfacing street from Beacon Hill Park to Menzies street. Total cost, \$11,652, city's share \$2,330.

Boulevards on both sides of Government street, between Michigan street and Toronto street. Total cost \$284, city's share \$55.

Grading, tar macadamizing and draining Russell street from Skinner street to Langford street. Total cost \$1,624, city's share \$344.

Permanent sidewalk of concrete on the west side of Douglas street from Garbally road to Frances avenue. Total cost \$2,670, city's share \$11,850.

Grading, tar macadamizing and draining Craigflower road from Arm street to Russell street. Total cost \$9,220, city's share \$3,320.

Boulevard on south side of Belleville street from Menzies street to St. John's street. Total cost \$325, city's share \$67.

The report of the streets, bridges and sewers committee was adopted as follows:

1. Recommended that all construction work of any nature on the streets heretofore performed by any department connected with the corporation, be carried out in future under the supervision of the city engineer.
2. Recommended that the city engineer be instructed to remove the cause of complaints and charge the cost of so doing up to the waterworks department.
3. Re communication of the secretary of the Victoria Laborers' Protective Union, complaining of the way in which the foreman was appointed on the Hulton and Cowan avenues local improvement work.
4. Re communication of C. H. French complaining of the condition of Cook street north of Smith's Hill reservoir, caused by water escaping from the reservoir.
5. Recommended that the city engineer be instructed to remove the cause of complaints and charge the cost of so doing up to the waterworks department.
6. Re communication of R. B. Punnett, agent for Carl Saccho, objecting to the city constructing a sewer through his property, being lot 17 of blocks 1 to 6, section 22, Esquamit district.
7. Recommended that the writer be informed that permission to construct this sewer was obtained from Mr. E. H. Hancock, who is still the registered owner of the property in question.
8. Re Victoria Terminal Railway & Ferry Company: Recommended that the plan hereto attached, showing the proposed location of the company's lines and terminus on Blighard street be approved, conditional upon the terms agreed upon by the company with regard to the relinquishment and vacation of the market building by the said company, and other terms of said agreement.

The Judge—Gentlemen of the jury, have you reached an agreement? The Foreman—We have, Your Honor. The Judge—What is your verdict? The Foreman—We find the accused not guilty—provided he will leave town.—*Child News.*

FALL ASSIZES NEXT TUESDAY

THREE SERIOUS CASES ARE ON THE LIST

Two Charges of Murder and One for Theft From King's Mails.

On Tuesday next the fall assizes for the county of Victoria will open in the Supreme Court in this city, and jury lists have already been prepared.

The list of cases on the calendar is not a very formidable one, though the three cases which are to be heard are of the most serious character, two being for murder and a third for theft from His Majesty's mails.

The cases are Rex vs. Sotero, murder; Rex vs. Babbage, theft of mails; and Rex vs. Holmes, murder. In respect to the latter case, in the ordinary course, the case would be heard at the sittings of the assizes in Nanaimo, but it is understood that a change of venue will be sought and the case heard in this city. In regard to Babbage, defendant in this case appeared before Judge Lammiman a short time ago and elected to be tried by a judge and jury. Should he not re-elect for a speedy trial his case will be heard before the assizes opening on Tuesday next.

Sotero is charged with the murder of Antonio Jordan at Plumper's Pass on July 15th last. The circumstances as set out in the depositions were, briefly, that the two men, with a number of other Greek fishermen, were employed by one of the canning companies at Stevenson. They were preparing to go out in their boats, and previous to doing so had visited a saloon in the neighborhood and got drunk. Before leaving the saloon Sotero and his companion, Jordan, had obtained a quantity of liquor with which to continue their spree while fishing. The boats put off from shore, and in the vicinity of where Sotero's boat was anchored there were other boats. It was not long before the occupants of the other boats heard a row in progress on board Sotero's boat, and by some witnesses Jordan was heard to exclaim: "Help, I am being murdered." The man Jordan was ultimately found wounded so severely that he died. Sotero was arrested and given a preliminary hearing before a magistrate at Stevenson on January 16th, and committed for trial.

The charge against Babbage is still fresh in the minds of the public, great interest having been aroused over the preliminary hearing in the police court before Magistrate Jay. It will be recalled that Babbage was arrested with a number of letters and mail packages in his possession at the postoffice where he was an employee for a period of fifteen years, and that later his residence was searched and other letters, to the number of two hundred or more, found. Great interest will centre around the trial at the approaching assizes.

The charge against Holmes of Nanaimo is known to all readers of the Times. Holmes is charged with the murder of Gus Carlson, of Nanaimo. Carlson was found murdered on the floor of his kitchen, and his wife bound and gagged. Subsequently, Mrs. Carlson gave evidence which led to the arrest of Holmes, and the latter on being committed for trial was sent to the provincial jail in this city, where he is now confined.

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GOLD FOUND IN SCOTLAND.

George Morrison, a West African miner, home on holiday, and attracted by the reports as to the prospect of the reopening of gold digging at Kildonan, in Sutherland, visited that district the other day, and provided with pick and basin, proceeded along Kildonan burn, digging among the gravel, and panning out the material.

After four hours' work it is stated that he succeeded in collecting half a pennyweight of gold, while next day he had a similar experience at Sussill, where he obtained a larger amount.

When asked if he thought it would pay a company to begin operations, he said he feared the underpinning would not be sufficiently remunerative, but that it would pay a miner with good knowledge of gold mining to work at Kildonan. He thought old miners should be asked to carry out the operations.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

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FRENCH VIEW OF ROSEBERY

AN APPRECIATION BY AUGUSTIN FILAN

Respect for Man Who is Strong Enough to Stand Alone.

No pretext is needed, no special occasion has to be sought for, to speak of Lord Rosebery. He is, if I am not mistaken, a permanent attraction to the British public; never out of sight, never out of hearing; the most talked about of all unofficial men. Is it enough to say he is an attraction, a subject of constant curiosity? No, he is more than that; he is a living force; writes Augustin Filan in the London Daily Mail. Except, perhaps, when he was prime minister he has never ceased to influence English politics in a most appreciable manner.

To give an instance, was not the great Liberal success of January 1906 due in a great measure to his exertions as president of the New Liberal League, where he was so ably seconded by men like Mr. Asquith, Sir Edward Grey, and Mr. Haldane?

Imperialism, Free Trade, no Home Rule; his was the policy which was winning over the majority of Englishmen. To us foreign onlookers he was looking on the political horizon as a possible, nay, a most likely premier in the near future. We remember that in 1890 Lord Hartington had retired from the leadership to make room for Gladstone. Why, under somewhat similar circumstances, should not Campbell-Bannerman retire before Lord Rosebery? We simple folks thought it would be done because it was the best thing to do. How little we knew of the inner politics of the party! Not only did Campbell-Bannerman not retire, but he tied up the party to his worst enemies, the Socialist and Nationalist groups. Lord Rosebery withdrew at once from the fight when he perceived that compromise was again the order of the day, and took his seat on those cross-benches of the House of Lords where I watched for many years the Socratic face of old Lord Russell grinning sarcastically at his colleagues on both sides. From that central position Lord Rosebery surveys the political world and speaks out his mind; and so long as he is there and speaks it cannot be said that the true Liberal tradition is extinct. It pleased him some months ago to compare himself to an old owl sitting on a rotten branch, who signalled the approaching storm by his sinister croakings. Within a few hours the comparison had been taken up all round by the comic papers, and the cartoons which made the joke visible to the eye must have taken their place on the walls of the smoking-room at that moment. For Lord Rosebery is too great a master of gibes and sneers not to relish other people's fun, even if aimed at his own person.

—The Critic of Modern Politics.

But the wise bird has not lost any of his plumage, and the branch on which he is sitting is the strongest and healthiest of the tree. In reality he is the critic of the political comedy, and when there has been a first night at St. Stephen's, with some great actor-manager in the principal role, whether it be a Socialist bill or a revolutionary budget, the man who has to know what Lord Rosebery has to say about it, just as they want to know the opinion of Mr.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

As the time for putting new names on the Voters' List will close at the end of September, it is important that all those newcomers and others who have not already registered should do so before the end of the month. For this purpose the Liberal rooms, 1230 Government St., upstairs, will be open every week day night till 10 o'clock. The qualifications are as follows: British subject, 21 years old, six months' residence in the province, one month in the city and not on any other provincial voters' list.

Anyone living in Victoria having his name registered in another provincial electoral riding may have his name transferred by applying any evening at the above-mentioned place.

Archer or Mr. Wakeley on Barrie's or Piner's new play.

There was a time—no so long ago—when Lord Rosebery was the "enfant terrible" of the House of Lords. The conscript fathers listened to him with an amused indulgence when he signified to them their death warrant and invited them to a timely suicide. But "more recent events have convinced him that the venerable institution; old as it is, has still a useful part to play in the working of the British constitution. So he has come to the conclusion that the conversion of the stiner is better than his death, and he appears now before us in a new capacity as the reformer of the House of Lords.

It is always highly interesting to see men interfering in the slow process of evolution, and trying to oblige Dame Nature to move on at a brisker pace than her age and infirmities permit her when left to herself. Will electoral peers and life peers be an increase or a diminution of strength?

If the hereditary principle, the only guarantee of independence, be weakened, will not the House itself be weakened? If the upper chamber be to play the part of a self-acting brake, of an umpire between the two great parties, the noble peers ought to belong to neither. When they all are seated on the cross-benches, with Lord Rosebery, the reform will be practically accomplished. But this will never take place. The House of Lords is, and will remain Conservative, simply because it is hereditary.

Historian of Napoleon.

Lord Rosebery's book on Pitt gave promise of an original writer. "Napoleon, the Last Phase," more than realized that promise. It was my good fortune to present the volume to the French public, and to watch the eager curiosity and lively sympathy with which it was received. The book is now permanently established as one of the most important and most valuable contributions to Napoleon's history. It ranks among the great works of Albert Vandal, Frederic Masson and Henry Houssaye, and the fact that it has come from the other side of the channel singularly enhances its value in our eyes. It is the work of a philosopher and of a statesman; it is not only just, it is not only generous, it is a living book, full of pity and tenderness; perhaps the most truly human book ever written on the prisoner of St. Helena, and it renders him all the more lovable because it does not attempt to conceal his weaknesses or to gloss over his errors. Let the zealot claim a faultless, inflexible Napoleon, a saint in a Napoleon in a white robe. The Napoleon who is still dear to the heart of the French people bears a much closer resemblance to the hero of Lord Rosebery.

Everybody knows that Napoleonism has been a lifelong passion with him. All his life he has been in search of relics of the great man and his family. A few years ago a French gentleman had to dispose of what he believed to be Napoleon's death-bed. As the market for Napoleon's death-beds is necessarily very limited, he thought, before taking other steps, of approaching Lord Rosebery. The present Prince Murat being already in possession of such a bed, which has been exhibited in our public galleries as the real death-bed, the case was extremely puzzling. I made an inquiry, with the most extraordinary result that both beds were, in a sense, genuine. During his last illness the emperor had constantly two beds in his room, and when he could get no sleep passed from one to another. The bed forwarded to Queen Caroline of Naples, and bequeathed to her lineal descendants of the Murat family, was probably the one in which the emperor had actually expired. But the bed brought back from St. Helena by General Berthrand had received more than once the illustrious patient when he was already dying. I described the bed to Lord Rosebery as Napoleon's next best death-bed. This was not deemed sufficient to give it a place in that sanctuary where everything is genuine, everything precious—the Napoleon room at Dalmeny.

The Real Lord Rosebery.
When to Rosebery the statesman and

Rosebery the historian—we have added Rosebery the winner of three Derbies and Rosebery the host of guest of royal and imperial friends, have we exhausted the list of all possible Roseberys? Do we know the real Rosebery? Shall we ever know him? When we are cheered or amazed or comforted by his stirring pages or his brilliant oratory, when we are basking in the warmth of his radiant wit, are we confident that he fully shares the enjoyment he so lavishly so generously imparts to us, his listeners and readers?

Surrounded as he is by so many admirers and friends, he is, in more senses than one, a solitary man.

That strange and characteristic aloofness—partly his free choice, partly the work of adverse circumstances—may, at times, weigh somewhat heavily upon his mind and darken some of his hours when, during the long, stormy November nights, he can hear nothing but the anner waters of the Forth breaking on the rocks below his castle.

At the same time it has secured for him a unique position far above the low-lying regions of political opportunism. The days of individualism are gone, I know, but this country, at least, will long retain some respect for the man who is strong enough to stand alone.

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Laundry Workers	1st and 3rd Tuesday
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Machinists	1st and 3rd Thursday
Moulders	2nd Wednesday
Musicians	2nd Sunday
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TRAINING OF GIRLS FOR DUTIES OF LIFE
 Special Training That Should Be Given Them in Early Days.

A writer who has given a careful study to the subject writes on the subject of domesticity and daughters as follows:
 We seem from all appearances to be on the eve of a great and much-needed revival in the domestic education of our girls.
 In the old days girls learnt housewifery from their mothers, but in these times of higher education and professional careers for women the most essential part of their training came to be omitted, and a reaction was bound to come.
 The mistake being made at present, however, is to think that domestic knowledge is acquired like music or drawing. It is, on the contrary, an inborn gift which is latent in every little girl.
 Nothing delights her more than to be allowed to help the housemaid to dust or cook or bake. And if only mothers would develop this natural bent they would not have to complain that as they grow older their daughters are no help to them.
 They would find it well worth the sacrifice of the little time and the exercise of the little patience needed to foster their small daughters' domestic proclivities rather than to let these be literally stamped out by tying the child down to a desk for the ten most important years of her existence.
 The wider education of women has brought out the individuality of girls, and it is quite impossible to expect them all to be thoroughly domesticated. Their special gifts and tastes should on no account be neglected.
 But it is just as fatal to err on the other side, as is so often done nowadays, and cultivate one special talent to the exclusion of the many arts necessary in the domestic sphere that in some form or other, and at some period of her life, falls to the lot of every woman.
 In taking up the matter of domestic education in the private schools, the great difficulty to be met is the lack of time. The headmistresses already find it difficult to fit in all the subjects demanded by modern methods.
 Yet when the advisability of omitting one of these subjects is considered, the educational value of each is felt to be too great for it to be parted with willingly. Many people, however, are strong on the question that sports are overdone, though they have added so much to the happiness of the school-girls' life that it would be a pity to curtail them.
 Others again think that music might be omitted in the case of girls who show no talent. Yet how helpless the woman feels who cannot even play a song accompaniment, or a polka for children to dance to! In the opinion of the writer, the mistake is for the unmusical girls to devote so many hours to practicing.
 Speaking from recollection of her own school experience, the girls get so bored that most of the time is wasted. If they only had half an hour instead of an hour a day they would probably learn more, because they would not lose their interest, and three hours a week could be saved to be devoted to cookery lessons. To no other subject is such an absurd amount of time given as is spent on piano practice.
 As a rule needlework is very much neglected at the big private schools. This is often because the headmistress herself takes no personal interest in it. In one large private school where the head does happen to be a good needlewoman the girls have a big parcel of the new needlework sent down for them to choose from, and get very enthusiastic about doing things to take home to their mothers. This proves that the modern girls' dislike of needlework is simply due to the fact that their natural leanings are not as a rule fostered, for in many schools there is only one term in the year in which any special time is given to sewing.
 At boys' schools it is the custom to choose masters for their success in sports. Why should not one governess at every big girls' school be chosen because of her knowledge of needlecraft?
 To realize how great is the need for the coming alteration in the education of our girls one only has to hear them say, as they frequently do, when they are going to get married, "Oh, my mother has chosen my servants and all that. I don't know anything about it."
 A very largely increasing number of brides do, however, show that they grasp the necessity for being properly equipped for the responsibilities which they are undertaking by entering on a "thirteen-week" course of training in household management at one of the big co-educational schools.
 They go by the name of the Engaged Brigade among the other students. Some wire parents send their girls to take the same course to finish their education directly they leave school; but very often by that time domesticity has been dimmed out of them by higher mathematics.
 In Germany the girl who is just out, so far from requiring a domestic education, becomes herself a voluntary teacher at the Madchen Hous. These schools were first started some years ago by a prominent woman in Berlin. They open at 12 noon, directly the board schools close, and form an excellent system whereby the daughters of well-to-do parents give cooking lessons to girls of their own age in the lower classes.
 A great mistake a number of English girls make is to think that they cannot cook and be generally intelligent as well. But to quote only one celebrated instance to prove the contrary, George Eliot made excellent jam!

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL
 L. Camusa is in Vancouver for a few days.
 R. D. McKenzie has gone to Portland, Ore., on a short business trip.
 Mrs. C. B. Hume of Revelstoke, is on a visit to friends in Victoria.
 W. F. Rogers was among the passengers for Vancouver last evening.
 J. H. Mitchell sailed for the Terminal City last evening on the Charming.
 J. M. Turnbull crossed over to Vancouver on the Charming last evening.
 Miss Murray of Sooke, is the guest of Mrs. D. MacRae at the "Manse," Victoria West.
 Chief Justice Hunter was a passenger for the mainland last evening on the Charming.
 Miss Helen A. Jones is leaving to-day on a trip to New York via the North Coast Limited.
 Miss Millie Hughes left for her home in Walla Walla yesterday via the Northern Pacific.
 Mrs. Jenkins left yesterday on the Princess Charlotte for Seattle, where she will visit friends.
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 A pretty wedding took place at St. Martin church, Atlin, when the Rev. M. H. Jackson, assisted by Rev. A. M. Ross of St. Andrews, united in marriage William Edward Haddon and Violet Grace Molyneux, on the 15th inst. The bride wore a dainty gown of white silk, the bridal veil being held in place by a diamond brooch, and carried a shower bouquet. The bridesmaids Miss Carrichael of Toronto and Miss Bole of Ireland, Missouri, looked pretty in white tulle hats. The groom was assisted by Mr. West of Dawson. The gift to the bride from the groom was a pearl sunburst brooch and to the bridesmaids nugget brooches. The groomsmen and Mr. F. A. Taylor of England, who officiated as ushers, received gold stick pins. To the bridesmaids a set of nugget collar pins were given by the bride. The church was beautifully decorated with autumn leaves. Lohengrin's wedding march was played by Mrs. Jackson. The bride, who is a granddaughter of the late Noble Carruthers, Lumberman, Ottawa, was given away by her father, Hugh Molyneux, superintendent of roads for northern British Columbia and a pioneer of the district. The reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents. The couple left for a tour of the coast cities and will go east as far as Montreal, returning to take up their residence in Atlin. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

L. Camusa is in Vancouver for a few days.
 R. D. McKenzie has gone to Portland, Ore., on a short business trip.
 Mrs. C. B. Hume of Revelstoke, is on a visit to friends in Victoria.
 W. F. Rogers was among the passengers for Vancouver last evening.
 J. H. Mitchell sailed for the Terminal City last evening on the Charming.
 J. M. Turnbull crossed over to Vancouver on the Charming last evening.
 Miss Murray of Sooke, is the guest of Mrs. D. MacRae at the "Manse," Victoria West.
 Chief Justice Hunter was a passenger for the mainland last evening on the Charming.
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MISS CAMERON TO LECTURE TO-NIGHT

Noted Victorian Will Address Citizens in Victoria Theatre.
 "Canada is really a great country" is a favorite expression of Agnes Deans Cameron, and the Toronto World evidently thinks Miss Cameron is really a great woman for in commenting on her lectures a while ago it said in part: "Agnes Deans Cameron is a really great woman, with neither pose nor cant nor apocryphancy—not an ignoble emulation of effect in the slightest one of the finest psychic atmospheres I have ever been in; and not only this but the littleness of other women, the affectations, the consciousness of dress, the English accent that is taken by some Canadian women on occasions, all were dropped, and we seemed to breathe pure, fresh, honest air."
 "What an inspiration her lecture was, one and all, then and there resolved to do something more than they had been."
 "No Paris' creation could have won an admiring glance in the presence of that splendid, gracious, royal personality."
 "Boys and girls, men and women, hearing Miss Cameron, will be filled with the spirit to do and dare—they will feel the tremendous possibilities in this great, broad Canada of ours. We will be more proud of our wheat fields, our mines, our fur lands, our mountains and streams, than we could possibly be if parliament sapped the resources of Canada and built Dreadnoughts."
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 "So with grave bits of philosophy and gay dashes of fun, we were entertained and instructed, and benefited."
 "The people of Victoria will have the opportunity of hearing their fellow-townswoman, when to-night and tomorrow night in the Victoria theatre she gives, under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dunsmuir, her two famous "Illustrated Lectures," "From Wheat to Whales" and "The Witchery of the Peace."

DAUGHTERS OF PITY SHOW GOOD RESULTS

Very satisfactory reports were read yesterday at the first regular meeting after vacation of the Daughters of Pity, Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital, which took place in the board of trade rooms with the honorary president, Mrs. G. S. Hasell, in the chair. The treasurer's report showed a healthy state of affairs, there being bills paid to the sum of \$94.50, balance on hand \$18 and in the bank \$624.
 The vacation work report accounted for the sum of \$37 received through the garden party held at the Japanese tea gardens at the Gorge last July, and the report on the work at the show last week accounted for new receipts at the tea room in the new women's building of \$504. From the latter there are small expenses to be paid, after which a substantial balance will be turned over to the building fund.
 The choir of the First Presbyterian church and J. G. Brown, the leader, were accorded a vote of thanks for the offer of two open air concerts during the year, both of which, however, were not held owing to the inclement weather.
 The late president, Mrs. Jacobson, wrote thanking the society for the wedding gift sent her as a remembrance of the many years she had worked with the society. A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jamieson and those who helped during the fair week and donated offerings for the tea room in flowers, etc. Miss G. Hiscock, who had charge of the tea room during fair week, was also accorded a vote of thanks.
 The society made arrangements for the Cinderella dance to take place on Monday night next at the women's building at the fair grounds. Tickets may be obtained from the Daughters of Pity, Mrs. Hasell (the Alexandra Club), Messrs. Hibben, Redfern, Challoner & Mitchell and Wilkerson. Mrs. Jenner will be in charge of the refreshments and Miss Thain of the music. The following committee was appointed to decorate: Mrs. Hasell, Miss Thain, Miss Leeming, Miss Hiscocks, Miss Fawcett, Miss Marvin, Miss Couves and Miss Lemon. All contributions will be gratefully received. This committee is asked to meet at the women's building on Friday at 2 o'clock.
 The annual meeting of the society was fixed for Monday, November 1st. Articles required for the children's ward at the hospital were ordered, and Miss Dorothy McFay was admitted to membership. There were present in addition to the president Misses Leeming, Hiscocks, Raymond, Bone, G. Bone, Fawcett, O. Fawcett, Thain, F. Finch, Wilkerson, Couves, Lemon, Marvin and Grant.

Cinderella Dance on Monday Night in Women's Building.

NEW GRAND THEATRE.
 From indications drawn by the applause given the performers at the New Grand theatre last night on the presentation of this week's bill, the attendances at the Grand through the week will go close to making a record for the popular vaudeville house. The show opened with the appearance of the Stellings, European novelty hat-throwers, who, with several hundred hats, kept the audience in a state of wonderment. The male performer is an expert hat juggler, and his assist-

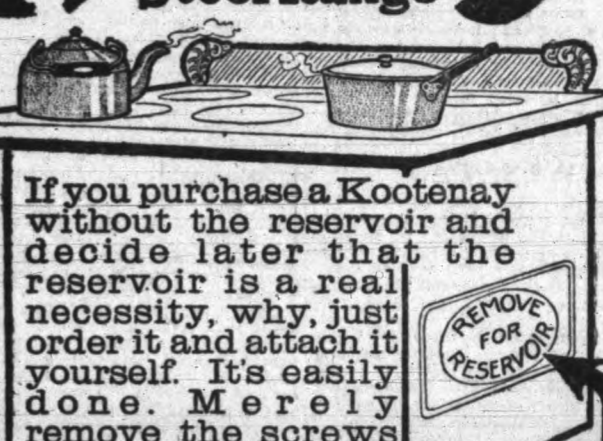
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ant has many clever things to do in the act. There is a lot of good comedy and the act goes immensely well. Handsome examples of head gear are destroyed in front of the audience. Elsie Cresley and company present a pathetic playlet with a big heart story through it entitled "Fagin's Pupil." Miss Cresley has a talented company with her, and all the arts are well and faithfully portrayed. The story is that of a girl brought up as a society thief in which her disgust of the life is shown, and her determination to give it up is done in a strong piece of acting.
 Maddox and Melvin, in the Messenger and the Actress, have a good applause-drawing act. The messenger is an artist at make-up, and presents a most remarkable get-up, while Miss Melvin, as the actress, has an acceptable piece of acting. Thomas J. Price is singing this week another new song with many illuminated pictures and good motion pictures add to an all-round good bill. There will be matinee performances all the week as well as the two shows at night.

Kootenay Steel Range

 If you purchase a Kootenay without the reservoir and decide later that the reservoir is a real necessity, why, just order it and attach it yourself. It's easily done. Merely remove the screws and take off the plate marked "REMOVE FOR RESERVOIR" (see top illustration), which provides an opening for the hot air to come through and circulate under the reservoir. Then attach, by means of screws, the reservoir and the flue box shown in lower illustration. A screwdriver is the only tool required.
M'CLARY'S

ENORMOUS YIELDS IN SASKATCHEWAN

ESTIMATED AT OVER 200,000,000 BUSHELS

Increase of About Ninety Per Cent. in Twelve Months.

The western representative of the Toronto Globe, writing from Regina, says:

The people of Saskatchewan have abundant cause for satisfaction, or even jubilation, at the success of agricultural operations during the present year. In spite of the backward spring and the tardy arrival of summer, the grain has come through to maturity and harvest in a way which commands attention, if it does not cause surprise. The farmers have found it necessary to work hard, and they have contended with adverse elements which threatened at times to become serious in their effects. They have won out, with a good deal to spare, and have now the means which, if judiciously used, will enable them to maintain themselves and their families in comfort for many months to come.

An aggregate production of 199,290,978 bushels for four grains is indicated by the harvest bulletin, issued by the department of agriculture here. This total is made up of 86,688,682 bushels of wheat, 100,221,250 of oats, 2,345,494 of barley, and 4,155,540 of flax. Other coarse grains, such as rye and speltz, will easily carry the total over the 200,000,000 bushel mark, and therein lies the reason for the popular satisfaction. Last year the aggregate yield for the four principal grains, according to the final report of the department, was 105,583,516 bushels. An increase of about 90 per cent. in twelve months is enough to cause gratification, not only within the confines of the province, but throughout the Dominion.

The figures of acreage, as revised up to September 1st, show that the area under wheat is 2,583,488, as compared with 2,703,563 last year; under oats, 2,128,750, as compared with 1,772,976; under barley, 233,691, as compared with 229,574; and under flax, 277,026, as compared with 264,728. Increases all along the line are, therefore, to be noted. The total for 1909 is 8,588,963 acres, as compared with 8,370,841 in 1908. With regard to average yields per acre, the bulletin says: "Inquiry was made as to the probable yield per acre of the different grains, provided no further damage should occur. A compilation of the figures received gives the estimated yield as follows: Wheat, 22 bushels per acre; oats, 47 bushels; barley, 34 bushels and flax, 15 bushels.

It appears that magnificent weather during the latter part of July and the first half of August had a good deal to do with bringing the grain crops through in proper shape. The latter half of August was less favorable, owing to the great heat, but the grain, on the whole, withstood the warm winds creditably. The rainfall during the month preceding August 15th was very heavy, and this prepared the crop to bear up in the subsequent warm spell. Frosts appear to have been all but unheard of during August. Slight indications of the effects of local frosts on garden stuff were noticeable on two days in the first week, but the grain and vegetables generally were not touched by it. The average dates on which harvesting was general throughout the province were August 17th for barley, August 23rd for wheat, August 24th for oats, and August 29th for flax. Several correspondents emphasized the necessity of more thorough cultivation of the soil, and it is satisfactory to note that the general tendency of agricultural activity is in that direction. The principal diseases noted have been a slight tendency to rust and some smut. The percentage of standard condition on August 10th averaged 93 for wheat throughout the province, having risen from 89 on June 15th; for oats it was also 93, rising from 89; for barley it was 81, rising from 87; and for flax, 89, rising from 88. It is encouraging to note that the percentage of standard condition steadily increased through the season.

Hon. W. R. Matherwell, minister of agriculture, who is himself a practical and successful farmer of long standing in the west, is naturally highly pleased at the fine showing made by the province in the matter of yields. But he does not believe that success in agriculture necessarily means to only plough, sow and reap. He regards it as more important to use the best methods for obtaining high yields, and to protect and conserve the wealth which is thereby obtained.

EARLY DAYS IN THE CANADIAN WEST

Major-General French, Organizer of Mounted Police, Speaks at Winnipeg.

Major-General Sir George French, K. C. M. G., addressed the Winnipeg Canadian club on the subject of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

A large number of military men, including Col. Steele, were present, and prominent clergymen and citizens were represented.

President Mitchell, of the Canadian club, alluded to the fact that he had at one time been associated with General French and Col. Steele, both present, and had been most largely instrumental in building up that famous body of troops, the R. N. W. M. P.

General French said he was distinctly pleased to see so many present. He felt like Rip Van Winkle, coming back after 25 years. But he had come out before that in 1862, when serious times threatened. He again came out in 1869, and began the organization of the artillery forces. In 1872 the country found it necessary to provide a police force for the great prairie region. It had become necessary to stop the marauding which was in existence. This was how he had first come to the west.

About 150 men had been sent from the east, and he had arrived at the end of 1874 to organize the force. The experience of getting into the country over wild trails was something never to be forgotten. The force was later recruited and further organized, and gradually built up. In the later detachment several hundred men were brought up. Discipline began to be apparent in the force at an early date. General French, in a characteristically humorous vein, referred to the discomforts of travelling from Moorhead, N. D., along the Red, in mosquito time. A difficult part of the trip had been the transportation of supplies. The horses in the overland journey were largely fed on grass, as oats were 10 cents per pound.

Buffalo were hunted for the pot and the whole force was fed on buffalo for a month.

Great delight was felt in the making of a beautiful spring at Swift Current. Most of the springs were delisted by the buffalo, but this drink from the Swift Current stream and another drink of water taken in South Africa stood out in his memory. "Of course I have taken more water than that, though, in my life," laughed General French, and the crowd laughed with him.

The speaker's reminiscence of the journeying over the prairies, of the Bow river and of Fort Macleod were most interesting. In the force great discipline was maintained. An order, in the cold of winter that each man take one of his blankets and put it on a horse was carried out even though the men suffered much. He was proud yet to remember that act of devotion to discipline.

General French went on to speak of the old-timers touchingly. He made an especially graceful allusion to the late Archbishop Michrany and his great work in the interests of education.

He also alluded to ex-Mayor Ashdown and his motto of "work." Mr. Ashdown, who was present, the general said was an old friend of his.

The general went on to say that Winnipeg was a coming Chicago. The west was the coming world's granary, and it was in coming friendly to and a part of the British empire. He also paid a tribute to the Hudson Bay route.

HANDLING GRAIN ON GREAT LAKES

DOMINION HAS FASTEST ELEVATORS

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Canada has the largest and fastest terminal elevators in the world. That is a statement of fact that may be listed among the accomplishments of a young country in the first decade of the twentieth century, that is to be all our own.

Canadians may brush aside sentimental generalities now and give the world cold facts instead of platitudes.

In one single day the Canadian elevators at the head of Lake Superior can unload from miles and miles of freight cars enough wheat to feed a city of 100,000 inhabitants for an entire year.

These same vast terminal warehouses at Fort William and Port Arthur can pour streams of grain into the holds of waiting steamers so fast that their capacity is the only limit to be considered.

The farmers of the west can crowd their prairie elevators to the point of bursting, and trains can move eastward as fast as operating conditions on the transcontinental systems will permit, but even faster the big terminal elevators can unload and load again, accelerating the movement of the Canadian wheat crop to the seaboard and to Europe.

The demand for speed is ever increasing. One elevator of the latest type to-day can do the work of a dozen 30 years ago. Quick despatch is one of the economic factors in marketing for the bulk of the export crop must get down the lakes before December 10th, when navigation becomes impossible. After that the all-rail haul is the only alternative, and that means loss to the farmers, and curtailment of the purchasing power of the west.

Canada to-day is beating out the United States in the handling of grain, not only because of the improved waterways of the lower lakes and the splendid terminal facilities at Montreal, but also because there are high speed elevators at the head of the lakes. Fort William and Port Arthur are great strategic points in the battle for the business of carrying the grain crop of North America to the seaboard.

From now on to the close of navigation the elevators at Fort William and Port Arthur can handle 1,200,000 bushels of grain daily.

The wheat crop for 1909 has been estimated at 168,000,000 bushels and on this calculation the elevators at the head of the lakes can handle every ounce that will not be retained in the west for domestic consumption and seedling purposes.

The elevators run to their full capacity and every day 30 trains of 40 cars each—big, modern capacity cars, are unloaded.

At Port Arthur and Fort William there is to-day a storage capacity of 27,200,000 bushels, or sufficient to store one-third of the export wheat crop of the western provinces for this season, and seedling purposes.

The house under construction for the Grand Trunk Pacific is the first unit of a 40,000,000 bushel plant.

Following is the elevator capacity to-day at Port Arthur and Fort William:

Western terminal	960,000
Elevator A	1,250,000
Elevator B	500,000
Elevator C	1,300,000
Elevator D	3,000,000
Elevator E	2,000,000
Empire elevator	1,750,000
Ogville elevator	1,250,000
Consolidated elevator	860,000
Addition to Consolidated	800,000
G. T. P. elevator	3,000,000
Thunder Bay elevator	1,750,000
Muirhead & Black	100,000
Canadian Northern	7,000,000
Total	27,200,000

There are 25 steamers in the carrying trade between these ports and Montreal, and there are 25 times as many steamers call at the ports as 25 years ago.

ARDUOUS JOURNEY TO HUDSON BAY

Treaty Paying Party Completes Trip Covering Over Two Thousand Miles.

After travelling 2,275 miles, mostly through the district of Keewatin, on creeks, rivers, lakes and ocean by canoe, launch, steamer and York boat, paying out \$7,000 in treaty annuities to the Cross Lake, Split Lake and Nelson House band of Cree Indians and arranging for the Chipewyan Indians at Fort Churchill and the Cree Indians at York Factory to come into treaty No. 5 next year, W. J. McLean, a paying officer in treaty five, Dr. Victor Winkler and Allan Holme have returned to Winnipeg, says the Free Press. The trip occupied three months and several days, including a delay of fourteen days at Norway House waiting for a steamer for Selkirk, and was accomplished without serious accident.

Mr. McLean and his party had their most trying and yet most interesting experiences on the trip from York Factory to Churchill and return, during which the dangers and hardships of navigating the Hudson Bay in an open boat were brought home to the travellers in a convincing manner. The voyage was made in a York boat which for lack of a better term of description might be called a big rowboat. It is a boat of about 30 feet keel, draws about 18 inches of water, is perfectly open on top and has four or five oars on either side for each of which a man is required. It provides no accommodation for passengers and does not sail by any means close to the wind.


The trip along the coast is invariably fraught with considerable exposure and always with danger. At many points along the barren shore the tide recedes from one to four miles from the high water mark, and it is very difficult to reach the shore for camping at night. Added to this is the difficulty of finding shelter, there being few places along the coast to afford spots of refuge in times of storm. It took the party nine days to reach Churchill from York Factory, while the return trip occupied six days. Rain, fog and gales interfered with progress on the trip each way. Night after night the party grounded the boat at half tide in order to be able to make an early start in the morning when the tide was coming in. This meant a walk of from one to three miles on shore through mud and often in darkness with the same walk out to the boat in the morning. Several times the force of the wind and the heavy seas forced the party to seek the best shelter available, but luckily, when the most serious of the gales occurred it was only a short distance from the mouth of the Broad river. Wood is scarce along the coast at some places and at times fresh water was a minus quantity for miles inland. For four days the party was held up at the mouth of the Churchill river by a terrific gale from the north-west. Then, after a start had been made on a calm morning another gale sprang up in the afternoon which, combined with the force of the tide going out, forced the crew to row for hours to make a little over a mile and reach Fox Island for the night. The alternative was to be blown out to sea in a craft ill-fitted to weather the storm. The last night of the return trip to York was spent on the boat where the party slept in a drizzling fog and the cramped accommodation afforded by a York boat for nineteen people. Immense fields of ice were often sighted by the party on the voyage to Churchill, while fierce electrical storms several times soaked the travellers and some of their supplies.

Many trips are made from York to Churchill and return in open boats, but there are few of which tales of danger, hardship and exposure are not related. Boats have already been wrecked and lives have been lost on the stretch of the coast in question, making very obvious the need of a substantial steamer for work in the north, which Mounted Police officers at Hudson's Bay Company officials do not fail to point out continually.

The point of greatest interest touched at by the party was of course Fort Churchill, and it was found that at this point and York the activity of the Hudson Bay railway surveyors has caused much comment as to whether the Churchill or the Nelson river will be chosen as the harbor at which the railway will have its terminus. The majority of those acquainted with the nature of the mouths of two rivers do not hesitate to favor the Churchill as the harbor. They claim that it affords by far the best facilities for vessels of any kind. While it seems to be pretty generally accepted as a fact in the north country that the Nelson would be less difficult and costly as far as the construction of the railway is concerned, men there declare that the advantages of a harbor at Churchill would far outweigh any saving that might be effected by building the railway to the mouth of the Nelson.

"As to navigation of the Nelson river," said Mr. McLean, "I do not think that it will ever be practicable as our experience was that right at the entrance to the bay there did not seem to be any deep continuous channel, the water for the most part being only a few feet deep at middle tide. As to the upper portion of the river, it is out of the question to think of its ever being used for transport of any account."

Men who have spent years at Churchill say that the route for vessels through the straits from that point is



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IT CAN GET MORE WIND.

(Springfield Republican.)

"One flag, one fleet, one throne," is the phrase stamped conspicuously on the new school readers in the public schools of Ontario for the purpose of instilling Imperial patriotism into the youthful mind. Whatever criticism it arouses among the natives is due to the fact that it takes the wind out of Canadian nationalism, which has aspirations of its own.

DOG KILLED BY BEES.

A Remarkable Incident in Lincolnshire, England.

A dog met its death in a remarkable way near Bourne, Lincolnshire, being stung to death by bees. The bees invaded its kennel, apparently mistaking it for their hive, and the dog, a large retriever, being chained up, could not escape.

The animal's cries attracted the attention of its owner, who found it almost covered with bees, and when it was released the bees still clung tenaciously. Eventually the dog entered some water and thus got rid of the bees, but it had been so severely stung that it died an hour afterwards.

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Matters of Marine Interest Discussed at Brussels To-day.

The third diplomatic conference on maritime law is to meet at Brussels to-day.

Proposed treaties on collisions and salvage and draft treaties on shipowners' liability and maritime mortgages and liens will be brought before the conference for consideration and adoption.

All the principal nations will be represented at the conference as they were at the diplomatic conference held at Brussels in October, 1906.

In the present form the proposed treaties would, if adopted, wholly change the law of the United States. The collision treaty provides for liability proportionate to fault, which is the rule of continental countries as distinguished from that of Great Britain and the United States.

It is proposed further that this rule of proportional liability should be applied to cargo, so that the owner of a cargo can recover only one-half, one-third, one-quarter or one-fifth of his damages, as the case may be, from a vessel which is held in fault to that extent.

Another important change suggested relates to limitation of a shipowner's liability. Under the United States statutes, as in most continental countries, by surrendering the value of the vessel and her pending freight, the shipowner is relieved from further liability for damages occurring without his knowledge, though the fault of the master.

The K. Y. P. Kaga Maru, Captain Hagino, will leave this port this afternoon about 3 o'clock for Chinese and Japanese ports, carrying a full cargo consisting of general merchandise, flour and machinery.

The passenger list includes thirteen who will embark here in the saloon and fourteen third class passengers from this port.

STRUCK BY PARALYSIS ON PRINCESS ROYAL

Capt. W. O. Hughes Taken to Hospital at Vancouver on Arrival.

The steamer Princess Royal, which reached port yesterday from Skagway, arrived without the familiar figure of Capt. W. O. Hughes on her bridge.

He was, however, able to leave the vessel at Vancouver and taken to the hospital. Mrs. W. O. Hughes left Victoria immediately she received the bad news, having been made acquainted by a wireless message from the Princess Royal on the way down.

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INCREASED SHIPMENTS TO BRITISH PORTS

Puget Sound is Increasing Trade With Old Land.

Washington, Sept. 28.—The annual commercial dispatch of British Vice-Consul Klockner, of Port Townsend, to his government concerning export and import trade between the port and the coast of England, Ireland and Scotland for the last fiscal year, a copy of which has just been received here, shows that Puget Sound exports to these three divisions of the British domain for that period practically doubled in each instance.

SHIPPING REPORT

Cape Lazo, Sept. 28, 9 a. m.—Overcast, calm; fog seaward; bar, 29.72; temp., 55; in, light tender Columbine, 8:55; in, four-masted schooner, 11:15 a. m.

SLOOP OF WAR FOR CALIFORNIA PORTOLA

Shearwater and Algerine Will Soon Leave for South.

The Shearwater and the Algerine are making ready to attend the California Portola festival, commencing at San Francisco October 10th.

A chart of Boat Harbor, Stuart channel, east coast of Vancouver Island, has just been published by the government of Canada.

AMERICAN SCHOONER PARTED HER TOW-ROPE

Lies in Danger Off Australian Shores—Crew Safely Landed.

Port Hunter, N. S. W., Sept. 28.—The American schooner Alpena, Capt. Nielson, from Tacoma, May 28th, by way of Melbourne, parted her tow rope in a southerly gale while being brought into Port Hunter last evening.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS

Seattle, Sept. 28.—Arrived: Steamer President from San Francisco; U. S. steamer Burnside from Tacoma; steamer Leelanaw from Tacoma; steamer Harold Dollar from San Francisco.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Approach to Prince Rupert, Ridley Island range day beacons, the front one on the west shore of the island, and the back one on the high land, being no longer required have been taken down.

Metlakatla Harbor. The beacon which stood on the end of the rocky ledge, one cable N. W. from Shrub Island, Metlakatla harbor, having been destroyed by the sea, a red conical buoy marking the extreme of the ledge, has been established to replace it.

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Copies may be obtained from the Hydrographic Survey office, department of marine and fisheries, Ottawa, and from the agent of this department at Victoria, for fifteen cents per copy.

MARINE NOTES

The British barque Osborne, Capt. Oliver, left Tacoma Sunday for Seattle, where she will go on the Hoffmanman dock for cleaning. She is under charter to Balfour, Guthrie & Co. to load wheat for the United Kingdom, and look on 400 tons of her cargo before leaving Tacoma.

The Norwegian steamer Selja has reached Portland from the Orient by way of San Francisco with a cargo of general merchandise and sulphur.

The Pacific Coast company's steamer Meteor arrived at Tacoma smelter on Sunday with 2,500 tons of ore from Treadwell, Alaska.

The British steamer Belle of Scotland is loading lumber at Tacoma for Panama. She will take 2,000,000 feet of Tacoma.

The German barque Lisbeth is taking grain at the London dock, Tacoma, where the German ship Emilie is also located.

The steamer Greenwhich is loading lumber for Australia at Chemainus. She completed coaling at Comox Sunday.

The Queen loaded wheat at Tacoma for San Francisco. She left for Seattle early yesterday.

The Leelanaw left Tacoma yesterday morning for Seattle to unload 35,000 cases of salmon.

The steamer Trader returned yesterday from the Fraser river with a cargo of hay and produce.

SLACK WATER, ACTIVE PASS, B. C.

Table with columns: Date, T.H.W., Slack, L.W., Slack. Rows for September 28, 29, 30.

TRAIN IS RACING AGAINST TIME

Attempt to Cut Eleven Hours From Schedule Between St. Paul and Seattle.

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Sept. 28.—Rushing across the state of Montana to-day in a race against time, the Greater Northern railway is sending a fast mail train on a trial run from St. Paul to Seattle in an attempt to set a new record for speedy handling of the mails.

The train, which left St. Paul yesterday morning, is scheduled to reach Seattle at 6 o'clock to-morrow morning, the average speed being placed at 35 miles an hour.

The officials of the railway and of the railway mail service are watching with interest the attempt to clip approximately 11 hours from the fastest schedule for a train between St. Paul and Puget Sound, that of the North Coast Limited of the Northern Pacific.

If the efforts of the railroad officials are successful, the newspaper mail which was placed on the train at St. Paul for its trial trip, will be in Seattle in 47 1/2 hours after leaving the eastern city.

BUSINESS MEN WILL PAY VISIT TO CHINA

Deputation Will Represent Chambers of Commerce of Pacific Coast.

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., Sept. 28.—A letter was to-day dispatched to the Chinese Chambers of Commerce by the Associated Chambers of the Pacific coast, accepting an invitation to visit China in the month of February next.

It is intended to make the visiting delegation as representative as possible, and to this end it is expected that all the representatives of the Pacific coast chambers will be selected to participate in the Oriental visit.

Represented in the Chinese chambers are the cities of Shanghai, Amoy, Foo Chow, Nanking, Canton, Woo Chow and other places of lesser commercial importance.

The visit of the American business men is expected to result in increased trade between China and the United States.

TRUST COMPANIES IN HANDS OF RECEIVER

Officials of Institutions Will Be Paid in Full.

(Times Leased Wire.) Pittsburgh, Sept. 28.—The Land Trust Company and the Mercantile Trust company, both state institutions, are closed to-day and James L. White, state bank examiner, is temporarily receiver for both banks.

It is said they were unable to carry out the merger and made arrangements to assign voluntarily. According to the officials, the depositors will be protected and paid in full, the capital stock of the two companies is \$1,210,000.

KILLED BY BASEBALL

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Eugene Swinbank, 17 years old, is dead here from being hit by a pitched baseball. After being hit by the ball the boy ran a few feet to first base and fell. He died in an ambulance on way to a hospital. The ball was pitched by a player of the Chicago team.

FIRE ALARM BOXES

- 1—Government and Superior Sts. 2—Government and Battery Sts. 3—Mendocino and Michigan Sts. 4—Mendocino and Niagara Sts. 5—Montreal and Kingston Sts. 6—Montreal and Simcoe Sts. 7—Dallas road and Simcoe St. 8—Avalon road and Phoenix P. Co. 9—Victoria Chemical Works. 10—Langford and Burdette Sts. 11—Humboldt and Douglas Sts. 12—Rumboldt and Rupert Sts. 13—Cook St. and Caldwell road. 14—Yates and Broad Sts. 15—Government and Port Sts. 16—Yates and Wharf Sts. 17—Government and Johnson Sts. 18—Victoria Theatre, Douglas St. 19—View and Hlanehard Sts. 20—Spencer's Arcade. 21—Port and Quadra Sts. 22—Yates and Cook Sts. 23—Rockland Ave. E. of St. Charles St. 24—Port St. and Stanley Ave. 25—Port St. and Oak Bay Ave. 26—Port St. and Richmond road. 27—Pembroke and Blakespore Sts. 28—Pandora Ave. and Quadra St. 29—Caledonia Ave. and Blanchard St. 30—Caledonia Ave. and Cook St. 31—Pembroke St. and Spring road. 32—Gladstone Ave. and Stanley Ave. 33—Pandora Ave. and Chambers St. 34—Douglas and Discovery Sts. 35—Government St. and Princess Ave. 36—King's road and Blanchard St. 37—Government and Douglas Sts. (June). 38—Oaklands Fire Station. 39—Lepson and Gonnason's Mill. 40—Store and Cormorant Sts. 41—Store and Discovery Sts. 42—Bride and John Sts. 43—Craigflower road and Belton Ave. 44—Lime and Mary Sts. 45—Leigh's Mill. 46—Wilson and Russell Sts. 47—Bayward's Mill. 48—Gorge road and Garbally road. 49—Burnside road and Delta St. 50—Washington Ave.

SPECIAL Eastern Excursions CHICAGO and return \$72.50 TORONTO, DETROIT, BUFFALO, and return \$93.50 OTTAWA and return \$106.20 WASHINGTON, D. C., and return \$107.50 MONTREAL OR NEW YORK and return \$108.50 BOSTON, Mass., and return \$110.50 PORTLAND, Me., and return \$113.50 ST. JOHNS, N. B., and return \$127.50 WOODSTOCK and return \$128.50 CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I., and return \$134.60 HALIFAX, N. S., and return \$136.50 NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., and return \$142.50 AND OTHER POINTS ON APPLICATION Tickets on sale October 4th only. Final return limit, November 30th, 1909. For further information or rates write or call on L. D. CHETHAM, City Pass. Agent. 1102 Government St. AGENTS FOR ALL ATLANTIC STEAMSHIP LINES

ARE YOU GOING TO THE FAIR? Never Mind Carrying Your Lunch VISIT THE Y. M. C. A. REST TENT. Lunches: 10, 15 25 Cents. Come in and Rest, Read, Write or Eat.

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NOTICE. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE EDWARD BRANT MASON, DECEASED.

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SS. St. Denis Will sail for Northern B. C. Ports On Thursday, Sept. 30th 10 P. M. John Barnsley Agent. Phone 1925. 534 YATES ST

Canadian-Mexican Line To and From Mexico, Europe and Eastern Canada, via Tehuantepec Route. Steamers call at San Pedro, provided sufficient inducement offers. S. S. Lonsdale will leave about July 15th. Apply Head Office, Vancouver, or to the agents. MESSRS. SHALLCROSS, MACAULAY & CO., VICTORIA.

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TIDE TABLE. Victoria, September, 1909. Table with columns: Date, Time H, Time M, Time H, Time M. Rows for September 28, 29, 30.

Popular Lectures Emmanuel Baptist Church COR. FERNWOOD ROAD AND GLADSTONE AVE. A Course of Lectures will be delivered in the Auditorium of the Church Every 2nd Tuesday at 8 p. m. OCT. 5.—"Love, Courtship and Marriage, in Fact and Fiction." REV. WILLIAM STEVENSON. OCT. 19.—Dramatic Recital: The French-Canadian Dialect Poems of Dr. Wm. Henry Drummond, "The Habitant," "Johnnie Courtesan," and "The Voyager." REV. D. E. HATT, B. A. NOV. 2.—"The Jacobite Songs," with vocal illustrations by Scott's talent REV. WILLIAM STEVENSON. NOV. 16.—"Business is Religion, and Religion is Business." REV. H. FRANCIS PERRY, D.D., VANCOUVER. NOV. 30.—"King Arthur and His Knights of the Round Table." REV. WILLIAM STEVENSON. DEC. 14.—"The French Revolution." REV. WILLIAM STEVENSON. TICKETS Single: ADULT TICKETS, 25c; JUVENILE, 10c. SINGLE SEASON, admitting to the entire course, \$1. FAMILY SEASON, admitting members of family to the course, \$2. Tickets may be had from members of the B. Y. P. U., Sunday School Teachers, and at various Stores in the City.

News of Greater Britain

United Kingdom

THE NAVY LEAGUE.

LONDON.
Mr. Justice Neville ordered a stay of proceedings in the application of Beddoes and others v. The Navy League. Mr. Cave, K.C., (for the applicants) stated that the matter had reference to the question of the winding-up of the league as a limited liability company and its proposed reconstruction on the original lines, and his client raised the point whether the resolution for the appointment of a new executive had been duly passed at a meeting of the league, and whether a meeting called by the new executive, at which the resolution for winding-up was passed, had been duly summoned. He stated, as one of the terms of agreement upon which the application was stayed, that a fresh meeting was to be summoned by both the existing and the new executive to consider the question of winding-up the company.

Mr. F. E. Smith, K.C., (for the Navy League), said that the motion, which he learned that persons of position were concerned in the application there ceased to be any question of raising a technicality.

THE KING AND THE KEEPER.

LONDON.
The King, accompanied by Lady Saville and party, on passing through Newark on a motor trip expressed a desire to view the castle ruins, and together the party thoroughly examined the grounds. Keeper Mountney, who conducted the party, pointed out the chamber in which King John is reputed to have died, and added that many historians doubted the accuracy of that story, but they could not deny that they had the King in the castle to-day. His Majesty seemed much amused, and laughingly narrated the incident to the other members of the party.

His Majesty afterwards proceeded to East Stoke, and visited the grave of Lord Pauncefoot, a former Ambassador to America. Lady Pauncefoot received the party. After about an hour the King returned to Rufford.

On the 28th inst. the King will pay a visit to Kinloch, at the head of Loch Leven, Invernesshire, where His Majesty is to take part in some deer-stalking. The forest of Kinloch, which is one of the best known in the west, is leased by Mr. Frank Bibby. It will be recalled that the King did some stalking there in 1902.

LONDON'S LATEST HOTEL.

LONDON.
Exeter Hall has passed away—"gone to Heaven!" as Mr. Joseph Lyons put it in reply to a wistful inquiry—and the Strand Palace Hotel reigns in its stead; and a large and distinguished company of invited guests attended a luncheon and private view of the new edifice recently. The building is a masterpiece of modern architecture, and is situated on a site which has been long famous for its beauty and its association with the Strand Palace Hotel. The new hotel is a masterpiece of modern architecture, and is situated on a site which has been long famous for its beauty and its association with the Strand Palace Hotel.

When it is stated that a visitor to London can get a well-furnished bedroom, with bath, light, attendance, and full table d'hôte breakfast for six shillings, enough has been said to justify the reference to the "most moderate" class. The Strand Palace Hotel is probably, when everything is taken into consideration, one of the cheapest hotels ever erected in this city.

Imperial Maritime League.

Admiral Edward Field, C.B. (late M.P.), Rear-Admiral E. P. Ahe, M.V.O., Rear-Admiral Charles H. Blyly, Rear-Admiral Arthur Morrell, Captain T. M. Kelsall, R.N., Captain Leslie Wilson, D.S.O., R.M., Sir Henry A. Blake, G.C.M.G., F.R.G.S., Lieut-General Sir Seymour Blane, C.B., Mr. G. W. M. Dale, Colonel William Hope, V.C., and Mr. Walter J. Mathams are amongst those who have recently joined the council of the Imperial Maritime League. There are now no fewer than 26 naval officers of flag rank upon the league's council.

Expenditure on Pauperism.

Mr. Burns, in a printed reply to a question by Mr. Pike Pense, says that the total expenditure on all classes of paupers, including expenditure out of loan, was in the year ended Lady Day, 1907, £14,742,000, and in that ended Lady Day, 1908, £14,848,700. The ratio per 1000 of population of the mean number of paupers of all classes relieved on July 1 and January 1 in the same years were 25.9 and 25.7 respectively.

Viscount Iveagh and Dublin.

Viscount Iveagh has been presented with an address by the Dublin corporation in recognition of his many munificent gifts to the city. The Lord Mayor, in making the presentation, alluded to Lord Iveagh as being for a long period one of the noblest and greatest benefactors to the citizens. Alderman MacWalter suggested that they should unite in electing Lord Iveagh lord mayor of Dublin.

Explorers' Hall.

The Royal Geographical Society will not lack renowned names to honor when the Explorers' Hall, which five months ago they decided upon founding, is erected in London, particularly as the discovery of the North Pole is one of those achievements which the building will be specially designed to commemorate. Next month the com-

India

INDIAN AGITATORS.

CALCUTTA.
The Bengal Provincial conference, has been attended by over 50 prominent natives from all parts of the province, including Mr. Arabindo Ghose, the leader of the extremists, and Mr. Surendranath Banerjee. The conference has resulted in a signal triumph for the Moderate party, the extremists giving way on nearly every point, and accepting a resolution confining the boycott within limits calculated to promote indigenous enterprise.

TROUBLESOME TRIBESMEN.

BOMBAY.
Owing to the activity of the Khooshtwal tribesmen, the Kurram border has been somewhat unsettled. The border police have been strengthened, as the Khooshtwal men recently made an attack on Balochki in the Kurram, and lost several men killed and wounded in the fray. Owing to their reverse they have apparently collected in some numbers, and are bent on revenge. The disturbed conditions in the neighborhood of Bannu still continue. As bands of the Khooshtwals hang about the Tochi road to Miranshah has to be picketed, whenever officers are travelling to or from Bannu, and escorts have to be provided for officers of the militia journeying from post to post. A sense of insecurity is felt also in British territory since the mail tonga for Kohat was attacked fifteen miles from Bannu. On that occasion the Naib Tahsildar of Miranshah was carried off, but released by the raiders owing to the hot pursuit of the border military police. The tonga was carrying English mails, but fortunately none of the bags were taken. Only one bag of Indian letters was stolen, and this was recovered. The postal authorities are seriously exercised as to the safety of the mails, and the presentation has been taken of running tongas by day only. It is becoming evident, says the correspondent of the Times of India, that this state of things cannot continue indefinitely, and the government will be compelled sooner or later to take measures to restore order on this section of the frontier. The recent death of Ali Mahomed Khan, the Hayim of Khoosht, which was recently reported, appears to have accentuated the unrest.

West Indies

REPORT ON IMMIGRATION.

PORT OF SPAIN.
The annual report of the protector of immigrants, Commander Coombs, shows that in 1908-9, 2,392 East Indian immigrants arrived in the colony, and 726 returned to Calcutta. The savings of the latter amounted to no less than £17,712, besides jewelry, while £3,491 was remitted to India during the year. During the year 4,802 acres of crown lands were purchased by immigrants, being 1,500 acres more than in 1907. On December 31st, 111,227 stood to the credit of East Indian immigrants in the government savings bank.

The finance committee have recommended that the government should purchase the floating dock in Chaguaramas bay. Owing largely to the fall in the price of cacao, the exports for the year ended March 31st show a falling off; the total is, however, £2,500,195.

WINTER TOURIST TRADE.

BRIDGETOWN.
The arrival of the new inter-colonial steamer Beechey will, it is hoped, mark the beginning of a further development of the winter tourist trade. At a luncheon on board, Mr. Hanschell, chairman of the chamber of commerce, the acting colonial secretary, and the comptroller of customs, were among the principal guests.

The appointment of the royal commissioner to trade with Canada has been received with no great enthusiasm in the West Indies, and while the colonies still adhere to the resolutions passed in Barbadoes in favor of reciprocity in January, 1902, it is declared that the action of Canada in admitting foreign sugars under the terms of the British preference, have increased the difficulties of the situation.

SALE OF CAPE WINES.

CAPETOWN.
A wine commission, representing the farmers in Cape Colony, recently visited Natal, and the members were very much impressed with Durban as a market for their wines. Some consideration has been given to a proposal to sell direct to the consumers by opening independent depots, and thus eliminating the middleman's profits. It is calculated that wine of the Vin Ordinaire class could be sold from the wood in Durban at 6d. per pint, while three-year-old red or white wine need cost no more than 1s. 6d. per bottle. In order to make this possible it is essential that the licence charges should be reduced. To cover this a retail licence, to cost not more than £5 a year, should be instituted. In time a demand for Cape wines would be created. A Cape wine kiosk to be erected on the beach at Durban is one of the proposals put forward by Mr. Ludwig Wiener.

A marriage in which the combined ages of the bride and bridegroom totalled 164 years has just been contracted at St. James' church, Grimsby, the bride, Mrs. Harriet Collins, a widow, being 85, and the bridegroom, Mr. William Craven, 79. Further novelty was added to the event by the bride being given away by her granddaughter.

mittee appointed to report upon this subject will have finished their deliberations, and they will present the conclusions at which they have arrived at the November session. It is stated that an appeal for funds will be issued shortly. As yet no definite site has been fixed, but it is proposed that the hall shall serve as a meeting house for the society, and that in design and position it should be worthy of the purpose for which it was established.—London Standard.

In order to meet an overdraft at the bank, and to prevent the Imperial Cancer Research Fund from drawing on its capital, the honorary treasurer has received from the Duke of Bedford another donation of £1,000.

Australia

PEOPLING NEW LAND.

MELBOURNE.
The day is probably drawing near when that great stretch of land known as the Northern Territory, which many people now regard as, in its unoccupied state, a source of strategical weakness to Australia, will be taken in hand with a view to systematic peopling and development. The federal government has given this Northern Territory question a prominent place in its programme, and if the province is not acquired by the Commonwealth it will not be on account of lack of advocates of such a course, even though the total liability to South Australia which such acquisition would incur is estimated at considerably more than ten millions sterling. The necessity for some immediate steps being taken is shown by the report dealing with the territory just prepared by the government resident. According to this, during the last twenty years the population has steadily and ominously declined. In 1888 it reached the maximum number of 7,237; when the Commonwealth came into existence it had sunk to 4,696; and last year the total was under 2,000. Spread over 300 million acres, these numbers barely count at all. There are reported to be great agricultural, pastoral and mining resources in the territory; the table-lands are estimated to be capable of carrying forty millions of sheep. What is principally wanted, says the resident governor, is the early introduction of many thousands of Europeans by a steady and continuous stream of immigration, limited only by the means at the disposal of the controlling power.

IMPORTATION OF OPIUM.

MELBOURNE.
Although the importation of opium into the Commonwealth is strictly forbidden—at a loss of 60,000 a year revenue, it may be recalled—the customs officials still find themselves severely taxed to uphold the law. Recently a Chinaman was discovered to have a considerable consignment of the drug hidden in a pigtail of suet in his thickness. The profits from the traffic are so enormous as to encourage very desperate efforts to evade the law, and the authorities believe that a regular system of importation is in operation, Europeans as well as Chinese being engaged in it. In fact, two customs officials and a water policeman are now awaiting trial in Sydney on a charge of conspiracy in smuggling. A coast line of 10,000 miles is all in favor of this nefarious traffic.

Meanwhile no less an authority than Dr. Wollaston, comptroller-general of customs, comes forward with a novel scheme for putting an end to the opium habit. As stated above, when opium was admitted without restraint, a revenue of some 160,000 was derived from the duty on it. Dr. Wollaston would reimpose the duty, and instead of paying the money into general revenue, would use it to buy the consent of the opium smokers to their being sent back to China. He thinks that it would not cost much to buy their consent. If the government cannot keep the opium out, he asks, why not let it in under a heavy duty, as previously, and use the revenue in a way that would ultimately decrease the demand for it?

South Africa

ORANGE RIVER COLONY.

BLOEMFONTEIN.
For some time past considerable work has been done in the district of Aaseveld, near Vrededorp, in the development of an old mining shaft which lies within fifteen minutes of a river. The shaft has not been worked since the war, but operations have so far been advanced that a stamp battery is already on the scene and the results that have been obtained amply justify the company, it is stated, in risking further outlay. This is said to be the first stamp battery erected in the Orange river colony. Should the efforts of the promoters prove successful the near future may see extensive operations all along the line of reef.

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The Antediluvian Doubter

AROUND every city and town there is at least one business oracle, who will smoke tobacco, spit, and tell you that advertising does not pay. It seems that "The way it used to be done" germ gets into this man's system and creates such havoc with his ideas of business methods that he simply won't listen to a heart to heart talk about this, the greatest of all business building forces.

Just now there is talk about celebrating the first trip of the first successful steamboat in the history of the world. One can, in fancy, almost hear the comments of the doubters and the gossips at that time, and yet Fulton did run that steamboat, and to-day it's improvement is the recognized method of transportation of the world. It is a fact that Fulton's achievement was the basis of argument for every promoter of a perpetual motion machine for years to come, and those who picked the steamboat and rejected the perpetual motion machine merely showed the same kind of good business judgment that the man of to-day displays when he picks the genuine advertising and scorns the spurious article.

The Women's Trade

The women folks have learned to watch the papers. Funny magazines, lecturers, would-be humorists, have belittled the woman in her effort to make the weekly allowance go as far as it will, but the fact is constantly before the student that the woman is the real economist.

When once you start your advertisement in the paper, the women of the community become your best friends or your worst enemies. Your first announcement, if it contains prices, brings them to inspect quality, and if your advertisement is truthful, to buy—but woe unto him who insinuates through his newspaper advertising that women are fools.

A Lesson in Proportion

The merchant who sells an article at a profit of 10c and sells twenty of them makes more money than the merchant who sells four articles at a profit of 25c. Certainly it is easier for a merchant to sell twenty articles at a profit of 10c than it is for a merchant to sell four at a profit of 25c if the first merchant lets the whole town know of the bargain.

The Right Medium

THERE is a time, certainly, when a man must decide for himself whether he is merely a sheep following a bell, or keeping to a well defined, successful business career. The bill-board, the programme, etc., are condemned and forworn upon by successful advertisers of to-day. Yet there are men who use these forms of advertising occasionally, and because of failure to get profitable returns, decry advertising, advertising men, and those who use it to build up their business.

More and more is the wonderful value of newspaper advertising becoming known and the almost unbelievable successes due to its use are being brought to light. Think, if you can, of a dozen of the world's greatest mercantile successes, and in that number you will find twelve users of newspaper advertising—a remarkable record, when you stop to think about it, regarded from two standpoints; one, that the public should be hoodwinked at times by the wailing of the non-advertiser that owing to the fact that he did not advertise, he could sell his goods cheaper; and the other that any merchant should attempt to do business without taking up one of the most essential helps in business building, newspaper advertising.

IN VIEW of these facts, which are very apparent, what argument can be made in favor of any advertising medium that it even distantly competes with the daily newspaper? The store-keeper who has enough business ability to buy goods right, and keep store profitably, must see the light, and realize that the telling of these facts to the people through the daily newspaper must bring success.

Advertise in the Daily Times

The Principal Victoria Paper

F. W. STEVENSON & CO. BROKERS 14-16 MAHON BLDG. 1114 GOV'T STREET PRIVATE WIRES TO ALL EXCHANGES

TO RENT. We have several very nice furnished houses at the present moment to rent. Both large and small. A. W. Jones, Limited, 608, Fort Street.

VICTOR A. G. ELIOT Member Spokane Stock Exchange. 500 International Coal... 1,000 Portland Canal... LIST YOUR STOCKS WITH ME.

LOCAL STOCKS (By Courtesy N. B. MaySmith & Co.) Bid. Asked Alberta Canadian Oil... Alberta Coal & Coke... American Canadian Oil...

NEW YORK STOCKS (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) High. Low. Amal. Copper... Amer. Car & Foundry... Amer. Cotton Oil...

Vancouver Stock Exchange (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Listed Stocks. Bid. Asked Alberta Canadian Oil... Alberta Coal & Coke...

NEW YORK STOCKS (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) High. Low. Amal. Copper... Amer. Car & Foundry... Amer. Cotton Oil...

Vancouver Stock Exchange (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Unlisted Stocks. American Canadian Oil... B. C. Copper Co...

MONTREAL STOCKS (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bid. Asked Bell Telephone... C. P. R. ... Dom. Coal...

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS (Times Leased Wire.) San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—Wheat—New crop, California Club...

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS. Any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter section...

BEFORE! BUYING OR SELLING LUMBER IN B.C. CALL & SEE A.T. FRAMPTON MAHON BUILDING VICTORIA. PHONE 1658

Cosy Little Home For Sale \$2,600 R. D. MacLACHLAN BOARD OF TRADE BLDG. PHONE 2106

MONTREAL STOCKS (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Bid. Asked Bell Telephone... C. P. R. ... Dom. Coal...

GRAIN MARKET (By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.) Chicago, Sept. 28. Open High Low Close Wheat—Sept... Dec... May...

AMERICAN MINING CONGRESS. Urges Establishment of National Bureau of Mines. Goldfield, Nev., Sept. 28.—The American Mining Congress in session here to-day sent telegrams to President Taft and Secretary Ballinger...

NEW FUR FIRM HAS OPENED BUSINESS Fitzpatrick & O'Connell Have Added Department to Store.

A new fur firm has entered into business in Victoria, and since Saturday the day of opening up to the public has been doing a good business. The new store is in the Metropolitan block on Government street...

LAST CHAPTER IN AUTOMATIC ALARM CASE Judge and Jury To-day Hearing Case of Dissatisfied Shareholders.

In the County court to-day Judge Lammiman and a special jury are hearing a recital of the internal affairs of the Taylor Automatic Alarm Co., which was formed some years ago for the purpose of dealing in an invention by the man after whom the company is named.

HARRY WHITNEY REACHES ST. JOHNS Dr. Cook Makes Statement Regarding Photographs of Arctic Scenes.

(Times Leased Wire.) St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 28.—The steamer Jeanie, with Harry Whitney on board, arrived to-day. Whitney expects to land immediately and will start for the United States to-night.

Dr. Cook's Statement. New York, Sept. 28.—When asked to-day if it was true that he had given photographs of icebergs to the Herald that were taken on his trip in 1901, pretending that they were accumulated on his trip to the North Pole, Frederick A. Cook, the explorer, replied: "I did give the Herald some photographs that were taken when I went on my trip in 1901. It was explicitly stated to the Herald that these particular photographs were not accumulated on my last trip."

\$650 CASH Buys a Two-Roomed House, Stable Chicken House and Run and Two Lots, Each 60 Feet by 120 Feet. Island Investment Co., Ltd. Phone 1494 Bank of Montreal Chambers.

TO-MORROW'S ENTRIES FOR MINORU PARK. (Times Leased Wire.) Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 28.—Wednesday's entries for Minoru Park follow: First race—Five and half furlongs, selling, 3-year-olds and up.

B. C. FUNERAL FURNISHING COMPANY 1016 Government Street, Victoria, B. C. CHAS. HAYWARD, President. F. CASELTON, Manager. R. HAYWARD, Secretary. Oldest and Most up-to-date UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT in B. C. Established 1867. Telephones 48, 594, 1905, 305 or 404.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER MAY BE TOTAL LOSS Captain, Mate and Five of Crew of the Ger Rescued. (Times Leased Wire.) Baltimore, Sept. 28.—The name of the steamer which foundered Sunday off Henlopen, in which twelve lives were lost, it was learned to-day, was the Ger, of the Norwegian Steamship Company.

PURSUING INDIAN MURDERER. Posses on Trail of Brave Who Shot Aged Man and Abducted His Daughter. Riverside, Cal., Sept. 28.—No reports have been received to-day from Sheriff Wilson and Constable Cross-acouer, who are heading a posse in pursuit of Billy Boy, the Plute Indian, who Monday night murdered Mike Boniface, an aged Hawaiian Indian, and abducted Mary, the old man's 14-year-old daughter.

Intending Realty Investors Who Miss This Page Miss Opportunities

DAY & BOGGS Established 1858. 639 FORT STREET. VICTORIA, B.C. WATERFRONT FARMS. 34 Acres, having 3/4 mile on good harbor. 3 Acres Meadow, orchard of 300 trees. Most of balance of land is logged. Modern House, 8 rooms, pantry and bath, three wells water, stock implements and boat. Price, \$6,000. 18 Acres Cowichan Harbor Waterfront. Price, \$2,000. We publish "Home List," which contains a description of all the best farms that are for sale on Vancouver Island.

THE COAST LOCATORS Lots, Acreage and City Homes. 618 YATES STREET. NEW 6-ROOMED HOUSE, lot 50x125, on Hillside avenue. This is a good buy at the price and terms offered. NEW 7-ROOMED HOUSE, lot 60x120, on Pembroke street. Choice location. Walls burlapped and tinted; piped for furnace. Special price if sold before October 1st. A FEW CHOICE LOTS on Pembroke. 60x120. Will build house to suit; small cash payment; balance like rent. NEW 7-ROOMED HOUSE on lot 30x90; corner Cook and Fisgard. There is room here for another house, or would make an ideal location for business place, and is a snap at \$4,500; if not sold by Oct. 1st will rent. SOME CHOICE ACREAGE on Cedar Hill and Burnside roads. Latter is subdivided and can be sold in lots. CALL AND SEE US. Phone 1419.

CURRIE & POWER REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE. 1214 DOUGLAS ST. PHONE 1464. FOR SALE-A SNAP. GOOD LOT IN EMPRESS SUBDIVISION. Price, \$250.00; \$100 cash, balance easy. LOT 50x120, DAVID ST. \$550.00; \$50.00 cash, balance easy. FINE RESIDENTIAL LOT TRUTH ST., price \$1,300.00; one-third cash, balance easy. LOT ON GOVERNMENT ST., price \$1,575.00. LOT ON FORT ST., near Vancouver, price \$1,150.00; terms.

HODGSON REALTY 1214 GOVERNMENT ST. (Upstairs). Tel. R2023. 7 ACRES First Class Land All Cleared and Fenced. STRAWBERRY VALE ONLY \$2,625.

THE STUART ROBERTSON CO., LTD. 1212 BROAD ST. VICTORIA, B. C. NIAGARA STREET - Dwelling, 7 rooms, fine lot, 60x120; \$3,500. MODERN DWELLING and 2 LOTS, with bath, furnace, electric light, sewer, in Oak Bay; \$3,850. 4 NICE LOTS in Fairfield Estate; \$2,100. 35 ACRES-One mile from Westholm Station, with frontage on Chemainus River; \$2,900.

ALLEN & SON. Real Estate and Financial Agents, 579 YATES STREET. 10 ACRE RANCH ON GORGE. COTTAGE, BARN, ETC. ALL CLEARED. \$5,000.

GEO. L. POWERS 518 FORT STREET. LOTS IN ROCKLAND PARK-Prices \$300 up; terms. LOT 425 Humboldt Street. LOT 4 Bk. 3, 50x120, Fernwood Gardens, \$145.00. LOT 55x120 ft. Caledonia ave., west of Elm street.

B. C. LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY, LTD. 222 GOVERNMENT STREET. LOTS IN FAIRFIELD ESTATE. Large also, just off car line, at from \$400 up, sewer, nice view of sea. Easy Terms. LOTS FAIRFIELD ESTATE. Facing Beacon Hill Park, well sheltered and of very large size, at from \$1,000 per lot up. Terms 1/4 cash, balance easy.

\$2,500. MODERN LITTLE COTTAGE. James Bay, close to car line and only 15 minutes' walk from Post Office. \$2,800. 7-ROOM HOUSE AND LOT. 6x145. On one of James Bay's best streets; house is modern and commands a view of the Straits. This is very cheap and can be had on terms. \$5,250. 12-ROOMED MODERN HOUSE AND LOT. 60x120. Close in; house could not be built today for the money; would take a smaller, desirable house in part payment. Call and get particulars of this.

PEMBERTON & SON REAL ESTATE. 614 FORT STREET. WILL TRADE. LARGE LOT ON Quadra street, 60x135 feet, and \$100 cash, for South African scrip.

A. COLQUHOUN HOLMES Room 3, Northern Crown Bank Chambers, 1236 Government Street. FOR SALE. BURNSIDE ROAD-2 1/2 acres cleared; only \$1,250. PEMBROKE STREET-Corner lot (near car line), 7-roomed house; new; every modern convenience; \$3,200. \$15,000 to Loan on approved city property, in one sum preferred. PORT ANGELES-Grass the opportunity of buying hay. We have several big lots of fine property for sale. Enquire about them.

L. U. CONYERS & CO. 650 VIEW STREET. SECURE A GOOD REVENUE PRODUCING PROPERTY. AND ADD TO YOUR INCOME. TWO STORY DOUBLE HOUSE, well built and finished; viz.: Dining Room, Sitting Room and Kitchen, 3 Bedrooms, Bath, H & C Water, Sewer, Electric Light, Basement, etc., situated on good lot in a choice residential section of the city. Building only three years old. Price \$2,000 (being practically the cost of the building). Terms \$600 cash, balance can be arranged in payments to suit at 6 per cent. This property is paying 12 per cent. on the above price and always occupied. LOANS NEGOTIATED AND FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN.

THE CITY BROKERAGE 1218 DOUGLAS STREET, VICTORIA, B. C. \$500 CASH AND \$20 MONTHLY Will Buy a NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE AND 1/2 ACRE OF LAND Close to Car

J. GREENWOOD REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE. 576 Yates, next door to Bank of B. N. A. Phone 1425. FAIRFIELD ESTATE-Lots on easy terms of \$50 cash and \$10 monthly. SOUTHGATE STREET-Lot 48x135; \$750. PENDERGAST STREET-Lot for \$750. COOK STREET-Lot 50x131; \$800; near Park. CAMBRIDGE STREET-Lot 50x120, for \$700, on Side Hill. LINDEN AVENUE AND MAY ST.-Copper lot, 65 feet frontage; \$900. JOSEPH STREET-Lot 50x120, for \$450. All these Lots are close to car line, and only 15 minutes' walk to Government street.

R.C. PEMBERTON, A.M. JONES 635 VIEW ST., PHONE 174. WANTED A Partner in a Good Paying Poultry Farm Business. For Particulars Apply to C. C. PEMBERTON, A. M. JONES, 635 View Street. HINKSON SIDDALL & SON NEW GRAND THEATRE BUILDING. GOVERNMENT STREET. WE HAVE FOR SALE A MODERN SIX-ROOMED COTTAGE ON CALEDONIA AVENUE, On Lot 46x140. THE PRICE IS ONLY \$3,200. Terms \$100 Cash. Balance as Rent.

A. W. BRIDGMAN REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE. 1017 GOVERNMENT ST. HOUSES TO LET. SOUTH TURNER ST. New, modern, 5-roomed bungalow, with good basement. Rept \$25.00, including water. Vacant October 1. ST. CHARLES ST. Comfortable 5-roomed cottage. Rent \$21.00; water extra. MICHIGAN ST. One and a half-story 7-roomed dwelling; large lot 120x270. Rent \$17.50; water extra.

E. A. HARRIS & CO. 615 FORT STREET. NEAR CEDAR HILL CHURCH - 2 acres cultivated. All soil, new 7-room house. Terms \$4,800.

THE CAPITAL CITY REALTY CO. ROOM 21, 615 YATES STREET, Phone 2162. FOR SALE. GOOD LOTS on Craigflower road, near Gorge, on car line; price \$450, terms. ROOM COTTAGE, fully modern, Pembroke street; price \$2,000; \$100 cash, balance easy, terms. ROOM COTTAGE, modern, just completed, Denman street; price \$2,150; \$300 cash, balance to suit. 7 ROOM HOUSE, modern, corner Pembroke and Cameron streets, large lot, price \$2,200; \$200 cash, balance in monthly payments. WE HAVE SOME choice fruit farms and acreage. Inquire for list.

WILLIAM C. HOLT Contractor and Builder, 489 GARBALLY RD., PHONE LI443. FOR SALE. NEW SIX-ROOMED HOUSE. Cement foundation-furnace and all modern improvements. Two minutes' from Douglas street car. BURNSIDE ROAD AND DUNEDIN STREET. Price \$2,800-Terms. HARRIMAN'S WILL. Goshen, N. Y., Sept. 28.-The simple will of the late T. H. Harriman, bequeathing his vast estate to his widow in toto without reservation or condition, was admitted to probate here yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Harriman qualified as executrix and became the sole director of the railway magnate's millions, assuming her position as one of the richest and most powerful women in the world. A Shrewsbury postman while walking in the street, was terrified to find that a celluloid shrapnel from which he wore was fired through the heart of the sun. His

J. STUART YATES 23 BASTION STREET, VICTORIA. FOR SALE. 50 ACRES-Sooke District, just inside Sooke Harbor. 1 1/2 LOTS-On Victoria harbor, with large wharf and sheds and 2 large warehouses 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. 8 1/2 ACRES-On Colquhoun river, Victoria District, cheap. For further particulars apply to above address.

News of the Province SEWERAGE BY-LAW DEFEATED IN NANAIMO Lacked Only Four Votes Water Works and Bridge By-laws Passed. Nanaimo, Sept. 28.-Out of a total vote of 365 only 287 ratepayers turned out Saturday and cast their ballots on the three money-by-laws, one of which, the sewerage by-law, was defeated by only four votes. The vote on each by-law was as follows: Bastion street bridge - For, 234; against, 57; spoiled ballots, 7. Carried by 51 majority. Waterworks loan - For, 286; against, 75; spoiled ballots, 3. Carried by 25 majority. Sewerage by-law - For, 169; against, 109; spoiled ballots, 2. Defeated by 4 votes. To carry a money-by-law it must receive three-fifths of the total vote polled, so that while a majority vote was cast for the sewerage by-law, it lacked only four of the necessary majority to carry.

LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT IN WEST Arrangements Made for Visit of Delegation to Kamloops. Kamloops, Sept. 27.-A meeting of the interests of the Laymen's missionary movement was held in St. Paul's church, the speaker of the evening being A. E. Armstrong, of Toronto. The visit of Mr. Armstrong was for a two-fold purpose, interesting Kamloops in the movement and secondarily to make preliminary arrangements for the reception of a delegation which is proposed to send through the west in November for the promotion of the movement itself. The delegation will be here on November 13th and 14th, when public meetings will be held. The K. M. & A. A. hall has been engaged for both nights and on the first night a monster banquet will be given to which men only will be admitted. Two or three prominent men of the east, leaders in the movement, will be here and direct addresses. The decision to bring the delegation to Kamloops was unanimous and a strong committee on arrangements was named.

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HESTERMAN, FORMAN & CO 1207 GOVERNMENT ST. PHONE 85,500-Will purchase a modern bungalow on Stanley avenue, near Fort street. This price includes furniture complete; everything in best possible condition. A rare opportunity to move into a good house nicely furnished. \$4,500-Buys a new modern bungalow, "papered throughout and in first-class condition. This house was built by a reliable builder and we can recommend it as a good buy.

LEE AND FRASER REAL ESTATE AGENTS, 613 THROUNCE AVENUE. LOTS. 2 Lots, Leighton road, corner.....\$1,000 1 Lot, Francis Ave., corner.....\$200 2 Lots, Monterey Ave., corner.....\$1,200 1 Lot, Simcoe street, corner.....\$1,050 2 Lots, Simcoe street.....\$1,250 1 Lot, Yates street.....\$4,000 ACREAGE. 20 ACRES-Saanich, 8-room house, orchard, etc.....\$6,000 20 ACRES cleared, 7-roomed house, brick.....\$8,000 25 1/2 ACRES, 6-roomed house, orchard, etc.....\$8,500 MONEY TO LOAN. FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE.

McPHERSON & FULLERTON BROS. 618 THROUNCE AVENUE, Phone 1577. A MONEY-SAVING SCHEME and a good investment is one of the lots in Hollywood Park. The street car runs past the door, the surroundings are beautiful and pleasant, the lots are high, level and dry. Since the 25th of May over \$50,000 worth of property has been sold in Hollywood Park, six residences have been erected and are all occupied and there is \$20,000 worth more of buildings contracted for to be erected this fall. The price of lots are \$400 and \$450, and we will give you terms of \$50 cash and the balance at \$10 per month. When you have obtained your deed we will guarantee to lend you the money to erect a residence. A building restriction of \$2,000 is on all these lots. BEAUTIFUL 10 ROOM HOUSE on Linden avenue for sale. Particulars on application. 6 ROOM RESIDENCE on Pandora avenue for sale. Heated with hot water, and fine lot. Partly furnished. Price \$4,000. Installments for 24 months. 6 ROOM NEW RESIDENCE for sale. Situated close to the High School. One of the model houses of Victoria; all modern conveniences. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price \$5,500. Terms \$200 cash and the balance at \$25 per month.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION IN PROSPEROUS CONDITION Semi-Monthly Practice Shoots to Be Continued at Kamloops. Kamloops, Sept. 27.-Reports presented at the annual meeting of the Kamloops District Rifle Association reflected conditions of the most prosperous character. The financial statement showed total receipts of \$128.40 and the disbursements amounted to \$104.09, thus leaving a substantial balance on hand. The assets totalled \$9.50 and the liabilities \$51.70. Regarding the policy for next year it was decided to continue the regular semi-monthly practice shoots beginning with the first week in April and the handicap system will be in operation in all contests excepting those for medals and badges. Silver spoons will be provided for every shoot and gold, silver and bronze medals will also be held up for competition. The award of the medals this year was as follows: Gold, Capt. J. W. Clark; silver, T. Waugh; bronze, W. Nebl; Dominion of Canada saviour for highest aggregate, Capt. J. W. Clark; 2, I. Lehman, Ashcroft; 3, A. C. Taylor. The election of officers resulted in the choice for another term of Capt. J. W. Clark for captain, H. Miller and A. C. Taylor for lieutenants; J. F. Smith for secretary, and M. S. Wade, I. Lehman, T. Waugh, W. H. Brown, B. Walker and A. G. Corry for council.

BOY ACCUSED OF SHOOTING COMPANION Ten Year Old Indian Lad Will Be Tried at Clinton Assizes. Ashcroft, Sept. 27.-P. Pentecost, the constable for the Chilcoot district, came down last week bringing an Indian named "Crazy Harry," who has been sentenced to a term of imprisonment in the Kamloops jail for being drunk and disorderly. Constable Pentecost also brought down from the 150-Mile House to Clinton a young Indian boy aged ten who will be tried at the Clinton fall assizes charged with the shooting of another Indian boy aged six. The scene was at Sugar Cane Indian reserve near 150-Mile House and the two boys were playing together when the shooting occurred. Upon being questioned the elder lad denied any knowledge of his companion's whereabouts but the boy was shortly after found hidden in the bushes with the bullet wound which had passed through the neck, and a second bullet had struck the poor child in the abdomen, where it had lodged.

EMPIRE REALTY CO. REAL ESTATE AND FINANCIAL AGENTS, 612 YATES STREET. EDMONTON ROAD-6-Room Cottage, lot 40x170, bears fruit trees, small lot. Price \$1,000; terms, \$200 cash; balance \$15 per month, including interest. This is a good proposition, and is certainly a good way to buy a home. SOUTH TURNER STREET-7-Room House, modern conveniences, lot 50x112. Price \$3,500; terms. ROCKLAND AVENUE-Lot 60x120. Price \$5,000; terms. BALLOON VICTIMS. Four French Aviators Interred With Military Honors. Versailles, Sept. 28.-The bodies of Captain Marchal, Lieutenant Phiar and Sub-Lieutenant Vincent and three other officers who were killed on Saturday when the French dirigible balloon Republic was wrecked near Moulins, were yesterday given imposing funeral ceremonies at Versailles. The entire local garrison and the civil authorities of Versailles, followed by an enormous crowd, escorted the coffins to the cemetery. The streets were hung with garlands of mourning. The cross of the Legion of Honor was pinned on the bodies of the victims of the accident by order of President Fa-

Frederick Rowbottom Passes Away After Short Illness. Nanaimo, Sept. 28.-The death occurred in the local hospital Saturday night of Frederick Rowbottom, one of the oldest and best known residents of the city, having lived here for close on forty years. The deceased had only been ill for a little over two weeks, undergoing an operation Saturday morning from the effects of which he failed to rally, death occurring at 7.30 Saturday evening. The deceased was a native of Yorkshire, England, aged 59. He was one of the oldest residents of the city, a stonemason by trade and the owner of considerable property in this city and also in Vancouver. He is survived by a wife, a brother, William Rowbottom, Chase River, and a sister, Mrs. Macchini, New West, besides other relatives in the old country.

S. A. BAIRD REAL ESTATE, FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE AGENT, 1210 DOUGLAS STREET. \$250.00 Cash Rent \$20.00 per month with interest at 7 per cent. buys a five-roomed cottage on Oak Bay Ave. \$1,475.-Five-roomed cottage on Putman street, sewer bath, hot and cold water. TO-RENT-Two furnished houses at \$35 per month each. \$2,500-Cadboro Bay Point, four and one-half acres, under cultivation; "house," barn, and chicken houses. Number of fruit trees. 70 ACRES NEAR WESTHOLM STATION at \$15 per acre. 10 ACRES within two miles of the City, \$400 per acre, partly cleared. \$3,600-Buys new modern dwelling on Fort street, full lot. Very easy terms. HOUSES TO RENT. Money to Loan at Current Rates. Fire Insurance Written in Independent Companies.

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE Successors to Swinerton & Oddy. 1206 GOVERNMENT STREET. \$50,000.00 TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE AT CURRENT RATES OF INTEREST ON IMPROVED REAL ESTATE. E. WHITE Telephone 1297, 604 BRIGGHTON STREET. INSURANCE FINANCIAL AGENT. 9 ROOMED HOUSE, between Fort St. and Oak Bay carlines. Newly built, strictly modern. One full-size lot, only \$3,800. Easy terms, say \$500 cash, balance monthly payments. BIG FAMILY HOUSE, with good stable, two minutes walk from City Hall. Will be sold for \$4,200. The house originally cost \$6,000, and the present value of the lot is \$2,000. Terms.

R. W. COLEMAN Real Estate and Insurance, 1230 GOVERNMENT ST., Telephone 302. GOOD MODERN SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE on Pandora avenue. Street improvements completed; good lawn and shade trees. Owner has left city and needs the money in his business. This house was listed at \$4,200, but I have received instructions to let it go at \$3,500 for quick sale. Terms arranged. SIX ROOMED HOUSE, close to car and High school, modern, built last year, lot 50 x 105. Price, \$3,200, \$200 cash, balance \$25 a month. TO RENT-6 roomed house, 1458 Pandora avenue. Rent \$20. EIGHT ROOMED HOUSE, close to car, lot 70 x 120, small stable in rear, good fruit trees, ten minutes' walk from City Hall. A snap at \$2,100.

Victoria Water Works Tenders, sealed, endorsed and addressed to the undersigned, from whom copies of specifications may be obtained, will be received up to 4 p. m. on Monday, the 13th day of October, 1920, for the supplying of the following: 2,500 feet 15-in. Weldless Steel Spigot and Flange Tubes. 2,000 feet 8-in. Weldless Steel Spigot and Flange Tubes. 20,000 feet 6-in. Weldless Steel Spigot and Flange Tubes. 20,000 feet 4-in. Weldless Steel Spigot and Flange Tubes. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. WM. W. NORCOTT Purchasing Agent. City Hall, 1st September, 1920.

NOTICE. Fernwood Road, between Gladstone and Grant streets, is closed to vehicular traffic until further orders. C. H. TOPP, City Engineer. JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA Oriental Ivory and mandarin Curio, Rattan Chairs, Tables and other goods of all the latest styles. We have also a large assortment of fine Crepe in different colors. A full line of Handkerchiefs, as well as Japanese Kimonos, Han and Silk Waist Patterns, and all colors Petticoats. All customers will find our prices reasonable, as an inspection of our stocks will show. Soliciting your orders, which shall have our prompt attention. QUONG MAN FUNG & CO., 1715 Government St. P. O. Box 85, Victoria, B. C. NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, B. C., at the next sitting thereof, for a transfer of the liquor license now held by us for and in respect of the "Avenue Retreat Saloon" (better known as the "Auto"), corner of Burnside road and Douglas street, in the City of Victoria, B. C., unto John Abernethy Willis. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 27th day of August, 1920. JAMES McCLOSKEY, JOSEPH McCLOSKEY, By Jas. McCloskey, His Attorney-in-Fact, Applicants.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I have deposited with the Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and the Registrar-General of Titles, Victoria, B. C., plans and descriptions of lots of works proposed to be constructed by Messrs. Francis J. O'Reilly, Walter Chambers and David Inglis, of Victoria, atorecited, in Victoria harbor, immediately fronting Lot 125, Victoria City, and that I intend to apply to the Governor-in-Council for approval thereof. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 9th day of September, 1920. H. H. LANGLEY, 1111 Government St., Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for Applicants.

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No. 279, meets first and third of each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. Isabella Moore, Financial Secretary, 541 Hillside Ave., city.

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WM. W. NORTHCOOT,
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This Sale is worth waiting
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Maps can be seen and further particulars obtained at the office of the auctioneers, 616 Fort street.

Maynard & Son

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We have received instructions to sell, at our salesroom, 1314 Broad street, on

Friday, Oct. 1st

At 2:30 p.m.

THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY:

LOT 19 and 20

Bring 97 feet frontage on Esplanade street and 135 feet deep, being between Cook and Vancouver streets, and containing therein a 3-room Cottage and large barn. Photograph of this property can be seen at our office.

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DECLARES ACTION WAS HIGH-HANDED

PARKS SUPERINTENDENT AND DONEGON'S COWS

Two Animals Dead and City Confronted With Suit for Damages.

An action for damages against the city which bids fair to become a cause celebre before it has been adjusted to the satisfaction of all parties was explained in a communication from J. A. Alkman. It appears that three cows, the property of J. Donegon, a milkman, had been taken in charge by Mr. England, superintendent of parks and boulevards, for having damaged the boulevards on a street in Victoria West. Mr. England's explanation of his course in the matter is that he was holding the cows in order to compel the owner to pay the damages, which he estimated to be about \$15. This led Mr. Alkman to say in his letter read last evening that he did not know by what right Mr. England set out to access damages and constitute himself judge, jury and counsel in the matter.

The park superintendent's high-handed action in the matter would have been enough to ensure warm resentment on the part of Mr. Donegon, but, to cap the climax, after the release of the cows and their return home, two of them died and another is very ill.

Mr. Alkman asked that his client be paid the sum of \$200 for the loss of the two cows which had died, and a further sum of \$150 as damages.

The letter having been read, the mayor said it was only proper to point out that the poundkeeper had played no part in the matter. The parks commissioner had acted on his own responsibility.

Ald. Raymond declared it as his opinion that the parks superintendent had acted in a very high-handed manner, and he certainly felt that the matter should be taken up and investigated to the bottom, so as to place the responsibility on the proper parties. The cows were apparently milk cows, and the death of two and the illness of a third had no doubt resulted from their not having received proper attention while impounded at Victoria West.

Ald. Turner was of the opinion that the matter was one for the consideration of the parks board. He agreed with the remark that the proceeding seemed to be a very high-handed one.

It was finally decided to refer the whole matter to the city solicitor and the parks board with the recommendation to take the matter up and investigate the whole question at the earliest possible date.

PIONEER RESIDENT OF CITY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Thomas Jones Died This Morning at Her

pital.

By the death of Mrs. Thomas Jones this morning at the St. Joseph's hospital, another of the pioneers of this city has passed away. Deceased came to this city about 35 years ago, her husband being well known as the keeper of the boathouse near the post-office. The late Mrs. Jones was born in Churchill, Chipping Norton, Oxfordshire, Eng., and was in her 65th year.

Mrs. Jones was sick but a few days, having contracted pneumonia. She had just returned from a visit to the A.-Y.-P. exposition about a week. She was most highly respected by her wide circle of acquaintances. To mourn her loss she leaves besides her bereaved husband one son, David T. Jones, and two daughters, Anne G., and Lizzie C.

The remains have been removed to the B. C. Funeral Furnishing Company's parlors and will be conveyed to the family residence, 623 Montreal street, whence the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and at 3 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral, where service will be conducted by Bishop Ferrin, assisted by the Rev. John Grundy. Interment will take place in Ross Bay cemetery.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 25—3 a.m.—An ocean low barometer area is spreading inland over this province. It is likely to cause showers over the western portion of British Columbia and the adjoining state, and fresh to strong southerly winds along the Coast. Sharp frosts are reported in Northern Alberta, elsewhere in the prairie province the weather is fair and mild.

Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday, Victoria and vicinity—Easterly to southerly winds, mostly cloudy and cool, with showers.
Lower Mainland—Easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and cool, with rain.

Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, 48; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Nanaimo—Wind, calm; weather, cloudy.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, 55; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 48; minimum, 44; wind, 8 miles S.W.; weather, part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.99; temperature, 56; minimum, 56; wind, 14 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.96; temperature, 28; minimum, 26; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.12; temperature, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 8 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

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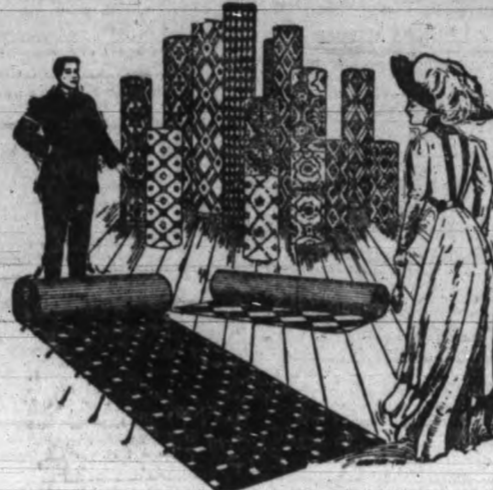


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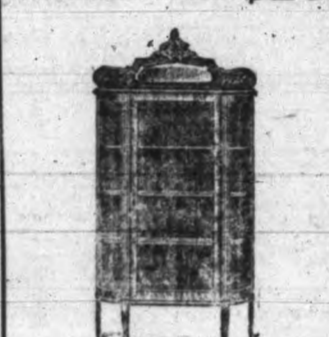
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NEW SYSTEM ON STREET WORKS
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of this system was the case of Hillside avenue. For weeks the street had been open for a big section of its length in order to allow of the large water mains being placed in position. In due course the pipes were laid and the street filled in. Only a few hours elapsed when along came a gang of men, acting under instruction from the waterworks department, and proceeded to make lateral connections. The residents along the thoroughfare were naturally loud in complaint about this extraordinary procedure, and the council was taken to task very severely. There will be no further cause for complaints of this sort in view of the policy now in effect, and this is a matter which will cause great satisfaction throughout the city generally.
FAILS TO GET DAMAGES
Jury Refuses Claim of Bais in Case Against B. C. Electric Railway Company.
In the case of Bais vs. the B. C. Electric Railway Company, tried before Mr. Justice Irving and a special jury in the Supreme Court yesterday,

a verdict for the defendant company was entered.
The plaintiff, James Bais, alleged that he had gone to W. H. Langley's house on Fort street on Christmas eve and left his back, which was the property of the Victoria Transfer Company, standing outside of the house, while he went to notify the occupants of his presence. During his absence a car came along and crashed into the vehicle before he could get to the horses. One of the animals was knocked down and the plaintiff received serious injuries, which had incapacitated him from active work since.
The motorman of the car which was in collision with the back testified that he did not see any lights on the vehicle, and this evidence was corroborated by the two witnesses who happened to be standing on the front of the car at the time of the accident.
On the facts the jury found that the plaintiff had contributed to the accident by his own negligence and found for the defendant company. J. A. Alkman appeared for the plaintiff and E. V. Bodwell, K.C., and A. E. McPhillips, K.C., for the defendants. The jury consisted of: John Cathart, Samuel Leiser, P. O. Dickenson, C. M. Gow, G. S. Russell, J. M. Muirhead, Angus McKeown and C. M. Cookston.
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KILLED BY STREET CAR.
Motorman Charged With Manslaughter in Connection With Death of San Francisco Man.
San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 25.—John D. Manaco, a restaurant owner who lived at 1820 Lyons street, died early today from injuries sustained last night when he was struck by an inbound Turk and Eddie street car. Manaco had just stepped from an out-bound car and was crossing the tracks toward his home. Both legs were broken and one of his arms, and he suffered internal injuries. He was taken to the emergency hospital. The motorman, Chris Wally, was arrested and charged with manslaughter.