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RUMORED PLOT TO KILL MADERO

WILL NOT KEEP LEADER AWAY FROM CAPITAL

Says He Has Confidence in Federal Government—Report of Sanguinary Battle

Juarez, May 19.—Plans for the departure to Mexico City within a few days of Provisional President Francisco I. Madero, Jr., received a setback this morning when a member of the El Paso revolutionary junta received a telegram from the capital stating that persistent rumors are in circulation of the existence of a plot to attempt the life of Madero upon his arrival.

Beyond this bare statement the message gave no details, but was considered serious enough to result in hurried consultation of insurrecto leaders as to the advisability of postponing the trip of Madero until such time as the reports were disproved or affairs in the capital were in a more settled condition.

A definite announcement as to this will probably be made later in the day. Outside of this unfavorable phase there are no developments in the situation to-day.

Mr. Madero and his advisers are still awaiting an answer from Mexico City as to the immediate naming of the four provisional governors, the remainder to be nominated later, and until a reply to this is received, peace negotiations are practically at a standstill.

No doubt is expressed, however, but that the answer will be favorable. Every officer on the staff of the provisional president, it was announced to-day, had donated six months salary as a fund for the widows and children of insurrecto soldiers killed during the revolution.

Will Go to Capital. Juarez, Mexico, May 19.—(Later.) "I am going to Mexico City. I have confidence in the Federal government. Rumors that someone may do me physical harm are of no consequence."

In this manner, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., dismissed the report from Mexico City to-day that rumors were in circulation that an attempt would be made on his life when he arrived at the capital and urging that precautions be taken.

It was definitely decided at 1 o'clock to-day that Francisco I. Madero, Jr., would not enter Mexico City until Minister De La Barra became provisional president. Senior Madero will leave here within a day or two for Mexico City, or some point in the state of Coahuila, to await developments at the capital.

Assurances were received from the insurrectos to-day that they could name six members of the new cabinet. Minister De La Barra to name a sub-secretary of foreign relations and a minister of war.

Diaz Receives Callers. Mexico City, May 19.—The condition of President Diaz continues very satisfactory to his physicians, who said that it was likely that the executive would leave his room during the day. He is said to be in good spirit and, except for the trouble caused by an ulcerated tooth, is in excellent health. This morning he received callers in his chamber at the palace and transacted some official business.

The news that Francisco I. Madero, Jr., the leader of the rebels, is to come to the capital, was received with great interest here.

IRON WORKER IS HELD BY POLICE

Alleged Confession Charging Officers of Erectors' Association With Dynamiting

Pittsburg, May 19.—James Elliott, a structural iron worker of this city, appeared before police officers here last night and made an alleged confession in which he charged officers of the National Erectors' Association and detectives employed by it with wrecking buildings throughout the country constructed by non-union labor. The alleged confession was made to William Kelly, president of the Iron Trades Council; A. L. Collins, secretary of the Structural Ironworkers' Union; and W. H. Leggett, vice-president of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers. It was sworn to before a notary.

The labor leaders then turned Elliott over to the police, who are holding him for further investigation. The affidavit was not given out, but in a statement to the police Elliott said he had made the confession because he was not paid for information he furnished the electors' association, and for which he was promised \$1,000.

RETAILERS ARE NOW ATTACKED

ACTION AGAINST SO-CALLED LUMBER TRUST

Ten Trade Organizations and 150 Individuals Named as Defendant.

New York, May 19.—Sweeping charges of a gigantic conspiracy to maintain high prices, to blacklist consumers and to regard as "proper" trade and to violate generally the Sherman Anti-trust law, are made in a government suit filed by Attorney-General Wickersham in the United States court here to-day against the so-called lumber trust.

Ten trade organizations and more than 150 individuals are named as defendants in this suit, which may be the first of several planned by the department of justice against combinations of retailers in staple commodities and the necessities of life to prevent the ultimate consumer from buying anywhere except from local retailers.

The government suit is replete with sensational allegations and it is asserted that builders and consumers of lumber the country over are at the mercy of retailers organized in different sections of the United States.

The suit filed to-day is against the Eastern States Retail Lumber Dealers' Association, which is the central body of nine local organizations covering five states, the District of Columbia and the cities of Baltimore and Philadelphia.

It claims undue restraint of trade of the consumer and the manufacturer. It is the evident purpose of the plea to confine the charge largely to that feature, particular stress being placed on the restraint of trade among the conspirators themselves.

Attorney-General Wickersham and his special assistant, Clarke McKercher, have spent more than a year gathering the evidence on which to-day's suit is based. This evidence includes copies of the alleged agreements, blacklists and reports of the various organs branding wholesalers and retailers who have dared to violate the terms of the association "poachers," "mavericks," "scathers" and "heretofore dealers" to whom "short shrift" must be applied.

The government charges, in brief, that by an elaborate system of blacklisting not only individual consumers, but some of the largest individual corporations have been prevented from dealing directly with wholesalers. By alleged unlawful agreements and acts, it is charged that all competition for the trade of the contractor, the builder, the manufacturer of finished lumber products and the individual consumer has been thrown entirely into the hands of the retailers in the Eastern States.

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GOVERNMENT AND CABLE CHARGES

Investigation Will Be Made When Rates Are Held to Be Excessive

(Special to the Times.) London, May 19.—Postmaster General Sargent stated in the House of Commons that a new clause was to be put in the licences of cable companies to the effect that when rates are held to be excessive the matter is to be discussed between the government and the company and if necessary referred to impartial arbitration for award. There is to be a fifty per cent. reduction in all non-code cablegrams which can be delayed to let urgent ones through.

COUNTERFEITING PLANT SEIZED. Los Angeles, Cal., May 19.—Accused of circulating several hundred dollars' worth of false coins in this city, N. F. Gutierrez and G. Valenzuela are in jail here and a complete counterfeiting outfit said to belong to them has been seized at Beaumont, Cal., eighty-seven miles from here. The counterfeiters of half dollars are of such high grade that several hundred of them were found in the cash boxes of local large stores.

NOT PERMITTED TO TESTIFY. Berlin, Ont., May 19.—An unusual incident took place in the police court yesterday when Fred Reamont, a witness in an assault case, refused to take the oath because he disbelieved in God, heaven, hell and the future state. In accordance with the Canada evidence act he was not permitted to give evidence.

THREE INJURED BY TORNADO. Sioux Falls, S. D., May 19.—A tornado in the vicinity of Dell Rapids, S. D., sixteen miles north of here, last evening injured three persons and destroyed at least a dozen buildings, most of them farm houses. The tornado started northwest of the town of Dell Rapids and struck a corner of the town.



TRAVELLERS INVADE CAPITAL

ALLEGED ASSASSINS PROTEST INNOCENCE

TWO PRISONERS FACE THEIR ACCUSER

Suspected Camorristi Deny Murder of Cuocolo and His Wife

Viterbo, May 19.—The two men denounced by Giacomo Ascrittore as the assassins of Genaro Cuocolo and his wife were given a chance to face their accuser to-day and stoutly defended themselves at the trial of the Camorristi. After Enrico Alfano and another alleged member of the Camorra had been arrested on suspicion, they were released on the intercession of the priest, Ciro Vittozzi, when he said he had learned of their innocence while performing his office of confessor.

It developed that Ascrittore has charged Tommaso De Anglis and Gaetano Amadeo as the murderers. These men, though known criminals, established alibis, and Vittozzi and Ascrittore were arrested charged with conspiracy against them, and also with an attempt to shield the actual assassins. De Anglis and Amadeo are now accused of being active members of the Camorra, and Ascrittore as an accomplice in the murder of the Cuocolos and conspiracy against the other two.

Ascrittore to-day confirmed his earlier testimony, repeating the circumstance which, he said, had led him to believe that the men he denounced were guilty. He declared that at one time De Anglis had shown him a dagger, saying: "With this, Cuocolo will be served."

The accused denied the allegations. President Bianchi instructed De Anglis to bare his leg and show again to the jury and to the medical experts the wound, which, according to Ascrittore, was received from Cuocolo when the latter was fighting for his life. De Anglis said that the scar was an injury received in prison in 1904, the wound having reopened in 1908.

RAIDS BY POLICE. New York, May 19.—Eleven men under arrest to-day and a wagonload of card labels, dice boxes and other paraphernalia are the fruits of a series of raids on alleged gambling houses. The raids were the first since Deputy Police Commissioner Dougherty assumed charge of the detective bureau eighteen days ago. Arrests were made of men under suspicion, whose names are given as: "John Doe," keeper; John, dealer; and John, proprietor.

LUMBER ORDER. Aberdeen, Wash., May 19.—June orders for lumber have been received by the mill companies here from California firms in anticipation of demands expected through the commencement of work on the Panama exposition buildings in San Francisco.

TWO MEN DROWNED IN SKEENA RIVER

Boat Capsizes in Canyon Bodies of Victims Not Yet Recovered

Prince Rupert, B.C., May 19.—As the result of a rowboat overturning in the canyon on the Skeena river, W. H. Tully, port engineer for Foley, Welch & Stewart, and Wm. Grant, fireman of the steamer Skeena, were drowned.

The men were going down the river from Kitsebas to Kitsumkalum, where Tully was to join the steamer Omicron. How the accident happened is unknown. The overturned boat was found by the steamer Port Simpson. The bodies have not been recovered.

Tully was 40 years old and unmarried. His home is in Los Angeles, where his mother lives. Little is known of Grant here. He is said to be unmarried. This is the first fatality this season in this district.

KING GEORGE'S FIRST VICTORY ON TURF

His Majesty's Colt Pintadean Wins Sweepstakes at Doncaster

(Special to the Times.) Doncaster, Eng., May 19.—King George won his first victory on the turf to-day when His Majesty's chestnut colt Pintadean by Florizel II, nut colt Pintadean, won the Fitzwilliam stakes, a sweepstakes for two-year-olds, over five furlongs, here to-day from a smart field. A loyal crowd lining the course received the royal victory with great enthusiasm.

EIGHT CHINESE SLAIN. Attacked by Bandits Who Raided Stores—Three Wounded May Not Recover.

Imures, Sonora, Mexico, May 19.—Bandits raided the Chinese quarter here last night, killing eight Chinese and leaving three others so badly wounded that they are believed to be dying. The gardens and stores owned by the Chinese were looted. The butchery has resulted in a general exodus of Chinese, who control the truck market and merchandise trade of the west coast.

Imures is a station on the Mexican line of the Southern Pacific railway, 43 miles south of Nogales.

STEAMER FLOODED WHILE COALING

SEA OTTER HUNTERS LOST FOR FIVE DAYS

Unable to Find Schooner in Fog, They Live on Scant Rations

Open Seacock Cause of Trouble—The Watson Loses Part of Rudder in Gale

Seattle, Wash., May 19.—Sinking as the result of an open seacock flooding the after hold, the steamer Tampico, of the Pacific Coast Company, was towed this morning at 3:30 o'clock by the fire-boat Duamawiah to shallow water and beached near the company's bunkers, where the vessel has been coaling, to prevent her sinking in deep water. An open seacock in the stern of the steamer resulted in her taking ten feet of water. The weight of the coal and the water depressed the stern to such an extent that it was impossible to use the pumps. The fireboat came to the aid of the Tampico and used its powerful pumps to keep the vessel afloat.

The Tampico is a steel screw steamer of 213 tons gross register, and owned by the Pacific Steamship Co. Encounters Gale.

Seattle, Wash., May 19.—With part of her rudder gone and her bridge and cabins damaged, the steamship Watson, of the Alaska Pacific Steamship Co., which sailed from Seattle at 6 o'clock last Monday evening with a passenger list of 55 and a full cargo of freight, is making her way down the California coast.

The Watson, which is commanded by Capt. E. P. Bartlett, encountered the severe gale which swept the coast last Wednesday afternoon and night, and for many hours battled with heavy seas and wind with hurricane velocity.

A wireless message received in Seattle told of the vessel's experience, and stated that all of the passengers were safe.

The Watson will go into drydock at San Francisco, where a new rudder will be installed. She will miss a voyage as a result of the accident.

PROPOSED ARBITRATION TREATY. Washington, D. C., May 19.—Ambassadors Bryce and Jusserand yesterday called their home governments the tentative outline of an arbitration convention between the United States and Great Britain and France which was submitted to them by Secretary Knox Wednesday. Both ambassadors acted quickly on the matter. The next move will be in the foreign offices of Great Britain and France.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE
 At Tacoma—First inning: Victoria, 0; Tacoma, 0.
 Second inning: No runs.
 Batteries—McCreary and Dashwood; Gordon and Burns.

At Portland—First inning: Spokane, 0; Portland, 0.
 Second inning: Spokane, 1; Portland, 0.
 Third inning: No runs.
 Batteries—Kraft and Hasty; Garrett and Bradley.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
 At Boston—R. H. E.
 St. Louis 5 11 0
 Boston 3 3 0
 Batteries—Golden, Steele and Brennan; Brown, Taylor and Raridan.

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
 Chicago 7 7 1
 Philadelphia 2 6 1
 Batteries—McIntyre and Archer; Stack, Humphries and Dooin.

At Brooklyn—R. H. E.
 Cincinnati 0 5 0
 Brooklyn 2 6 0
 Batteries—Smith, McQuillan and McInnis; Rucker and Bergen.

At New York—R. H. E.
 Pittsburgh 3 10 3
 New York 4 9 1
 Batteries—Steele, White and Gibson; Wittse, Raymond and Myers.

PITCHER INJURED.
 New York, May 19.—Pitcher Wittse of the New York Giants had the little finger of his pitching hand broken to-day in the seventh inning of the New York-Pittsburg game in stopping a liner from Clarke's bat.

OVERCOME BY HEAT.
 Detroit, Mich., May 18.—Jack Coombs, pitcher of the Philadelphia American Baseball Club, was overcome by the heat during the first inning of the game to-day with Detroit. He was resuscitated and carried off the field. Russell Went into the game in place of Coombs.

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The charge against Oliver Richards is that in October last year he had in his possession goods stolen from the navy yard, paint and rubber, valued at \$500, knowing them to have been stolen.

The charge against Day is that he retained in his possession paint and candles to the value of \$425, knowing the same to have been obtained by theft.

The accused were not asked to plead and their cases were set over for one week at their own request. C. J. V. Spratt, W. Houston and O. Richards were allowed bail in \$2,000 each. Richard Hall and Capt. J. W. Truap, became bondsmen for them. John Day obtained similar bail, H. D. Helmeck, K.C., and William John Cave putting up the bonds for him.

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STORY OF SUFFERING DENIED.
 Boston, May 19.—A contradiction of a recent report that five thousand people were starving on the coast of Labrador was made to-day by Dr. Sir Wilfrid Grenfell, the medical missionary whose field of labor embraces northern Newfoundland and Labrador.

FOUR ARRESTED IN NAVAL CASE

RECEIVING STOLEN STORES IS CHARGE

Spratt, Houston, Richards and Day, Remanded for Week in Police Court

Charles J. V. Spratt, president of the Victoria Machinery Depot; William Houston and Oliver Richards, employees of the Victoria Machinery Depot; and John Day, saloon-keeper in Quilnait, were presented in the police court this morning charged with retaining in their possession certain goods, the property of the Admiralty, knowing them to have been stolen. The charges were all adjourned for one week.

The accused were arrested at 3:30 yesterday afternoon as the result of inquiries that have been going on for some time past in regard to goods missing from the Admiralty stores, and in connection with which a customs inquiry was held at which the accused Spratt and Day deposited cheques of \$1,000 with Collector Newbury by way of fine, to be retained if and when they were able to prove that the goods in their possession were not stolen property.

Search warrants were operated on the premises of the Victoria Machinery Depot and the premises of the accused Day at Esquimalt, and the articles claimed in the four informations were found there. The arrests were made by Inspector George Perdue and Constable Murray, and accused yesterday were admitted to bail immediately after arrest. The same bail was arranged again this morning.

The information was laid on the order of Commander Vivian, senior Imperial officer at the Esquimalt naval station, and the evidence against the men charged is being tabulated by Lieut. Hodgson, of H. M. S. Esperanza.

C. J. V. Spratt and William Houston were jointly charged this morning with unlawfully retaining in their possession certain public stores, seven drums of paint valued at \$15, belonging to the Admiralty, and knowing them to have been obtained by theft.

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 - ENGLISH MIXED BISCUITS, per lb.....15c
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 - CHIVER'S OLD COUNTRY MARMALADE, 1-lb. glass jar for.....15c
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States Retail Lumber Dealers' Association and its constituent organizations. The government bill alleges that in some localities wholesalers selling to a consumer has either been heavily fined or expelled from the organization.

Officials of the department of justice regard the suit as the most important in principle ever taken by the government against alleged conspiracies said to affect the cost of living. It is believed that should the courts uphold the government's contention that it is a violation of the Sherman Anti-trust law to prevent the ultimate consumer from buying direct from the producer, other suits will be started against combinations of retailers alleged to be in control of the marketing of many of the commodities of life.

The defendants named in the suit and who are alleged to have conspired among themselves and with the assistance of the National Wholesale Dealers have prevented wholesalers from selling directly or indirectly to consumers, are: The Eastern States Retail Lumber Dealers' Association, a New York corporation with offices at No. 18 Broadway; the New York Lumber Trade Association of New York City; the Building Material Men's Association of Westchester County, New York; the Lumber Dealers' Association, of Connecticut; the Massachusetts Retail Lumber Dealers' Association; the Lumber Dealers' Association, of Rhode Island; the Retail Lumber Manufacturers' Association, of Baltimore.

The officers and directors, trustees and members of the above are named as individual defendants, as well as the officers and directors and members of the three following voluntary organizations: The New Jersey Lumber Manufacturers' Protective Association; the Retail Lumbermen's Association, of Philadelphia; and the Lumber Exchange of the District of Columbia. The government asks for a permanent injunction restraining the defendants from continuing the conspiracy charged.

IN FAVOR OF CHURCH UNION.

Kingston, Ont., May 18.—The Kingston district Methodist church yesterday afternoon passed a resolution favoring church union, only one member opposing.

Duck trousers and yachting caps on sale now at J. N. Harvey, Ltd. Stores 614-616, Yates street.

ESCAPES FINE BY A LEGAL MISTAKE

Wife and Horse of Abbis Have No Food—Pugilists and Gamblers

Careless work on the part of the attorney-general and his department in connection with drafting the Liquor Regulation Act has resulted in the fact that all interdictions made prior to March last year, when the new act came into force, are invalid, owing to the new act containing a clause repealing the old act and making no provision for the penalizing of offenders against the orders issued under it. Magistrate Jay this morning found he had no jurisdiction when the defendant, C. E. Malmgren, of the Federal prison, was charged with the offence of supplying an interdiction under the old act. The magistrate said that but for the mistake of the legislature he would have found accused guilty and imposed the highest fine possible.

A majority of interdictions are made for one year, and most of those under the old act are expired. The police, however, are now taking the precaution to issue new orders in place of those which have been voided by the new act. The position in no way affects orders issued since March last year. These remain in force.

Katherine Abbis took the witness stand this morning and complained that her husband had deserted her. She had been arrested early yesterday and, being left without money, she had received no funds since. In a similar plight was accused's horse, which was in the stable owned by him. When arrested accused had \$377 in his possession. A remand was given because W. C. Moreby, who appeared for the accused in place of H. C. Lowe, had not had time to consult his client. The hearing is taking place this morning, and meantime accused has instructed the police to give his wife \$20. The parties were married nine months ago and came from England.

James Bardwell, a colored man employed as fireman by David Spencer, Ltd., was fined \$10 for an assault on A. E. Harrison, despite the fact that J. A. Alkman defended him. Accused had been made the victim of insulting remarks and took the law into his own hands. He paid the fine and wiped away a tear from his eye as he did so.

Harford Board and William Phillips, who mixed up in separating the component parts of a fight on Johnson street three mornings ago, were allowed their freedom when the matter was explained. They have been dwelling on the futility of interfering in a fight while they have been under arrest the last three days.

Colin Hill and John Price were charged with playing in a gaming house. They were fined \$5 each. The house is situated at 516 Johnson street and has been under police ban this week against a man for looking on at a game in the same house resulted in a conviction.

COMPOSER DEAD.

Vienna, May 18.—Gustav Mahler, the eminent composer and conductor, died here yesterday. He was for many years director of the Vienna Imperial opera and for a brief period in 1908 was musical director in the Metropolitan opera house, New York.

Many complimentary remarks have been passed regarding the



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William Robb of Montreal Will Retire on Pension at End of Present Year

(Special to the Times.)
Montreal, May 19.—William Robb, who served the corporation of Montreal as accountant, auditor, comptroller and city treasurer during the past 47 years, will retire at the end of the present year. He will be entitled to a pension of \$4,125 during the remainder of his life.

FIRE IN HOTEL.

Guest Forced to Run Through Burning Highway to Safety.
Tacoma, May 18.—W. L. Rice of Lansing, Mich., narrowly escaped being burned to death when fire started in an adjoining room of the Donnelly hotel, where he was stopping. His room was on the top floor of the hotel. Fire started at 2 o'clock in the morning, caused apparently by the throwing of a lighted match on the floor of the adjoining room. Before Rice awakened the flames had burned through a partition into his room and he was forced to run in his night clothing through a burning hall to safety. The hotel was saved from serious damage, although the room which Rice occupied was completely burned.

MINING DISPUTE.

Chairman of Conciliation Board Says Inquiry Will Be Resumed in Three Weeks.
Winnipeg, May 19.—Dr. C. W. Gordon, chairman of the conciliation board looking into the coal miners' troubles in the West, has returned here and is pessimistic regarding a speedy settlement. He says that the board could have patched up a temporary agreement, but that had been done before, and what was wanted was a settlement that would last for some years. The inquiry would be resumed in three weeks, he said, and continued until the men went back to work.

CONFESSED TO BURGLARIES.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 18.—Harold Enfield, an English vaudeville actor, who confessed to a series of burglaries in Pittsburg, and whom the New York police authorities charge committed robberies in that city, to-day entered a plea of guilty in the criminal court and was sentenced to serve an indeterminate term from 7 1/2 to 30 years in the Western penitentiary.

BOMB EXPLOSIONS.

New York, May 19.—A chain of small bombs, apparently all arranged on a single fuse, like a string of Chinese fire-crackers, caused a series of explosions in the hallway of a four-story Italian tenement on East Eleventh street, early today. Sixteen families were thrown into a panic and crowded the fire escapes. Two policemen had difficulty in restoring order.

BUMPER FRUIT CROP.

Beamsville, Ont., May 19.—The first authentic information gathered this year in the Niagara fruit belt shows that there will be a record-breaking bumper crop. The danger of severe frosts is over now and the insect pest is the only thing the growers have to combat to assure a tremendous crop.

MODERATOR ELECTED.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 19.—Rev. John F. Carson, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, Brooklyn, N. Y., was elected moderator of the Presbyterian church by the general assembly, which began its 123rd annual session here yesterday. His principal opponent was Rev. Dr. Mark Allison Matthews, of Seattle, Wash.

YELLOW FEVER.

Bogota, Colombia, May 18.—Yellow fever is epidemic at Bucaramanga, an interior town, having a population of 15,000. The disease developed a week ago. There are sixty cases registered, ten of which have reached an advanced stage.

EIGHT PERISH IN HURRICANE.

Sydney, N. S. W., May 19.—Reports have reached here of a hurricane which has swept over the New Hebrides. Ten vessels are ashore and eight persons are reported killed.

BARQUENTINE TOTAL LOSS.

Kingdom Strands on West Coast of South Africa—No Details Available.
Portland, Maine, May 19.—The barquentine Kingdom, of the Holy Ghost and U.S. Society, has stranded off Sanguonar on the west coast of Africa and probably will be a total wreck, according to a report received here today.

—Read J. N. Harvey's ad, page 9.

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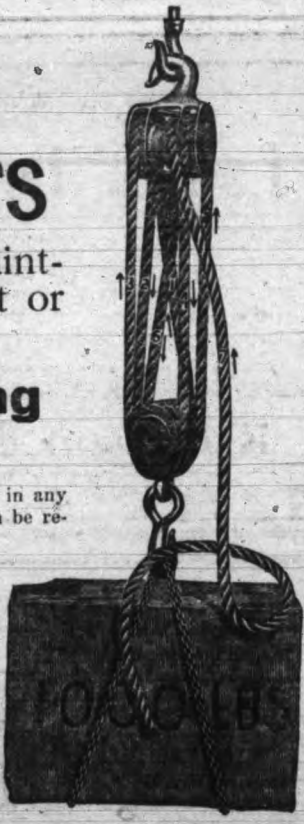
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SITUATION AT KIEV IS GRAVE

Threatened Massacre of Jews Has Aroused Russian Authorities

St. Petersburg, May 18.—The serious situation which has arisen through the threatened massacre of Jews at Kiev, following the finding of the body of a boy under such circumstances as to raise the cry of a "ritualistic murder," has aroused the authorities in their endeavors to sift the mystery of the boy's death. Meanwhile even the anti-Jewish newspapers admit that the reports on which the agitation is based for the most part are not worthy of credence.

In an interview M. Slosberg, a leading Jewish lawyer, exhaustively reviewed the history of the question of the ritualistic murder as contained in the records of the courts of Russia, and abroad. He said that hardly a year passed without a revival of the old myth about the Easter times in connection with the temporary disappearance of a boy or girl, or in connection with some untraced murder. The ignorant become excited, and their excitement lasts until the case is cleared up. In the majority of cases it was shown that no murder had been committed, and in the other cases the murder was traced to the culpable agents, and it was proved that Jews had no connection with them.

M. Slosberg said that in the present case, the killing of the boy Yushchinsky, no information was obtainable. The investigation has yielded no results, or the results were not ready for publication. All that could be said was that no Jew has been arrested yet, or implicated.

Massacre Feared.

New York, May 19.—The American Jewish committee, when asked for its views respecting the recent dispatches from Kiev, authorized the following statement:

"The committee is satisfied that only a wide publicity can avert a recurrence of the horrible massacres, instigated by the Russian government which took place between 1903 and 1906, especially at Kishineff, Odessa and Bialystok, when thousands of Jews were foully massacred and millions of property destroyed.

"The monstrous and infamous stories recently sent out by the Russian government from St. Petersburg respecting the alleged murder of a boy at Kiev are precisely similar to the unfounded tales circulated by the Russian government previous to the Kishineff, Odessa and Bialystok pogroms. Investigation shows that the stories which have been sent out to American newspapers are founded upon baseless calumnies which appeared several weeks ago, in well-known anti-Semitic and reactionary organs.

"The foremost organ of the reactionaries, the Novoye Vremya, is the mouthpiece of the Russian government in St. Petersburg. The author of the article in the Novoye Vremya is Prince Mentchikov, one of the star editors of that paper. A brother of Premier Stolypin, M. Stolypin is one of the principal editors of the Novoye Vremya. The political situation in Russia at the present time, due to the recent reactionary victory of the Czar and his prime minister, Stolypin, is one of intense excitement. The Russian government has always resorted to a massacre of Jews whenever the political situation was one of great tension, and has repeatedly used this method to provide an outlet for the pent-up feelings of the excited populace. The government by the use of the soldier, the police and the administrative officials, has always instigated and directed the massacres at such times.

"There is a similar condition at the present moment, and unless the widest publicity is given to the villainies which the Russian government never hesitates to perpetrate in order to serve its own purposes, the world is likely to see a repetition at any time of the indescribably horrible scenes which are for the present held in abeyance by the Russian government.

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THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE.

One of the striking phenomena of my intellectual life is the converging of all the various departments of thought. Religion, art, nature, literature and so on are supposed to be separate. They are not. They all come together at one point in me. At last they say the same things. What they say is: "Be Truthful, be Useful, be Brave."

The same deep note I find in the Bible I find in Shakespeare and in geometry. My religion has become less otherworldly; my secular affairs seem more divine. There is a general evening up, a coalescence of all modes of experience toward unity. Twenty years ago the various interests of my life seemed separated in "water-tight compartments"; now they merge into each other. The exaltation I used to feel in singing "Lead, Kindly Light," I still feel; but then it used to be as if in separate sanctuaries of my soul; now it has come into the living-room, and mixes freely with and is strongly akin to the kinds of exaltation produced upon me by a beautiful picture, a perfect tree, a noble poem, a manly man and a womanly woman.



WINTER NAVIGATION

OF THE ST. LAWRENCE

Not Difficult Problem, Says Prof. Barnes—Moderate Expenditure Necessary

Ottawa, May 19.—A report of the greatest interest to shipping men has just been made to the Canadian government, by Prof. H. T. Barnes, of McGill college, who was commanded last winter to make a thorough study of the ice conditions in the St. Lawrence river and of the possibility of year-round navigation to Montreal. The expert declares that a moderate expenditure of money for improvement in the channel would make winter navigation a possibility.

"With the growth of the volume of trade and the opening of the west," says Prof. Barnes, "the need of a winter port at Montreal is being increasingly felt. I do not think that the river as it is at present is commercially navigable even with the use of ice-breakers. The danger from inshore ice and snowstorms is too great. But improvements in the channel may be made without great expense which will so alter conditions as to render the course perfectly safe in winter. I have no hesitancy in predicting that Montreal will be a yearly port as soon as commercial interests demand it. The problem is not as difficult as at present believed."

CAUSES SENSATION

AT MURDER TRIAL

Witness Declares Boy Did Not Make Statement Attributed to Him by Officers

Tacoma, Wash., May 19.—HARRY HILL, a rancher near the scene of the alleged murder of Mrs. Sadie Buchanan by Roy Moorehead, testified yesterday in a way damaging to the state's case in Judge Chapman's court. He declared he was present during the time Coroner Shaver and Deputy Sheriff Stenz questioned Ralph Moorehead, son of the man on trial, and that the boy did not make the statements attributed to him by Coroner Shaver and the deputy sheriff. The latter testified that the boy said his father hit Mrs. Buchanan with an oar and that she spun around like a top; that he held her in the water after she had fallen.

The boy, according to him, told the officers that he could not see whether his father hit Mrs. Buchanan with the oar or whether his oar only struck the stick which she held. The testimony caused a sensation in the court room.

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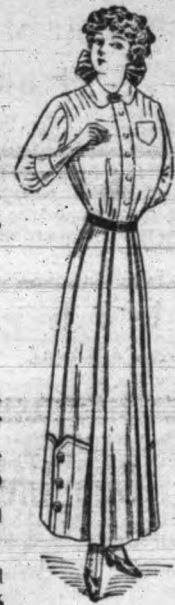
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EXIT DIAZ

The revolt and civil war in Mexico came to a termination yesterday in the unconditional surrender of the presidency by Porfirio Diaz and the acceptance by Francisco I. Madero, jr., of the provisional presidency, with Foreign Minister de la Barra as advisor. It was not quite with the same spirit, but both the aggressive belligerent and the stand-pat president in their respective attitudes afford a striking picture of the Alphonse and Gaston type. The declaration of Diaz that he would resign only when peace was restored was equalled in naivete only by the determination of Madero that there could be no peace until Diaz vacated the throne. Better counsels, or worse, have prevailed with Diaz, and he has succumbed to the inevitable.

It may be assumed without unfairness to Diaz, or to anyone, that his clinging to the presidency was a result of advice from the "Interests" in Mexico. It was to these rather more than to his personal inclination that the modernization of Mexico in many respects has taken place. The large amount of capital interested in industrial and commercial enterprises in the country made necessary some showing of the character of the civilization for which they stood and which they represented. The radical policy of Diaz may be said to have been the result of inspiration, while the dictatorial policy was a part of himself. It needed no prophet to see that these could not forever commingle, and it was at no time difficult to predict which must triumph in the end. Diaz's day as an autocrat, although he was tried himself, is over and a new era has dawned.

There is almost humor in the declaration of Provisional President Madero that he will resign as soon as de la Barra is placed in charge, pending an election. Madero knows that he is the only candidate that is likely to be in the field, but he has been wise enough not to assume the reins of power until he shall have been declared the choice of the people. As the dispatches intimate, it is expected that the first election will be a very crude attempt in democratic methods, but Madero will be that much stronger by reason of the observance of the form. Thus Mexico passes from the position of a territorial and federal dictatorship to that having a representative form of government. This does not mean that it will be at once a constitutional government. It has still the throes of organization along constitutional lines to pass through, and it is in this prospect that it is difficult to predict stable conditions or contentment among the people for some time to come.

There was some talk of the United States annexing Mexico and throwing her protecting arms around the disordered and factional communities, but we think that fear need be the least of her anxieties. We are inclined to believe in the sincerity of President Taft when he says that the United States seeks no territorial aggrandisement. The American republic has enough responsibilities already, and, if one might read between the lines of the president's utterances, she would perhaps not be unwilling to slough some of these. The taming of the aboriginals in the Philippines has opened the eyes of the republic to something of the time and patience, as well as the cost, that it is necessary to spend in this process. What with the heterogeneous mass of unassimilated aliens she has already under her care, we can understand something of her unwillingness to assume further responsibility of this kind. The troubles of Mexico will be her own. She will have to pass through each stage of the evolution from a dictatorship, through representative to con-

stitutional government, and it is in this process that her throes will be many. We are not optimistic as to her future—at least not for many years. Her future ruling authorities, whatever they may be called, will have to run the gauntlet of foreign manipulation. They will be subjected to all but irresistible temptation from the corporations which have vested interests in the country, and it must not be supposed that these will not come into conflict with each other. This has always been the case where rival nations have had investments and the intrigues of the "foreigners" have been the sorest trials of the infant democracies.

It is not known what will be Madero's attitude toward these should he be elected president. He is an untried personality so far as rulership is involved, and from the recent dissensions in his own ranks it is evident that he will have some trouble in converting his followers to the only views which will promise peace for the new republic, even if he should be blessed with such himself. It is unlikely that he will obtain any real help from those who have large vested interests in his country. They are not these altogether for the sake of Mexico.

We concede, however, that Madero, always pre-supposing his election, will have the finest opportunity of any living ruler to demonstrate the sort of stuff he is made of. If he possesses the intelligence, self-restraint, firmness and a few other necessary qualities of rulership in his precarious position he can do one of two things—either make of Mexico a model republic or else die in the attempt. We hope, in case the first is impossible, that he will have pluck and patriotism enough to do the latter.

IMPORTING FOODSTUFFS.

Some of the anti-reciprocity newspapers are keeping up a steady fire of argument against the measure on the plea that Canada is importing foodstuffs much more largely from the United States than foodstuffs are being exported to the same country. Taking the period of the last five years, it is pointed out that in breadstuffs Canada imported \$31,000,000 and exported only \$6,600,000 in the trade between the two nations. In meat and dairy products the United States has shipped into Canada \$17,500,000 in value while Canada has exchanged but \$200,000 worth of the same. It is argued from these premises that Canada cannot profit by a reciprocity arrangement because—It is argued—she cannot sell more to the United States and can sell no more in Canada excepting through United States channels. This, it is stated, will leave the profits of business exchange wholly to the benefit of the other country.

The argument is of that subtle variety which is apt to be accepted by the thoughtless without due examination as to the correctness of the premises and logic of the conclusion. There can only be two reasons why Canada is not shipping more of her food products to the United States. One of them may be that she is raising only so much more than she requires that her exports are limited by this fact; the other may be that she finds a better, readier and more profitable market in some other country and ships preponderance of her exports abroad. More than seventy-five per cent. of Canada's exports of foodstuffs are sent to Great Britain, and the reason for the trend of her shipments in that direction is that she finds no tariff barriers to block her sales. She obtains a higher price for her products while her purchaser obtains his foodstuffs at the price ruled by world conditions. Should the tariff wall that is erected between Canada and the United States be razed it would allow the free interchange of natural products at such prices as are determined by world conditions and wholly free from the dominating control of trusts which are bolstered in their work of making prices artificial by the artificial restrictions placed upon trade.

Canada will continue to grow just as much natural produce as her acres will bring forth; she will keep for her own use as much as she needs and sell what is over in whatever market is most convenient and profitable. In the matter of her sales she will follow nature's plan and move along the line of least resistance. In the matter of her purchases she will buy what she needs in whatever market she can procure it. Should that market be the open one of her next door neighbor she will evade the exorbitant and fancy prices which the tariff enables the trusts to impose. She will not be swamped by overwhelming imports of foodstuffs, for no nation will import what it can produce itself under normal conditions. Her consumers also will have the constant safeguard of a regulated condition of trade; goods will rise or fall in price to natural values, and in the freer trade process an equilibrium will be established so that no singular trade or natural product will be inflated in value at the cost of deflation of some other to restore the equilibrium under the present unnatural conditions.

The opponents of reciprocity know this, and there is no excuse other than the worship of a fetish which makes them argue otherwise.

BOYS AND DYNAMITE.

An eastern contemporary, commenting on the recent attempt made by two youths in Vancouver to blow up a school house with dynamite, remarks that there must be something in the atmosphere of the west that impels boys to such dangerous deeds. The explanation is evidently frivolous, but in its turn it does suggest something which shows that the west is not so well understood as it might be. Few of those in the eastern provinces or on the prairies of Canada can have any conception of the mighty work that is going on out here in transforming wilderness into city as is the case in many parts of the province. The blasting of tremendous tree stumps and rocky impediments from the places where homes are to be built and the rapid encroachment of the city upon the forest is a thing which was unknown to our forefathers. The process does not fall to the beholder who is moderately familiar with these affairs with wonder, and the impressions created upon the minds of children and youths must be of a highly imaginative sort. It is not surprising that boys who witness the eruption of a powerful blast and behold the wreck of matter and the crash of little worlds should desire to emulate these mighty works. That they should select a school house for the scene and victim of their operations is no sign of either depravity or a repugnance to schools. It is simply their style of moving along the line of least resistance. To dig under a stump or drill a rock is beyond their capabilities, and the object most likely to give satisfactory results in the way of a phenomenon would be an unfinished school. That they failed to consider the damage they would wreak means only that their powers of reasoning are as yet undeveloped but the very fact that they were ambitious enough to want to do something worth while—something that would be noticed—gives assurance of the fact that when they get over their penance and grow-up they will still aim at big things.

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The Province is horrible; ghoulish. Dealing with the sentencing of a murderer in Ontario to capital punishment it says: "There has always existed a feeling among British peoples against the execution of female criminals, at least that feeling always existed prior to the Suffragette agitation."

The Vancouver World says the Nanaimo Free Press "complains that the Victoria Colonist ignores Nanaimo in discussing whether the business development of the West Coast will inure more to Victoria's or more to Vancouver's benefit. This is an old story. It was the Colonist which, some years ago, advocated a railway to Cape Scott and obtained Nanaimo's support for the scheme and then, at the psychological moment, placed before the public a route which left Nanaimo a dozen miles away from the main line." And we may add, for the information of both of our esteemed contemporaries, in case neither of them has astute enough to discover it for itself, that every new railroad has a congenial penchant for going just exactly where the Colonist says it ought to go.

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FRENCH DRESS, of very fine lawn. Round turn-down collar of embroidery, waist made with panel of embroidery with three tucks on either side, short sleeves with turk-back cuff of embroidery, full skirt of tucking, insertion and edging. Price \$3.50

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The Cement Workers Union meets to-night at Labor hall, Douglas street, at 8.30.

You can get rare bargains in brand new high class clothing, hats and furnishings to-day and to-morrow, the last days of J. N. Harvey, Ltd., sale of B. Williams & Co.'s stock. Stores 614-616 Yates street.

On Wednesday the Norwegians of this city celebrated their national holiday. Here the celebration took the form of social gatherings at the homes of representative Norwegian citizens.

A very instructive pamphlet has been issued by the livestock branch of the provincial department of agriculture. The work, which is the joint production of M. A. Jull, Dr. A. Knight and H. H. George, deals with the subject of bovine tuberculosis.

Messrs. Holman and Greaves, provincial tobacco specialists, have just returned from a tour of the Gulf Islands and Vancouver Island. Addresses were delivered to farmers' institutes and other bodies on the adaptability of these sections to tobacco culture.

Granville Cuppage, mining recorder, announces that a watch charm was picked up on the counter of the lands department at the Parliament buildings a few days ago. It was probably dropped by someone renewing a miner's certificate. Mr. Cuppage will be pleased to return it to the rightful owner.

A convention of consular officers will be held at Tacoma on June 15. E. L. Agassiz, British consul at Tacoma, is in charge of the programme of arrangements. All foreign representatives stationed in this city have been invited. The list includes: A. E. Smith, United States consul; T. R. Smith, Belgium; A. O. P. Francis, France; Carl Lowenberg, German; J. B. H. Rickaby, Mexico; F. A. Fitcher, Norway.

The Vancouver Employers' Association has offered a reward of \$2,000, and the owners have added \$2,000, which, with the \$500 offered by the provincial government, makes a total reward of \$4,500 for the discovery of the persons implicated in the dynamiting attempt at Vancouver recently. The attempt did not succeed, but it was apparently no fault of the investigators that it failed for the plans were carefully laid and public sentiment in Vancouver is much aroused.

The social committee of the Independent Order of Foresters, met to-night and decided to hold the open meeting of the I. O. F. in the K. of P. hall on Monday evening instead of in the A. O. U. W., on Tuesday evening.

The Duncan justices of the peace yesterday dismissed the charge of speeding against B. J. Perry, who collided with D. Watson Dyke on the Mill Bay road, near Roger's lake Sunday, April 30. The offence charged was "driving a motor car at a speed exceeding the limit allowed by the act in a wooded country." Besides other defences the defendant asserted that the spot where the accident occurred was not wooded. A map was produced to show the roadway. The justices of the peace, who reside at Duncan, dismissed the complaint on the "not wooded" ground. Dr. Dyke asserted that Mr. Perry was driving at a high rate of speed, and the defence on that point was, by four witnesses, that the speed was moderate.

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RACE ENTRIES FOR TO-MORROW

The entries for to-morrow's races are as follows:

1st race, selling, 5 mts.—Can Lady, 112; Thurbet, 116; Southern Gold, 114; Darglin, 118; Special Delivery, 116; Lord Provost, 116; Beda, 112; Renee W., 114; Fanful Hall, 116; Captem, 114.

2nd race, purse, 4 1/2 furlongs—Ravona, 102; Madonna, 105; Florence Roberts, 108; Ah Moon, 102; Wains, 102; Big Ike, 102; Annuity, 105.

3rd race, selling, 3/4 mile—Meads, 114; Aristocrat, 109; Toby, 113; Nettles, 114; Chanticleer, 107; Chas. Green, 115; Nettie Traverser, 111; Ripper, 116; Irish Mail, 111.

4th race, 3/4 mts, the inauguration Selling Stake—Banellen, 114; Beauman, 116; Arionette, 113; Abella, 96; Salali, 105; Ravaria, 111; Jessupburn, 112; Ada Meade, 112; Judge Cabanis, 111; Daddy Gip, 117; Judge Henderson, 113.

5th race, purse, 3/4 mts.—Altamor, 112; Dr. Dougherty, 110; Seth, 99; Thistle Belle, 110; Ada Meade, 107; Ocean Queen, 110; Jack Paine, 109; Miss Roberts, 105.

6th race, selling, 1 mile 100 yards—Tony Faust, 123; Virgie Cassie, 111; Sir Wesley, 111; Barney Oldfield, 114; Jim Cafferata, 116; Johnston, 127; Royal River, 112; Silver Grain, 110.

NEW EMPRESS THEATRE.

Since the new management has taken over the Empress theatre the crowds are growing nightly and it will be only a short time when the accommodation will be far too small. What with the fine time of films being shown and the singing of Miss Burnett, it can easily be seen why the people go to this popular picture house. For to-day and to-morrow the manager has secured some exceptionally fine films, and Miss Burnett will be heard in a new song.

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The British Columbia "Georges of the Empire" fund continues to grow as related subscriptions reach the provincial secretary. The total now amounts to \$48.25.

The provincial department of agriculture has made arrangements for holding fruit packing competitions at all the fairs in the province during the summer and autumn.

The service at Jubilee hospital next Sunday at 2 p. m. will be conducted by the Venerable Archbishop Scriven, M.A.

The Oak Bay court of revision met yesterday and, there being no appeals, the figures quoted in Tuesday's issue of the Times for the municipality assessment were adopted.

—Read J. N. Harvey's ad., page 9.

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"If a man would be a man he must be a nonconformist." That Emersonian judgment, which has inspired wisdom with courage and folly with an excuse, received a sane and stirring interpretation in the Metropolitan Methodist church last night from the lips of no less distinguished a person than Rev. Professor George Jackson, of Toronto, about whose orthodoxy that church has been agitating itself for a long time.

Dr. Jackson had been taking part in the B. C. Conference at Vancouver and it was thought that the people of Victoria would like to hear him preach after having heard so much about him, and the necessary invitation was given and accepted. The step was more than justified by the gratifying number of adherents and others who congregated to hear this celebrated divine.

Professor Jackson is more intellectual than oratorical, although it must not be understood that his thoughts suffer in tracing their expression into language. His delivery is charmingly simple and grammatical, concise and effective. With unerring judgment he hits upon the point, demonstrates its value and illustrates its application to the rest of the context. Never at a loss for a word or a phrase—and some of his expressions are beautiful as well as philosophic—he weaves the web of his story into a symmetrical whole and gives his hearers a tangible something for the favor of the ears.

"He commanded us to preach unto the people." That simple declaration of the apostles had more conscience in it than all the conscientious ruses that had been written about duty, he said: "What conscience dictates to be done" had a cold unfeeling, impersonal ring about it when compared with the personality speaking out of the compelling words: "He commanded us."

When the apostles paid the everlasting tribute to the personality of their Master they stood on the line, one side of which led to ease and the other to duty. It was a line on which every man had to stand at one time or another. It was the fence from which they could face both ways, but the longer they sat on it pondering the more likely were they to come down on the wrong side. Pillate dabbled on the fence and finally came down on the wrong side. "I will chastise him and release him," said that governor. That was after he had examined Christ and found no wrong in Him. The chastisement was the sop to mammon and the release the tardy tribute to justice. But that tardy tribute was never paid.

There was a time in the lives of all when they were faced with the same problem. And they all had the same privilege of conscience. They arrived sooner or later at the station where God and right stood on the one hand and the world, self interest, and man, stood on the other. Conscience and custom faced one another for the last time and awaited the adjudication of their claims. No individual soul could choose his duty. That was vested with conscience, which never erred. But they must choose their sides, choose whether they would follow the dictates of conscience or open their ears to the sibilant music of the world.

In illustrating some of the historic examples of the martyrdom of duty Dr. Jackson referred to Scotland, whose history, he said, was flowered with stories of monumental sacrifice. The judges who were responsible for the appalling deaths which those men died were swallowed up in a merciful oblivion, but as long as Scotland stood against the tide of time her martyrs to duty would be remembered and revered.

TYPOS ELECT OFFICERS. Considerable Interest Was Manifested On This Year's Balloting.

The result of balloting for officers of the Victoria Typographical Union were announced last night, this jurisdiction including Nanaimo, Ladysmith and Duncan. The officers for the ensuing term are: Robert White, government printing bureau, president; S. V. Bowers, of the Times, vice-president; George M. Watt, of the Colonist, re-elected secretary; Robert Hunt, of the Colonist, delegate to the international convention, which meets this year in August in San Francisco; Fred Wyatt, of the Times, servant-at-arms (by acclamation); Thos. Booz, of the Times, treasurer (by acclamation); executive, Norman Dunn, Robert Hunt, and Robert Myra.

As it is some years since Victoria was represented at the annual convention of the international union great interest was taken in the vote this year on account of the decision to send a delegate. There were three nominees, Mr. Hunt winning out. Mr. Watt was re-elected secretary for the twelfth year of office. Mr. Booz has the record among the officers, however, having filled the highly honorable position of treasurer for twenty-one years—and now entering on his twenty-second year of office.

—Duck trousers and yachting caps on sale now at J. N. Harvey, Ltd. Stores 614-616, Yates street.

There is living at Obermoschee in the north of Prussia, a man known as "Old Bopped." He is in his 106th year, but enjoys excellent health. He is daily walk, and is still able to read and write. He is the oldest man in Germany, and can still remember the march of the Grand Army through the Palatinat in the year 1812. His advice to all those who want to live long is: "Eat and drink what you like; don't bother about your digestion or anything else, and you will live to be 100."

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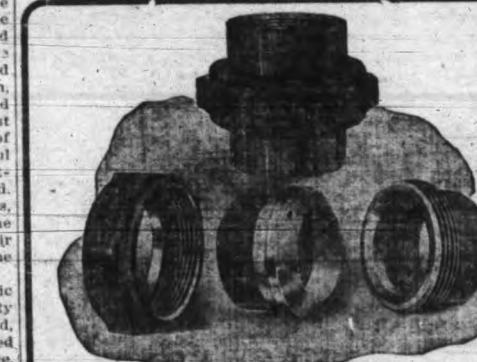
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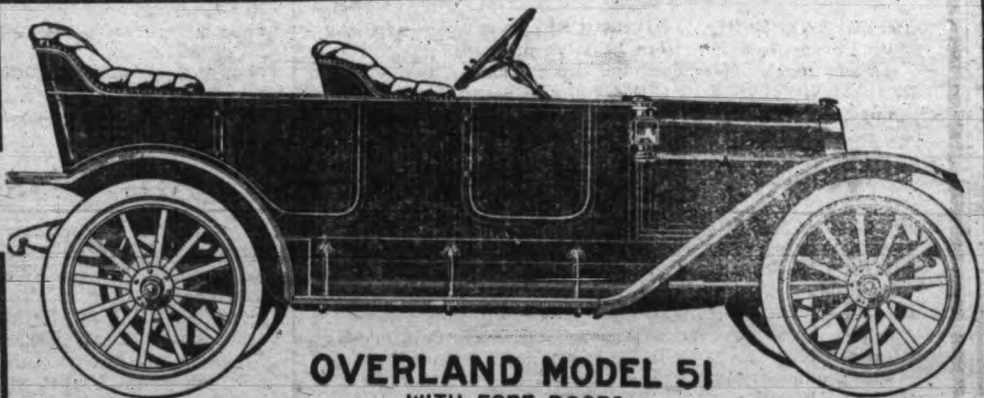
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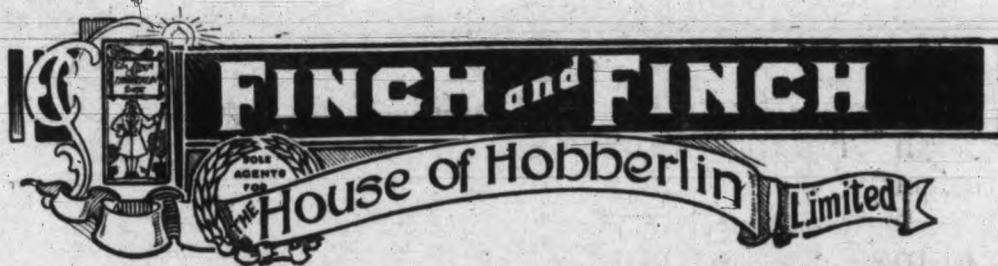
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SEVEN DAY MEET OPENS TO-MORROW

Racing Officials — Saturday's
Events—Big Attendance
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Promptly at 2:30 to-morrow afternoon the starting gate at the Willows will go up for the first start in the 1911 meet.

The meet is attracting attention all over the coast, crowds of race-goers from Seattle and Vancouver are arriving, and everything looks propitious for the most successful race meeting ever held in this city. Not even the 60-day races in 1909 were sufficient to bring to Victoria horses of the high class calibre now here. The only difficulty on the present occasion is that there may not be enough events to allow of all the horses being entered in some race or other.

The racing officials will be: T. J. Wellman, presiding judge; Joseph Weber, starter; Phil Kelly, clerk of the scales; S. J. Rothel, paddock judge; R. F. Leighton, racing secretary.

Entries for all but the Inauguration selling stake of to-morrow's races closed this morning at 10:30 o'clock. The events are as follows:

First race—Selling; purse \$200; for three-year-olds and upwards; each to be sold for \$300; 5 furlongs.

Second race—Purse \$200; for two-year-olds; 4 1/2 furlongs.

Third race—Selling; purse \$200; for three-year-olds and upwards; each to be sold for \$200; 6 furlongs.

Fourth race—Inauguration selling stake; 6 furlongs.

Fifth race—Purse \$200; for three-year-olds and upwards; 7 furlongs.

Sixth race—Selling; purse \$200; for three-year-olds and upwards; 1 mile and 100 yards.

The entries for the Inauguration selling stake are as follows: Jessup Burn, Lord of the Forest, Mazie Girl, Minocla, Dr. Dougherty, Cristofal, Salal, Zinkand, Special Delivery, Judge Cabanis, Gellco, Roy Junior, Lyte Knight, Soon, Daddy Gip, Canapa, Bean Man, Gypsis, Abella, Judge Henderson, Sir Profitful, Venetian, Dargin, Ada Meade, Banellen, Salnotta, Roxy, Arionette, Thistle Belle, Bit-of-Fortune, Miss Picnic and Azouze.

R. F. Leighton is of the opinion that the ball games, Victoria vs. Portland, which are slated for next week, will not affect the attendance at the race meet. He thinks that there will be enough followers of both sports to bring the gate receipts at both the Royal Athletic park and Willows track to the top notch.

Trainers and owners, who for some time have had their horses stabled at Minoru park, Vancouver, have been arriving all week. Among them are E. Wright, with Bit-of-Fortune, Roy T. Great Caesar and Pala Alto; G. Durker, with Rose Vale, Hooray, and two two year olds; F. Kelley, with Altamor; E. Geyer, with Crozola; W. See, with Ocean View; A. M. Stout, with Annie Spider, J. C. Clem and Bucolli; J. C.

Blanton, of Ontario, Oregon, with Black Fluid, Phosphorus, Lyte Howard, Tea Sir, Ather, Young Elmer and Mon; Caravan; L. Galbraith, with Hector and Princess Viola; Brophy & Jensen, with Laura Clay; C. E. Lewis, with Biondy, Belle of Iroquois, Rusmax, Toe Dancer, Sally O'Day and Motomae, and C. E. Lewis, J. Krause, F. Wilson, E. Getchell and J. White with various numbers of horses.

Especially interest is being evinced in the meet this year not only because of the unusually fine horses, which are reputed to outclass altogether those that raced last season at Salt Lake and Ogdun, but also because the pari-mutuel system of betting, never before tried here, is being introduced.

BALL GAME CALLED IN FIFTH INNING

Neither Team Scores—Hits
Are One All—Beavers
Beat Giants

In the fifth inning of the ball game at Tacoma yesterday, the rain began to fall in torrents and Umpire Baumgarten, announcing the suspension of hostilities for the day, made a dash for cover. Neither side had scored and the hits stood one all, Rockenfield and Million being responsible. McCreey and Dashwood were the battery for the Islanders, while Schmitz and Burns did the pitching and catching for the Tigers. The attendance was light.

Erickson held the Seattle Giants helpless at Vancouver yesterday, the Beavers winning their third consecutive game by a score of 4 to nil. Snappy fielding of both teams was the feature. Furchner was batted freely. The score there was:

	Vancouver	A. B. R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Brinker, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0
Adams, r. f.	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Bennett, 2 b.	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
Brashear, 1 b.	4	1	3	11	0	0	0
James, 3 b.	3	2	1	2	0	0	0
Harrison, 1 f.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0
Scharnweber, s. s.	0	0	1	4	0	0	0
Lewis, c.	1	0	0	2	1	0	0
Erickson, p.	3	1	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	31	4	8	27	15	0	0

	Seattle	A. B. R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Cruikshank, 1 f.	3	0	0	3	0	0	0
Raymond, s. s.	4	0	0	1	1	1	0
Bues, 3 b.	4	0	0	1	1	0	0
Weed, r. f.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Kadling, 1 b.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leard, 2 b.	3	0	2	5	0	0	0
Cocash, c. f.	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Shea, c.	3	0	0	5	1	0	0
Furchner, p.	2	0	0	0	4	0	0
Totals	27	0	2	24	12	1	0

Score by Innings:
Vancouver..... 0 1 0 2 0 0 1 0 0-1
Seattle..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0-0

Summary:
Home run—James. Two base hits—Leard, Harrison, Brashear. Sacrifice hit—James. Bases on balls—Off Erickson, 2; off Furchner, 1. Struck out—By Erickson, 1; by Furchner, 4. Double plays—Scharnweber to James to Brashear, 2; hit by pitched ball—Lewis, Furchner. Left on bases—Vancouver, 6; Seattle, 4. Umpire—Kane. Time—1:23.

LACROSSE TEAM CHOSEN.

The Victoria lacrosse team, to play against New Westminster in the opening provincial game here on May 24, has been chosen and starting from tonight the boys will practice together almost every day until Wednesday. The team is: Goal, F. Sweeney; point, George Sawyer; post, Joe Dakers; first defence, Stiles; second defence, Brynjolfsson; third defence, McCarter; cen-

tre, Leo Sweeney; third home, Carrs; second home, J. Johnson; first home, McDonald; outside home, McGregor; inside home, C. Clute. Reserves (defence) Kroeger and Morris. Home, Humber.

It must be remembered by those who have not been given pieces that this team is only for May 24, and that before the next game there may be some changes. A large turn-out of both the North Ward and Victoria West players

is looked for at the practices. A full practice will be held this evening and again on Sunday morning.

REGINA NOT IN LEAGUE.

Regina, May 19.—The Dewey and other lacrosse championship cups for many years held at Regina are to be packed up and sent to Winnipeg in accordance with the demands of the

trustees, it being held that Regina has no league team affiliated with the Western Canada Lacrosse Association. Local lacrosse players had hoped to be given an opportunity to defend the cups, but the trustees ordered otherwise. There is a strong feeling here that Saskatchewan should organize a lacrosse association of its own and leave Manitoba to fight out its own lacrosse battle.

MISS POOLEY DEFEATED.

Portrush, Ireland, May 19.—Miss Violet Pooley, Victoria, was defeated in the fifth round of the golf championship tournament here yesterday. Miss Thompson being the winner by the margin of one hole. Miss Dorothy Campbell, Hamilton, Ont., has been successful in the fourth round.

—Read J. N. Harvey's ad., page 9.

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FORESTERS VS. WESTS AT HILL TO-MORROW

If Manson's Pets Win the Amateur Island Championship Will Be Settled

The amateur Vancouver Island football series seems in a fair way to close in a week's time, at the longest, and possibly it may end to-morrow.

If as they expect to do, the Foresters win out against the Wests to-morrow the amateur Island championship will be settled and Manson's pets will be the proud holders of the Morley cup.

The game will take place at Beacon Hill, commencing at 2 o'clock. Two neutral men, A. Selfe and R. Kelsall, have been appointed linesmen, and R. Locke referee. The teams will take the field as follows:

Foresters—Goal, Beaney; fullbacks, Gregg and Mitchell; halfbacks, Barber, Shanks and Stomach; forwards, Young, Howden, Patterson, Thackeray and Carmichael; reserves, A. Campbell, H. Campbell and Whittle. Wests—Goal, Robertson; fullbacks, Ross and Stewart; halfbacks, Carrs, G. Brown and Waring; forwards, Kirley, Youson, Young, MacDonald and Brown; reserves, C. Brown and R. Stewart.

CRICKET

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

Albion First XI vs. Victoria "A" team, at Jubilee hospital grounds.

Garrison vs. Esquimalt, at Work Point.

Victoria "B" team vs. Albion Second XI, at Beacon Hill.

University school vs. High school, at University school grounds.

All games begin at 2 o'clock.

ALBION C. C. ACTIVITIES.

At the last meeting of the Albion C. C. executive committee ten new members were elected and preparations made for their first all day game, which takes place May 24. Also the following players selected for Saturday's games, which begin at 2 o'clock.

First XI, at Jubilee hospital grounds: E. W. Ismay (capt.), H. A. Ismay, L. D. W. Warden, A. D. Mahon, E. Parsons, R. C. Cooper, A. C. Bagley, W. Grogan, J. Milnes, C. C. Lunnard and L. B. Trimen.

Second XI, at Beacon Hill: E. W. Ashby (capt.), D. Hallam, H. J. Wicks, J. Fleicher, T. Ard, H. F. Hewett, J. Spain, H. O. Kerkham, E. A. Duncan, C. Giffard and H. Bayley.

Victoria "B" team will play Albion Second XI, at Beacon Hill Saturday next at 2 p.m. Those selected are: H. Cuthbert (capt.), A. Marshall, Major Beale, H. R. Page, A. Fleet, A. McLean, N. Rint, L. Cuppage, F. W. Reeves, F. Leaver and S. Gillespie.

OFFICERS VS. MEN.

At Esquimalt on Wednesday last a match was played between the officers and men of the various ships.

The full cricketing strength, with the exception of that good bat, Commandor Vivian, of the Shearwater, turned out and a very interesting match resulted. The men batted first, and totalled 58, for which Dave 12, Howe 19, Groatorex 13 and Sales 19, not out, were mainly responsible. For the officers Lieutenant Moore, of the Rainbow, bowled well and took 7 wickets for 38. The bowling was well supported by good fielding, especially by Lieuts. Halifax and English.

The officers' innings was opened by Lieuts. Holt and Halifax. The former started carefully, but was nibbled by an aggressive easy ball from Doc. Lieut. Halifax played a graceful yet vigorous innings of 52 and retired; Lieut. Moore contributed 21, and Lieut. Morrell, of the Algerine, made 62 in characteristically forceful style. With 16 from Staff Surgeon Lindot and some minor contributors the innings closed for 197. The score follows:

Men: Doe, c English, b Moore, 6; Cooper, b Moore, 1; Groatorex, c Halifax, b Moore, 19; Sales, not out, 19; Dore, b Moore, 12; Mason, run out, 2; Bone, b Moore, 2; Williams, b Moore, 1; Butcher, b Newcombe, 5; Moore, b Moore, 10; Watson, b Newcombe, 6.

Officers: Lieut. Halifax, retired, 52; Lieut. Holt, b Doe, 2; Lieut. Moore, c Groatorex, b Williams, 21; Lieut. Morrell, b Groatorex, 62; Lieut. Newcombe, b Doe, 9; Lieut. Irwin, b Groatorex, 5; Lieut. English, b Doe, 6; Staff Surgeon Lindot, c & b, 16; Groatorex, c & b, 10; Mr. King, c Groatorex, b Moore, 8; Mr. Jones, not out, 8; Staff-Pay Jinks, c Doe, b Groatorex, 0; Extras, 14.

Total, 197. VICTORIA C. C. ASSOCIATES.

The associate members of the Victoria Cricket Club will hold a meeting at the Balmoral hotel on Monday evening commencing at 7 o'clock. A number of matters of importance are to be considered.

ABOUT BASEBALL

The game scheduled for yesterday at Beacon between the Pippins and the Spokane "Indians" was called, owing to wet grounds.

A general meeting of the Victoria baseball boosters will be held in Track-Sett and Anderson's real estate offices, at the corner of Trounce alley and Broad street, this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. A constitution will be drawn up and an executive elected.

The fans need not fear that Wattlett is contemplating trading Millon, Goodman or Davis for any battery that Shroeder, of the Tacoma club, can give him. For one thing he doesn't need a pitcher and a catcher badly enough and

for a battery, if he returned to town minus one of his outfielders or his third baseman, there would be a riot.

Manager Wattlett claims he will have the three holes in his team plugged up before many days are passed and when he does the Islanders will win the majority of their games. McMurdo, the Californian, on first, catching and a short stop from St. Louis ought to fix things pretty nicely.

The baseball league of the city starts to-morrow. The East End and Swastikas Juniors clash at the North Ward park at 2.30. The East End will line-up as follows: McIlroy, pitcher; Campbell, catcher; Pettitrew, 1st base; McGuigan, 2nd base; Pynn, short stop; Pasco, 3rd base; Wall, left field; Hawke, centre field; Finland, right field; extras, Lomas and Burnell.

At last it is out. Edward's long and carefully-guarded secret is public property. The Tacoma Daily Ledger says: Eddie Household, captain of the Victoria Islanders, is one of the old masters of baseball. Were Eddie 20 years younger he would be one of the stars of the big league. When it is taken into consideration that Eddie is 43 years old, the fans can appreciate the wonderful game he plays. Not only is he one of the best hitters in the league, but he is a great fielder. He is hitting .386 up to date, an average which is almost as good as any two men in the Tiger lineup. In the outfield he is one of the fastest fielders in the business. His throw from the outfield is fast and accurate and a lightning batsman is able to be caught at first on a single to right unless he hurries on his way to the initial station. Eddie was the leader of the Aberdeen club in the old Northwestern league, which beat Tacoma out of a pennant in a hard-fought battle. Household is a game fighter and although his club is going-bad he is battling for every game and declares the Islanders are not "forever," but will be up in the race before the middle of the season is reached.

Joe Cohn and the sale of Paul Strand for \$5,000 are beginning to look like jokes. Because he has been "kidded" so much about the alleged sale Cohn has come out into the open with the "telegram" between himself and President Taylor of the Boston Red Sox. From a distance it looks as though Joe had been caught while trying to do a bit of fancy dress agent work. The telegrams between him and Taylor show that the Boston manager has offered \$2,000 for an option and will pay another \$2,000 in a year. IF STRAND MAKES GOOD, Eddie Household, who is a veteran at the game and who knows something about pitching, does not think Strand is such a world beater. He says he has lots of snuff for a left hander, but that is all, and that compared to Thomas, his "fastest shoot looks like Thomas' slow ball. "There are at least three pitchers on the Tiger squad who have more of everything needed by a pitcher than this Strand kid," Household says.

The standing of Northwestern League teams:

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Spokane 29 6 769, Vancouver 15 11 577, Seattle 12 13 480, Tacoma 12 14 461, Portland 11 14 440, Victoria 6 19 240.

SPORT NOTES

It is possible that Bernie Schwenker, Northwest tennis champion, may be sent East this summer to compete in some of the big tournaments at Niagara, Ottawa or Boston. This is being seriously discussed by the members of the Victoria Tennis Club, but no definite decision has been arrived at as yet. It is likely that a meeting will be called in a week or so and the matter brought up.

The regular monthly meeting of the B.C.A.A. will be held to-night in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, to discuss the old question, professionalization in the amateur football ranks. Both the Foresters and the Wests-endangered their amateur standing by playing against and with W. Young two weeks ago. It is hardly likely that either team will be punished for this, however, as the Foresters protested to the referee at half time and the Wests claim they did not know Young was on the black list.

More than sixty athletes are in Portland taking part in the national wrestling championships tournament of the American Athletic Union, which started yesterday and will be concluded to-day under the auspices of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club of Portland. Many wrestlers of national prominence, among whom are included Henry J. Spangiers and Gus Bauer of the National "Burn Verin" Northwest N.J. wrestlers of the New York Athletic Club, New York city, and E. Sebalk and W. W. Lichewski, of the Davis Park Athletic Club, Chicago, have arrived. In addition to these teams are there representing the Vancouver Athletic Club, Vancouver, B.C.; the Olympic Athletic Club, San Francisco; Los Angeles Athletic Club, Los Angeles; Spokane Athletic Club, Spokane; Rainier Athletic Club, Seattle; Tacoma Athletic Club, Tacoma, and wrestlers from many smaller places of the coast states.

The intermediate lacrosse game scheduled for this evening between the Wards and the Wests has been called, owing to the fact that the North Ward grounds, which are the only ones available, are being torn up for the installation of improvements.

Despite the blistering weather of the last few days many fast gallops have been indulged in at the Willows track. It is surprising to old and enthusiastic the ready manner in which horses, which have never been trained on a half-mile course, adapt themselves to the sharper turns and shorter straight stretches. Already Wagers have been laid that three or more existing track records will be lowered at the meet starting to-morrow.

In a friendly game of basketball last evening the J.B.A.A. quintette defeated the Commercial Travellers by a score of 6-3.

At a meeting of the committee appointed by the members of the J.B.A.A. to arrange the part that association will take in the Coronation Day celebration held Wednesday night, it was decided to enter a float, representing every manner of sport in which the Bays participate, in the parade and to decorate the club house. The details will be arranged at a meeting on Saturday night.

SOUGHT SURCEASE OF SORROW. A most pathetic story of real hardship was revealed to a number of sympathetic listeners in the Canadian Pacific attack yards at Winnipeg when a settler's car pulled in from the east. In the car was a man named Morrison bound for Saskatchewan to begin life anew. He owned a small farm near Shannonville, Ontario, and with his wife and four children—three boys and one girl—was living happily and contented until four years ago when his eldest child, a boy of ten, while playing in the yard, fell into an open well and was drowned. Only a few months afterwards his second eldest, a little girl

Miners Leave for Property BRITISH PACIFIC COAL COMPANY LIMITED

Work Will Be Rushed. Early Shipment of Coal From Wharf on Property at Skidegate Inlet

The superintendent and the miners are on their way to the property of the British Pacific Coal Company Limited.

Long before the distant reader of this paper receives this information, a report will be flashed over the wire to the office of the Trustee, that the party has arrived safely and are at work on the property.

This corporation intends to develop—it is not a holding or speculative proposition.

There is nothing to wait for; no railways to be built or expense of trains to be installed, all of which are more or less problematic as regards the interior of Graham Island.

The property of the British Pacific Coal Company, Ltd., fronts on salt water—thirty fathoms of it at the shore.

The property fronts on Skidegate Inlet, one of the finest harbors on the Pacific Coast.

36,000,000 Tons In One Seam of Coal

The British Pacific Coal Company's property embraces a proposition, which is 35e a share, par value of \$1.00 each, represents a proposition which will surely prove as profitable, if not more so, than any of the great dividend payers in the coal fields that have been made good.

In order to fully appreciate just what it will mean to you to own shares in the British Pacific Coal Company Limited a year or two hence, you must read the report of Alexander Faulds, also a report of Dr. Dawson and Dr. Ellis, both eminent government geologists, the reports of Mr. Langley, Mr. Richardson and Professor Deans, also of Mr. Parkinson. All of these gentlemen have reported upon this property.

It is not possible to even print the reports in all the pages of this publication, since they are very extensive.

Suffice it to say that of all the reports that of Alexander Faulds is considered the most conservative; and he states that there are 36,000,000 tons of coal of the finest quality, in the one seam, and that this seam represents \$22.50 for every dollar of capitalization invested in the property.

The capitalization of the Company is \$1,500,000.

Of this shares are selling now at 35c a share. No application received for less than 100 shares.

Fulllest information will be supplied you if you are interested. Address your applications and make your cheques payable to T. R. Morrow, Trustee. The office of the Trustee is 617 Trounce Avenue, Victoria, B. C., and is open from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Skidegate Inlet is on Graham Inlet, 80 miles distant from Prince Rupert.

On Skidegate Inlet, two cities in embryo, Graham City and Queen Charlotte city.

In a very short while the property of the Company on this island locked harbor will be as active as the shores of Burrard Inlet. Many industrial buildings, townsite buildings, interests.

It is not necessary to drill the property to prove it up.

It is therefore out of the prospect class. Engineer Alexander Faulds who carefully examined the property and reported upon the same in his statement, said:

There are 36,000,000 tons of coal in one seam and there are 6 seams in the property. This entirely eliminates the element of chance or gamble.

Just think of it, 8,320 acres of coal land, one of the largest bodies of coal land embraced within the holdings of one corporation and 36,000,000 tons of coal in one seam represents \$22.50 at the back of every dollar you invest in the property.

This is indeed an enormous profit but is identical with the history and the experience of the operators of coal mines on Vancouver Island and in the Crow's Nest Pass country.

A Coal Mine Not a Prospect

The reader should not confuse the property embraced within the holdings of The British Pacific Coal Company (which is a coal mine) with propositions embracing only areas of coal lands on which there may be outcroppings of coal, but with no transportation facilities for shipping the coal should it be found in commercial quantities.

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The property will be developed and put on a shipping basis. One offer refused, alone would repay each shareholder all the cash invested and as well a dividend of 40 per cent had the offer been accepted.

Alexander Faulds in his report, says, that there is \$22.50 behind every dollar invested. This, in itself, is sufficient guarantee as to the stability of the proposition. Faulds knows, he has been on the property—three other engineers endorse his statement by their reports.

It is only a few years ago since it was possible to buy shares in the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company as low as 10c per share, which shares were at a par value of \$1.00 each and sold two years ago at \$380 per share.

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BASEBALL RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Table with columns: Team, R, H, E. At Chicago 8 15 2, Boston 12 15 0, Chicago 12 15 0.

At Detroit 4 9 4, Philadelphia 4 9 4, Detroit 9 15 0.

Batteries—Killaly, Hall and Nunnemaker; White, Scott, Walsh and Sullivan.

At Cleveland 9 10 2, Washington 6 10 6.

Batteries—West, Kaler, Blanding and Fisher; Hughes and Almsmith.

At St. Louis 3 6 2, New York 1 9 4, St. Louis 6 10 1.

Batteries—Caldwell, Quinn and Blair; Powell and Stephens.

COAST LEAGUE

At Sacramento 2 6 2, Portland 5 8 1, Sacramento 3 8 1.

Batteries—Henderson and Murray; Byram and Thomas.

At Oakland 3 6 0, San Francisco 1 5 0, Oakland 1 5 0.

Batteries—Miller and Berry; Kilroy and Pearce.

At Los Angeles 6 10 1, Los Angeles 5 9 2.

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The modern business man carries on an aggressive campaign. He doesn't consider it enough to sit in his office behind closed blinds and wait for the people to come and ask. He knows the force of suggestion and hypnotism, and, anticipating desires, buys a good thing, then advertises, talks, exhibits, until he makes everyone else see just how good, and how desirable it is. If he is a real business man, however, he knows that unless there is a solid foundation to all the glitter, his efforts are in vain. His judgment must be keen and shrewd, and his knowledge large, for hypnotic suggestion which does not launch itself into value received, buys bankruptcy. His business is to find out in the general market, the best of that which his customers need or are likely to be attracted by, and to represent his selection, as to satisfy the most progressive, and stimulate or create the desires of the rest. His success depends firstly, on the stock he gathers together, afterwards on its power to appeal.

Public libraries are not mercantile institutions, but the psychology which makes aggressive business methods pay, is just as true science in the world of books, as in a real estate office or at a spring millinery opening. A library based on the principle of "do nothing until you have to," will never go very far, nor rise very high. Moreover, it will satisfy nobody. It must take the initiative, find out the best, and put it before the people, in all the phases of their multifarious interests. "Please give me something good," they say, and rely on the library to know what is good, and to have it there. It may be merely a clean, vigorous, well-written story, or it may be the best work published, or architecture, or the latest development in aviation, or the prevention of tuberculosis. It is the library's business to round-out and satisfy, even half formed wants, but it must go farther. It is there not only to provide good things, but to let it be known that things are good—to suggest, to help and to develop.

The day is long past when finishing thumb-nail novels over a counter comprised the work of a library. Recreation has its place, and an important one, but it is only one little part in the living of a life. All the rest must be built up solidly before any recreation can re-create. The library must be the live centre, in touch with every kind of activity. Engineers, club women, church workers, workmen, shippers, and stockraisers, have a right to ask, "What have you to interest me?" Besides, in these complicated days of

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OUR LETTER BOX

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 To the Editor:—There is an old saying that people who live in glass houses should not throw stones, also to take the beam out of your own eye before taking the mote out of your brother's eye. A Calgary paper made a slip in its geography about Nelson and was held up to ridicule. Your paper is constantly reporting that steamers come to Comox for coal. If you were to land where the steamers get the coal you would have to walk 15 miles to reach Comox, which should so impress the fact upon your memory that you would not again mistake Union Bay for Comox. The people at Comox get their coal brought to them by steamer from Union Bay. How Comox has grown.
 J. M. MUIR.

"CROWNING OF SAILOR KING."

To the Editor:—The enclosed letter, which has recently been received by the Victoria branch of the B. & F. S. Society, from the Dominion representative, the Rev. Alfred Hall, at Toronto, together with one addressed to the public generally, I beg to forward to you with the hope that you will kindly give publicity to the same in the columns of your valuable paper, and thus afford the citizens of Victoria an opportunity of co-operating with their fellow-subjects throughout the Dominion of Canada who desire to "celebrate the crowning of their sailor King and his Queen by a practical deed of sympathy towards sailors of all nations."
 Any friends wishing to have their names on the list to be presented to His Majesty by Lord Strathcona, referred to in the following letter, can do so by forwarding the same and the amount of their subscription or donation to the Rev. Alfred Hall, Toronto, or to the undersigned.
 J. S. HAILEY,
 Port Missionary and Secretary, Seaman's Institute, Victoria, B. C.
 May 15, 1911.

64 Wellesley St., Toronto.
 April 11, 1911.

To the Chairman, Victoria Seaman's Institute:
 My Dear Sir:—I desire yourself and your committee to have information that we are using the occasion of His Majesty's coronation to awaken a wider interest in seamen throughout Canada, as per enclosed letter. If the response is good we hope all our Institutes will share in it. With my kind remembrances to yourself and your colleagues and asking their prayers for the success of this movement.
 (Signed) ALFRED HALL,
 British and Foreign Sailors' Society, Canadian Branch,
 Patron, His Gracious Majesty King George V., Admiral of the Fleet,
 64 Wellesley St., Toronto.

April 11, 1911.

Dear Sir:—Canada will furnish a brilliant coronation incident when Lord Strathcona, our president, informs His Majesty that thousands of Canadians will celebrate the crowning of their sailor King and his Queen by a practical deed of sympathy toward sailors of all nations. This is being arranged by the preparation of lists of Canadian citizens who will donate a coronation gift or an annual subscription to the Canadian branch of the oldest sailors' society in the world, with which their Majesty's name has been closely identified. The board of directors consider that this movement will significantly mark the occasion. No personal canvass will be made for it among adults, and thus it cannot fail to meet the Royal pleasure. The lists will be forwarded to Lord Strathcona for presentation, and your co-operation is earnestly invited. The society's work is neither political, nor military, nor sectarian, but for social service and spiritual purposes in which, for nearly 80 years, the various churches have united on shore. There are six associated Canadian Institutes. Government returns show that 400,000 seamen trade yearly with Canada. For new Institutes in Canada \$125,000 is needed, of which about \$60,000 is promised. Hitherto great mercantile companies in British cities have aided this work, and it is hoped that their example will be followed in the Dominion, and that others will participate in this centenary year of afloat shipping. Our overseas commerce, our vast immigration, and our maritime interests all remind us of our debt to the sailor. The directors hope it will please you to give Lord Strathcona the opportunity in this, his ninetieth year, to represent you in this matter.
 (Signed) ALFRED HALL.

EXODUS OF JAPANESE.

Washington, D. C., May 19. — That more Japanese are leaving Hawaii and the United States than are entering the country was told the House yesterday by Representative Knowland of California. Mr. Knowland submitted department of commerce and labor figures to show that from July 1, 1908, the Japanese entering the United States numbered 7,501, against 14,195 leaving the United States. In Hawaii there were 4,348 arrivals, and 6,266 departures. "This does not look like an invasion," Mr. Knowland said. "In view of the interest shown on the Pacific coast when the recent Japanese treaty was up these figures should be of interest."

"VOTES FOR WOMEN"

To the Editor:—May I correct a misstatement in your editorial of this evening on Women Suffrage?
 The new bill, if passed, will enfranchise only about one million women in the whole British Isles, and it is the bill for which the Women's Social and Political Union (the members of which are known as "militant suffragettes") has been working for the past twelve months. The suffragettes have never demanded a universal suffrage. Their claim has never varied since the inauguration of "the union," viz. votes for women on the same qualification as men. It is the simple justice of their demand that is their strongest weapon, and it is the popular ignorance of the moderation of their demand that is their strongest enemy. These facts may be verified easily if one would take the trouble to read their official organ, Votes for Women, which is an old is always on view in the ladies' room at the Carnegie library of this city.
 U. H. PETHICK,
 Victoria, B. C., May 18, 1911.

CANNOT GOVERN THEMSELVES

Egyptians Incapable of Responsibilities of Home Rule.
 Sir Eldon Gorst, the British agent and consul-general in Egypt, in his report on Egyptian affairs, which has been issued as a parliamentary paper, frankly acknowledges that the efforts made to develop self-government had been disappointing. The legislative council and the general assembly, he says, have become "mere instruments of nationalist agitation against the occupation."
 They seek to render the business of the government impossible.
 "The conclusion to be drawn," says Sir Eldon, "is that the policy of ruling this country in co-operation with native ministers at the present time is incompatible with that of encouraging so-called representative institutions."
 The British agent adds:
 "We have to make the Egyptians understand that the government do not intend to allow themselves to be hustled into going further or faster in

the direction of self-government than they consider to be in the interests of the Egyptian people as a whole. Until this elementary lesson has been thoroughly learned no proposals looking to the further development of the legislative council can be usefully entertained."

THE ADVANCE MAN

Olga Nethersole.
 Olga Nethersole, the distinguished English emotional actress, declares that one of the most cherished remembrances of her first season on this continent are the words of encouragement she received from the late Joseph Jefferson. At that time she was playing at the Boston museum and she had just added "Romeo and Juliet" to her repertory. Her impersonation of the Veronese maiden had caused so much discussion in the newspapers that Jefferson decided he wanted to judge for himself. He came to one of the matinee performances and then sought Miss Nethersole on the stage.
 "My child," he said, "some people are born into the world to make new roads; others to walk in those roads." Putting both hands on her shoulders, as though to emphasize his words, Jefferson added: "Go on making your own road."
 Miss Nethersole avers that she has never been mindful of this advice in all the steps that have marked her successful career in America.
 This season Miss Nethersole is playing in the miracle play of Maurice Maeterlinck, "Sister Beatrice," and in a modern drama by Paul Hervieu called "The Enigma." The two plays will be given as a double bill at the Victoria theatre on Monday, May 22, and Miss Nethersole will appear in both pieces.
 "The Barrier."
 Rex Beach's masterpiece, "The Barrier," will be presented at the opera house next Wednesday, May 24, by an excellent company of Eastern players. The stage version of the book ranks as

the most accurate exponent of life in Alaska ever presented on the American stage. It is a play with the zest of life, the rigor of the games, the reckless daring of the adventurer, and has a rich vein of humor running through it all. This is the first transcontinental tour of "The Barrier," and it comes here direct from a year's run at the New Amsterdam theatre, New York city. Miss Helen Barham, a well known Eastern actress, has been specially engaged to play the character of "Neela," and that sterling favorite, Norval MacGregor, will be seen as "Captain Barham." The supporting company is first class in all respects, and a beautiful scenic production is carried.
 "The Barrier" has for its plot the story of a hunted man whose daughter has staked a claim which turns out rich, and relates the attempt to steal it from her. The intervention in her behalf by the United States army is in the person of a handsome young captain, who eventually wins and marries her. The story in the telling is one of the most strongly dramatic that has been staged in the past decade.

Crystal Theatre.
 "The Shadow of the Cross," described as "the unfinished and unexplained picture," by Henry Hannon Ahl, the picture marvel of all the ages, has been secured by the Crystal theatre, and will be placed on exhibition in connection with the regular show at the same price of admission and with the same number of films. This picture has been on exhibition in about fifty of the principal cities of the United States and Canada, as well as at the St. Louis world's fair and the A. Y. P. at Seattle.
 The canvas on which the picture is painted measures four by seven feet. In order that the strange phenomenon connected with this picture may be seen, it is exhibited in an apartment from which all daylight is excluded, thus allowing the lights to be turned off and the picture viewed in utter darkness.
 Seen in the dark, the figure of Christ appears as if walking in the pale moonlight. Above and behind the figure is a dark cross, which seems to hover over it, and this is what first suggested the

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name, "The Shadow of the Cross." To many, after looking at the picture in the darkness for a few moments, the figure appears to move and breathe. The management makes no attempt to account for the singular phenomenon seen in connection with the picture, but simply invite patrons to call, see it, investigate freely, and draw their own conclusions.
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BETTER CONDITIONS FOR BANK CLERKS

Canadian Banks Denounced as Harsh Taskmasters—The Banking Act

Ottawa, May 11.—The banks of Canada were denounced in the House of Commons as harsh taskmasters by Mr. E. N. Lewis in the reading of the Banking Act. He declared that the young men in the banks were overworked and underpaid. He introduced a bill, which, among other things, provides an eight-hour day for bank employees.

"Banks have become corporations without soul in their treatment of their clerks," Mr. Lewis declared. "It is high time Parliament stepped in. In their chase of the dollar they have got the miser habit, and underpaid and overworked clerks are being destroyed and injured physically and mentally." Mr. Lewis displayed a parcel of newspaper clippings all of which, he said, recorded suicides of bank employees in which their accounts were all right and the cause of suicide could only be traced to the conditions and hours under which they were forced to labor. He thought investigation should be made and the criminal code applied. In many cases he stated the clerks were only allowed fifteen minutes in the middle of the day to "go down the cellar and grab some thing to eat." His enquiries showed him that many of these overworked youths were being paid only from \$250 to \$300 per annum.

He alluded specifically to one bank which he said had sent over to the Old Country to secure young men for its staffs, and suggested an eight-hour day with a severe criminal code penalty on the manager and president when it was exceeded.

Dr. Sproule concurred in what he termed the good suggestions of the Huron man, but he would go further. "The bankers' embargo on marriage should be made a punishable criminal offence," he declared. "It is a crime against the country, and a very severe penalty should be meted out to any bank manager or bank officer who seeks to enforce it. The law of the land should step in and put an effective

end to this improper, unwise and criminal interference with personal rights."

The bill, which is termed "An Act to amend the Criminal Code respecting Banks," provides an imprisonment penalty on anyone for the giving of causing to be given to any creditor of any bank any fraudulent, untrue or unfair preference over other creditors. It also provides a similar penalty for any president, general manager or other official who makes any deceptive document or return, whether he knew such was deceptive or false or not. It further makes punishable by imprisonment any director or official who by himself or through another accepts a loan, discount or other consideration from the bank with which he is connected, and any director or general manager who assists in the creation of any watered stock in the institution.

A similar fall is decreed for making a loan upon or for the security, either wholly or in part, of the name of any company or the name of the name which has not been listed, and listed stock must be taken at its listed value.

The bill was given its reading.

STANDARD OIL DECISION.

New York, May 13.—Albert H. Walker, author of "The History of the Sherman Law," discussing the Supreme court's Standard Oil decision before the New York Finance Forum, declared that the pronouncement of Chief Justice White interpreting the word "unreasonable" into the Sherman law was not and never will be, an opinion of the Supreme court on the bill, but simply an obiter dictum expressive of the chief justice's personal view. The present excitement aroused concerning the chief justice's argument, he said, is but an unfortunate hysteria due merely to a misunderstanding of the court's ruling.

"The surprising thing," he said, "in view of tremendous excitement that has been raised pro and con, is that all this talk of Justice White's about 'unreasonableness' does not make the law of the land at all, but is simply what we lawyers call an obiter dictum, a decision of a matter not before the court, entirely gratuitous. It was merely an assertion of Justice White, of an opinion which he has been holding for 15 years and which did not represent the law at all."

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The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Robert Dinsdale will leave to-night for a visit to the old land. Hon. Price Ellison has left on a flying trip to his ranch at Vernon.

local manager of the C. P. R. telegraph, and on his transfer to Nanaimo was succeeded by William Christie, who recently retired.

Miss Janet Throgmorton, Seattle, is spending a few days here with her aunt, Mrs. R. H. Gestone.

Miss Irene Best, Winnipeg, is in the city as the guest of the Misses Robinson, "Viancede," Esquimalt road.

Mrs. F. Bowser, Kerriedale, has returned home after visiting her daughter, Miss Maud Bowser, who is ill at St. Joseph's Hospital.

John a Humbird, of Minneapolis, with Mrs. Humbird, is making what he looks upon as his annual pilgrimage to British Columbia.

The eleventh annual convention of the King's Daughters will be held in Duncan on June 1 and 2. This gathering of the King's Daughters from the various circles forming the order of the province; conferring on matters of interest to all, and for the executive board for the ensuing year.

PASSING SHOW

Romano Photoplay Theatre. Manager Quagliotti has an all feature programme for the end of the week. "Master and Man," an Imp. drama, heads the list, the acting and stage settings of which are superb.

For to-day and to-morrow the intensely dramatic picture, "Society and the Man," will be one of the feature films at the above named theatre, depicting a wife's love and sympathy being restored to her despondent husband at the moment when all appeared darkest in his life.

"The Regimental Ball," a wonderful army story, tells of the test a code of army ethics was put to. It is an unusual story of the comradeship of two young officers and of the bitter rivalry that succeeded it all on account of a girl.

The management of this popular picture house have secured some very interesting films for to-day and to-morrow. "The Red Avenger," a western drama by the Bison company, heads the list.

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DID NOT REPORT AUTO ACCIDENT

First Case Under Motor Traffic Act—Fine Imposed Against R. Jaffrey

Charged under the Motor Traffic Regulation Act of last session with not having reported an automobile accident in which he was concerned within twenty-four hours after its occurrence, Ralph Jaffrey was fined \$5 in the provincial police court this morning.

The accident occurred at Colwood and Goldstream roads on May 11, when the automobile damaged a vehicle occupied by Daniel and Agnes George, with the result that Mrs. George had to obtain medical attendance. A medical certificate was put in.

The new act provides that all accidents within cities must be reported to the police within six hours of the time of occurrence, and those which occur outside cities must be reported to the provincial police within twenty-four hours of the occurrence. The defendant failed to report and this morning pleaded guilty.

There was a second charge against him of passing a horse-driven vehicle in an automobile at a speed over ten miles an hour. The charge arose out of the same occurrence as the first and accused pleaded guilty and was fined \$20.

PROVINCIAL GAZETTE.

Companies Incorporated—Appointments—University Endowment Act in Force.

Yesterday's B. C. Gazette contains notice of the following new companies having been incorporated: Alberta & Pacific Development Company, Limited; Athenaeum Club; Bankhead Orchard Company, Limited; Basan Bay Brick and Tile Company, Limited; Booth-Milner Trust, Limited; Campbell Lumber Company, Limited; Canadian Rohrbaeher Tire Pump Company, Limited; Canadian Tugboat Company, Limited; Commodore Limited; Coquitlam Terminal Company, Limited; Gordons, Limited; Midway Maple Leaf Oil Company, Limited; Moore Printing Company, Limited; National Stock and Bond Corporation, Limited; O. K. Cannery Company, Limited; One-Six-One, Limited; Reed-Roller Block Company, Limited; South Kelowna Orchard Co., Ltd.; Thompson Trading Company, Limited; Victoria Fuel Company, Limited.

Extra provincial companies licensed are: Berlin Interior Hardware Company, Limited; Berliner Gramophone Company, Limited; Canadian Postum Cereal Company, Limited; Charles M. Home, Limited; Gould, Shipley & Muir Company, of Brantford, Ltd.; McElroy Manufacturing Company, Limited; Norton Griffiths & Co., Ltd.; Sunset Orchard Lands, Limited; Cora Products Refining Company, Limited, has been registered.

Appointments announced are: To be notaries public—Henry Thos. Wilson, Kamloops; James Arthur Arnold, Cranbrook; John Evans Lacey, Salmon Arm; Leslie Robert Pearce, Monte Creek. To be justices of the peace—Omar S. Bunt, Minstrel Island; Charles An-

thony Watts Lethbridge, Hope; Edward Peters, Ymir.

James Maitland-Dougall, to be government agent at Duncan, stipendiary magistrate for the county of Nanaimo, registrar of the county court held at Duncan, recording officer under the Cattle Act for Cowichan and The Islands, registrar of vital statistics, registrar of voters, magistrate under the Small Debts Act, deputy assessor and collector and collector of revenue tax for Cowichan assessment district. Thomas W. Herne, Fort Fraser, to be stipendiary magistrate for the county of Cariboo; John S. Morgan, Merritt, to be police magistrate for that city; G. H. Dawson, Vancouver, to be surveyor-general; Dr. John L. Atkinson, to be resident physician at Queen Charlotte; Wm. B. Paterson, solicitor, Glasgow, to be commissioner for taking affidavits in Lanarkshire and Renfrewshire for use in the courts of British Columbia.

Certificates as assayers have been granted to George L. Backus and Wm. J. Hamilton. The University Endowment Act and the amending act of last session are proclaimed as in force on, from and after May 15.

FROM A SATISFIED ONE.

To the Editor:—In your issue of to-night I notice a letter from "Disappointed," which I think is most unjust. I was at the concert on Wednesday night and certainly cannot say that the programme submitted called for any such harsh criticism as that meted out by your correspondent.

My musical training was under such teachers as William Henochel, organist of the Royal College of Music, and that grand old veteran, Don Manuel Garcia.

For twenty years before coming to Canada I have heard the best choral concerts and all the great singers at the London concert and festivals in different parts of the country, but I never before heard "Lend Me Your Aid" and "She Alone Charmeth My Sadness" designated "rubbish."

I grant that some of the songs sung were not new by any means, but "Disappointed" might remember that in an audience such as filled the drill hall there were just a few who were not so highly cultured (musically) as himself, and it might possibly be due to them that some of the numbers sung should be understandable to them.

The concert was not announced as a "chamber concert," "high-class," "musical," or a matinee for the production of new and so-called "high art" music, which very few enjoy and far fewer still understand.

These concerts, I take it, are given so that we may hear what a fine choir the "Sheffield" aggregation is. In this case the chorus is the first consideration, the soloists are secondary.

Personally, I would have preferred them to give some "work" for chorus and soloists, of about an hour's duration, and a short "miscellaneous" afterwards, but I am not foolish enough to say "rubbish" because they did not give me exactly what I would have liked.

I think your correspondent's letter was a gross insult to Dr. Coward and Dr. Harris, to say nothing of the soloists, and I feel pretty well ashamed of his splenetic outburst.

His cheap sneer at the poor taste of the audience for applauding the little "Irish" trifle of Lohr's I may pass by with the remark that "they could appreciate a little thing well done and he could not." Outside the splendid work of the chorus, the song "She Alone Charmeth," as sung by Mr. Charlesworth, was the finest number given, and the audience, minus Mr. "Disappointed," had the good taste to acknowledge it by their unstinted applause. It was a charming and musicianly rendering, especially when we consider it was given under such great disadvantages.

I think we are greatly indebted to the choir as a whole for the great treat they have given us, and beg to subscribe myself, yours truly, SATISFIED.

Victoria, May 19, 1911.

RUMORED PLOT TO KILL MADERO

(Continued from page 1)

Advices from Pachuca to-day state that Delmado Medrano, who has been proven by investigation to have been the leader of the mob that pillaged the town, was shot in the plaza at 6 o'clock last night. The execution was ordered by Col. Gabriel Hernandez, the revolutionary commander, and was witnessed by members of the Mexican White Cross and many prominent citizens who approved the summary punishment.

Mistaken for Federals. Naco, Son., Mex., May 19.—The advance guard of Gen. Lomeli's rebel force, marching west from Agua Prieta, was mistaken for a force of federals early to-day and fired on by the insurrecto garrison at Naco. Five rebels and one civilian were shot and seriously wounded before the garrison discovered its mistake. It is believed that some of the wounded, who were brought to the American side for treatment will die.

Battle in Progress. Cuernavaca, Mexico, May 19.—A sanguinary battle is being fought at Cuautla, 20 miles southeast of here, between the federal garrison under Col. Mungrua and a force of rebels commanded by Col. Zapala. Fugitives arriving here to-day state that the streets of Cuautla are strewn with dead and wounded.

A commission left here last night for Cuautla carrying the news of the advance, which it is hoped will put an end to the fighting. Gen. Figueroa is leading 3,000 federal troops from Iguala presumably en route for that city. Cuernavaca is the capital of the state of Morelos and is forty miles south of Mexico City. Cuautla is a town of about 8,000 population in Morelos.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Edgar and Mrs. Dewdney leave to-day for Sidney Inlet, via Alberni, and will be absent about ten days.

Henry Rive, the recently appointed dairy and creamery inspector of the provincial department of agriculture, left to-day for the Lower Mainland on his first tour of inspection.

William Campbell, a visiting Scottish journalist, was in the city yesterday, and left this morning on the Prince George for Prince Rupert. His articles will deal with opening for Scotch immigration and general topics.

Harry Glyn, formerly of Victoria, and now the representative of the Curtis Exhibition Co., is in the city arranging for the appearance here of Eugene E.H., a United States aviator. He expects to be able to make a definite announcement of the date shortly.

Rev. S. D. Chown, D. D., general superintendent of the Methodist church in Canada, is in the city to confer with Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, in regard to the position of the theological colleges which will be affiliated with the new provincial university.

E. Q. S. Scholfield, provincial librarian, has been dispatched to Pasadena, Sacramento, and Denver, to confer with other experts in library science and secure all the hints possible which may be found of advantage in connection with the session of the new legislative library, which will be the first portion of the new block to be placed under contract. At Pasadena he will represent British Columbia at the executive meeting of the American Librarians' Association.

—Read J. N. Harvey's ad., page 5.

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MAKES ANOTHER RUN TO NORTHERN PORTS

Amur Going Out Again Before Overhauling—Adelaide to Wait for Oil

Before the C. P. R. steamer Amur lies up for her extended overhaul, she will make another trip to the north carrying a cargo of freight to various ports. It has not yet been decided whether the vessel will go as far north as Skagway, but if sufficient cargo offers undoubtedly she will visit the Alaskan port. It was expected that the Amur would lie up when she arrives from the north in a few days, but she will make one more trip.

When she is relieved from active service the Amur will be given an overhauling extending over several weeks. She will have a new boiler installed, as the one now used is unable to keep steam up to a good working pressure. It has been in service so long. Her hull is also to be repaired, and her interior renovated, so that when the big undertaking is completed she will be in good condition for her run.

Owing to the fact that the Princess Charlotte's oil-burners are not yet working satisfactorily, the Princess Adelaide will not be able to go to Moran's wharves at Seattle to have her oil-burners installed for some time. Before the new Princess can be relieved from the triangular run it will be necessary to have the Charlotte ready to replace her. It takes some time to get the burners working properly, but when the steamer is able to continue her three-city run, it will only be a matter of two weeks before the Adelaide is on the night run between this city and Vancouver.

The steamer Princess Royal will, when the Adelaide takes her run permanently, be overhauled and enter the Skagway service, operating with the Princess May. Very shortly all the B. C. Coast service vessels will have completed their overhauls and be running on their summer schedules.

SOME LONG PASSAGES.

Sailing Ships Have Taken Greater Part of Year to Complete Trips.

Although transatlantic passages by fast steamships have been cut down to considerably less than a week's time, there are still vessels on the sea that make long voyages, consuming frequently the best part of a year, says the New York Marine Journal. An instance of such a voyage recently was the Italian ship Nina, which left Astoria, Ore., and sailed for 196 days without once being reported, and at the end of which she made the English Channel. Another long voyage was that of the barque Inverness-shire, which sailed from Hamburg on March 2, 1910, and was not spoken or heard from but once until 338 days later, when she arrived at Santa Rosalia in the Gulf of California. This voyage compares with some of the earlier navigators. For instance, on November 12, 1857, the ship Desire sailed from California for the British Channel, but did not reach the port of Plymouth until September 7, 1858.

Another extraordinary voyage within more recent years was that of the Beacon Rock, running between two Australian ports, which on one of her trips failed to arrive, but later turned up in

a Chilean port, some 6000 miles from her intended destination, having been unable to make any progress against a persistent head wind, and being literally blown across the broad Pacific. The four-masted barque Buteshire last year had the remarkable experience of sailing in a circle around the Gulf of Panama, and finally, at the end of ninety days, put back to her port of departure short of provisions. There is nothing more exasperating to a ship master than that of making one of those long voyages, seldom through any fault of his.

MANY PEOPLE BOUND FOR NORTH ON VADSO

Steamer Leaves on First Trip Since Accident—Carries Much Freight

Starting on her first trip north since striking a rock in River's Inlet, which necessitated her lying up for several weeks, the Boscowitz steamer Vadso, Capt. LeBlanc, left the Evans dock last night for northern British Columbia ports. She came around from the B. C. Marine ways yesterday and looked spick and span, having been painted and thoroughly overhauled while at Esquimalt.

A large amount of cargo was taken north by the Vadso and she also had many passengers, bound for various ports. Yesterday morning the steamer tied up alongside the Michigan, Puget Sound Lumber Company's wharf and took on 40,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Westholme Lumber Co. at Prince Rupert. Besides this the vessel had a great deal of general freight, much of which is for the canneries.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 18.
San Francisco—Arrived: Steamer Jim Butler, Everett; Pilefield, Bandon; Norwood, Grays Harbor, Sailed: Steamers W. S. Porter, Portland; Klamath, Astoria; schooner W. M. Marston, Honolulu; brig W. G. Irwin, Roche Harbor; schooner W. M. Talbot, Astoria.
Liverpool—Sailed: Candiate, San Francisco.
Seattle—Arrived: Steamer President, Sound ports; Buckman, Tacoma; Sailed: Steamer Strathardie, Tacoma; Buckman, San Francisco.
Tacoma—Arrived: British steamer Strathardie, Seattle; barge Washington, Gypsum. Sailed: Steamer Buckman, Seattle.
Rotterdam—Arrived: New Amsterdam, New York.
Liverpool—Arrived: Cymric, Boston.
London—Arrived: Oania, Tacoma.

VISITORS ON GEORGE HEAVY SOUTHWESTER ARE RATHER SCARCE HOWLS IN STRAITS

G. T. P. Steamer Brings U. C. T. Excursionists—Leaves for North One Day Late

About two hundred excursionists were brought to this city on the G. T. P. steamer Prince George, Capt. Geo. Robertson, this morning from Seattle to attend the convention of the United Commercial Travellers' Association, being held here. The number of visitors who arrived was much smaller than was expected, the local knights of the grip providing for eight hundred.

In order that the George might handle the excursionists she was held in Seattle for twenty-four hours and as a result she will not go through to Stewart this trip. She left port this morning for the north, but will only go to Prince Rupert, the Prince Albert having been instructed to take the passengers bound to the Portland Canal city to their destination. The steamer is due back here on Wednesday and she will have to travel at a slow rate to connect with her schedule although she is only going to the G. T. P. terminus.

Among the passengers who left on the George was H. C. Killen, district engineer, who will join the steamer Newington, of the marine and fisheries department, at Prince Rupert, and leave for Langara Island to select a site for a new lighthouse. He will come south on the Dominion government boat via the West Coast and will survey Solander Island, near Cape Cook, where another lighthouse will be constructed.

Other passengers on the George were: C. Durham, L. G. Kinner, W. L. Barke, M. J. McKell, S. Johnston, T. Russell and T. D. Pattullo. There were also a number travelling as second class and steerage. She loaded 170 tons of general freight here for the north.

SAILS RIPPED AWAY AND CABIN GUTTED

Schooner Rosamond Sprung a Leak While Weathering the Storm

San Francisco, May 19.—The American steamer Rosamond will arrive here about May 25 from Newport News with a cargo of coal for the government. Williams, Dimond & Company have chartered her outward for the American-Hawaiian Line and will survey her on Puget Sound with general cargo, for New York. This will be her second voyage in this service. She is a big carrier of 5,131 tons net register, capable of loading over 8,000 tons of cargo.

Comyn, MacKell & Company announce they have chartered the barque Peruvian to load lumber on the Sound for the West Coast. She gets a rate of 45 shillings for two ports of discharge.

The schooner William Bowdoin has been chartered by Balfour, Guthrie & Company to load lumber on the Columbia river for the West Coast at 43 shillings 9 pence. This is the first coaster taken by this firm in the past fortnight for the West Coast. The other three being the schooners Philippine, Ruth E. Godfrey and Balboa. Three were fixed at 43 shillings 9 pence and one at 45s.

J. J. Moore & Company have chartered the Norwegian steamer Tordenskjold to load coal at Newcastle for this port, and Hinde, Rolph & Company have chartered the barque Entebbe Kohata and Makawell and the schooner Mahukona for the same business. The Tordenskjold will load lumber at this port, Eureka and on the Sound for Sidney.

J. & A. Brown have chartered the schooner Minnie A. Calne to load coal at Newcastle for Puget Sound and the schooner Edouard Detalle and Ernest Legouve to load lumber for Portland.

One of the worst passages of the season was reported by the well known schooner Rosamond, which has arrived at Sidney from Grays Harbor. During a storm which the windjammer encountered she sustained damages which a survey figures will cost \$2,500 to repair. The vessel's deck of lumber and she lost 150,000 feet of the great seas and many sails ripped away by the terrific blow. The Rosamond also took to leaking after being battered for many hours by the tempest.

Transformed from a brig into a trim three-masted schooner, the old Gallice, lying here loading stores for the station of the United Fish Company in Alaska, would never be taken for the craft which formerly roved the tropical seas in the south Pacific island trade. In addition to the three new masts and a noble bowsprit, the little windjammer has received a complete overhauling and attracted much attention when she was being fitted with fine white sails. The Gallice was purchased by the United Fish Company to fill the vacancy caused by the recent loss of the well known schooner Carina.

John R. Drysdale, who has been acting as chief engineer on the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert since her arrival here, left on Wednesday for his old home in Tyngmouth via the Grand Trunk system. He came out representing the Wainwright-Tyne shipbuilding yards to deliver the vessel to the G. T. P. S. Co. in first class shape. During the time he has been here Mr. Drysdale has made a host of friends, who are sorry to see him leaving Victoria.

Proved Tricky in Harbor With Big Steamers—Tugs Are Washed by Big Seas

Besides causing considerable trouble in the harbor for the big steamers trying to get out, the southwest gale which blew strongly yesterday afternoon also proved an unpleasant thing to all vessels that had to buck the big seas in the straits and gulf. At intervals the wind blew at a great velocity, and it was the sudden squalls that were so tricky to navigators trying to turn their ships in the harbor. The wind would swing the vessels around and it was only with the greatest difficulty that the Princess Victoria succeeded in passing the entrance.

The big steamer was backing out in her usual manner when the wind slewed her around and Capt. Hickey was unable to work her back. The gale beat her down toward the Grand Trunk docks and the skipper devoted all his attention to bringing the vessel broadside on to the end of the pier and swing her around. In this attempt he was successful, and after half an hour the Princess was pointing her nose into the heavy seas in the straits.

Many tugs came into port yesterday, and all appeared to have battled with the elements. The tug Saddle, which was bringing a boom of logs from Jordan River, had a hard time of Race Rocks. Several of the scows broke away and she had a difficult task to recover them.

From the reports received here the southwest gale is prevalent along the coast, and storm signals have been hoisted at all points advising vessels to remain in port. Off the Columbia river the wind has been blowing at the rate of 72 miles an hour, and it is also howling off the west coast.

ENCOUNTERS HEAVY GALE.

City of Puebla Arrives Several Hours Late—Rough Outside.

Battered about by a strong southeast gale, the Pacific Coast steamship City of Puebla is delayed several hours in reaching port. She came up to the outer wharf shortly after midnight last night and showed signs of having been buffeted about. One hundred and fifty-six tons of freight were discharged here, and the following passengers were bound for this city: Mrs. W. G. Whorf and daughter, J. C. F. Boies, T. J. Reams, Mrs. S. P. Boies, T. J. Moorcom, Geo. Stanley, Mrs. A. V. Alder, Dennis E. Blue, R. H. Cooley, J. B. Black, L. F. Black, M. J. Black, C. M. Leland, Mrs. P. R. Moorcom, A. A. Eirch, F. S. Wigg, D. J. Blackford and wife, J. Knudsen, Miss E. Niblett, Leslie Mobley, Nettie Mobley, J. Parkus, Hugh Macmillan, John Macmillan, J. W. Murray, S. Busch, John Carlson, H. N. Hamilton, Jack Paldi, Mrs. J. S. Ellis, John S. Ellis, Thomas Ellis, Ernest A. Hall, Geo. Ostwell, Geo. Brown, Henry Phillips, Mrs. N. E. Leland, Martha Leland, Miss E. Wallace, Hugh Bell, and Mrs. C. Allen.

WIRELESS REPORTS

May 19, 9 a.m.
Pachena—Clear; wind N. W., light; 29.2; 59; light swell.
Cape Lazo—Clear; wind N. W., light; 29.2; 59; sea moderate; two-masted steamer with black hull and black funnel southbound at 6 a.m.
Tatobeh—Cloudy; wind west, 16 miles; 29.4; 48; sea moderate; in City of Puebla at 7:30 p.m.; out, Buckman at 4:45 a.m.; Slack at 5 a.m.
Point Grey—Clear; wind N. W., light; 29.4; 59; sea smooth.
Estevan—Cloudy; wind north, fresh; 29.5; 46; sea rough; spoke Empress of India at midnight, lat. 50.09 north, long. 137.41 west, eastbound.
Triangle—Overcast; wind, S. E., 6 miles; 29.7; 39; light swell; spoke Alameda at 9:20 p.m., lat. 52.16, long. 132.57, southbound; spoke Empress of India at 11:50 p.m., lat. 50, long. 137.41, southbound.
Koda—Overcast; calm; 30.29; 48; sea smooth; Amur northbound at 10 p.m.
Prince Rupert—Cloudy; wind S. W.; 29.29; 42; sea smooth; in, British Columbia, towing North Bend at 7:30 p.m.; out, Princess May at 9 p.m., northbound; in, Newington at 6:30 a.m.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy; wind S. E., light; sea smooth; Lillooet at Skidgate.

SLACK WATER—ACTIVE PASS.

May 19, 1911.	
H. W.	Slack
1 4:25 10:25	11:30 12:40
2 5:22 10:44	1:23 13:30
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 12th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight.

After discharging over 2,000 tons of general freight at the outer wharves, the Blue Funnel liner Tenebris is to start her morning for Vancouver, where she will unload 8,000 tons of cargo.

MARINE NOTES

The Allan liner Pretorian reached Quebec on Wednesday evening from Liverpool and docked at Montreal the following day. The Victorian, of the same line, arrived at Quebec this morning and will tie up at Montreal tomorrow.

Work on the Charmer is now about completed, and she will soon be ready for service. Her funnel has been placed in position following the installing of the new boilers. The work of equipping her with oil burners has been completed, and she will within a short time leave the yards of the Victoria Machinery Depot.

For the information of owners, customs officers have formulated the following rule, by which a vessel can be quickly measured and her tonnage learned: Multiply the inside length by the breadth, and this product by the depth of the hull. Of the cabin multiply the length, breadth and depth above the deck. Add the two and subtract the space occupied by the machinery, which is found by the same method. Multiply the remainder by 90 and divide the product by 100, and the quotient will give the net tonnage.

For the celebration here next Wednesday the steamer Chippewa, of the Puget Sound Navigation Company's fleet, will bring a party of excursionists from Tacoma. The Chippewa will leave Tacoma from the municipal dock at 8:15 a.m. Wednesday and arrive at Victoria at 2:30 p.m. Leaving Victoria 5 p.m. she will reach Tacoma about 11 p.m. This will give the excursionists two and a half hours at Victoria for sight-seeing. On account of the celebration that will be in progress there will be many things of interest to see in addition to the permanent attractions to tourists.

Bringing the first cargo of pineapples from the Hawaiian Islands this season, the Matsun liner Hilonian has reached Seattle, coming from Honolulu by way of San Francisco. At San Francisco the Hilonian took on a big shipment of distillate and gasoline, which is being sent by the vessel to the Island sugar plantations. The pineapples brought by the Hilonian fill more than 700 cases, and the luscious fruit is to be distributed among Seattle merchants. The Hilonian is loading several hundred tons of fertilizer produced in British Columbia, which will be taken to the pineapple fields to coax on a new growth of the golden fruit. In addition to fertilizer, the Hilonian will load 150,000 feet of lumber and 500 tons of flour at Seattle.

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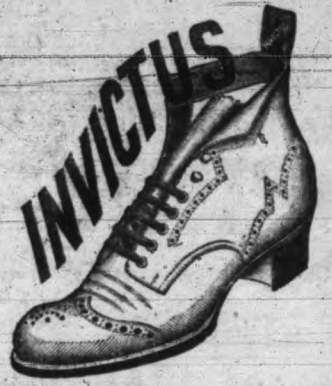
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According to wireless reports received here this morning, the R. M. S. Empress of India will reach the outer wharf at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning from Yokohama. Both stations at Esplanade and Triangle were in communication with the white liner last night, and her skipper stated that she would reach the William Head quarantine station early in the morning. Her position at midnight last night was lat. 50.05 north and long. 137.41 west.

The Empress is bringing across a large list of passengers, a number of whom are bound for her port, while many are en route to London to attend the coronation. She has a great many Orientals who will disembark here, some of whom will have to pay the toll. About three thousand tons of general freight is being brought from Yokohama and Hongkong by the vessel, and her silk cargo is very valuable.

This evening the Canadian-Australian liner Zealandia, Capt. Phillips, will leave here for the Antipodes, carrying the largest complement of passengers she has ever taken from Victoria and Vancouver. This city will contribute the greatest number of passengers, as the Sheffield choir of over two hundred persons will join the ship here.

Next of the Oriental steamships due here is the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Tamba Maru, which is expected on Wednesday next. She is bringing across the Pacific the first tea shipment to come to Puget Sound this year.

The yacht Olympia, owned in Vancouver, ran ashore on Middle Rock in the harbor this morning and up to the time of going to press was still held fast. As the tide is falling the vessel will be damaged if she is not pulled off soon. Her skipper was attempting to take a short cut out of harbor and as a result hung up on the rock. The tug Bute and the J. G. Cox tried to haul her off, but she was held fast on the pinnacle. The Olympia had just been launched from Turpel's ways and will no doubt have to be hauled out again.

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NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, May 19.

	High	Low	Close
Amalg. Copper	94	92	93
Am. Agr. Chemical	59	58	58
Am. Beet Sugar	49	48	48
Am. Car. & Foundry	52	51	51
Am. Cotton Oil	33	32	32
Am. Ice Securities	25	24	24
Am. Locomotive	89	88	88
Am. Smelting	302	292	292
Am. Sugar	120	119	119
Am. Tel. & Tel.	104	103	103
Am. Tobacco pref.	102	101	101
Anacosta	46	45	45
Atchafalaya	112	111	111
Do. pref.	104	103	103
E. I. T.	80	79	79
C. E. R.	24	23	23
Central Leather	29	28	28
C. & O.	82	81	81
C. M. & St. P.	125	124	124
Con. Gas	143	142	142
D. & R. G.	30	29	29
Distillers Sec.	76	75	75
Do. pref.	81	80	80
Do. 1st pref.	50	49	49
Do. 2nd pref.	40	39	39
Goldfield Cons.	6	5	5
G. N. pref.	124	123	123
Ch. N. pref.	124	123	123
Inter-Metro.	39	38	38
Do. pref.	52	51	51
Inter. Harvester	128	127	127
Kan. City Southern	39	38	38
Lehigh Valley	124	123	123
Chico	24	23	23
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	128	127	127
Mo. Pacific	51	50	50
Nat. Lead	57	56	56
Nev. Cons.	19	18	18
N. Y. C.	102	101	101
N. Y. O. & E.	43	42	42
N. & W.	108	107	107
N. P.	124	123	123
Pacific Mail	26	25	25
Penn.	23	22	22
Reading	102	101	101
Rep. Iron & Steel	32	31	31
Do. pref.	92	91	91
Rock Island	32	31	31
S. P.	61	60	60
Son. Railway	29	28	28
Do. pref.	67	66	66
Tenn. Copper	38	37	37
U. P.	102	101	101
Do. pref.	41	40	40
U. S. Rubber	92	91	91
U. S. Steel	97	96	96
Do. pref.	120	119	119
Utah Copper	47	46	46
Wabash	17	16	16
Do. pref.	38	37	37
Western Union	78	77	77

Money on call, 2 1/2 per cent.
Total sales, 27,500 shares.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, May 19.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	94	94	91	94
July	88	88	85	88
Sept.	87	87	84	87
Dec.	86	86	83	86
Corn—				
May	62	62	60	62
July	61	61	59	61
Sept.	60	60	58	60
Dec.	59	59	57	59
Oats—				
May	34	34	33	34
July	34	34	33	34
Sept.	34	34	33	34
Dec.	34	34	33	34
Pork—				
July	14.72	14.75	14.35	14.65
Sept.	14.72	14.75	14.35	14.65
Lard—				
July	8.07	8.10	8.05	8.06
Sept.	8.15	8.17	8.12	8.12
Short Ribs—				
July	7.50	7.50	7.17	7.17
Sept.	7.77	7.80	7.35	7.35

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, May 19.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	12.15	12.15	12.09	12.09
March	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
May	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
June	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
July	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
Aug.	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
Sept.	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
Oct.	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
Nov.	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10
Dec.	12.16	12.16	12.10	12.10

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Greenwich, Conn., May 19.—Lester Husted, 12 years of age, told the authorities yesterday that at his father's request he pulled the trigger of a shotgun which blew the left side of the man's head off.

Frederick Husted, a wealthy farmer, was found in his home late Wednesday with his head partly blown off and a shotgun lying on a table. The boy said that his father sent his mother away, called him into the house, and laying the gun on a table knelt so that his left eye was at

the muzzle of the gun. Then he said: "Pull the trigger; it is not loaded. I want to hear how it sounds." The boy pulled the trigger, the charge of shot blowing away the left side of his father's face and head.

The authorities decided they would have to call it a case of suicide.

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The ADVENTURE HUNTER

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VALENTINE STONE, Adventure Hunter, walked the streets on a sunny morning in a very ill mood. The accident that he had met with had been slight, but it was unpleasant. To slip upon a dark stairway and so to make a straight red scar upon the forehead, it is true, was not particularly painful. The scar itself was not particularly red, particularly large. Under ordinary circumstances it would be but the trivial incident of a day and much less evanescent. It was the invitation of which he now could not avail himself which made the scar a catastrophe, for even adventure hunters have hearts, and all men are human when bright eyes come to look upon them, with favor.

These things are stated that they may suggest Valentine Stone's state of mind upon that sunny morning. They suggest remotely why one adventure at least came upon him unawares and caught him at a poor attention. So he was surprised when a pedestrian came upon his sight like a sudden glaze of day and Stone saw that mark upon his forehead, a good two inches long, vivid red, ere the fellow had passed. It was a mark usual enough, although red and straight to a degree. Many might have overlooked the man who bore it and speculation might have passed him by. A night of good fellowship could have accounted for it, an overbearing of that bottled liquid which is red.

To Stone, however, when he saw the scar it meant more than that. It awoke the slumbering desires of his eternal itch for action, and touched the edges of his attention. It was a scar not quite unlike his own. It stood out on the fellow's forehead not unlike a glowing mark of exclamation. Stone stared after the man, who was looking at the opposite side of the street. He was a rangy fellow, with a searching eye, his face lean and set into the expression of a grin, his step soft and free—a step that spoke more of prairie than of pavement.

Stone turned after him and followed without a hesitation. To another the action would have been sufficiently ridiculous. A scar, even a vivid scar, upon a forehead is not of itself so remarkable a thing as to change the ordered course of another's morning. Stone had long ago, however, learned to recognize his instinct for trifles. He felt it then as he turned after his man, watching his rangy figure as it swung along the road. He thought of that vivid scar—so like his accidental own, though he connected it with nothing. But, whatever it was, there it was sticking in his consciousness refusing to be effaced, clamoring for attention, offering unsought one of those bizarre commences to some mysterious adventure that so often Valentine Stone had passed two weeks of search to find.

So he followed his man, who moved rapidly along without the evidence of hurry and turned into a broad and quiet avenue. Stone saw him slow up about half way along and enter a brownstone house, pretentious in its gridded doorway, its box plants at the upper windows, the curtains at the windows. Stone increased his pace as the man ascended the steps and passed the door as the butler appeared. He saw the conventional question, the conventional answer.

The Man with the Red Scar

Then the possibility of mystery faded as thoughtfully as it had come. For, after all, Stone asked himself, what reason was there to have an interest in that man simply on account of his straight red scar? He became inclined to think that those peculiar impulses which had so often been to him the very magnets of danger and adventure were for once at fault. Stone came even to smile at himself. The man himself might with as good reason have followed the Adventure Hunter, and Stone smiled again as he thought that the only mystery he would be met with was the mystery of why Stone had slipped on the stairs. As, however, the blue coated officer paced along in the impressive way of his kind Stone thought it worth while to ask him about "525," into which house the man had entered.

As the officer had previously seen Stone, a familiar in the car of Inspector Cleary, he provided suitable information and affability.

"It's a man called Watkins, sir," said he. "A West-ern man. He's very rich, sir, I believe. A Wall street man. I think he is. Of course you can never tell these fellows. I suppose some of them haven't any more than I have. But he looks to have lots."

Stone nodded and dismissed the incident of the man with the red scar. He thought again about his own. He thought that he must without himself from the shop of Miss Kerkeloff till the vivid mark had turned as black as a decent purple or black. And with this resolution he decided for the drift of mystery which came back to him. It was then two weeks since he had walked the streets again. It was by chance, however, that he found himself upon the avenue which had contained the man of the exclamation mark of the previous day. That man was to Stone now only a memory. Indeed, the Adventure Hunter was interestingly observing an altercation between a chauffeur and a stout old gentleman clamorous in the matter of car fare, when there came to his attention, Stone's eye a shape which attracted his attention. Turning almost unconsciously as it came upon him a vague hank in his consciousness he saw for the second time, burning again upon his unwatching eyes, the familiar scar.

Stone for an instant stood, his face riveted on it in surprise. Before he had the time to move them, however, the man who possessed his attention looked unobtrusively at the Adventure Hunter and saluted him with two fingers of his right hand raised. Then came to Stone one of his sudden consciousness that again his instincts had proved superior to his judgment. Chance this time had cast adventure in his way without the toll of effort from him. Mechanically he saluted the man, even as the man had done—his two first fingers raised.

"Thought something had happened?" said the stranger, with unmistakable indications of intimacy. "Come on."

"Where?" asked Stone, adjusted at once, as was his way, to this strange new combination of circumstances that had him in their grip.

"All right," said the fellow, and, pausing for Stone, moved off with him in the direction that both were going.

"And how was Denver?" he asked. Stone replied appropriately and with a convincing quality of local color. The short remarks concerning his home served to smooth their achievement to a house whose bowed bowers were as gay, whose stately butler was as august as on the day previous. He had opened the door and accepted Stone and his companion in the embracing mantle of his survey. And with that look fell the formalities of the occasion.

"See, what had become of you?" the butler said. "You've got us wondering."

The door was closed, and Stone, entering, saw before him the presentation of a richly garnished hall swept by sumptuous carpets and by inviting glimpses of painted scene. In through a wide, open doorway—huge lit the clear light and framed by a background of rich and elaborate furniture—stood a man of fifty who smiled broadly upon Stone and stood with his hand outstretched, the full embodiment of the pursuits of successful brokerage.

"Well," said he, "here at last. Where ever have you been? You were getting us uneasy. We're all fixed up now, and we're waiting."

Stone smiled, ignorant of his expected personality, but with a fit exultancy throughout his new city of mystery in which he found himself placed. He, however, felt a certainty of his way. A sudden glimpse in the glass had illuminated for him alike the vivid scar of the man in the street and his own. That scar was the open sesame to this costly house. He had come to the prize of his adventure through this scar. That was the sign that gave the brotherhood of those that did whatever thing they were there to do. Secure in this knowledge, Stone felt courage to be specific.

"They had me spotted and I had to watch my chance," said he.

Stone turned after him and followed without a hesitation. To another the action would have been sufficiently ridiculous. A scar, even a vivid scar, upon a forehead is not of itself so remarkable a thing as to change the ordered course of another's morning. Stone had long ago, however, learned to recognize his instinct for trifles. He felt it then as he turned after his man, watching his rangy figure as it swung along the road. He thought of that vivid scar—so like his accidental own, though he connected it with nothing. But, whatever it was, there it was sticking in his consciousness refusing to be effaced, clamoring for attention, offering unsought one of those bizarre commences to some mysterious adventure that so often Valentine Stone had passed two weeks of search to find.

So he followed his man, who moved rapidly along without the evidence of hurry and turned into a broad and quiet avenue. Stone saw him slow up about half way along and enter a brownstone house, pretentious in its gridded doorway, its box plants at the upper windows, the curtains at the windows. Stone increased his pace as the man ascended the steps and passed the door as the butler appeared. He saw the conventional question, the conventional answer.

"That's what we thought," said the big man. "Well, everything's ready for you anyway. We're all ready for the getaway and of course you're all ready?"

"Sure," said the Adventure Hunter, "I'm ready. It's whenever you say."

"Well, we'll make it to-night," said the big man. "You must be tired anyhow. You can rest between this and then, if you want to. I'll show you to your room."

He led the way to the wide stairs and it was only when he turned about that Stone appreciated his immense bulk. He was the very mountain of a man, with a face massive and hard as a crag, with an opaque eye, calm and unwavering. Stone followed, a glowing wonderment upon him at the elaborate taste of every surrounding in the place. The bronzed statues, set in the large hall of the first floor, were masterpieces of their kind. The pictures were fanciful and of the first cost. The perspective of gilded furniture and costly trivials led away into the great room which Stone saw facing him, while that to which he was shown was as complete to comfort as to fancy.

"And now," said the man, pointing to the couch, "if you want to stay here and rest, all right. If not, we'll be down stairs."

Stone nodded, and on the man's departure looked about the room in which he found himself. A frequenter of strange places, it was almost instinctive in him to do so. His very life had often rested upon a matter of surrounding. He saw the two windows opening upon the rear, the door near the corner at the side, another in the opposite wall.

The room was rich with stately oak paneling, beautifully carved and divided at set distances with strips of projection upon which were oddly carved figures. Stone himself felt within him the very vine of excitement. He knew that no such place as this could be the arena of any trivial evil. Whatever thing he was expected to do was big, if it were an indication of the character marked upon the face of that huge man, or of his ability to pay for this elaborate setting.

Stone thought of these things as he removed his outer coat. Then the fancy look him to approach the stairway without. A chance word uttered below might give him some indication of the purposes for which he was intended. He moved out cautiously, with the gliding certainty came through custom of similar care. At the top of the stairway he paused, tense and expectant of sounds which he might hear below. And voices were even then sounding enveloped, notwithstanding the care of them.

"Well, who is he, then?" asked the man with the scar.

Stone peered over the balustrade with an infinite caution. Circumstances favored him. Three men were talking in the hall, with evident excitement in their posture. There was the original man with the scar, the huge man, and another that Stone had not seen before. He, too, had a scar upon his forehead and his overcoat had not yet been removed.

"He must be a cop," said the big man, from whom all polish had gone. "But, my God! how did he get onto it? The thing's been so close. How did he get onto it?"

"You can search me," replied the man who had signed to Stone upon the street. "Anyway, we're got no time to lose."

"But we can't go now," said the third man. "They've probably got the house watched. We'd better wait till evening. And even if they searched the house they couldn't find it."

Stone tiptoed away. Enough had come to his ears for his desires. The expected man—the man for whom the Adventure Hunter was mistaken—had arrived. They knew him, Stone, for an impostor. They suspected him for a detective, inexplicably come upon their scheme. Notwithstanding Stone's danger, however, he smiled at the curious complication of the whole affair. It was likely to be serious enough to him, and Stone had little time to lose. They, no doubt, thought that he was resting, but they might come upon him at any moment. He moved back to his room for his overcoat, his plan already in his head. He would go up stairs to the roof; he would move in through it to the next house, explain to its occupants

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He felt slowly, laboriously about the room, and presently the prize of his efforts was given to him. His hand encountered a thin raised strip. It seemed as if it were a regular band of decoration about the room. He pressed carefully along each division. He had pressed three knobs without result and was upon the fourth when he was conscious of a sort of intangible moving in the dark about him. There was a vague, soft, oiled sound, and before him at his face showed a window—the window that he had seen at his entrance to the room. The room had in reality been a rolling mechanism, changed at a touch. At a flash he could now understand the change that had taken place. The panels behind the decorated pillars of the room in its first guise had revolved, the projecting parts of the room had slid across closing doors and windows, and made the place secure as a grave.

Using the Password. He had, however, little time to speculate about these things. The fire escape was before him. He could not tell how little time it would take those whose stake was to be played that night to come to the understanding that their prisoner had gone. He moved rapidly downward, but with skilled quiet. Lights were burning at a side window, but he did not look within. The basement beckoned at his front and carefully he tiptoed along its length, without a halt. He knew that a lost second might defeat him now that he was so near his goal. Then he felt the lock of the door. He turned it. He was in the open street, and the large bulk of a covered automobile was at its front, the arc light shining on the hooded chauffeur who looked sharply at the Adventure Hunter as he emerged. Stone walked upon him without a pause or show of hesitation, and caught the man's eye fixed upon the scar at his forehead.

"Bullion," remarked the Adventure Hunter briefly. "Keep straight on till I tell you."

Without a word the man turned his lever and the machine moved along the street. Valentine Stone sat in the tonneau, given fully now and with a thorough satisfaction to the mystery that was upon him. For a moment he gave himself up to it, and even stretched his full length to give himself the full luxury of it. His feet, however, met with an impediment. He stooped and felt a suit case in the gloom of an angle near the side of the machine. He unbuckled the straps, opened it, glanced at its contents and chuckled.

"You can drive to No. 346 on—yes on the next street," said he.

The driver nodded and turned the corner. Three forty-six was the official resting place of his friend Donovan, captain of the "fleet." Arrived at the door, the chauffeur looked doubtful. He turned to see the gleaming steel of Stone's revolver and it settled his wish for further motion.

Stone called to a group of policemen at the entrance. "Captain in?" asked he.

The policemen knive Stone and his goodness in their superior's eye. "Sure," said one of them, entering the station, and Captain Donovan presently came out—a stout faced, silver haired man, with a glowing smile for his friends.

"Well, Valentine," said he, "come to take me for a drive?"

"Sure," said Stone. "Get in and bring a few of your friends inside."

Donovan glanced at him quickly and smiled as he saw the weapon. "It's got to be worth while, Val," said he, smiling. "I'm not feeling good to-night."

"A matter of thirty million," said Stone laughing. The Captain looked incredulous. "Matches?" asked he.

"Bonds," said Stone. "Very pretty work. Thirty millions' worth of bonds."

But the Captain was now alert. "Two of you" said he, turning round, and in his voice were the short, quick notes of urgency.

And so Valentine Stone for the second time that day rolled in the direction of that house with the box plants in the windows and the gridded gate, whose inside walls disguised themselves, and turned from a palatial

EARL OF SELBORNE
ATTACKS GOVERNMENT

Declares It Failed to Safeguard Interests of United Kingdom in Agreement

London, May 18.—The government was sharply criticised by the Earl of Selborne in the House of Lords last evening for "extraordinary supineness" in failing to safeguard the interests of the United Kingdom in the American-Canadian reciprocity agreement. He said that he thought it but right that the Dominions should work out their own salvation; but when the action of one part of the Empire affected the United Kingdom, he said that they (the House of Lords) had the right and indeed the responsibility to consider the question. The earl referred to President Taft's "very remarkable speech" and declared that when President Taft said annexation talk was all bosh, all accepted the president's words. Nevertheless the agreement formed a precedent capable of large extensions. President Taft's speeches had shown a complete misapprehension as to the ideas of tariff reformers and imperial preferentialists. It was no part of their policy, he added, to establish a Chinese wall in any part of the empire. He admitted preference first within the empire and afterwards each part could make its own arrangements. Ratification of the agreement, the earl continued, would place this country in a position of extraordinary difficulty. Baron Lucas, parliamentary under-secretary to the war office, replying for the government, said that the Earl of Selborne greatly over-estimated the damage to the trade of the United Kingdom and the difficulties that might arise. Canada was perfectly within her statutory rights, and the government could not interfere. The United Kingdom could never offer Canada the same advantages as could the United States.

HAD SORE 4 YEARS

Zam-Buk Healed It in Few Weeks.

Have you some old wound or sore which has defied all doctors' remedies? If so, yours is a case for Zam-Buk! Mr. Oliver Sims, of Purvis (Man.), writes: "I had an old irritating sore on my forehead that had troubled me for four years. Zam-Buk was recommended to me and in a marvellously short time it healed the obstinate sore perfectly. You may depend upon it that after this proof of its power we will never be without a box of it." As a rapid and certain healer of ulcers, abscesses, piles, inflamed nares, cuts, burns, bruises, scalp dres, eczema, eruptions, etc., you can get nothing to equal Zam-Buk. All drugstores and stores at 50c box or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. Try Zam-Buk Soap for tender skins and baby's bath. 25c. tablet.

INSURANCE COMPANY CASE

T. B. Moore Acquitted on Charge of Conspiracy—Ball on Theft Charge.

Vancouver, May 18.—Thos. B. Moore, who was charged with Charles W. Jennings in being concerned in a conspiracy to defraud the public by the sale of stock of the Hudson's Bay Mutual Fire Insurance Company, was acquitted by Judge McInnes. A confusion of the evidence in the case of the court held that while it was shown that Moore had sold stock of the company, the evidence did not justify finding him guilty of being a co-conspirator with Jennings.

With regard to the other charge against Moore, that of theft, Judge McInnes held that it would have to go before the jury.

Mr. Russell contended that this charge had been disposed of by the failure of the first count. The theft charge arose out of information laid by J. Ball and as Mr. Ball had started a civil action over the same matter Mr. Russell said he did not see any object in proceeding further in that court with it.

Judge McInnes still held that the charge would have to go before the jury and allowed bail for the accused in two securities of \$1,250 each.

—Read J. N. Harvey's ad., page 9.

Admiration for scenery appears to me to be a refining sentiment, which, though it may sometimes unfit us for the rough angles of the real world, amply repays us by the charm of the ideal.—Elizabeth Bogart.

A Family Medicine



Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

A pure distillation of malted grain—a safe tonic—an aid to digestion—endorsed by 50 years popularity. Procureable everywhere at \$1.50 a large bottle. The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Washington, N. Y. Pither & Leloir, Distributors, Victoria and Vancouver.

ANGLO-AMERICAN
ARBITRATION PACT

Speech of Premier Asquith as Delivered at the Guild Hall

The meeting at the Guildhall on April 25 in support of President Taft's proposal for a general treaty between the British Empire and the United States was largely attended; and was most impressive.

The statesmanship of the nation was represented by the leaders of the two historic parties and its religious life by the acknowledged heads of the chief communions. Every phase of imperial and national activity seemed to have a place on that platform beneath the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes. The Lord Mayor, who presided, had on his right the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Prime Minister, and on his left Mr. Balfour, Lord Aberdeen, and Lord Halsbury. On the platform were to be seen Sir Harcourt (colonial secretary), Sir Joseph Ward (prime minister of New Zealand), and Canon Alexander, who had been invited as a representative of St. Paul's cathedral. Grouped around the Lord Mayor and in the audience which faced him were representatives of the great financial and commercial interests of the city, and behind a stout barrier, at the lower end of the hall, stood many hundreds of the general public.

The resolution in support of the principle of such a treaty was moved by Mr. Asquith and seconded by Mr. Balfour. Mr. Asquith's speech was in these terms:

My Lord Mayor: This venerable hall has been the scene of many demonstrations and ceremonies of momentous import in the history of the city and of our country, but I doubt whether it has been the privilege of any of your lordship's predecessors to put it to a worthier purpose than that which has brought within these walls this morning this large and representative gathering. (Cheers.) The situation, the unique situation, which we are met—obliterating for the moment all distinctions of party and of creed (cheers)—to welcome and to recognize has come into existence with no ostensible or overt pre-arrangement. It has not been organized or engineered by the apparatus of diplomacy. (Cheers.) The initiative was taken, as we gladly and gratefully acknowledge, by the chief magistrate of the United States of America. (Cheers.) But the seed which he cast fell into ground that was prepared to receive it—and the act which a few years ago—may I not say a few months ago—might have been regarded as the dream of idealists has not only passed into the domain of practical statesmanship, but has become the settled purpose of two great democracies.

My Lord Mayor, the western world has been doing lip service to the Gospel of Peace for the best part of 2,000 years; and yet there has never been an era in human history in which the inventiveness and the resources of mankind have been more lavishly employed upon war and upon preparation for war. Nor need I remind you here that some of the bloodiest and most wasteful wars in history have been waged between men of the same blood, language and religion. Little more than 250 years ago we here in England were ourselves in the throes of civil strife. A century later, on the other side of the Atlantic, we were at death grips with our own children and kindred in the struggle which led to the foundation of American independence. And within the lifetime of many who are here to-day that great federation itself was torn and devastated by a fratricidal conflict. Surely it is a lesson to those of us who are apt to despair of mankind, who have lost faith in the progress of reason and of justice, who are tempted to see in the course of the generations of men little more than a succession of "tired waves, vainly breaking" on an iron shore—surely it is a lesson and an encouragement that we should now see two great English-speaking democracies of the world, numbering over 120 millions of souls, exercising an overlordship, direct or indirect, over a large portion of the surface and the resources of the globe, and by a common instinct coming to see that war between them would be an unthinkable crime, prepared to enter into a solemn compact which will make it for the future an impossible contingency. (Cheers.) I do not think that I am using the language of exaggeration when I say that we are here in the Guildhall to-day to record the most signal victory in our time in the international sphere of the power of reason and the sense of brotherhood. (Cheers.)

Arbitration is, of course, a familiar expedient of diplomacy for settling or averting disputes. It has been and it is frequently applied to specific matters of difference between civilized governments. Further, of late years, we have entered into a number of arbitration treaties of a more general character. But hitherto great countries have been accustomed to reserve from the scope of those engagements matters of vital interest and of national honor. What is now proposed—and that is the profound significance of the new departure—is that as between the United States and the United Kingdom, no matter what may be the gravity of the issue, whatever may be the magnitude of the interests involved, whatever the poignancy of the feeling which is aroused, there is to be for the future a definite abandonment of war as a possible solution (cheers), the substitution of argument by force, and the supersession by judicial methods of the old ordeal of battle. (Cheers.) That sounds to some people like a paradox; but the paradox is really the other way. There are many people still living who can remember the time when a quarrel of honor between two private gentlemen, according to the usages of polite society (laughter), could only be

TREMENDOUS CROWDS

CONTINUE WITH UNABATED FURY AT THE GREAT BANKRUPT SALE NOW IN FORCE AT

VICTORIA'S GREAT BARGAIN CLOTHING HOUSE

1419-1421 DOUGLAS STREET

which necessitated us to repeatedly close the doors to the wild stampede of humanity that had congregated and clamored for admittance last week. We beg your pardon. Those that were here were unable to be waited on, as it seemed to be a physical impossibility for the 25 extra faithful sales people, who worked far into the night, to cope with and properly supply the immense throng of eager buyers that were amazed and bewildered by the awe-inspiring spectacle of sensational bargains that stared them in the face from all corners of the store. Come! It will not happen again, for to-morrow, Saturday morning, we have arranged for extra sales people. The selling will be more exciting than ever. Clothing, Furnishings, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Jewelry, etc., almost given away.



An Actual Scene Taken in Front of the Store During the Terrific Rush.

Doors Open 9 A. M.
Saturday. Come!
Join the Crowds!
A Sweeping
Smashing
Sacrifice

Doors Open 9 A. M.
Saturday. Come!
Let Nothing Keep You
Away if You Value
Money

FINE SUIT OF MEN'S OR YOUTHS' CLOTHES,

all to match \$3.85
This suit is positively worth \$7.50 or your money refunded any time during sale.

A FINE SUIT OF MEN'S OR YOUTHS' CLOTHES
all to match, positively worth \$12.50 or your money refunded at any time during this sale.
Price \$3.95

MEN'S SUITS in high grade dark silk mixed Chevots, best for business wear. Regular price to \$15.
Sale price \$6.85

Not what we say here, but the values themselves will show the lowest for this sale—values like these \$18.00 pure SILK and WORSTER SUITS, hundreds of them included, and money back for garments returned. Prices to \$18. Sale price is \$8.95

HANDSOME BLACK THIBETS AND UNFINISHED WORSTED SUITS, also Richfield brown and brown stripes. Suits that sell everywhere at \$20.
Sale price \$10.95

Particularly in this grade of Suits we have the greatest surplus. Here we had prepared a line of which we are truly proud. Picture to yourself a handsome Serge lined Worsted or silk mixed Tweed Suit, perfectly tailored. It seems a pity to sell them so low, but necessity knows no mercy. Regular \$25 and 30. Sale price \$12.95 and \$14.95

MEN'S FURNISHINGS SLAUGHTERED

BOYS' AND MEN'S SHIRTS, prices 75c to \$1.00.
Wreck Sale price 25c

MEN'S SHIRTS, white and fancy patterns. Price \$1.50 and \$2. Sale price 85c

MEN'S FINE HOSE, worth 10c and 15c. Sale price 5c

JEWELRY

200 \$3.00 FOUNTAIN PENS 65c
\$20.00 SETS OF GENUINE ROGERS SILVERWARE \$9.85

\$1.00 ALARM CLOCKS 45c
\$2.00 and \$3.00 RAZORS 65c

50c CUFF AND COLLAR BUTTON SETS 10c
25c and 50c HAT PINS 5c

\$1.00 and \$1.50 GOLD FILLED CUFF BUTTONS, at 45c
Hundreds of other pieces of JEWELRY practically Given Away

MEN'S AND LADIES' HANKERCHIEFS, hem-stitched, white or fancy border; worth 10c to 25c.
Sale price, 3 for 10c

WOOL UNDERWEAR, worth to \$1.50. Sale price is 65c
TIES, worth 50 cents. Sale price 15c

MEN'S WOOL SOX, worth 50c. Sale price 20c
SUSPENDERS, worth 25c and 35c. Now 10c

GLOVES, 50c to \$1 values. Now 35c
TIES, all colors. Worth 25c. Wreck price 5c

SWEATERS AND SWEATER COATS, worth to \$3. Now 95c
LADIES' LISLE HOSE, worth 50c to \$1. Sale price 25c

15c and 25c LINEN AND RUBBER COLLARS. Now 5c
BOOTS AND SHOES ALMOST GIVEN AWAY

An enormous stock of Fine Boots at the mercy of the public. The greatest values on earth.

MEN'S LACE BOOTS, every pair guaranteed for good wear. Now \$1.45
MEN'S BOOTS for business wear that means service and comfort. All the newest shapes for spring; worth \$3.50. Now \$1.75

Fancy Vests and Smoking Jackets

MEN'S FINEST FANCY VESTS, latest style, all colors. Some plain with silk stripes. Very handsome patterns. Worth from \$2 to \$6. Now 95c, \$1.95 and \$2.45

MEN'S SMOKING JACKETS—Come in those nice dark shades. Worth from \$4 to \$10. Now \$1.95 to \$4.95

MEN'S FINE BOOTS, made from selected calfskin and vici kid, the best workmanship and finish; famous McKay sewn; every pair guaranteed and actually worth up to \$4. Now \$1.95

Here's the greatest chance in the sale for \$2.85. We offer the best BOOT in Victoria for the price, certainly equal to any \$4 and \$5 make. Latest toes and backstays; made from colt skin willow calf and vici kid. At \$2.85

MEN'S FINEST DRESS BOOTS, all sizes, styles and leathers; worth as high as \$7. Bankrupt Sale price \$3.95

MEN'S PANTS

MEN'S PANTS, worth to \$2.50. Now 95c
MEN'S PURE WORSTED PANTS, grey stripes and plain shapes, for dress wear. Regular price \$3.50. Now \$1.45

MEN'S PURE WORSTED TROUSERS, worth \$4 and \$5. Made in the up-to-date styles and costliest worsteds, fancy stripes and checks. Sale price \$2.45

ONE LOT PANTS, worth to \$4. Now \$1.95

SPRING HATS SLAUGHTERED

\$1.50 HATS, mostly Hard Hats. Now 35c
\$2.50 and \$3.00 HATS. Now 95c
Orner Hats worth \$3.50. Now \$1.95

settled by fighting. That is still the opinion and, I believe, in some degree the practice of some nations at the present day. The taking of life in a duel was, of course, always contrary to the Decalogue and technically punishable as murder; yet for centuries the Church and the Law strove in vain to put an end to it, and it is one of the most curious, and I think one of the most encouraging, chapters in the history of manners that in the lifetime of a single generation in this country it became entirely extinct. It has disappeared completely. We sometimes in these days speak dagers (laughter) or we try to do so (laughter) but we do not use them. A prime minister in the reign of King George V. who as the Duke of Wellington did as lately as the year 1838; to exchange pistol shots with him in the early hours of

the morning at Wimbledon, would be regarded as the fitter inmate of a lunatic asylum. (Laughter and cheers.) That, I say, has disappeared from private life. Is it a very extravagant or Utopian proposal, even in regard to so-called points of honor, that we may, as between ourselves and men of our own family, put an end to international duelling? I need hardly say that such a compact as is now suggested between the two English-speaking peoples has no ulterior political purpose. (Cheers.) Our contention contains and implies no message of menace to the rest of the world, or defensive. It simply means that within the vast area for which as states we are severally responsible war is ruled out as the possible arbiter of conceivable differences. (Cheers.)

Advertisement for Newton Advertising Agency. Text: "Advertising is to business what steam is to machinery." "Advertisements Written and Placed for All Businesses." "NEWTON ADVERTISING AGENCY." "Fourth Floor, Times Building." Includes an illustration of a woman's profile.

ADVERTISE IN THE VICTORIA DAILY TIMES

These For Sale Advertisements Will Bring About Some Real Estate Sales To-Day

THE CITY BROKERAGE 1278 Douglas St. Phone Y2403 Real Estate and Fire Insurance. Victoria, B. C. P. O. Drawer 715. Phone 815

L. U. CONYERS & CO. 633 VIEW STREET

SOME CHOICE BUYS. Stanley Avenue—House, 6 rooms, stone foundation, all modern throughout.

CAMOSUN REALTY CO. Room 1, Royal Hotel Bldg., Fort Street. Cook Street, near Hillside Avenue.

THE B. C. LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY 922 GOVERNMENT ST.

Figuard Street, east of Cook, 52 feet 6 inches x 170, with double frontage, all level and good soil.

Trutch St. We have one of the best lots on this charming residential street, 50 x 164, to a lane.

Oak Bay District, just off Oak Bay Avenue, 2 large lots, each 50 x 132, with double frontage.

Hillside Ave., 6 room house and lot, 35 x 100, house has front and side entrance.

Two Acres near Mount Talmie, with 7-room modern house, hot and cold water, septic tank, etc.

Cowichan Bay, 17 acres, with 350 feet of water front; one-third cash, balance on good terms at 7 per cent.

Shoal Bay Waterfront, 1 acre fronting on bay; 1-2 cash, balance 1/4 and 24 months. Price \$3500.

Johnson Street, 34 x 60, west of Government, with 3-story brick building, producing good revenue; 1-3 cash, balance arranged at 7 per cent.

Lots, 100 x 180, on Lampton St., near George car line. Easy terms. Price \$1200.

Simcoe St., close to Beacon Hill Park, Lot 50 x 125, on terms. Price \$2000.

Queer's Ave., facing new City Park, Lot 50 x 120; 1-3 cash, balance 1/4 and 2 years at 7 per cent. Price \$1750.

J. STUART YATES 22 Bastion Street, Victoria.

FOR SALE. Two Valuable Water Lots on Victoria Harbor, at foot of Yates Street.

To Rent—Three-story Warehouse on Wharf Street.

A. H. HARMAN 1317 Broad Street. A HAVEN OF ENJOYMENT FOR SALE

200 Acres, 100 acres good land, 100 rough but beautifully wooded with commercial trees; about 20 acres cleared and cultivated; good fruits; small good house on high ground with grand view of valley; ever flowing spring water.

LEE & FRASER Real Estate and Insurance Agents. Money to Loan, Fire and Life Insurance. 1222 Broad Street.

We have the following lots for sale: Avesbury St.—Two lots, each \$600

Boyd St.—Two lots for \$3150

Barnwick St.—Lot 50 x 105, for \$1150

Blackwood St.—Corner lot for \$850

Burnside Road—Corner lot for \$1800

Chapman St.—Lot for \$950

Cecil St.—Lot 50 x 110, for \$500

David Avenue—Lot 51 x 130, for \$450

Fifth St.—Lot near King's Rd. for \$800

Fernwood Road—Lot 50 x 158, for \$1025

Niagara St.—Lot for \$2100

Prudon St.—Three lots for \$1900

Simcoe St.—Lot for \$850

S. A. BAIRD Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agent. 1216 DOUGLAS STREET.

5 roomed cottage, Edmonton Road; good lot; \$760 cash. Price \$1800

Pandora St., near Cook St., new eight-roomed modern two-story house, good basement furnace, electric light fixtures, cement walks; easy terms. Price \$6000

Milton St., two fine lots, 50 x 125 each, with fruit trees; terms. Price each \$750

Burnside Road, two choice large lots. Price \$2200

Simcoe St., two-story house, 7 rooms; \$500 cash, balance \$30 per month. Price \$3150

ANOTHER TRAMWAY SCHEME SUBMITTED Two Proposals Now Before Committee of Nanaimo City Council

Nanaimo, May 13.—At the weekly meeting of the city council a communication was received from Messrs. Stewart and Rogers, Victoria, containing proposal for an electric tramway. The letter in part follows:

We will install a complete tramway of the most approved construction, along streets to be agreed upon and in a manner to afford the most satisfactory service to 3000 of our citizens.

We to commence work upon the same within four months from date of franchise or by-law.

We to continue said tramway service to all principal mines in and around your city and have same fully completed within twenty-four months from date of said franchise.

We to maintain city services at regular intervals as may be agreed upon and to collect no more than a five-cent fare along all lines within the city limits. Fares outside of the city limits to be further agreed upon.

We to provide special fares for all school children and men employed at your mines, the former at half rates and the latter at rates to be agreed upon by your honorable body of councilmen.

Briefly, it shall be our purpose to proceed with said work as promptly as possible, push the same to the utmost, install a plant modern in all respects, affording the most efficient service and always with a further view of city and suburban development.

The communication was referred to the Tramway Committee.

The following communication was received from Messrs. Bird and Darling:

We are instructed by the syndicate of local people, who gave notice of your honorable body last week through the undersigned, that they desire to apply for a charter for a city tramline, to advise you further as follows:

The syndicate understand that a proposition by outside people, capitalists, for the building and equipping a city tramway (city and interurban) will be made at an early date by the council, and as the syndicate we represent wish more than anything else, to see such a road constructed as soon as may be, they instruct us to write that their proposition for a charter will be, for the present, withheld, in hope that the parties above referred to will make satisfactory arrangements with the council, such arrangements to be confirmed by the people, and the building of a tramline to be undertaken as soon as may be.

Should, however, the proposal referred to be not satisfactory, the syndicate will take an early occasion to renew negotiations.

Yours faithfully, BIRD & DARLING.

On motion the communication was received and filed.

CITIZENS' RIFLE CLUB

Prince Rupert, May 13.—Prince Rupert Citizens' Rifle Association has taken a new lease of life for this season. In the court house a meeting of members of the Citizens' Rifle Association and all interested was held to discuss the re-organization of the Association.

An arrangement is being planned by which the Citizens' Rifle Association and Earl Grey's Rifles will have the joint use of the ranges across the harbor now used by Earl Grey's Rifles alone. Regular practice will proceed this summer, and a match is already being talked of between Earl Grey's Rifles and the Rifle Association as soon as the range matters are settled.

Office-bearers were elected as follows: President, R. Cameron; secretary-treasurer, Arthur Cuthbert; committee, J. R. Beattie, Guy Tooker, I. Cameron, J. Brown, C. E. Woods, and J. W. Potter.

DYNAMITED FISH

Nanaimo, May 13.—It is against the law to use dynamite, and this fact was brought home quite forcibly to two Nanaimo men when they were each fined \$100 and \$20 costs for using dynamite in Little Qualicum.

The two men guilty of the infraction of the act visited the stream in a one-horse rig, leaving their outfit on the roadside while they travelled a short way down stream where they brought their dynamite into action. A farmer residing in the vicinity got on to the same and after cutting loose the horse as they could not make their escape telephoned for Provincial Constable Kellett at Nanaimo, who without delay hastened to the spot and placed the offenders under arrest. They appeared before Robert Hickey, J. P., at Parkville, and as stated above were each fined \$100 and costs.



SHAFT WILL COST HALF MILLION DOLLARS

General Manager of Extension Mines Tells of Exploratory Work

W. L. Coulson, general manager of the Canadian Collieries Company, was seen by a Nanaimo Herald representative when on his way from Extension mines to Comox and Cumberland. Mr. Coulson stated that Extension mines are working at full capacity and yet the demand for domestic coal, which is pushed harder than at present, cannot be supplied, one reason for this being the difficulty of charging colliers for the trade, for if shipping was more free, the mines would be perhaps worked harder than at present.

The company now has two boring machines at work in that vicinity, and while Mr. Coulson did not particularize as to results, he stated that a shaft to cost in the neighborhood of half a million would be begun when the work of prospecting and defining the coal measures were completed.

Asked as to the rumor that his company contemplate the reopening of the Old Wellington mines, he stated that the exploratory work showed the measures that should be there. In that case Mr. Coulson stated that the shipping point for that section would be Departure Bay. His general conversation would indicate that he believed there were large and valuable measures of coal equal or superior to Extension coal in the Wellington tract owned by his company, and that these famous old mines would be again opened up at no distant day.

Mr. Coulson was asked if he cared to say anything for publication regarding the persistent rumors about that the Collieries Company would take over the mines of the Western Fuel. In reply he stated that he had nothing to say on the subject. He, however, remarked that Nanaimo was the natural centre of the extensive coal measures of Vancouver Island, that the mines in this section were in excellent shape and vast quantities of coal in sight.

NEW WESTMINSTER LIBRARY. New Westminster, May 11.—Considerable time was spent at the meeting of the city council over the recommendation of the board of works to call for tenders for cement sidewalks on and around Sixth Avenue and Tenth street. After much discussion it was decided to ask for bids.

A bonus of \$150 was voted to Mr. Alfred Turner of the Waterside Department in appreciation of his excellent work in connection with the laying of the new water main to Lulu Island. Mr. Turner devoted a lot of overtime to the work and completed it in a very expeditious manner.

The public library is to be made up to date if Ald. Lynch, chairman of the Library committee, has his way. At the meeting of the council this evening the Library committee was empowered to purchase books and periodicals to the value of over \$600.

ECZEMA WORSE IN THE SPRING The Blood is Watery—Difficult to Get the Healing Process Started. But Whatever the Cause You Can Relieve the Itching and Heal the Sores With DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

Salt rheum and eczema are usually worse at this time of year because of the sudden change of temperature and the dry condition of the blood.

It is not necessary to refer to the suffering caused from the intense itching nor to the tendency of these ailments to spread over the entire body. The essential point is how to bring about cure, and if you have been reading the cures reported from time to time in this paper you will already know that there is nothing like Dr. Chase's Ointment as a cure for eczema, salt rheum, psoriasis and every form of itching skin disease.

This ointment stops the itching almost as soon as applied, lessens the discharge from the vesicles or blisters, cleans out the morbid growth and stimulates the process of healing.

Because other treatments have failed, you may feel discouraged. But in Dr. Chase's Ointment there is a cure for you. We know this because of the reports we have received from so many thousands of cases.

For instance, there is the cure of Mrs. Kettle Massey of Concession, Ont., who had psoriasis or chronic eczema so bad that almost the whole body was covered with sores, and three doctors failed to cure her. One doctor said she could never be cured. Write to Mrs. Massey about her case.

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 50c a box, at all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

NEW ALDERMAN

Prince Rupert, May 13.—H. Douglas was the successful candidate in the civic election. Mr. Douglas has been prominently identified with the life of Prince Rupert from the start. The poll for aldermen in ward 2 stood: Douglas, 115; Alder, 51; Ferguson, 41; spoiled ballot, 1.

Boy Wanted

Apply MY CHOICE CIGAR FACTORY 1223 Oriental Alley.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A complete list of Local Improvement Works, authorized by By-Law, from time to time, will be found posted on the Bulletin Board at the main entrance to the City Hall.

NO. A BY-LAW

TO RAISE \$30,000 FOR THE PURPOSE OF RE-ARRANGING THE MARKET BUILDING FOR USE AS POLICE HEADQUARTERS AND JAIL

WHEREAS it is necessary to raise the sum of \$30,000 for the purpose of re-arranging the Market Building for use as Police Headquarters and Jail, and for the purpose of affording a permanent headquarters for the Police Force and for a common jail for the City of Victoria;

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable land and improvements of real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria according to the last revised Assessment Roll for the year 1910, was \$2,083,527;

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon, and for creating an annual sinking fund for the redemption of the said debt within twenty-five years according to law is \$1,200,255;

AND WHEREAS this By-law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor in Council;

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$30,000 currency or sterling money at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent. per annum, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purposes and to the uses hereinafter specified.

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council to cause the said sum of \$30,000 to be raised by the issue of debentures of the amount of \$1,000, and of such debentures as may be required, the seal of the said Corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

3. It shall be lawful for the Mayor in his discretion to cause each of the said debentures to be made, executed and issued for an amount of \$100 sterling, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purposes and to the uses hereinafter specified.

4. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, and shall be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and 1st day of July, in each year, and the interest on the said debentures may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed or engraved.

5. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum from the date of their issue, and shall be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of January and 1st day of July, in each year, and the interest on the said debentures may be either written, stamped, printed, lithographed or engraved.

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Corporation to dispose of the said debentures, at a rate below par, and to authorize the Treasurer of the said Corporation to sell out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charge incidental to the sale of the said debentures.

7. It deemed advisable by the Mayor thereof, in the said debentures, be reserved to the Corporation as a condition of the issue of the said debentures, that in each debenture issued hereunder, there shall be inserted a clause providing for such substitution may be inserted.

8. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum of \$30,000, and for the purpose of creating a sinking fund for the redemption of the said debentures, there shall be raised annually the sum of \$1,200,255, and all the said sums shall be raised before the final day after the final passing thereof.

9. This By-law shall, before the final day after the final passing thereof, be in the manner provided for in the Municipal Clauses Act, and shall take effect on the day after the final passing thereof.

10. This By-law may be cited as the "By-law for re-arranging the Market Building for Police Headquarters and Jail Purposes."

Passed the Municipal Council on the 8th day of May, 1911.

TAKEN NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Public Market Building, Cormorant Street, on Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1911, that the poll will be kept open between the hours of 9 a.m. and 7 p.m., and that William Walter Northcott has been appointed Returning Officer of the said vote.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., May 10th, 1911.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE

The "Sewer Loan By-law, 1911"; The "Parks Loan By-law, 1911"; The "By-law for re-arranging the Market Building for Police Headquarters and Jail Purposes"; The "By-law to Amend By-law No. 392, being the Public Library By-law, 1902"; The "School Loan By-law, 1911."

I hereby give notice that such of the electors of the Municipality of the City of Victoria as are entitled to vote at a public meeting for raising money upon the credit of the municipality, are requested to attend at the polling place, known as the Public Market Building, Cormorant street, in the said municipality, on Monday, the 22nd day of May, 1911, from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m., and to record their votes for or against the passage of the "Sewer Loan By-law, 1911"; the "Parks Loan By-law, 1911"; the "By-law for re-arranging the Market Building for Police Headquarters and Jail Purposes"; the "By-law to Amend By-law No. 392, being the Public Library By-law, 1902"; and the "School Loan By-law, 1911"; copies of which by-laws are published in the Victoria Daily Times, and copies whereof are posted up at the City Hall and in each ward and at the polling places.

And take notice that each By-law must be voted on separately, and that the said By-laws will not be valid or of any effect unless the vote polled in favor thereof be at least three-fifths of the vote polled. Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 11th day of May, 1911. W. M. W. NORTHCOTT, Returning Officer.

CITY OF VICTORIA

A Complete List of Local Improvement Works, Authorized by By-Law, from Time to Time, Will Be Found Posted on the Bulletin Board at the Main Entrance to City Hall

Local Improvement Assessment

TAKE NOTICE that the Corporation of the City of Victoria intend to pass local improvement assessment by-laws for each of the under-mentioned streets, assessing upon the properties in the schedules hereafter mentioned the sums of money for the length of time set opposite each said lot as follows:

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for Camosun Street from Pandora Avenue to Grant Street.

Water connections Amount chargeable to the City Sewer connections

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for Camosun Street (Water Connections).

Blanchard Street, West Side, from Bay Street to Queens Avenue, Sidewalk 6.0 Wide. By-Law No. 144

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for Blanchard Street.

Vining Street from Belmont Avenue to Stanley Avenue, Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards.

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for Vining Street.

St. Andrews Street from Simco Street to Niagara Street, Grading, Surfacing, Drainings, Sidewalks both sides, Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards, &c.

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for St. Andrews Street.

St. Lawrence Street from Erie to Dallas Road, Sidewalks, Grade and Macadam.

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for St. Lawrence Street.

St. Andrew Street from Simco Street to Niagara Street, Grading, Surfacing, Drainings, Sidewalks both sides, Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards, &c.

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for St. Andrew Street.

St. Andrew Street from Simco Street to Niagara Street, Grading, Surfacing, Drainings, Sidewalks both sides, Curbs, Gutters and Boulevards, &c.

Table with columns: NAME OF OWNER, Sub-division, Lot, Block, Section, Feet Front, Rate per Foot Front, Total, Ten Years Annual Payment, Total Annual Payment. Includes entries for St. Andrew Street.

Amount chargeable to the City Sewer connections

ANY FURTHER take notice that the Court of Revision for the trial of complaints and appeals against the assessment so proposed to be made, will be held on Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1911, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Council Chamber in the City Hall, corner of Douglas and Pandora Streets, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia.

BY-LAW TO RAISE \$300,000 FOR SEWER AND DRAIN PURPOSES

WHEREAS it is necessary to raise the sum of \$300,000, for the purpose of extending the present sewer system, the construction of new sewers, and the construction of surface drains in various parts of the City of Victoria...

AND WHEREAS the whole rateable land and improvements or real property of the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, according to the last revised Assessment Roll for the year 1910 was \$22,000,000...

AND WHEREAS the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon, and for creating an annual sinking fund for the payment of the said debt within five years according to law, is \$1,950,000...

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows: 1. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to issue on behalf of the Corporation of the City of Victoria...

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons...

3. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor and Council to cause any number of debentures to be issued and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of \$500,000...

4. The said debentures shall bear date the day after the final passing of this By-law, and shall be payable in fifty years from said date...

5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor and Council to cause the said debentures to be made, executed and issued in the name of the Corporation of the City of Victoria...

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to dispose of the said debentures, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures...

7. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to consolidate the said debentures, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures...

8. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of \$12,000, and the payment of the said sum shall be made on or before the 1st day of May in each year...

9. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of \$12,000, and the payment of the said sum shall be made on or before the 1st day of May in each year...

10. This By-law shall, before the final passing thereof, be subject to the approval of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria...

11. This By-law may be cited as the "Sewer Loan By-law 1911."

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., May 10th, 1911.

BY-LAW TO RAISE THE SUM OF \$150,522 FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

WHEREAS the Board of School Trustees of Victoria has caused to be prepared a detailed estimate of the sums required to meet the extraordinary expenses for the year 1911, amounting to the sum of \$150,522...

AND WHEREAS the same has been considered by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria and the said Council has finally disapproved of any of the said sums...

AND WHEREAS the said Board of School Trustees of Victoria has caused to be prepared a detailed estimate of the sums required to meet the extraordinary expenses for the year 1911, amounting to the sum of \$150,522...

AND WHEREAS the same has been considered by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria and the said Council has finally disapproved of any of the said sums...

AND WHEREAS the said Board of School Trustees of Victoria has caused to be prepared a detailed estimate of the sums required to meet the extraordinary expenses for the year 1911, amounting to the sum of \$150,522...

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., May 10th, 1911.

CONDENNED WOODEN BUILDINGS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria has, by resolution passed on the 12th day of May, 1911, declared each of the buildings in the Schedule hereunto annexed, marked "A" to be a nuisance and dangerous to the public health...

1. The estimate of extraordinary expenditure made by the Board of School Trustees of Victoria for the year 1911, amounting to the sum of \$150,522...

2. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons...

3. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor and Council to cause any number of debentures to be issued and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of \$500,000...

4. The said debentures shall bear date the day after the final passing of this By-law, and shall be payable in fifty years from said date...

5. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor and Council to cause the said debentures to be made, executed and issued in the name of the Corporation of the City of Victoria...

6. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to dispose of the said debentures, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures...

7. It shall be lawful for the Mayor and Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to consolidate the said debentures, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures...

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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C. Victoria, B. C., May 10th, 1911.

BY-LAW TO PROVIDE FOR INCREASING THE AMOUNT AVAILABLE FROM TIME TO TIME FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF A FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

WHEREAS by the provisions of the Public Library Act, 1907, the maintenance of the Public Library is limited to the sum of \$10,000 per annum...

AND WHEREAS this sum has been found to be inadequate for the current year, and the sum of \$10,000 is required for the maintenance of the Public Library...

AND WHEREAS in order to avoid the expense of a vote of the electors from time to time to increase the sum of money to be expended for the maintenance of the Public Library, it is desirable to increase the sum of money to be expended for the maintenance of the Public Library from time to time to the sum of \$25,000...

AND WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows: 1. It shall be lawful for the Council to borrow upon the credit of the Public Library...

2. It shall be lawful for the Council to cause any number of debentures to be issued and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of \$25,000...

3. The said debentures shall bear date the day after the final passing of this By-law, and shall be payable in fifty years from said date...

4. The said debentures shall be made, executed and issued in the name of the Corporation of the City of Victoria...

5. It shall be lawful for the Council to dispose of the said debentures, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures...

6. It shall be lawful for the Council to consolidate the said debentures, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay out of the sums so raised by the sale of the said debentures...

7. For the purpose of raising annually the required sum for the payment of the interest on the said debentures during their currency, there shall be raised annually the sum of \$12,000, and the payment of the said sum shall be made on or before the 1st day of May in each year...

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable: 1. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Asquith street, between Edmonstone road and Haultain street...

2. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Cecil street between Edmonstone road and Haultain street...

3. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Forbes street between Edmonstone road and Haultain street...

4. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Victor street between Edmonstone road and Haultain street...

5. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Cecil street between Edmonstone road and Haultain street...

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23. To construct sewer, surface drain and water laterals to each rock lot on Cecil street between Edmonstone road and Haultain street...

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THE SQUABBLE OF THE THEOLOGICALS

Examination and Answers of Dr. Workman in Heresy Trial

Although Mr. Justice Weir advised Rev. Dr. Workman and the governors of the Wesleyan Theological College to try to reach a friendly agreement, no advantage was taken of his suggestion, and Rev. Dr. Workman on being recalled to the stand gave interesting details of his theological views which he said, were "critical" not "advanced." The case is reported in the Montreal Star.

Before the case was resumed, however, Mr. Justice Weir warned both sides that the case would have a bad effect throughout the country, would lead to "squabbling without end," and would create a scandal that would be "a blot on the Christian church."

Almost all the important points of the Christian faith, and of the Methodist doctrine in particular were touched upon during Mr. R. C. Smith's long cross-examination of Rev. Dr. Workman, whose opinions on these points, as outlined during his evidence, may be summarized as follows:

"My proposition is: to keep an open mind."

"I have always held that children are born innocent."

"The death of Christ was not a sacrifice for sin; it was a voluntary self-sacrifice."

"I consider that the Gospel was in a state of tradition for a great many years."

"I believe the virgin birth of Christ is one of the questions still unsettled."

At the beginning of the afternoon sitting, Mr. Justice Weir said that from previous reports of the case he had been led to believe that Dr. Workman was a heretic, but the latter had sworn to his orthodoxy in detail.

"I firmly believe from the evidence already heard, that this is a case of personal feeling," said Judge Weir, and when this remark was objected to by Mr. Smith, Judge Weir replied that it would be difficult for Mr. Smith to make him believe otherwise.

"Of course, if it is impossible to settle the case, it will have to proceed, but I would suggest that if a settlement is possible it be made now."

Dr. Workman was then recalled by Mr. Stevens and said that the church consisted of five ministers of the Methodist church. He said that after being freed from the charges of the court, a letter was sent to the governor by Rev. Dr. Shaw, expressing regret for laying the charge, for the issuing of the circular, and for any injury that it may have done Dr. Workman.

"After which," Dr. Workman said, "I was sent back to my work in the college. This was in the spring of 1907 and when I returned to the college in September, I found a report of the committee of the board of governors, on my library table, and this report contained a repetition of the charges from which I had cleared myself in the spring. The result was that the opening of the college was postponed for one month—and it seemed that no matter how I cleared myself, the libelous statements were repeated."

Cross examined by Mr. Smith, witness voluntarily:

"It is not a fact that exception was taken to your theological views and that you were removed from the theological department."

"There was no exception taken to my religious orthodoxy. Some discussion arose concerning one of my works and while the board was satisfied with my explanation, they decided that as a result of that discussion it would be best that I be removed from the theology to the arts department. Only a portion of the board objected to my theological views. The leading men of the church admitted that my views were correct."

"Your views are very far advanced are they not?"

"They are very critical, I should not call them advanced."

"You admit that the doctrinal standard needed restatements?"

"Yes, in more scriptural terms. I stood by the doctrine in every case, but was trying to state it more simply. It was merely a matter of words."

"Take the question of the Virgin birth of Jesus Christ, you say you have not departed from the standards in that case?"

"No, nor did I say the words attributed to me that I considered it a myth."

"You heard Prof. McBrier's paper?"

"Yes, and some of the things he said were very interesting, but I did not express any general approval. I got up and asked questions for the sake of the students, and said that I had listened with interest to his papers."

"Perhaps you can tell us your theological views with regard to the miraculous birth of Jesus?"

"What I taught the students and what I hold myself is that the short account in Matthew and Luke does not appear in the earlier gospels. It is not referred to by Paul, or any of the earlier scriptural writers. I advised them to keep their minds open that nothing could lessen the validity of the gospel, but that there was still a question among many scholars."

"Your position then is that you instructed the students to keep an open mind with respect to the birth of the Divine Child—and that it was a matter for further investigation?"

"Yes, and I say that with regard to every literary question."

"Was it the doctrine or the reports

of the gospel that you remained on traditional?"

"I consider that the Gospel was in a state of tradition for a great many years."

By Judge Weir—"Do you believe in the miracle of the Virgin birth of Jesus?"

"I take that as one of the questions that is still unsettled."

"What is your view on the atonement?"

"I consider it one of the Cardinal doctrines."

"Have you allowed your name to be associated with certain views regarding the atonement?"

"The word atonement does not appear in any testimony."

"When it is said that our Saviour died for our sins, you do not believe that there was any expiration in his death?"

"We have no accepted theory of the atonement and every theologian has his own view of it. The death of Christ was not a sacrifice for sin, it was a voluntary self-sacrifice."

"Is there any official interpretation of the word Atonement?"

"No, each man has his own particular views, there is no standard views."

"Would you consider the doctrine of the resurrection of our Lord to be a Cardinal Doctrine?" "Yes."

"You hold some pronounced views in this regard also?"

"Only as regards the explanation of it."

"Do you remember being questioned by certain persons on this point previous to your retirement, that Dr. Carman questioned you and that the answer you gave was that it was a matter for further consideration?"

"This was concerning the nature of the resurrection, of which there are four well-known opinions. Dr. Weeden expresses the belief that it was a body that could materialize and spiritualize at will."

"What theory of the resurrection is according to the Methodist belief?"

"I do not know that we have any standard."

"Do you believe that Christ did not bread after His resurrection?"

"I agree with Paul in that respect as he was one of the earliest writers on this question. I consider that my views on this question agree with the scriptural views of the Methodist Church."

"On the question of original sin, is that a cardinal doctrine?"

"Yes—but I never liked the phrase. I have always taught and still hold that children are born innocent, but I do not say that they are born free from sin."

"Is it not in the doctrine that children are saved in Christ's death?"

"Christ's sacrifice was to make men penitent and a child is saved because of God's character."

"Is this according to the Methodist doctrine?"

"Yes."

"With regard to the Trinity, are you in accord with the Methodist belief and standards in this?" "Yes."

"Was Jesus Christ God?"

"That is a question which I told the Conference had not been decided among theologians."

"Your position then, is 'Keep an open mind'?"

"Yes."

"What authority have the four gospels?"

"The elements that make them the Word of God and inspired them are historically accurate in some respects."

"What do you say of the Gospel according to St. John?"

"It is one of the most beautiful gospels in the whole book; other gospels are more historical, John's gospel is more spiritual."

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Interesting Story of the Stone of Destiny Gives It Uncanny Romance

It is a strangely interesting story the story of the chair in which King George V. will be crowned at Westminster Abbey in June next. Its authentic history carries us back to the time when Scotland had her own Kings, and Scone was at once the Windsor and the coronation Westminster Abbey of the country. The palace remains one of the most interesting places in the neighborhood of Perth; but no permission is granted to visit the house or grounds, and one must be content with the views from the banks of the Tay above the North Inch and the higher grounds on the western side of the city.

Among other relics which it contains is a bed used by James VI. and another with hangings of flowered crimson velvet, said to have been worked by Mary Stuart during her imprisonment in Lochleven Castle. The gallery, 160 feet long, occupies the place of the old Coronation Hall, where Charles II. was crowned in 1651. With the ancient Abbey of Scone are bound up some of the most interesting events in Scottish history; but to-day we think of it specially as the shrine where was long preserved the famous so-called "Stone of Destiny," which forms a part of the British Coronation Chair. It is this curiously unique treasure, chiefly, which gives a sort of uncanny romance to the chair.

The really authentic history of the stone would not be admitted by serious and questioning antiquaries to go back further than the date, about 834 A.D., when it was first found at Scone. But a long persisting legend or tradition brings it down from early Bible times. According to this view, it was the veritable pillow upon which the patriarch Jacob rested his head at Luz when he had his beautiful vision of the ladder that reached to heaven. In this mythical account the stone is next traced to the possession of Gathelus, the son of Cerops, King of Athens, who entered into the service of one of the Pharaohs and married his daughter, Scotia, from whom Scotland is said to derive its name. Gathelus brought it from Syria to Egypt; and, to escape an impending plague, he is said to have sailed from the Nile, by the advice of Moses, with his wife and the precious stone, and landed on the coast of Spain. Afterwards he sent the stone to Ireland under the care of his son, who invaded the island, and by whom it was set up on Tara Hill. There it was used as the Irish Coronation Stone for many ages.

This brings us to at least the fringes of recorded secular history, when facts begin to conflict less with legend. It seems tolerably clear that the stone was really used as a sort of royal chair in Ireland, where, we are told, it was known as "Lia Fail," or the Stone of Fate. From Ireland it is supposed to have been once more carried to Spain (by Cathel, King of the Scots, it is said); but the tradition is that it was brought back to Ireland by Simon Bredh, leader of a band of Scots, somewhere about 700 B. C. It remained undisturbed until Fergus Mor, probably a descendant of Simon Bredh, was driven out of Ireland in 503 B. C. Fergus led the Dalriadic Scots to the shores of Argyll, and having brought the stone with him it was used for his coronation at which his daughter, Scotia, A. D., when Kenneth Macalpine brought it to "the royal city of Scone," having fixed on Scone as his capital, because in the neighborhood he had just fought and won the last decisive battle with the ancient Picts.

All this is open to more or less doubt. But the stone was at least found at Scone, and it gave a sort of royal grandeur to Scone, and led all the Scottish princes to repair thither to be crowned on it. This is actual, sober fact. However, we may explain the circumstance, it had acquired a sacred character as influencing the destinies of the Scottish nation. One rhyme ran:

Unless the fates are faithless grown,
And prophet's voice be vain,
Where'er is found this ancient stone,
The Scottish race shall reign.

It was avowed by the ancient Scots that the stone gave forth musical sounds when the rightful ruler seated himself on it, but remained mute when a usurper was crowned. Much later, this prediction was regarded as being fulfilled when James VI. of Scotland ascended the throne as James I. of England. At the Abbey of Scone the stone is understood to have occupied a place in front of the high altar.

The famous Stone of Destiny remained at Scone until the time of Edward I. John Balliol was the last Scottish King crowned on it, and it is significant that it appears in his great seal, embedded in what was then known as the "King's Stool." As everybody knows, Balliol was deposed by Edward I. at Dunbar in 1292, and it was then that Edward carried the stone, along with the Scottish regalia, to England. Since that time it has remained at Westminster Abbey, and every English monarch has been crowned on it. The chair of which it forms a part is made of hardwood, gaily painted. Under the seat is a board supported by four lions, and on this board the Stone of Destiny rests. The Stone had been carved, gilded, and painted, but these decorations have entirely disappeared. In modern coronations it is always covered with a cloth of gold. It has been asserted that the stone is of meteoric origin, but this is incorrect. It is simply a block of red sandstone containing an unusual proportion of iron. Its dimensions are: 2 feet 2 inches long, 1 foot 4 inches broad, and 10 1/2 inches thick. Some matter of fact persons are inclined to believe that the stone was quarried in the neighborhood of Scone. Notwithstanding its removal, the

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The death occurred at the Jubilee Hospital yesterday of Sarah Bell; aged 44 years, the wife of Charles Bell, of 555 Calcutta avenue. Only the husband survives. The funeral has been arranged to take place from the B. C. Funeral Parlor, 2200 Commercial street, at 10 o'clock and will be held at 11 o'clock and interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

The funeral of the late Charles Francis will take place tomorrow from the B. C. Funeral Parlor at 2:30 o'clock and interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

There passed away at Wellington on Tuesday an old-time resident of that district, James Sharp. Mr. Sharp was for many years an official in the Dunsmuir collieries and had earned the respect of all classes. He was in

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The funeral of the late Mrs. Hannah Hodge Gold will take place from the family residence, 292 Edward street, to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Robert Connell will conduct the services. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

A trip to the Old Country, just now should interest everybody. The next best thing will be afforded on Monday evening at the First Baptist church, when Rev. Byron H. West, of Jackson Avenue church, Vancouver, a former citizen of Victoria and well known to old-timers, will lecture on "The Route to the Coronation," illustrated by a large number of magnificent lantern views. Mr. West is an interesting and graphic speaker.

That the proposed pyrotechnic display to be given on Beacon Hill on the evening of Victoria Day will be of an exceptionally high standard is amply proved by the fact that Arthur Ruston, of the well-known firm of Hitt Bros., Seattle, has arrived in the city to make the necessary arrangements for the spectacle. Mr. Ruston has a wide experience in such demonstrative events and his personal supervision of that important branch of the fête guarantees satisfaction of the highest degree.

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Committee Investigates Other Sites and Finds That It is Most Suitable

The question of the proposed city yard will be reported upon at to-night's meeting of the city council. At the last meeting of the council the matter was referred to a committee to look over the real estate market before deciding to purchase the site of Lion saloon and the surrounding district, to the extent of seven acres. The committee has gone carefully into the whole matter and as a result of its investigations will report to the council to-night that the site mentioned is the best one for the purpose, and will therefore move the recommendation that it purchase forthwith.

Certain of the aldermen were desirous of putting through the purchase resolution at the last meeting, but in the course of the discussion which ensued it was pointed out that the site had about as much to do with the idea as business, it being suggested that the purchase of the site by the city for the purpose of the yard would relieve the situation in regard to the hotel which Mr. Potter proposed to build on the site, and transfer his licensed business to the proposed hotel. It is in close proximity to the George Jay school, and one of the principal arguments advanced in favor of the city purchasing the property was that it would save the school from having a saloon or hotel so close.

This temperance plea was warmly combated by several aldermen on the ground that other schools in the city were similarly affected, and that if such a right in common justice be given to all. When the plea was abandoned it was advanced that the city would be doing a rather reckless piece of business in rushing in to purchase a piece of property for a city yard at a price (\$40,000) which might be not only the cheapest, but not the most suitable for the purpose. It was claimed that the situation of the property in question was too far from the waterfront to be a proper city yard; that the extent of it was far too great for the desired purpose, and that in common justice to the land owners of the city the matter should be thoroughly investigated before a purchase was made.

On the strength of these various arguments it was decided to appoint a committee consisting of an alderman, the city engineer, and the city surveyor, to investigate the matter, with the assistance of the city engineer and the city surveyor. It is the report of that committee, which will be submitted to the council at to-night's meeting, stating that after full consideration and investigation of the matter the site originally proposed has been selected as the most desirable for the purpose of the city yard. In view of the conflicting opinions voiced when the matter was last heard, it is justifiable that there will be a minority report also.

In the event of the city council adopting the majority report of the committee Mr. Potter's license, the granting of which has been held up pending these negotiations, will be disposed of.

SHEFFIELD CHOIR SECOND CONCERT

Large Audience Finds Exhausting Pleasure in Fine Vocal Programme

The Sheffield Choir sets sail for the land of the Southern Cross this evening on the Zealandia, after a most successful tour of Canada, begun at St. John, N.B., eight weeks ago. Their departure may not eclipse the gaiety of the nation, but it will certainly be mourned by all the Victorians who had the undoubted pleasure of surrendering up their musical souls before that silver shrine. They came like shadows and they will depart so, leaving behind them the rich substance of their vocal influences upon a most susceptible medium.

The drill-hall last night was once again transformed into a hall of glory, reverberating music like the mountains welcoming a thunder storm. Every individual in the great audience was under the spell of the terrific chord. It was a most exhausting performance. Everything was of such a standard that one felt like being sustained at the level by a twist of the week. To lose a grip for a moment was fatal and to submit to the ordeal heroically, as all true music lovers did and ought to do, was a condition of fitness that more than met the sacrifice demanded.

The choral work was magnificent, colossal, overpowering, and the efforts of the soloists were of that supreme standard set the evening before. Miss Maud Wilby, Miss Gertrude Lonsdale, and Lady Nora Noel, Robert Chipwell, and Wilfrid Virgo were the individual performers, and they acquitted themselves with eminently satisfactory results. In the case of Lady Nora Noel, the society soprano, for a moment the audience forgot its critical function in the remembrance of her antecedents and accorded the reception of the evening to the lady instead of to her song. The concert was greatly enjoyed and will long be remembered as one of the most generous musical festivals that has ever brushed across the western horizon.

Yesterday afternoon the round of entertainments provided in honor of the choir closed with a reception at Government House. The reception took place at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Patterson herself graciously received the guests. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent by the whole party.

This afternoon the choir is singing to another crowded audience, in which are many school children.

JUDGE MINNES IN CLUTCHES OF LAW

Placed Under Arrest by Over-Official Policeman, but Quickly Released

Vancouver, May 19.—The local sensation of the week was the threatened arrest of Judge Minnes of the County court by an over-officious officer.

The judge stopped on a street corner to speak to a friend yesterday afternoon and was approached by Constable O'Hara and requested to move on. Judge Minnes moved to the outer side of the walk, but this did not satisfy the gentleman with the star, who grabbed his Honor by the arm and dragged his across the street to the patrol box and rang in for the wagon. Sergeant Leatherdale arrived on the scene and, recognizing the judge, gave prompt orders for his release.

In the meantime a crowd of over two thousand had gathered and the zealous officer was subjected to a severe grilling. The judge explained who he was, and that he was not transgressing the law, and his statement was supported by those who witnessed the incident.

The incident has been the topic of the day, and it is altogether likely to furnish the police commissioners with subject for discipline.

Chief of Police Chamberlain this morning said that he had nothing to say regarding the "arrest" of Judge Minnes yesterday. He announced, however, that he would not discipline the officer in any way.

A citizen named Silverman was charged this morning in the police court with being drunk and disorderly. He was greatly impressed with the Minnes arrest incident yesterday, and in the course of his celebration walked up to a policeman on a beat and said: "Are you the man who arrested Minnes?" He was taken to the police station and looked up for the night. This morning his relieving features "Free ice" is being distributed among the poor.

SENT TO ASYLUM

Pittsburg, Pa., May 19.—James Elliott, who last night made an alleged confession in which he charged that officers of the National Erectors' Association and detectives employed by it were implicated in the wrecking of buildings throughout the country constructed by non-union labor, this afternoon was found to be mentally deranged and was sent to the Allegheny county home.

FREE ICE FOR POOR.
Chicago, May 19.—Some relief from the heat was experienced to-day when the thermometer registered a temperature only a little below the season's high record of 92 yesterday. Clouds sheltered the city and southwest winds of 20 to 30 miles an hour, were the relieving features. "Free ice" is being distributed among the poor.

UNITED TRAVELLERS IN CONVENTION HERE

Knights of the Grip Gather in Council—Varied Bill of Entertainment

The thirteenth annual convention of the United Commercial Travellers of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia opened in this city to-day and will conclude to-morrow evening.

This morning the grand council was in session, discussing matters pertaining to the good of the order. Those present are: Grand Councilor T. R. Christie, Tacoma council, No. 124; Grand Junior Councilor H. I. Somers, Spokane council, No. 92; Grand Past Councilor T. W. Miles, Seattle council, No. 53; Grand Secretary Fred Beebe, Tacoma; Grand Treasurer C. A. Whitmore, Oregon council, No. 54; Grand Conductor R. L. Phelps, Vancouver council, No. 284; Grand Page W. W. Gordon, Oregon; Grand Sentinel E. B. McMaster, Vancouver; Grand Executive Committee men A. A. Wisnolek, Seattle; A. R. Kelly, Victoria council, No. 43; A. L. Young, Oregon; and Dan McKellar, Seattle. There are fully five hundred delegates present at the convention and one hundred more are expected from Mainland points to-day.

While the travellers are here on business, that of furthering the interests of the order to the utmost, they also intend to enjoy themselves, and a programme has been mapped out that, for variety and scope of entertainment, would be hard to equal.

At noon to-day a reception and luncheon at the Empress hotel was given the visiting ladies by the ladies of the Victoria council and afterwards both visitors and hostesses adjourned to the Sheffield choir concert at the drill hall.

An operatic concert by the Fifth Regiment band will be given this evening, the band starting at the causeway and playing on every street corner until arriving at the A. O. U. W. hall, where a "smoker" is to be held.

To-morrow morning, commencing at 10 o'clock, there will be a grand parade of all the councils through the principal streets of the city. In the afternoon, through the courtesy of the Victoria Country Club directors, all delegates wearing the U. C. T. badge will be admitted to the horse races.

An "at home" will be given the visiting members and ladies by the Victoria council at the Gorge park. The reception committee is as follows: Mrs. Charles F. Gardner, Mrs. C. G. Dunbar, Mrs. H. W. Fraser, Mrs. P. B. Hallett, Mrs. H. W. Goss, Mrs. E. M. McComman, Mrs. Percy G. Cudlip, Mrs. J. R. Clarke, Mrs. A. H. Hartley, Mrs. J. R. Clarke, Mrs. A. E. Shanks, and Mrs. P. E. Toner.

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The subordinate councils represented are: Seattle Council, No. 53; Tacoma Council, No. 124; Oregon Council, No. 84; Spokane Council, No. 92; Vancouver Council, No. 284; Victoria Council, No. 43; Nelson Council, No. 427; Bellinham Council, No. 295 and Everett Council, No. 487.

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30 FEET Swanigan Lake water front, beautiful, situated, can be divided, \$800, terms. W. Blake, Phone 1257.

WANTED—Paintmakers, D. F. Sprinkling, Moody Block, m19 11.

CONTRACTORS, farmers, merchants and others, if you need help of any kind we can suit you. Upwards of 200 applicants on our books now. Phone 2704, or write Box 97, Post Office, city. m19 11.

BOOKKEEPER, thoroughly experienced, situation, good typist and correspondent. Box 291, Times. m19 11.

ROOMED HOUSE, with double frontage, on Old Esquimalt road, 2 years, \$1,500, cash, balance over 2 years. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. m19 11.

IMMEDIATE SALE—2 lots, David street, 1 lot, Hillside avenue, \$200 the three. Apply Box 285, Times Office. m19 11.

FOR SALE—A paved bungalow, near Deacon Hill park, \$2,450. A. W. Spideman, 107 Government street. m19 11.

BOOKKEEPER, with thorough knowledge of double entry, latest methods, wishes permanent position, good references. L. T. 83 Pandora. m19 11.

WANTED—5 or 6 roomed modern bungalow, on fair sized lot, price about \$2,000, others, if you need help of any kind we can suit you. Upwards of 200 applicants on our books now. Phone 2704, or write Box 97, Post Office, city. m19 11.

JAMES BAY—New 6 room cottage, on corner lot, easily worth \$4,000, price \$2,500, terms \$500 cash, balance as rent. Greenwood, 525 Yates street. m19 11.

ESQUIMALT—Big lot on Admiral's road, close to Esquimalt road, \$2,000, terms. Greenwood, 525 Yates street. m19 11.

CAMBRIDGE STREET—New Homes, 5 cash, Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. m19 11.

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HULTAN STREET—near Oak Bay Ave., lot 5x12 ft., \$600, good terms. Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. m19 11.

JUST A FEW of those Gorge View Park lots left at the original prices. Get a plot to-morrow. L. W. Dick, m19 11.

FOR SALE—Brimmy horse, Apply 4 Johnson, 12 Army street, off Burnside road. m22 11.

RARE BULB FLOURISHES

Specimen imported by E. A. Wallace from Palestine Does Well.

The regular meeting of the Florists and Gardeners' Association, held last night at A. J. Woodward's store, Fort street, was very well attended, and much business was carried through. President Woodward, who has been

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representing the florists on the provincial board of horticulture, handed in his resignation from that position. Vice-president P. Bennett was elected to succeed him.

E. A. Wallace showed the society a most interesting specimen of iris, grown by himself from bulbs imported from Palestine. This rare plant, which is very difficult to rear anywhere outside its native habitat, on the shores of the Mediterranean, flourishes wonderfully here, and Mr. Wallace predicts that Victoria will become an exporting centre for these bulbs.

The first annual picnic of the society will be held on July 19 at Shavignea Lake. The members feel particularly proud that although it was organized only a few months ago the society has now a membership of forty.

DIED

GOLD—On May 17, 1911, Hannah Hodge, wife of Wm. Gold, deceased, was born in London, Eng., and in her 83rd year. Funeral will take place Saturday at 2:30 p. m. from the residence of her son, T. R. Christie, 205, Edward street, Victoria West. Friends are cordially invited to attend.

ARCHIBALD HUNT, violinist. Pupil of William H. Henley, England's greatest violinist. Pupils prepared for examinations. Amateur compositions arranged for full orchestra and military bands. Svytek, Sphor, Krauter and Role make special tabular. Victoria Oak Bay Music School, Roycroft, Davis St., cor. Leighton St. m19 11.

FINISHED ROOMS for rent—605 Gorge road, corner Government road. m22 11.

IBKIN, ON NEWPORT AVE, with lawn at back, \$2,500, easy terms. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. m22 11.

LIVE, WIDE-AWAKE SOLICITOR and salesman wants position immediately, sign well anything. Address Box 285, Times. m22 11.

LARGE, furnished or unfurnished room, quiet locality, two minutes from car and five minutes walk from Post office. Apply P. O. Box 71, Victoria. m22 11.

PARADISE STREET—Two fine lots, \$2,500 each; one-third cash, balance 1 and 2 years. L. W. Dick. m19 11.

500 CASH, balance as rent, buys a new 5 roomed cottage on Cook street, price \$3,000. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. m22 11.

COMFORTABLE FRONT ROOM, facing sea, for two respectable men, all conveniences, cars pass house—write board and washing, \$5.00 per week. 1664 Dallas road. m19 11.

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McGREGOR AVENUE—Close to Oak Bay avenue, beautiful building site, 6x104, \$1,500, good terms. L. W. Dick. m19 11.

MAN AND WIFE, 35-37, English (no children), require position in any capacity, good gardener and trained nurse, good workers. 218 Royal avenue, New Westminster. m19 11.

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CHOCOLATE, Curran St., near City Hall, 25 feet with 7 room house, rent \$25, compare this with the close in houses, \$1,500, on terms. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. m19 11.

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ACREAGE BARGAIN—5 acres of the choicest land in Gordon Head, the very best building site in the district, a natural park; land all around built at \$1,000 per acre; we will sell this piece for \$2,500 on good terms, and will accept a good building lot as part payment. T. P. McConnell. m19 11.

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ACRE, Chandler avenue, good land, \$1,500; \$500 cash, Northwest Real Estate, 706 Yates street. m19 11.

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JAMES BAY—Houses and lots for sale. G. E. Hodgson, McCallum Block, m22 11.

CADBORO BAY—Cottage with acre, for \$3,100. Times Box 2057. m22 11.

DON'T FORGET the concert at Christ Church schoolroom next Monday evening, May 22; all the best talent. A. Y. P. A. m22 11.

CADBORO BAY—About 3 acres, with two cottages, snap at \$2,800. G. E. Hodgson, McCallum Block, Douglas street. m22 11.

LOTS on Empire street, close to Queen's, 4x125, \$800; terms, 1 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Wallace & Clarke, 620 Yates street. m22 11.

FOR SALE—Sailing launch, built in 1905, 19 ft. x 9 ft. 6 in. beam, 37 ft. long, speed 3 miles, trunk cabin, sleeping accommodations for six, all modern conveniences. Apply Selwachscher Bros. & Co., Inc., Seattle, Wash. m22 11.

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CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ferris wish to thank the Organizers' Union and their many friends for beautiful floral offerings and kind sympathy in their recent sad bereavement in the loss of their beloved son, Charles Addison Ferris. m22 11.

F. O. E. FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of Victoria, No. 12, are requested to meet at Eastern Hall, 605 Government street, on Sunday, May 21st, 2:30 p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, W. S. McDonald, of Omicron Aerie, No. 102, of Hazelton, B. C. Visiting brothers are requested to attend. T. F. GOLD, Worthy President. J. M. HUGHES, Secy.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership business carried on between us, the undersigned, under the firm name of C. H. Titt & Co., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the firm are to be paid by Lorne T. Bell on or before the 20th inst., at 111 Pemberton Block, Phone 291. As witness our hands this 18th day of May, 1911. LORNE T. BELL. J. C. PENDRY.

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MENAGERIE REMAINS IN SOUTH SAANICH

Cannot Prohibit Legal Occupation Under Guise of Regulating, Says Judge

The quarrel between the South Saanich municipality and J. G. French, who owns a menagerie within the bounds of the municipality, was closed by the defeat of the municipality at law yesterday, when the reserved decision of Mr. Justice Murphy, who heard the application of the lion-tamer to quash the by-law under which the municipality hoped to oust his menagerie from its limits, was handed down in favor of the applicant.

Mr. Justice Murphy gave several reasons why the by-law of the municipality should be quashed, and among them that a municipal council cannot, under the guise of regulating, absolutely prevent the carrying-out of a legal occupation.

Referring to the question of sanitation raised and preservation of the public health, the judgment says that neither was in contemplation when the council passed the by-law. His lordship said that the effect of the by-law would be to absolutely prohibit the keeping of wild animals in the limits of South Saanich municipality.

At the hearing of arguments J. A. Aikman appeared for the municipality and Hon. A. E. McPhillips, K. C. for the appellant, J. G. French.

GLEASON'S FIGURES

WIDE OF THE MARK

Alderman Who Criticized the School By-law Finds His Authority Deposed

The ratepayers of the city of Victoria will have an opportunity of expressing themselves on Monday in regard to the several money-by-laws which the city council proposes to pass this year. These include the school, sewers, parks, police and library by-laws, involving an expenditure of about \$700,000. At this particular time each and all of them are important, but if anyone of them might be classified as supremely important it would be the schools loan by-law, which provides for the raising of \$150,000.

The educational facilities of the city have in times past been the subject of much dissatisfaction and agitation. It was felt that for a city of the size and commercial importance of Victoria her educational opportunities should have been of a higher order. Many outsiders who came to live in the city declined to implement their promise to themselves, simply on account of the educational facilities afforded their children. Since then concerted effort has been applied, with the result that the school system in vogue to-day is very much in advance. The number of schools has been extended, the teaching improved, and the accessories greatly increased. It is with a view of keeping this good and necessary work up to the mark that the present by-law is being proposed.

The money to be raised under its provisions will be spent in the following manner: Sixty-eight thousand dollars for site and building in James Bay; \$35,000 for building and site on the Burnside road; \$20,000 for building and site in Oaklands; \$3,500 for four additional lots for the Bank street school site; \$7,000 for manual training and domestic science buildings at the George Jay and Victoria West school grounds; and \$3,537 for discount on debentures and cost of election, printing, etc.

When the by-law was in council Ald. Gleason reflected upon it adversely, but since then it has been conclusively proved that the government figures upon which his statements were based were very wide of the mark. He stated that since 1907 the school attendance had only increased 260, when as a matter of fact, they had increased by nearly 800. In the year 1908 the expenditure per capita on schools was \$28.50, and in 1910 it was \$44.50.

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CLERICUS CONCLUDES

Dean Doull Speaks on Pressing Problems of Church.

Very Rev. Dean Doull was one of the chief speakers at the morning session of the International Anglican Clericus yesterday at St. James' church, Vancouver. In his incisive address he dealt with some of the most burning questions that affect the church to-day.

Touching on the higher criticism of the Bible the Dean reminded his hearers that the church could have but one answer to those who asked if all the books of Holy Writ were inspired. On the subject of the divinity of Christ, he said that it was not enough to believe that Christ had been a perfect man; even Unitarians held that. The church in her tolerance must draw the line of

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BANK CLEARINGS.

Toronto, May 18.—The following are the bank clearings for the week ending May 18, as compared with the corresponding period last year:

	May 18, 1911	May 18, 1910
Toronto	\$ 46,741,171	\$ 39,318,548
Montreal	36,991,628	28,811,767
Winnipeg	23,925,418	16,180,295
Vancouver	9,233,385	8,288,145
Ottawa	4,191,285	4,589,051
Calgary	3,806,948	2,588,455
Quebec	2,724,411	2,385,568
Victoria	2,704,240	1,983,962
Hamilton	2,327,056	1,830,864
Halifax	1,747,411	1,921,811
St. John	1,842,238	1,565,896
Edmonton	1,907,911	1,447,828
London	1,525,728	1,342,283
Regina	1,441,418	774,852
Brandon	486,295	464,814
Totals	\$141,023,548	\$112,754,468

The following are for this week of 1911 only:
Lethbridge \$ 479,739
Saskatoon 1,201,219
Brantford 495,270
Moosejaw 706,260

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demarcation between those who believed in Him as the Son of God, and those who did not.
He impressed on his audience the fact that money and numbers did not constitute the sole strength of a congregation; devotion and earnestness were even more necessary.
The Dean made a deep impression and was often interrupted by applause. Very Rev. Dean Paget, Calgary; Rev. Dr. Shayler and Rev. Dr. King also discussed these topics. The closing service was conducted in All Saints' church by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Keator of Olympia.
WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, May 19.—5 a. m.—The barometer is now abnormally high over the North Pacific Coast, and fair weather is becoming general throughout this province and southward to California. The weather is still showery from Alberta to Manitoba.
Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday, Victoria and vicinity—Fresh westerly winds, generally fair to-day and Saturday.
Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair to-day and Saturday.
Reports at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.23; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 20 miles W.; rain, .30; weather, cloudy.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.30; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 8 miles W.; rain, .34; weather, clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 54; minimum, 52; wind 4 miles N.; weather, clear.
Edmonton—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, 50; minimum, 48; wind, 10 miles N. W.; rain, .30; weather, cloudy.
Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.18; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 10 miles W.; rain, .38; weather, cloudy.
Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday.
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