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ON THE FIRING LINE

Pulsebeats of the Warriors
Shown by Tongue and Pen From
Ocean to Ocean in Canada's
Greatest Conflict.

Hon. Richard McBride on his return from England, where it must be presumed he mixed only with the truly great of the British Isles, is reported to have said at several breathing spell points across the continent that reciprocity is opposed by the best people in England. In view of the opinions of some prominent people quoted below we ask Mr. McBride to define who are the "most prominent" people expressing the opposition he alleges he represents. Read the names of those whom we quote and ask the Premier whom he mixed with when in England. The people have a right to know.

PREMIER ASQUITH.

Mr. Asquith, Prime Minister, defending the action of Canada in making the reciprocity agreement, said in the British House of Commons on February 5, 1911:

"When she had an offer from the United States to lower the wall and open the door, was she to continue in her own interest or in the interest of this country, or in any supposed interest of the British Empire, to refuse to her manufacturers the natural outlet for their products and the natural inlet for the things which they need?"

Mr. Asquith, in the same address, bore testimony to the care which the Canadian government had shown to protect British interests. He said:

"The agreement was a perfectly independent agreement, entered into between Canada and the United States, in pursuance of the part of Canada of that fiscal autonomy which she has long enjoyed and on which nobody proposes to trespass. Conclusions of the various stages of the negotiations were carefully watched by our British ambassador, who was in constant communication with the Canadian negotiators, and who very properly kept his eyes on the special interests of British trade. I need not say it was not necessary for me to urge upon his Canadian colleague the necessity of safeguarding those interests. They were always most ready to accept and anticipate, or if not to anticipate, at any rate to consider, if not to accede to, his suggestions."

LOYD GEORGE.

This is what Lloyd George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said of the Canadian reciprocity agreement, speaking February 16:

"I rejoice that it has been negotiated, and heartily trust it will carry to a successful conclusion. I regard it as a great triumph of common sense, and an immense stride in the cause of free trade, indicating a step toward the fraternity and co-operation of the English-speaking family."

HON. SYDNEY BUXTON.

In the same debate Sydney Buxton, president of the board of trade (a cabinet officer), said:

"The government could not regret any fiscal arrangement which tended to break down the tariff wall of any particular country, and under which, in this particular case, the trade of Canada, as the Canadians themselves think, would be increased. The government believed that the greater the trade of the Empire, and the greater the trade this country would send to Canada. They certainly felt strongly that there was no question involved in this reciprocity agreement of the allegiance and loyalty of the Canadians themselves. But it was said that the government, by their inaction in the matter, were reducing the existing preference which Canada gave to British goods to the vanishing point. That pessimistic view was very greatly exaggerated. The government highly appreciated the attitude of the Canadian government, who in this proposed arrangement with the United States had done their best to affect in the slightest way possible the preference which they were giving to this country."

THE CONSERVATIVE LEADER.

A. J. Balfour, the leader of the Conservative party, on the same occasion, expressly dissociated himself from any attitude of hostility to the reciprocity agreement by saying:

"I do not doubt that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is quite glad to have good commercial relations, and desired to have good commercial relations, and properly desired to have good commercial relations with the United States. I do not quarrel with that at all."

LORD HALDANE.

On April 15 the Canadian reciprocity agreement was discussed in the House of Lords, when Lord Haldane, secretary of state for war in the Asquith government, gave expression to these decided views of approval:

"The policy of the government is to give every facility to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the people of Canada to do the best they can for themselves, to enter into this agreement, and, as they think and we believe, to take thereby the best step they can for the development of Canada. (Hear, hear.) We hold that it is not a disadvantage for us that Canada should develop by the growth of trade relations with the United States. We hold that an en-

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Spokane—First inning: Victoria, 0; Spokane, 0.
Batteries—Thorsen and Grindler; Kraft and Ostleik.
At Seattle—First inning: Vancouver, 0; Seattle, 0.
Second inning: Vancouver, 0; Seattle, 1.
Batteries—Rasmussen and Lewis; Fullerton and Shea.
At Portland—First inning: Tacoma, 0; Portland, 2.
Second inning: No runs.
Batteries—Schmutz and Burns; Jensen and Moore.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Philadelphia—R. H. E.
Chicago 3 10 4
Philadelphia 5 8 1
Batteries—Reubach and Needham; Chambers and Madden.
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati-Brooklyn game postponed; rain.
At New York—R. H. E.
St. Louis 5 8 2
New York 7 7 3
Batteries—Hammont, Woodbury, Landermilk and Bliss; Miltz, Ames, Crandall and Myers, Wilson.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Cleveland—R. H. E.
Washington 2 8 1
Cleveland 1 4 1
Johnson and Street; Kater and Smith.
At Chicago—R. H. E.
Boston 0 5 1
Chicago 6 6 9
Batteries—Wood and Nunnemaker; Scott and Block.
At St. Louis—R. H. E.
New York 7 9 7
St. Louis 4 8 1
Batteries—Vaughan and Williams; Mitchell, George and Southwick, Stephens.

EARNEST PLEA FOR RECIPROcity

HON. WALTER SCOTT SPEAKS AT WINNIPEG

Refers to Inconsistency of Conservative Party—More Candidates Nominated

Winnipeg, Aug. 29.—A mass meeting in the interests of reciprocity and J. H. Ashdown, the Liberal candidate, which was held in the Walker theatre last night, was remarkable for two things—a warm arraignment of partisan politics by R. L. Richardson and an earnest plea for reciprocity by Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan.

Premier Scott took as the keynote of his address what he described as the inconsistency of the Conservative party. Commencing with a statement of the efforts of Canada to extend its trade, as evidenced by the thousands of boards of trade, whose only purpose is increased trade, and whose members are largely Conservatives, he extended the scope of his discourse to the trade campaign which is being waged by every civilized country of the earth, the object aimed at being to show that in one effort here was a measure, which would do more toward enlarging Canadian trade and opulence than all the efforts of boards of trade since the first board was formed. Increase of Canada's population under closely restricted trade was scored heavily as unsatisfactory. Previous experience was cited to show that reciprocity meant either annexation or any lessening of the bonds which bind Canada to the Mother Country.

TRIBUTE TO BONAR LAW.

London, Aug. 29.—The World, discussing the possible successor of Hon. A. J. Balfour, says: "The choice lies between Austin Chamberlain and Bonar Law. The latter, in sheer ability, stands pre-eminent."

larged Canada—a Canada with a great trade of this kind—cannot fail to be a more prosperous Canada, a Canada which will be a better market for our goods, and which will do more trade with ourselves. Therefore, from every point of view, we look upon the step which Canada has taken as being probably a very good step in our own interests, as well as in the interests of Canada."

HAMAR GREENWOOD, M. P.

Hamar Greenwood, M.P. for Sunderland, a Canadian, declared: "Within my short life, I have seen the antagonism to annexation by the United States grow stronger and stronger. There is not a sign of such annexation now, but there is a sign of the growing strength of the commercial life of the Dominion, and I for one am glad to welcome an agreement between two kindred nations, which strengthens, and can only strengthen, the commercial power of Canada, and in the long run, the power of the Old Country."



AN "INTEREST" WHICH IS ALSO DESERVING OF CONSIDERATION

THREE DROWNED.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 29.—Machinist Baty, wife and a daughter were drowned in Medford, Ore. Baty was employed in the Great Northern shops at Hill, Wash., and the family was attending a picnic. An infant son, the only survivor of the family, having been left ashore asleep in a tent.

WIFE VIS CANADA.

London, Aug. 29.—Robert William Perkins, M.P., and his wife, who were on a visit to Canada before returning, sailed on the Adriatic.

ENDS HER LIFE.

Dakota, Aug. 29.—On the eve of her departure for Seattle on a vacation, Mrs. Mich. Filipowitch, wife of the superintendent of construction on the Los Angeles aqueduct, committed suicide yesterday at home at Monolith, on the aqueduct. Her troubles are given as the cause.

REFLECTIONS.

By Who Was There
Mr. Bard said that if Mr. Pugsley sat for Victoria there we have been lots of money for the harbor. So there will be it, Templeman sits.

McBride at said all Liberals are at. Barnard did not say it. His hard, but none the less dies.
Barnard asked if he would pledge him that if returned he would have the 92 guns mounted, a cruiser on the Pacific Coast and warships built at Esquimalt. He refused to say.

A great last night of civil servant their wives, their uncles and aunts. Mr. McBride had whipped into line.

Mr. Barnard said a Canadian soldier is the equal of three and one half (3 1/2) imperial soldiers. First heard of it. We fear for his safety.
After all McBride's mouthing of the babe, the fact remains that costs less in Seattle than Victoria.

Having ignored the cry of annexation the cry of Liberal display the "hobby" is now "Disembarkment of the Empire." N?
Towards end of the last forty minutes his remarks, one speaker at the audience, "How are you going to settle it?" Voice in the back, "By going home."

A new political crime discovered by Mr. McBride, i. e., Mr. Brodeur has put the navy "on its feet," that is the matter with it?
Mr. McBride speaking for Mr. Barnard, still stays with the statement that will increase the tariff again "Uncle Sam," and so increases the cost of living.

Vote for Mr. Templeman. It means reciprocity. Reciprocity means lowering the cost of living.

SIR WILFRID IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Thousands Unable to Get Into Rink Where Prime Minister Spoke in St. John

St. John, N. B., Aug. 29.—The opening of the Maritime provinces was held here last night. At St. John, N. B., there were seven thousand people in the building, while several thousand others were unable to get in. On arrival in the city Sir Wilfrid was met at the depot by a crowd numbering several thousand. Besides the Premier, speakers were delivered by local candidates and Hon. Chas. Marcl of Quebec.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley announced that Norton Griffiths & Company, the English contractors, were the lowest tenderers for the Courtenay Bay dock, etc., but the matter must go to the cabinet council before the contract was awarded.

DEAL FOR WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY

Draft Agreement to Be Drawn Up by Representatives of City and Company

Toronto, Aug. 29.—The Globe to-day says: "Sir Wm. Mackenzie has returned from his western trip well satisfied with the condition of the country on the other side of the Great Lakes."
Regarding the situation in the Winnipeg electric, Sir William said the matter had been relegated to a special committee, and that the next step would be the preparation of a draft agreement by the local representatives of the municipality and of the company. Although the parties to the negotiations had been in agreement upon the main points, Sir William said that there might easily be a hitch up on some minor details. The right of audit before the municipality will be more in favor of paying cash for the plant.

WRECK TO BE INVESTIGATED.

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Capt. Demers, wreck commissioner, has been instructed by the marine department to go to Georgian Bay and investigate the loss of the tug Martin, which foundered a few days ago near Point Baril, causing the loss of several lives. It is alleged that the captain, who just escaped with his life, failed to report to the customs according to regulations and this will be investigated.

CANONSBURG DISASTER.

Funeral of Seventeen of the Victims of Panic in Opera House.
Canoonsburg, Pa., Aug. 29.—The first of the funerals of the victims of Saturday night's picture show horror took place here this morning and before nightfall seventeen of the 24 who were killed will be buried. The first funeral was that of George Kay, the thirteen-year-old son of Prof. R. H. Kay, director of music in the streets as the funerals passed the scene, repeated almost every hour until the last of the victims were buried.

KILLS HIS FATHER.

Middleborough, Vt., Aug. 29.—Following a quarrel over a business transaction, Pleas Southern, a young farmer living at Stony Fork, near here, to-day fired six shots into the body of his father, Dave Southern, killing him instantly. The young man then surrendered to the authorities.

INSULTING APPEALS

If there is a single workman opposed to reciprocity on the ground that it will reduce wages, we say to him not to be misled by fallacious argument designed to keep him in permanent subjection.
Never submit to the doctrine that a workman can only hope to get barely enough to live on.

Insist that your wage shall be the highest consistent with conditions and the cost of living the lowest.
You have your wage to-day; hold to it and fight for lower cost of living.

The wage-earner is asked to submit to the keenest competition, while the "interests" must needs enjoy some special privilege which eliminates competition and forces tribute from the masses of the people.

However, the insult offered to the intelligence of the wage-earners of British Columbia is no greater than the insult offered to the intelligence of those residents of British Columbia who are English by birth or English by descent.

The leaders in opposition to reciprocity tell us that Uncle Sam has always got the big end of the stick in all his bargains, which is rather hard upon Englishmen who have settled many disputes with him.

It is not a wonder that they did not definitely promise the establishment of such a capital in Victoria.
It is not, however, to be thought that this kind of argument will tempt the credulity of Englishmen in Victoria, but rather that it arouse animosity which should be addressed as that they should be children unable to think for themselves.

The workmen and the Englishmen have alike been insulted.

TO WELCOME NEW GOVERNOR-GENERAL

ARRANGEMENTS NOW PRACTICALLY COMPLETE

Date of Duke of Connaught's Arrival at Ottawa Not Definitely Fixed

Ottawa, Aug. 29.—Practically all arrangements for the welcome to be accorded the Duke of Connaught and his family on their arrival in Ottawa have been completed except for a few details. The government will look after that part of the programme held on government property, and the city will do the same on city property. As yet Mayor Hopewell has not received notice of the date of the Duke's arrival in the city. He has written to local patriotic societies, stating that should they desire to present addresses to the Duke, they will have an opportunity to do so at the same time as the civil address is made.

Earl Grey will sail for England on October 6. It is not known as yet when he leaves Ottawa. Mayor Hopewell intends to make arrangements with His Excellency to present a civic farewell address to him at Rideau Hall. The mayor and city council will go to Government House and present an address to the Earl and Lady Grey and their two daughters.

Will Sail on October 6.
London, Aug. 29.—The Duke and Duchess of Connaught will sail for Canada on October 6, after visiting His Majesty in September.

Earl Grey at Toronto.

Toronto, Aug. 29.—At the opening of the Industrial Exhibition yesterday afternoon, Earl Grey bade farewell to Canada in a neat address in which he said:

"I have heard, but hope it is not true, that Ontario loses many teachers to the prairie provinces, because of the better salaries. Search for the best all over the world, and educate the children to think for themselves in the interest of humanity."

His Excellency spoke earnestly of the students, advising Canadians to find to make life in the country as attractive as possible.

In closing he said: "I beseech you to educate and bring up your children in the faith that Canada is destined to fill a proud and splendid mission to the world."

LIBERALS FULL OF ENTHUSIASM

F. T. CONGDON TO SPEAK IN THEATRE ON SEPT. 6

Ralph Smith Opens Campaign To-night in Esquimalt—Ward Two Smoker

The Liberal ward associations and committees are all working energetically, meeting daily, and the greatest enthusiasm animates one and all, in view of the splendid policy offered to the people and the popularity of the Laurier government.


Last night Wards Two, Four and that part of One east of the Gorge, met in the Liberal headquarters, Cormorant street, while the Victoria West Liberals met in the V. W. A. A. rooms, Catherine street. To-night Ward Three west of Fernwood road, and Ward Five, met in the Cormorant street rooms, and the Spring Ridge section of Ward Three in the Odd Fellows' hall, Fernwood road. The results of the canvass are most gratifying, the workers, almost to a man, being found lined up behind reciprocity.

Arrangements are being made for a mass meeting of electors in the Victoria theatre on the evening of Wednesday, Sept. 6. Among the speakers on that occasion will be F. T. Congdon, K. C., late member for the Yukon, for which constituency he is likely to be re-elected by acclamation, an unanimous are the people up there for reciprocity. Mr. Congdon is one of the most thoughtful and brilliant speakers in the House, and the Liberals of Victoria are greatly pleased that they are to have an opportunity to hear him. He speaks in Vancouver on Sept. 5 and in New Westminster on Sept. 7.

Ward Two Liberal Association has had a couple of most successful smokers in the past few months, but has organized one for to-morrow evening which the executive promises will exceed in interest anything they have yet done in that line. To this they issue a cordial invitation to every believer in reciprocity without respect to party affiliations. The smoker will be held in Foresters' hall, Broad street, and will begin at eight o'clock promptly, so that it can be closed soon after ten. There will be songs, recitations, short speeches from bright speakers, and tobacco to burn in every form.

Other smokers are being organized at a meeting to be held in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Esquimalt. He will be accompanied by Hon. Wm. Templeman, and they will discuss reciprocity and the naval question.

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TO-NIGHT'S MEETINGS

GRAND RALLY OF ESQUIMALT LIBERALS

at
SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME

SPEAKERS
HON. W. TEMPLEMAN
RALPH SMITH

J. C. McINTOSH, President. H. W. PAULINE, Secretary.

WARD FIVE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

A SPECIAL MEETING of all active Liberals in Ward Five is called for EIGHT O'CLOCK IN THE LIBERAL ROOMS, CORMORANT ST., HUGH KENNEDY, President. H. L. ROBERTS, Secretary.

WARD THREE LIBERAL ASSOCIATION

All Liberals in Spring Ridge Section of Ward 3 will meet IN ODD FELLOWS HALL, FERNWOOD ROAD, AT 8 O'CLOCK

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All Liberals west of Fernwood Road in Ward 3 will meet in THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE ROOMS, CORMORANT ST., AT 8 P. M. All invited, important business.

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East and West: It is urged by the opponents of reciprocity that one of the effects of the pact will be to divert trade north and south to the ruin of the trade of the east with the west.

Let the consumer have his turn. The Liberal government has been compelled to constitute and give authority to a Railway Commission, before which any man in Canada who has a grievance can appear and obtain redress for real wrongs.

Under the editorial headline, "Bad For Our Workmen," the Toronto News publishes the following: "In leaving the Union Station on any passenger train one sees scores of freight cars laden with goods made in Toronto factories and now en route to Fort William, Winnipeg, Calgary, Vancouver and a hundred other Western points."

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AMENDE HONORABLE. Newspaper men do not often perpetrate jokes on each other, but there arise occasions when the temptation to do so is irresistible.

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—R. B. Robinson, of the local branch of the Vancouver Island Development League, has gone to Vancouver, where he will attend the Fair for the purpose of distributing handbooks and literature, descriptive of this island.

—Get a doll for the little one by purchasing a pair of Peabody's celebrated overalls, at J. N. Harvey, Ltd., 614 Yates street.

—C. A. Solly, commercial agent, 1210 Douglas street, has recently been appointed Victoria agent for the Cunard Steamship Co.

—C. R. Sayer, western field secretary for the Y. M. C. A., has wired the local association that he has in sight a good man to fill the post of general secretary here. In case W. H. Henderson, Vancouver, finally decides to accept the Montreal offer instead of that from Victoria.

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—A man named Serris was the victim yesterday of a serious accident owing to a falling of earth into a sewer near the cemetery where he was at work. The man was partly buried by the fallen clay and suffered a broken thigh. He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where he was reported to be resting easily last evening.

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—Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Tuesday, at 10 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; Princess Royal leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily, arriving at Victoria at 6.30 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily, except Monday, at 5 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 11 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 1 p. m. On the 10-day day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Frost Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.
—Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

Vancouver-Seattle.
Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 10 p. m., arriving at Seattle at 7 a. m.; Princess Royal leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, arriving at Vancouver at 8 a. m.

NORTH WARD MEETING.
Club Will Enter Senior Intermediate and Junior Football Leagues.

At a meeting of the North Ward Athletic Club held last evening it was decided to enter teams in the senior, intermediate and junior football leagues. J. Dakers was appointed delegate for the club and will represent the club at the next meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer Association.

A committee, consisting of Dougan (chairman), Fred Brown and W. Livingston, was appointed to round up the football players. Another committee was appointed to prepare arrangements for the N. W. A. A. opening dance to be held some time towards the end of the month. The meeting of the North Ward club for the election of officers will be held next week, the exact date not yet being decided on.

The Department of Public Works, Ottawa, is calling for tenders for the erection of a wharf at Boswell, on Kootenay lake.

A public meeting and entertainment will be held this evening at Seaman's hall, Victoria West, to inaugurate a new juvenile temple of the I. O. G. T. Short addresses will be given by Dr. Lewis Hall, P. G. C. T., Rev. J. P. Hicks, P. G. C. T., and Rev. T. W. Gladstone, P. G. C. T. The members of the Queen Mary Temple, No. 17, Victoria, and also those of Comptroller Lodge, No. 7, Esquimalt, will render a programme of recitations, musical selections, and fancy wand marching. A cordial invitation is extended to friends and parents to be present. The chair will be taken at 7.30 p. m. by W. H. Booth, G. S. I. W.

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

Victoria, Aug. 29—5 a. m.—The pressure has given way over British Columbia and a low area is general over Alberta and Saskatchewan. Showers have fallen on the Lower Mainland and heavy rain at Triangle Island, and the temperatures are about normal. East of the Rockies the high area has become a low, and the Great Lakes. Showers have fallen at Edmonton, but the weather in the prairie provinces is generally fair and cool.

Forecasts.
For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Wednesday. Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly and westerly winds, chiefly cloudy and cool, with showers to-night or Wednesday.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, cloudy and cool, with showers.

Reports at 5 a. m.
Victoria—Barometer, 30.19; temperature, 54; minimum, 53; wind, 12 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.19; temperature, 54; minimum, 51; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, 0.1; weather, rain.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 52; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles S. E.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 52; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.73; temperature, 48; minimum, 45; wind, 4 miles S. W.; rain, 0.1; weather, rain.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.26; temperature, 45; minimum, 40; wind, 8 miles E.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.
Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Monday.
Temperature.
Highest 57
Lowest 53
Average 53

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PREPARATIONS AT THE FAIR GROUNDS

Arrangements for Exhibition Well Under Way—Many Attractions Booked

Already many people are going out to the Exhibition grounds to view the operations preceding the opening of what is expected to be Victoria's greatest fair. Tents are springing up like magic, the many buildings are putting on a holiday appearance and the stalls are rapidly filling up with stock. On Saturday the gates will be closed to all not holding exhibitors' or membership tickets and will not be open to the public until Tuesday, the opening day of the fair.

The entries in all departments will exceed greatly that of any other year. The poultry show in particular Secretary George Sangster states that there will be fully half as many again as there were last year. All the horse-racing events are filling up nicely, both in the harness and running classes. Besides the many outside firms already mentioned Perry White & Co., of Winnipeg, are arranging a comprehensive display in the main building.

That the expectations of a large crowd of visitors from the mainland and the islands are not the slightest doubt, and from the Sound hundreds will come. The steamer Iroquois has been secured to make two excursion trips from Hellinham on Wednesday, and the fair will be advertised thoroughly there. It is expected that there will be excursions from Seattle and Vancouver on Friday and Saturday.

Numerous requests have been received by the association from different troupes of performers on the coast for the fair week. The fair week, but the association considers that it already has a sufficiency of attractions in that line. With three bands—Fifth Regiment, Pipers and Boy Scouts—eight of Parker's best shows, balloon ascensions, broncho-busting competitions and the horse show in the evening patrons should not find the fair dull by any means.

The rapidity with which the boxes in the horse show building are being snapped up is evidence of the keen interest taken in the main evening entertainment. Many applications for boxes have been received from residents of the northern parts of the island. The secretary reminds the public that the seating capacity for the horse show building is limited and that those desiring good seats will have to apply early.

The singing classes ("Bod's synthetic method"), held by Mrs. Bridges, 729 Courtney street, will be resumed on Saturday, September 2nd, at 1.30, and on Wednesday 6th, 7.30 p. m. Terms, 50c a month in advance.

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CARNIVAL WEEK

SEPT. 11 TO 16

DO IT IN VICTORIA
FAIR IS LAUNCHED

Merchants Subscribe to Fund That 10,000 Visitors May Greet Festival

After three weeks of quiet preparation the "Do It in Victoria" committee made announcement this morning that that Victoria will be in the throes of an unprecedented time of popularity September 11 to 16, and that the merchants and business people have supported the committee with financial aid.

The carnival is under the management of George W. Trumbull. He, with other members of the committee, have made a canvas and announce that they have obtained the support of every business house visited. The committee has arranged for the appearance here throughout the week of La Sousa's Crown Band, and four other free and sensational acts. They propose to have one night of fireworks that will surpass anything ever given, lasting without a break for almost an hour, and being a display of gorgeousness and grandeur that will cost \$1,000. Mr. Pearl, representative of Paines' Fireworks, is now at the Empress Hotel completing the arrangements.

The carnival is a business men's fair, and attractions are proposed every day and night in the business district. An auto parade with two prizes, \$75 and \$50, in cash, for the two best decorated machines, is announced and on the "Made in Victoria" day, \$50 and \$25 will be given in prizes for the two best decorated floats. Thursday or Friday evening there will be a uniform drill parade, \$100 being given to the winner, the judges being ten persons not connected with any one of the competing lodges.

Twenty-five dollars is the prize offered for the best-dressed company of boys scout and a committee of army and navy officers will be asked to decide who is to receive the prize. Fifty dollars is set aside for the winner of the building decoration competition. This event will be competed for by those who decorate the outside of their premises.

The "Do It in Victoria" committee proposes to hold a horse and carriage parade, for which many of the competitors at the horse show will remain. Handsome cups which are to be placed on view will be the awards.

The Queen of the Carnival contest is planned to secure the most popular lady in Victoria as Queen of the Carnival. It will be an open voting competition, votes costing one cent each, or such sum as the charitable organizations decide upon, the whole result going into their treasury.

At the Empress hotel is E. J. MacMillan, a member of one of the largest firms of decorators in the United States. It was he who carried out most of the Seattle Potlatch decorations. He is here to interview the local committee on decorations for the "Do It in Victoria" Carnival. The management is negotiating for an outside feature entertainment what is described as the most marvelous and sensational aerial event in modern times, known as the Dip of Death. If the negotiations are completed this sensation will be seen free of charge. It will take place in the main building.

The fascinating little actress, Miss Betty Caldwell, is playing the part of "Flower" in Joseph E. Howard's western musical comedy, "The Flower of the Ranch," coming to the Victoria theatre to-night and to-morrow night.

Miss Caldwell, who is a half-blood Indian, her mother being a full-blood Sioux, is a model frontier girl in this local musical comedy, with the scenes laid in the foothills of California. From her very first entrance, when she rushes upon the stage in her little buckskin dress, she wins her audience almost instantly.

She is the type of girl that theatregoers like in a part filled with a lot of rattling good songs, dancing numbers, and her comedy is refreshing. Miss Caldwell does not overact, but plays the part with a naturalness that makes you feel that you are out on the plains with her where all are happy and carefree. She is young and has a snap and dash about her work, ever on the move, a roving, prancing little creature, doing the unexpected at all times. It is all this that makes you like her.

She is surrounded by an excellent cast and a singing and dancing chorus that will prove a revelation to theatregoers.

"Miss Nobody From Starland." So many really good things have been said about that much-talked-of musical comedy, "Miss Nobody From Starland," which Mott H. Singler will present at the Victoria theatre on Thursday, Aug. 31, that playgoers who have not seen this fascinating Hough, Adams and Howard success are eagerly awaiting an opportunity of seeing it.

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is lowered into the centre aisle and down into the audience rushes the entire cast. Then there is the big dress rehearsal scene—a laughter-inspiring medium whereby the auditor is permitted to gaze behind the scenes and watch the frantic stage manager and his trembling (?) subjects, the players, give a final rehearsal of a new musical comedy. This scene has been universally voted the superlative in stage novelty.

RESCUE OF DROWNING.

Dr. Wasson Delivers Address to Y. M. C. A. Swimming Club.
An interesting and instructive address was delivered last evening by Dr. H. J. Wasson to the members of the Y. M. C. A. swimming club. The subject was "The Physiology of Resuscitation."

To give his hearers a clearer idea of the structure of the human frame the doctor outlined in chalk on the body of one of the boys, the positions of the various organs. He then discussed the blood and lungs, the circulation of the blood and the action of the heart were carefully explained.

The reasons for applying artificial respiration in the case of a person apparently drowned was to start circulation. The lecturer explained the different methods and systems of resuscitation, mentioning the "Hall," the "Sylvester," and the "Schaefer" or "prone" methods. The latter is the one commonly used now.

The application of heat to the body is of as great importance as artificial respiration in restoring life, especially in cold weather. At the close of the address a hearty vote of thanks was given Dr. Wasson.

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NEWS OF SPORT

ISLANDERS PLAYED BALL UNDER HOMES

Made the Indians Go at Top Speed for Nine Innings—McCreehy Wild

The Islanders, acting like real baseball players at Spokane yesterday, with "Ducky" Holmes, the new playing manager at their head, made the Indians go at top speed the full nine innings to win in the ninth on a hit by Netzel. McCreehy was effective in all but one inning, when a four-sacker by Netzel scored three runs. He was wild. Houck struck out ten men and was touched up for three hits in the first. The score:

Spokane	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Netzel, 3 b.	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Conroy, s. s.	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Melchior, r. f.	4	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Kippert, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Zimmerman, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cartwright, 2 b.	4	1	1	0	2	0	0	0
Nordyke, l. b.	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Ostiek, c.	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Houck, p.	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	32	5	3	10	5	0	0	0

Islanders	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Millon, 2 b.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Keller, 2 b.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Clementson, r. f.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Ward, s. s.	4	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
McMurdo, l. b.	4	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Holmes, c. f.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
DeVogt, 2 b.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
McCreehy, p.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	3	7	4	0	0	0

Score by Innings:
Spokane: 0 0 1 2 0 0 0 1 2
Islanders: 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 4

Summary:
Home run—Ostiek. Three base hits—Netzel, DeVogt. Two base hits—Millon, Melchior, Cartwright, Holmes. Wild pitch—McCreehy (2). Bases on balls—Ostiek, 1; off McCreehy, 3. Struck out—By Houck, 10; by McCreehy, 5. Time—2:05. Umpire—McCarthy.

EASTLEY WON HIS GAME.

Eastley, just from a sick bed, held the cagers to three runs at Portland yesterday, and at that one of them was the result of Eastley's error. Tacoma's first two runs, however, were the result of hard hitting as were all four of Portland's. Spies made one of the most spectacular catches ever seen on the local field. The score:

Tacoma	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Bassey, l. f.	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Coleman, 2 b.	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Abbott, r. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lynch, c. f.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Moore, s. s.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Fisher, l. b.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Tauscher, 2 b.	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Casey, 2 b.	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Moore, c. f.	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0
Coltrin, s. s.	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Eastley, p.	4	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Higgins, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	3	3	10	2	0	0	0

Score by Innings:
Tacoma: 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 2
Portland: 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 4

BASEBALL RESULTS.

At St. Louis—R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 2 5 1
New York..... 4 6 0
Batteries—Curry, Hamilton and Stephens; Caldwell and Sweeney, Williams.
Western Canada.
Calgary 4, at Edmonton 0.
Saskatoon 7, at Moose Jaw 4.
Eastern and Canadian league games postponed—rain.

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CORINTHIANS PLAY ON COAST TO-MORROW

Arrive in Vancouver To-day and Play First Game There—Island Matches

The Corinthians will play their first game on the coast in Vancouver to-morrow afternoon, at 5:45 o'clock sharp. Mr. Hilton, the advance agent for the team, says they are taking no chances on Vancouver catching them off color and will field the strongest possible team.

The Corinthians will play four games on the coast and it is expected that they will get stiffer opposition here than they have had at any other place in the Dominion. An effort is being made to play the rink of Ladysmith and Nanaimo in the latter city on Thursday. It was originally intended to play the game in Ladysmith but the secretary of the tour has wired to have the game switched to the Coal City.

The Englishmen are scheduled to play here on Saturday and terms which, it is expected, will be suitable have been offered by the local club, but as yet no definite arrangements have been made. It was announced a day or so ago that delegates from the Victoria and District Soccer Association would go over to Vancouver either to-day or to-morrow and personally interview Mr. Parker in regard to the game in Victoria. After playing here on Saturday the Corinthians will return to Vancouver to play there again on Labor Day.



STRAWBERRYVALE CRICKET TEAM

SCOTTISH SOCCER LEAGUE.

The following are the teams for the game at Vancouver to-morrow:
Vancouver Goal Corinthians
Lambie Backs C. G. Newman
McLean Backs I. E. Snell
McEwan Backs R. G. Thompson
Bruce Halves J. A. Vidal
Graham Halves M. Morgan-Owen
Teed Halves F. N. Tuff
Arnold Forwards C. E. Brisley
Sommer Forwards S. H. Day
Murray Forwards H. C. Bache
Anderson Forwards R. C. Maples
Bell Forwards B. O. Corbett
Referee, L. Leith; linesman, C. Wrenford-Brown and R. Samson.
The record of the Corinthian team is as follows:
All Ontario, 1; Corinthians, 2
Toronto, 3; Corinthians, 1
Hamilton, 3; Corinthians, 4
Montreal, 0; Corinthians, 5
Cohalt, 0; Corinthians, 6
Fort William, 0; Corinthians, 6
Winnipeg, 1; Corinthians, 2
Regina, 2; Corinthians, 6
Saskatoon, 2; Corinthians, 5
Edmonton, 1; Corinthians, 5
Calgary, 3; Corinthians, 4
Totals—Opponents, 16; Corinthians, 56.
A team representing Nanaimo and Ladysmith is to play the touring Corinthians of England, at Ladysmith on Thursday next, the island team being as follows: Goal, Dougan (Ladysmith); full backs, Rogers (Ladysmith), Hewitt (Nanaimo); halves, Bayley (Ladysmith), White (Nanaimo); Upton (Ladysmith); forwards, Adams (Nanaimo), McGuire (Ladysmith), Adam (Ladysmith), McAdams (Ladysmith), and Waddell (Nanaimo).

BOB STEELE'S RECORD.

Only 27 Men Faced Him on Sunday—
Rex Dawson's Pitching.
If reports are to be believed, Bob Steele established an enviable record at Chemainus on Sunday. Despite the fact that one hit was secured by the lumber-jacks only 27 men faced him. The lone base-runner was nipped at first almost immediately after arriving there.
What adds considerable distinction to Steele's performance is the fact that Chemainus is undoubtedly one of the fastest amateur nines on the island and went down to its first defeat on Sunday. As it happened Bobbie was opposed by a pitcher of the same calibre as himself. Rex Dawson struck out 16 men, one or two more than did the Victorian, but then Dawson was hit harder. The Hills got two hits, while Chemainus only got one. Steele is a southpaw.

BURRARD CRICKET TEAM

LEAGUE BATTING.

Bues and Kippert Having Races for Premier Honors—Eight Above 300.

Bues and Kippert are having a nice race for premier batting honors in the Northwestern League, with the Seattle player eighteen points to the good, or an average of 581 against Kippert's 559. Biting generally is holding up fairly well, there being several safely above the 300 mark. The figures are up-to-and-including Thursday's games:

Club	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Bues, Seattle	470	165	351	33	0	0	0	0
Kippert, Spokane	520	122	333	33	0	0	0	0
Moore, Portland	83	27	25	0	0	0	0	0
Swain, Vancouver	303	54	319	0	0	0	0	0
Nordyke, Spokane	430	121	338	0	0	0	0	0
Netzel, Spokane	471	143	386	0	0	0	0	0
Frank, Vancouver	425	121	299	0	0	0	0	0
Mundorf, Portland	461	141	306	0	0	0	0	0
Cruikshank, Seattle	450	137	290	0	0	0	0	0
Houssholder, Seattle	415	128	290	0	0	0	0	0
Zimmerman, Spokane	478	121	299	0	0	0	0	0
Goodman, Victoria	442	122	292	0	0	0	0	0
Weed, Seattle	420	121	291	0	0	0	0	0
Shea, Seattle	332	87	288	0	0	0	0	0
Mensor, Portland	333	86	288	0	0	0	0	0
Brinkley, Tacoma	425	107	299	0	0	0	0	0
Stovall, Portland	471	162	353	0	0	0	0	0
Brinker, Vancouver	455	134	352	0	0	0	0	0
James, Vancouver	398	111	278	0	0	0	0	0
Coleman, Tacoma	449	123	274	0	0	0	0	0
Brabant, Vancouver	380	99	273	0	0	0	0	0
Grindle, Victoria	22	6	272	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, Portland	468	124	268	0	0	0	0	0
Bradley, Vancouver	413	20	265	0	0	0	0	0
Pettigrew, Portland	258	68	263	0	0	0	0	0
Ort, Seattle	374	88	262	0	0	0	0	0
Kennedy, Tacoma	279	49	261	0	0	0	0	0
Burns, Tacoma	241	89	259	0	0	0	0	0
Clementson, Victoria	213	54	256	0	0	0	0	0
Whaling, Seattle	25	9	254	0	0	0	0	0
Lynch, Tacoma	152	116	254	0	0	0	0	0
Abbott, Tacoma	299	75	251	0	0	0	0	0
Melchior, Spokane	88	17	250	0	0	0	0	0
Conroy, Spokane	531	126	250	0	0	0	0	0
Raymond, Seattle	472	107	250	0	0	0	0	0
Bassey, Tacoma	362	114	229	0	0	0	0	0
DeVogt, Victoria	211	47	228	0	0	0	0	0
Reddick, Victoria	75	17	227	0	0	0	0	0
Keller, Victoria	318	77	225	0	0	0	0	0
Lewis, Victoria	91	6	222	0	0	0	0	0
McMurdo, Victoria	91	6	222	0	0	0	0	0
Sutton, Seattle	144	31	219	0	0	0	0	0
Cartwright, Spokane	307	82	219	0	0	0	0	0
Blott, Tacoma	272	107	219	0	0	0	0	0
Rayner, Victoria	357	56	218	0	0	0	0	0
Ward, Victoria	294	73	215	0	0	0	0	0
Ostiek, Spokane	111	21	215	0	0	0	0	0
Adams, Vancouver	299	61	215	0	0	0	0	0
Heldner, Vancouver	401	83	209	0	0	0	0	0
Tauscher, Tacoma	229	40	173	0	0	0	0	0
Soleman, Spokane	254	45	169	0	0	0	0	0
Willett, Vancouver	185	29	158	0	0	0	0	0
Sencer, Tacoma	79	11	138	0	0	0	0	0
Thorsen, Victoria	40	3	135	0	0	0	0	0

ABOUT BASEBALL

Apparently "Ducky" Holmes' influence was felt the moment he took his place amongst the Islanders. Yesterday they played ball all the time as even a novice could see by a glance at the score. With all the changes being made a wily, capable leader at their head, there is no reason why they should not finish the season with a burst of speed. At any rate it is not a bit too early to commence building for next season, and Holmes will have a better chance than Eddie Houssholder had. When Holmes got the sobriquet of "Ducky," even the fans of South Omaha are at a loss to remember, but Ducky has been playing baseball for some seasons. When leader of the Sioux City club Holmes made a great fight for the pennant each year, and was a consistent winner. In 1909 Sioux City lost the pennant through a peculiar break of baseball luck. The final games of the season found Sioux City a game and a half ahead of Des Moines. Sioux City had a double-header to play and lost both games. Des Moines won and captured the batting by the close margin of two points, or half a game.

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Gillespie	18	4	32	4
Coton	16	1	45	3
Coppinger	6	1	23	0
Allen	3	0	13	0
Pilkington	2	0	4	2
Total	45	6	117	9

Bowling Analysis.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
H. Akroyd b Packer	15	4	39	5
W. F. W. Pilkington b Gore-Brown	21	7	56	2
H. Aften b Packer	2	1	11	0
R. J. Horton b Packer	11	3	27	0
S. Gillespie c Thompson, b Case	20	5	55	0
Coppinger b Case	58	1	147	0
H. Idions c Case, b Gore-Brown	9	1	22	0
H. R. Coton not out	0	0	0	0
F. J. Young b Gore-Brown	0	0	0	0
T. A. Nicholson b Packer	7	0	17	0
H. O. Kirkham b Packer	0	0	0	0
Extras	20	0	0	0
Total	180	13	424	5

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gast brought him into the limelight last winter, and Matt Wells, the British champion. Under the present condition a club cannot hold ring battles without a license from the commission. Besides every club being granted a license must put up a \$10,000 bond guaranteeing to live up to all provisions of the law. Fights are limited to ten rounds, with eight-ounce gloves. If any conditions are evaded, or if the fight proves a fake, the club's license is forfeited. In the event of sham-fighting, the boxers also are to be banished.

Packer McFarland and Ad. Wolgast will fight ten rounds at Milwaukee September fifteenth. This was decided upon yesterday at Chicago following a lengthy conference between Emil Thiry and Tom Jones, managers of McFarland and Wolgast respectively. After the Chicagoan's manager had consented to call off the proposed six-round bout between McFarland and Kelly at St. Louis, September 4, when Thiry agreed to call off the match at St. Louis the last obstacle from the boxers' viewpoint was removed.

To-night at the North Ward park the junior league players to represent Victoria against the East Ends in Vancouver on Labor Day will be chosen. C. Baker has been appointed captain with Shorty Stevens vice-captain and they will select the team.

The annual meeting of the Victoria Rugby Football club which was to have

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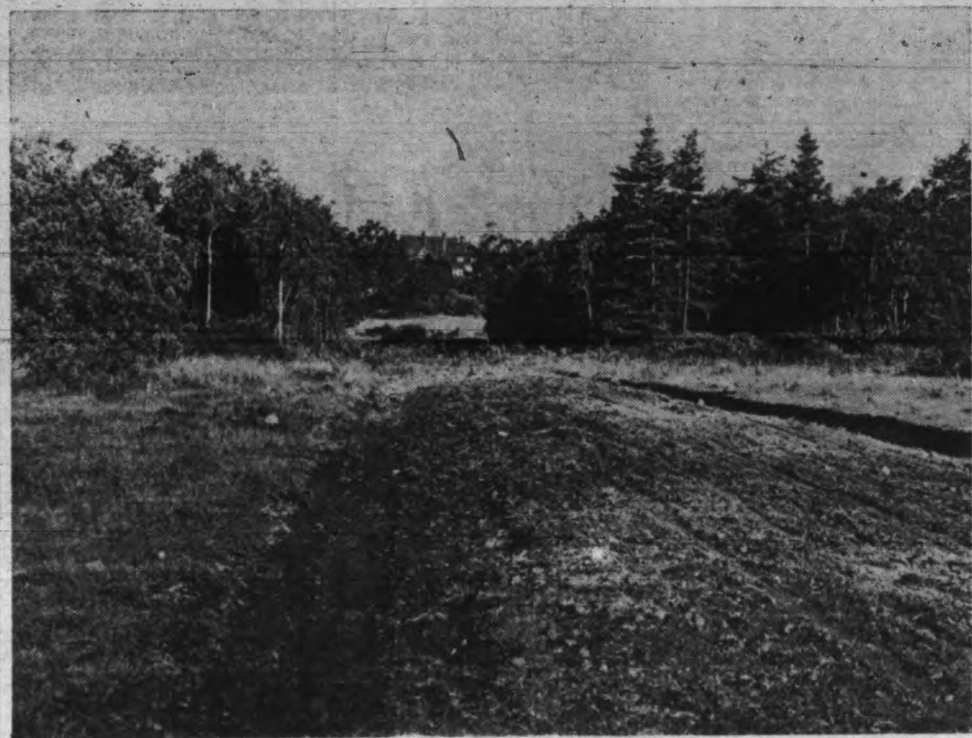
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A TRUE STORY

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Once upon a time there was a middle-aged man. This middle-aged man had held various offices under the people, and, having given evidence of great capability, the people gathered about him and made him Great Chief and begged him to lead them out of the rut of stagnation into which their country had settled and to bring them into a state of prosperity and happiness. And from the moment the Great Chief took office there was much improvement and everything kept improving until the country became one of the most prosperous in the whole world. Indeed so happy and prosperous were the people that when the Great Chief told the people that he was going to make them still more prosperous, some there were who murmured and said "No, we are content as we are. We have everything on earth for which we can reasonably ask."

There was also a young man. This young man was of great intellectual and physical powers and showed much inclination and ambition to serve the people. And the Great Chief, whose custom it was to gather about him the best men of his tribe, albeit he remained the greatest of them all, raised this young man to high office by making him a Little Chief. And the Little Chief worked hard and arduously in his office and did splendid work for the good of the people.

But before many moons had passed this Little Chief began to grow person-

ally ambitious to become rich, and being enabled by reason of his high office to see great opportunities to become wealthy, he began to think more of himself and less of the people and every day he grew richer and richer, and the richer he grew the further away did he get from the people until finally he lost the high office of Little Chief. Nevertheless, the people, remembering the work of his youth in behalf of the people, elected him to minor office.

And the once Little Chief bought an island in the St. Lawrence river, and surrounded himself with motors and automobiles, and his associates were not of the people but of those who profited by the labor of the people. And the once Little Chief grew further and further from the people until finally he lost even the minor office which he had held under them. And his soul was sorely vexed. And so he went in and out amongst the people preaching to them and exhorting them to no longer follow the lead of the Great Chief and put in his place an inexperienced and untried man.

Not one word of reproach came from the lips of the Great Chief. But the Great Chief, gathering his people about him, addressed them in these words, "My fellow countrymen, for seventy years I have lived amongst you and of you. Practically all my manhood has been spent in your service. Fifteen years ago you made me your Great Chief and asked me to lead you out of the rut of stagnation to prosperity and happiness. To-day you have prosperity and happiness such as you never knew before in your history, even so much that when I say to you that I propose measures which will bring you still greater happiness and prosperity, some there are who say we cannot be better off, let well enough alone. But, my people, in the evening of my life, holding the highest office in the gift of my people, I have nothing else to live for or to die for

than the welfare of my country, and as you have trusted me in the past and never found me wanting, so may you trust me till the end of my days." And at this the people rose up and with great acclaim renewed their confidence in the Great Chief, and he was their Great Chief as long as he lived and when he was called away to his fathers he carried with him the love, the respect and the great glory of his people.

But the once Little Chief, who might have aspired to become the Great Chief, lived on, ostracized, and alone with his money.

The name of the Little Chief was Sifton, and the name of the Great Chief was Laurier.

CHARGE AGAINST GERMAN OFFICER

Lieutenant, Arrested at Plymouth, Alleged to Have Tried to Buy Information

Plymouth, Eng., Aug. 29.—Lieut. Philip Schultz, of the 13th Hussars, stationed at Frankfort-On-The-Main, Germany, who was arrested here August 9, charged with espionage, was arraigned in open court for the first time yesterday and the department of public prosecutions made known part of the government's case.

According to the public prosecutor, Schultz was especially commissioned by the German authorities to obtain precise information as to how far the British government was backing up France in the Moroccan dispute. Specific questions, copies of which were found among his belongings, were to be asked by Schultz regarding the naval preparations, the fortification of ports and the commissioning and reserve of ships, etc. Insistence was laid on the necessity of the information coming from officers on the active list of the British Army. A copy of the cipher employed by Schultz also was found.

Counsel for the prosecution asserted that the lieutenant had offered considerable sums of money to local residents to procure the desired information. The residents instead informed the authorities and in conjunction with them laid a plot to catch the alleged spy.

HANGS HIMSELF IN CELL

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—An hour after he was arrested last night on a charge of housebreaking, a man who gave his name as Edward Masser, hanged himself in his cell in the city jail. He had used the old prison method of committing suicide, tying a blanket around his neck, fixing it to the iron bars and jumping off his bed. Not fifteen minutes before the slight faller he had him hanging dead he had been seen walking around his cell.



BARNARD MEETING

To the Editor—I was present at the meeting in the Victoria theatre last night, and perhaps I may claim for myself that I was one of the most disinterested hearers there. I am not a "died in the wool" party man, in fact I may as well admit now that I am firmly convinced that Premier McBride has been the leader of the most successful ministry that British Columbia has had since I came to the province nearly twenty years ago. I must frankly confess that I was very disappointed last night. Mr. Blakemore, without any question, made the speech of the evening, and I could not fail to catch the covert sneer in the speech of the Premier when he said that he had only heard the last 35 or 40 minutes of the conclusion of Mr. Blakemore's speech. I question if Mr. Blakemore spoke any longer than that, but it was quite evident that Mr. McBride had been chafing behind the scenes at being kept so long from his turn.

Then, again, I have attended political meetings for the past thirty years, but never before did I hear two speakers on the same platform say exactly the opposite thing. Mr. Blakemore said that the cry had been raised that reciprocity would lead to annexation and disruption of the British Empire, but he asserted that he believed the people of Canada were too loyal, whether Conservative or Liberal, for any such bogey to scare anyone. Mr. McBride very dramatically stated that reciprocity was the first step to disruption and annexation, and most solemnly warned his hearers against the pact.

There are a great many points that, if space permitted, I might take up and discuss, but any impartial listener must admit that there was nothing last night that could compare to the clear-cut, logical and masterfully delivered address of Mr. Cowper. If the Conservative party hope to win by any other means than the infamous one of the forged telegram that the Colonel lent itself to at the last election, it must find more debaters of the class of Mr. Blakemore, who, if he had not had a false hypothesis would have put up an unanswerable argument.

EDWARD E. HARDWICK.

WHAT THE ELECTORS WANT TO KNOW

To the Editor—Instead of the Colonel's heading, "What the Electors Want to Know," it would be an honest one if it read, "What the Electors Want the Electors to Believe." The average elector of Canada is not an ignoramus; he is just as able to judge statements, circumstances and conditions as the Colonel or the writers of special articles for a special purpose.

Mr. Bourassa sheds a lurid light on the view taken by so many of the newspapers who are ranged up against reciprocity when he says in his speech at St. Hyacinth, as reported in the Montreal Weekly Star of the 23rd: "Allow me to tell Mr. Lemieux that I am in favor of reciprocity in 1911, and that I refused to accept in my newspaper the manifesto of the Anti-Reciprocity League, for which we should have been paid, as for an advertisement." Except the annexation bogey, which is

too humiliating to be effective, could anything be weaker than the remarks of the Colonel upon the Union Pacific Railway discharging 2,500 men, suggesting that their advent into Canada would swamp us. Has it not been boasting emigration, declaring that we could absorb a hundred million good emigrants with advantage? It now says that if our railways were to discharge 1,000 men it would cause a serious slump throughout the Dominion." What a desperate industrial condition to depict, if the discharge of 1,000 men would paralyze the Dominion.

That it should descend for party purposes to use such arguments as these, especially coupled with that of annexation, covers every loyal Canadian with shame; but what can be expected from followers of a leader like Mr. Borden, who, forsaking the lead of such men as Sir John A. Macdonald, George Brown, Sir George Etienne Cartier, G. O. Dorian and Sir S. Tilley, who for forty years have endorsed reciprocity, especially Sir John A. Macdonald, the one great leader of the Conservative party, who sent commissioners to Washington, who sent several times, then went there himself in his anxiety to get this very reciprocity, whilst their present leader waits "We are doing nicely, let well alone." Is that a rallying cry for a young and progressive country? "How are the mighty fallen." JOSEPH SHAW.

The chief home of the racing pigeon is in Belgium. There the sport is a national pastime, and a good pigeon frequently wins for its owner large sums of money, the prizes being considerable, with often heavy pools added.

NELSON LAWYER'S SUICIDE

Body of H. A. Stewart Found in Bushes Two Miles From City.

Nelson, Aug. 29.—Three children out picking berries along the banks of Anderson creek in the bushes two miles from Nelson yesterday afternoon, solved the mystery of the disappearance of H. A. Stewart, the well-known Nelson lawyer, who disappeared on August 16, leaving no clue behind. They almost stepped on the badly decomposed body, and, much alarmed, came to town and informed the chief of provincial police and Coroner Rose, who immediately went to the scene.

The body lay on the banks of the creek in a thick clump of bushes. Examination showed that he had shot himself through the heart, a revolver lying beside the body. Death had been apparently instantaneous, and the burns on the clothes showing that the revolver had been held close to the body when the fatal shot was fired. In the dead man's hand were two photographs, one of his wife, one of two children, and on the back of the wife's photograph was written: "Dear, dear Emily, perhaps I should have taken my life when I first thought of it at the age of 18. I have never been sound in mind. God bless you and Edie and Alec always—Sandy."

There will be no inquest. Stewart was well educated and was in many respects a brilliant man. He was 39

years old, and had been married ten years.

RECIPROcity OR RESTRICTION?

Speaking in the House of Commons in 1894, Hon. Geo. E. Foster said: "When they, the people of the United States, look over the items in our tariff as it shall have passed this House, they will find that line after line, article after article, trade after trade, we have given them a better chance to get into our market than they have given us to get into their market; consequently legislative reciprocity, so far as trade is concerned, shines out from the propositions that the Government put before the House to-day in a far greater degree than it does out of the legislation which they have proposed, and which is in progress through their Congress."

STRIKE OVER

Philadelphia, Aug. 29.—The strike at the Baldwin Locomotive Works which began on June 28, was officially called off last night. Of the 12,000 or more men who went out it is estimated that only about 2,000 are still out. The management of the works declined to trade. When the strike was called, it was advised against by the International officials of the affiliated unions, which, it was stated, were not in a position to pay strike benefits.



BRONCHO-BUSTING AT FAIR

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BARNARD SPEAKS AT THE THEATRE

DEVOTES HIS ATTENTION CHIEFLY TO THE NAVY

Conservative Rally Fills House—Premier and W. Blakemore Give Addresses

Conservatives were out in force last night at the Victoria theatre, which was filled to its seating capacity. The speakers were, in addition to Col. E. G. Prior, who was chairman, G. H. Barnard, the candidate; William Blakemore, editor of The Week; and the premier, Hon. Richard McBride.

Col. Prior believed the moment to be one of crisis in the history of Canada and thanked the opposition in the Dominion parliament that the crisis had been made possible and the people of Canada now had the opportunity to vote. He believed that Canada was at the parting of the ways, and as the country was enjoying unequalled prosperity he could see no reason for experimenting with a reciprocal trade agreement. Changes were not wanted and he did not believe the people wanted them.

In introducing the Conservative candidate, Mr. Barnard, the chairman referred to him as a man having been brought up in this country and a man who is and always has been the acme of honesty and integrity. He referred to Mr. Templeman in comparison, saying the Minister of Mines had also lived in Victoria many years during which Col. Prior and he had had some good political fights together, but said the chairman, "I yet have to see that he can do any good at Ottawa. Had he any influence in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet he would have a large power to do good in the west."

Col. Prior maintained that Mr. Barnard could be of more actual benefit to Victoria as representative in the Dominion house than Mr. Templeman. He expressed pleasure that while the honor of going into Dominion politics had been offered Mr. McBride, the premier had not taken it, as he was still needed in the provincial field.

"His destiny," said the chairman, "points to federal politics and he is bound to make his mark as one of the most prominent men in Canada, but I sincerely trust the day will be far off when the premier leaves us to enter the federal political arena."

Mr. Barnard, in following Col. Prior, made reference to the chairman's eulogy of the premier saying that should Mr. McBride require at any time a seat in the Dominion house, and should he (Mr. Barnard) at the time be holding one, he would be happy to resign to make way for the premier and would do so without thought of reward.

Mr. Barnard remarked briefly upon the size of the gathering and told a fish story in which it developed that ladies were a good bait to go fishing with. This was preliminary to commenting upon the many women throughout the audience and complimenting them upon their attraction as a bait to draw men to political meetings.

Getting down to the matter in hand Mr. Barnard said that at Mr. Templeman's nomination the Minister of Mines asked the question, "What has the Liberal Government failed to do for Victoria?" and had preceded it with the question "What has the Liberal Government done for Victoria?" In reference to these he said it would take much longer to answer the first than the last, because the government had done little.

"The Imperial forces took away between 400 and 500 men from Esquimalt," said Mr. Barnard. "There were fortifications on Signal Hill in course of construction, to cost, I understand, \$250,000. Two 5.2 guns were brought from England for Signal Hill. They were at the foot of the hill ready to be taken up when the defences were taken over by Canada. The cost of mounting the guns was \$15,000. The guns were never mounted, although it cost the Imperial Government \$80,000 to land the guns at the foot of Signal Hill. The additional cost was too much for the Dominion Government to spend although I am told that they have been getting an estimate of cost of moving one of the guns to Halifax. Those fortifications have been dismantled."

Owing to the lack of facilities for ideal gunnery practice, Mr. Barnard said, the officers of the Fifth Regiment resigned in a body. Then two guns were brought to the drill hall for them to practice upon. The six-inch gun was taken to Rod Hill and never replaced, and the quick-firing gun taken from Dumtze head. A substitute gun had not been placed in the fort.

When the local boys got the use of

these guns they came out the head of the list. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had said there was danger possible on the Pacific coast and yet he dismantled the fortifications on this coast. There were now but 152 here in the service in place of 450 Imperial men. Mr. Barnard said recruits were wanted at Esquimalt and that one had been found. Because there was no uniform for him he was confined to barracks in overalls for four months.

Mr. Barnard repeated statements made by him at previous meetings of the present campaign regarding his views on the navy question. He compared the units of Australia and New Zealand with that offered the mother country by Canada and said "Laurier was working along a half-way course" trying to satisfy the people of the east coast, and that of the ten ships to be built eight were to be placed on the Atlantic where there was no danger, and two were to guard the Pacific, where Sir Wilfrid Laurier admitted there was danger. In the contracts for the vessels there was no clause requiring that they should be built, or any of them, on the Pacific. The ships, he said, would be built on the Atlantic.

In making a slight reference to the sealing industry Mr. Barnard said that while a deal had been made by the United States from which Canada would get compensation for 15 years and the sealers share in it, there was no compensation for the business men of Victoria who, said Mr. Barnard, would be losing trade.

The candidate said that despite frequent protests in the House of Commons nothing had been done to prevent the American poachers operating except to hire the William Joffe from "our good friends the Bullens at \$150 per day." "Poaching was never so open as it is to-day," said Mr. Barnard. "Americans have robbed the British Columbia fish traps at the point of the gun. Does Mr. Templeman consider he has done his duty in connection with the protection of fisheries?"

Mr. Barnard then contrasted the shipping tonnage of the east and west, and said that while that of the west is greater Mr. Pugsley's constituency could obtain \$12,000,000 for harbor improvements and Mr. Templeman gave voters an announcement that Mr. Pugsley is considering the harbor improvements for Victoria. Mr. Barnard believed that had Mr. Pugsley been representative for Victoria in the House of Commons for the past few years, he would have spent here in place of thousands and ships would be able to enter without doing a spiral glide. If Mr. Templeman had not the influence in the cabinet to get these matters through then it was time he gave place to a good opposition member.

In his speech Mr. Barnard said Mr. Templeman's election to parliament was not necessary to get the Brocton ledge breaker. From the east, he said, reports were coming daily that the Liberals are on the run and it was time they went down to a long peaceful rest.

William Blakemore said that the question of reciprocity overshadowed the other issues of the present campaign. Mr. Blakemore then went on to sketch the history of reciprocal trade agreements in Canada and made an appeal for unity with the mother country, rather than unity between Canada and the United States. Continuing he said:

"What may happen if reciprocity is abrogated? The previous treaty was abrogated, and the business in Montreal and the other great centres on the St. Lawrence declined rapidly. Until the treaty was put into operation they had all been enjoying a period of prosperity. And what of annexation? I have no hesitation in saying that the talk of annexation is no bogey and we are not going to make it so. After the abrogation of the previous treaty and the consequent dislocation of the markets the loyalty of our Canadian people was strong enough to surmount all difficulties and tended in the end to draw them closer together, bringing them to realize that the only thing to do was to confederate and make themselves into a strong nation. The reaction from the abrogated reciprocity treaty brought about that confederation from which the true history of Canada begins. Why should we then to-day, when we are more prosperous than we have ever been before, risk a repetition of those dull days? I cannot see it. We are in favor of the British preference and we applaud Sir Wilfrid Laurier for his action in that respect. It commends itself to our most profound and considerate judgment."

The speaker proceeded to say that the premier had changed his attitude in regard to this question. At the Imperial conference in London three years ago he had stated that there was a time when Canada wanted reciprocity with the United States but they had now said good-bye to that time and were putting their hopes in British preference. On the same occasion he declared that it was wise to be on friendly terms with the Americans and that the best way to maintain those friendly terms was to be absolutely independent of them.

What necessity was there for a reciprocity treaty? It had been stated by leading Americans on the public platform that the wealth of Canada per capita was greater than that of the United States. He had his own per-

sonal doubts about that, but he was giving it for what it was worth. He contended that at no time during the marvelous growth of the United States had they progressed at the same ratio which Canada was making to-day. It was a singularly unfortunate thing for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Mr. Fielding that they should come forward with this reciprocity pact at a time when Canada was prospering as no other country in the world ever prospered before, and also at a time when the other party to the pact, the United States, was laboring in the throes of all kinds of labor troubles.

Mr. Blakemore dissociated himself entirely from the disloyalty cry. He believed that Liberals were just as loyal as Conservatives. Canadians are loyal. "There is no danger of annexation to the United States, but while that may be your opinion and my opinion, I do not believe that it is the opinion of those on the other side of the line, who were responsible for the treaty in the first instance. Unfortunately we only see the treaty as it comes out of the wash. Had we seen it in its original form our views upon it might have been different. That it contained what the United States has long sought for there can be little doubt."

On rising to address the meeting the premier of the province was accorded a great reception. In his opening remarks Mr. McBride expressed the view that the previous discussion of the question must have convinced those present of the rectitude of the attitude which the Conservative party was taking at this time. A great deal had been said of the "reciprocity pact" and the unexpected manner in which it had been thrust upon the people. It was the old story of the G. T. P. over again. When that project came along they were told by the Liberals that it was a great work for the nation to undertake and that its finality would give Canada a greater and stronger nationality than even her most sanguine prophet had dared to forecast. He recalled the result of the campaign which followed. Everyone was looking for lots of money and good times and the Conservatives had to go down. They had a second taste of G. T. P. about two and a half years ago when Sir Wilfrid Laurier came back with a majority of forty. They had scarcely tired of all the little promises of these campaigns when they were now faced with this new issue, the reciprocity pact. He continued:

"What does it all mean? It means that the end is in sight, that the day of Sir Wilfrid Laurier is done. Instances can be shown from the records of the House at Ottawa where the authorities were exhibited in a light that does them no credit. Anyone closely watching the business of the Dominion House during those last three sessions must admit that day by day the power of the Conservative opposition grew, and the confidence which Sir Wilfrid Laurier thought he held in the people grew weaker and weaker. And so in a moment of desperation he formulated his plan for reciprocity. Then things happen in the most extraordinary fashion. Mr. Macdonald of Toronto, a preacher, is made the go-between which results in the meeting of the statements of the two countries. We must look back a few years ago when Sir Wilfrid Laurier by his own act never looked for any further concessions from the United States. You have his own declarations in the House of Commons for that. He has told you that Canada is through with the United States and that we are no longer to stand by our feet. We have a right to judge him by his deeds and I say unhesitatingly that the records of parliament unquestionably disclose the fact that up to a short time ago he had never dreamt of having another reciprocity pact with the United States."

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The unusual occurrence created a stir. The address was reported in the press under the heading "Extraordinary Proceedings in St. Paul's." There was much talk about it, but Dr. Gregory achieved his purpose.

Dean Gregory also met with considerable opposition over the schemes for reverting the other apartments, caused by the late dean's guiding influence was the institution of popular Sunday services. The great space under the dome was formerly left quite free from seats, and was used only by people who came to gaze at the building and its monuments.

A story is told of a verger who had a great objection to people standing in the centre of the cathedral gazing about, so he had an erection of hurdles put up as a barrier. This much annoyed the dean, who asked him if he

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Dean Gregory's death. Had Hard Fight for Reforms at St. Paul's Cathedral.

Full of years and honors Dr. Robert Gregory, until recently Dean of St. Paul's, died in London at the Deanery. The Very Rev. Robert Gregory, D. D., who was Dean of St. Paul's Cathedral from 1891 to February, 1911, was born at "Miltonham" on "F" 1818. His long connection with St. Paul's dated from his nomination to a canonry by Mr. Gladstone in 1868.

Dr. Gregory began his career in the Church as curate of Bisley, in Gloucestershire, in 1843, and in 1847 he went to Lincolnshire as curate of Stanton and Wreay. It was there that he wrote his "Plea for Small Parishes." He came to London in 1851 as curate of Lambeth, and then he was incumbent of St. Mary-the-Less, Lambeth, from 1853 to 1873. During those years he was an arduous worker, among the poor in the South London district.

When he first went to St. Paul's, over forty years ago, the reputation of himself and Mrs. Gregory was not inspiring. They were met by a sour-tempered verger, taper in hand, who admitted Mrs. Gregory to the choir unopposed, but shut the door in the faces of some Lambeth parishioners who wanted to sympathize with the new canon in the ceremony, such as it was.

At the time the services were conducted in a very slovenly manner; rubrics were disregarded, and a light pointed to neglect. The choir frequently consisted of four or five men and the same number of boys. The services were held in the chancel, which was then shut off from the rest of the cathedral. Any attempt at reducing things to order was frowned upon by those in authority, and no encouragement was given to any kind of reform.

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EXCHANGING FOODSTUFFS UNDER DIFFICULTIES

Table Showing Volume of Trade in Natural Products With Duties Between the Two Countries.

Some very misleading statistics are current as to the interchange between Canada and the United States of foodstuffs. In spite of the high duties on both sides of the line, there is a considerable exchange, showing that at times and places this is profitable, despite the obstacles placed in the way. We have prepared from official sources a table, herewith reproduced, which shows the Canadian exports to, and imports from, the United States in foodstuffs, with the current rate of duties charged by each country.

Articles.	Canadian Duty.	Canadian Duty Paid from U.S.	United States Duty.	Canadian Duty Paid to U.S.
Wheat	2c. bu.	\$5,129	2c. bu.	\$1,883,947
Barley	15c. bu.	99,819	3c. bu.	66,608
Oats	10c. bu.	11,823	5c. bu.	534,992
Beef	2c. lb.	78,815	1c. lb.	12,626
Eggs	3c. doz.	177,572	3c. doz.	13,896
Butter	4c. lb.	16,163	6c. lb.	201,908
Sheep	25 p.c.	131,492	7c. to \$1.50 ea.	187,604
Swine	25 p.c.	2,140	\$1.50 ea.	4,230
Potatoes	2c. bu.	179,949	2c. bu.	248,194
Green fruit	2c. bu.	1,205,588	2c. bu.	204,711

*Canadian schedules on green fruits are: Apples, bbl. 40c; berries, 2c. lb.; cranberries, etc., 25c; peaches, 1c. lb.; pears, 2c. lb.; bananas, pineapples, etc., free. The United States duties are: 25c a bushel for apples, peaches, pears, etc., and berries, 1c. per quart.

These statistics of Canadian imports from the United States are taken from a tabulated statement submitted to parliament on March 20, 1911, by Hon. W. Paterson in reply to an inquiry by a member. The figures as to wheat and many other items conflict with those published in Conservative campaign literature, but the above table is official and is correct. It will be seen that the total imports of natural products into Canada for the year 1910 paid duty at \$2,967,204 while the exports to the United States for the year 1910 paid duty at \$2,967,204. The result is somewhat startling. It shows that the balance of trade in duty on natural products amounts to \$2,003,776 in favor of Canada. It will thus be seen that the products which are included in the reciprocity pact and from which the duty is to be removed constitute the chief items of exchange. It will pay the reader to cut this table out and keep it for reference in case of the distortion of facts and publication of false figures so often resorted to by the opponents of reciprocity.

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GEORGE SANGSTER, Secretary.

Department of the Naval Service

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wharf at Howell, B. C.," will be received until 1.00 p. m., on Monday, September 25, 1911, for the construction of a Wharf at Howell, Division of Nelson, Kootenay District, B. C.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the offices of G. A. Keefe, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster, B. C., and application to the Postmaster at Victoria, B. C.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p. c.) of the amount of tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the contract. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order,
H. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, August 28, 1911.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

A competitive examination will be held in November next at the examination centre of the Civil Service Commission for the entry of Naval Cadets for the Naval Service of Canada; there will be 25 vacancies.

Candidates must be between the ages of 14 and 16 years on the 1st of January next; must be British subjects and must have resided, or their parents must have resided in Canada for two years immediately preceding the examination; short periods of absence abroad for purpose of education to be considered as residence. Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately \$50 for the first year and \$250 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of \$5 per diem.

Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 18th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.

G. J. DESBARRATS,
Deputy Minister of the Naval Service,
Department of the Naval Service,
Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

FACTS FOR CONSUMERS AND WAGE EARNERS

Frequent mention has been made long before the reciprocity pact was ever thought of, of the great disparity in the cost of living here and in Seattle. The Victoria housekeeper, who knows as a matter of every-day business what prices are, has always known this and generally pays a visit to the markets when visiting across the line; while the bread-winner has had to borne in upon him sternly that his day's wages does not supply him with as good a table as Seattle workers get.

A little investigation by a Times representative among the Seattle dealers and then among those in Victoria simply afforded corroboration in specific detail. The prices given below are the ordinary retail market prices of today, at which customers were purchasing as the Times man was obtaining the figures.

VICTORIA	SEATTLE
Cabbages: 4, 5 and 6 cents per lb. Medium, 10c each.	Cabbages: Small, 3 for 5 cents; medium, 2 for 5 cents; large, 5 cents each.
Celery: 10 cents per head.	Celery: Small, 4 bunches for 5 cents; large, 3 for 5 cents.
Peas: 8 to 10 cents per lb.; 3 lbs. for 25c.	Peas and String Beans: 2 lbs. for 15 cents.
String Beans: 10c to 15c per lb.; 2 lbs. for 25c.	Potatoes: 2 cents per lb.; sweet potatoes, 4 pounds for 25 cents.
Sweet Potatoes: 10c to 12 1/2c per lb.	Cucumbers: Very small, 10 cents per doz.; 4 for 5 cents; medium, 3 for 5 cents; large, 3 for 10 cents; very large, 2 for 15 cents.
Potatoes: 8 lbs. for 25c; \$1.75, \$1.85, \$2 and \$2.25 per 100-lb. sack.	Cauliflower: Small, 2 for 5 cents; medium to large, 5 to 10 cents; very large, 15 cents.
Cucumbers: Small, 5 cents; medium, 10 cents; large, 15 cents.	Carrots, Beets, Turnips, Radishes, Etc.: 4 to 6 bunches for 5 cents.
Cauliflower: 10c and 20c each.	Plums: 25 cents and 30 cents per doz.
Carrots: 2c, 3c and 5c per lb.; 10c per bunch.	Apples: 20 cents, 25 cents and 30 cents per doz.
Turnips: 3c, 4c and 5c per lb.	Peaches: Good, 10 cents per doz.; very good, 20 to 25 cents per doz.; box containing 9 doz., small 45 cents; Pears: 10 cents per dozen; Bartlett, 15 cents per dozen.
Radishes: 5c per bunch; 3 bunches for 10c.	Apples: 10c to 15c per lb.; 3 lbs. for 25c; choice table, 2 lbs. for 25c; \$2.00 per box.
Beets: 4c and 5c per lb.; 10c per bunch.	Plums: 50c per basket (4 lbs.); 6c and 8c per lb.; \$1.75 per box.
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Fresh Eggs: 40c per dozen; cooking eggs, 25c per dozen.	Peaches: Table, 15c per lb.; preserving, \$1.15 to \$1.25 per crate of 5 dozen.
Butter: Eastern Townships, 36c; Salt-spring, 45c; Victoria and Cowichan creamery, 50c; cooking, 30c and 35c; 3 lbs. for \$1.	Pears: 8c per lb.; 2 lbs. for 25c; 3 lbs. for 25c; \$2.25 per box of 40 lbs.
Lard: 20c per lb.	Grapes: 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c per lb.; 50c to 75c per basket.
Ham: 25c to 25c per lb.	Crab Apples: 8c per lb.
Beef: 7 1/2 cents to 15 cents per lb.	Berries: 12 1/2c to 15c per lb.; 15c per box.
Lamb and Mutton: 15c to 30c per lb.	Cantaloupes: 10c and 15c each.
Bread Flour: \$1.80 per sack.	Fresh Eggs: 40c per dozen; cooking eggs, 25c per dozen.
Pastry Flour: \$1.65 and \$1.75 per sack.	Butter: Eastern Townships, 36c; Salt-spring, 45c; Victoria and Cowichan creamery, 50c; cooking, 30c and 35c; 3 lbs. for \$1.
Fresh Salmon: 10c to 15c per lb.	Lard: 20c per lb.
Halibut: 2 lbs. for 25c.	Ham: 25c to 25c per lb.
Chickens: 30c to 50c per lb.	Beef: 7 1/2 cents to 15 cents per lb.

WAGE-EARNERS.

The following comparison shows the rates of wages paid in Victoria and Seattle for the various classes of wage-earners. The standard day is 8 hours:

Victoria	Seattle
75c per hour	75c per hour
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\$4.25 per day	\$4.00 (rough)
\$4.00 per day	\$4.50 and \$6 (finishers)
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\$2.75 and \$3.00 per day	\$2.50 to \$3.50 per day
\$12 to \$30 per week	\$12 to \$40 per week
\$2.75 and \$3.00 per day	\$2.50 to \$4.00 per day

INSPECTING WORK ON CANADIAN NORTHERN

Sir D. Mann Says Line Will Probably Reach Calgary This Year

Calgary, Aug. 29.—That the Canadian Northern Railway Company probably will be in Calgary by the latter part of this year was the statement of Sir Donald Mann. He said "I cannot say much just now, for I have been in the east and am not well enough acquainted with the work on our lines in the west to say anything definite to the public. But I will be prepared to say more upon my return to Calgary in a couple of weeks. I am on my way at present to Kamloops district to inspect our work in British Columbia."

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HOUSES SWEEPED FROM FOUNDATION BY STORM

Property Loss at Charleston Will Probably Reach \$1,000,000

Macon, Ga., Aug. 29.—Much damage was done to the cotton crop in this section and a number of railway washouts caused by the tail end of a hurricane that swept by here last night. All vessels at sea in the recent storm off this coast including the Clyde liner Apache are reported safe. A special telegram received here from Savannah says: "All vessels at sea are reported safe. The Clyde liner Apache was located by the wireless office and is off Charleston in tow of a tug ready to come to the harbor."

The officers of the ship report the worst storm in all their experience at sea, and stated that the vessel had a close call. All other vessels, including the City of Savannah, en route to New York, are reported safe. There was great uneasiness for a time.

The new hotel Tybee was unroofed by the storm and all of the piazzas were swept away. Many houses on Tybee Island were lifted from their foundations by the terrific winds and moved many yards away.

"In the city of Savannah the damage to property was great. The cotton crop for a radius of fifty miles has been badly damaged by the wind and rain.

"Passengers arriving in Savannah from Charleston report untold damage in that city from the storm. Many lives are said to be lost. The steamer Cretan of the Merchants and Miners' Line, Baltimore to Savannah, weathered the terrific gale and came into Savannah late yesterday afternoon.

"The storm is practically over at Savannah to-day, but rain is still falling."

Maedon on Island.

Augusta, Ga., Aug. 29.—A story of the intense suffering of 75 persons marooned on the Isle of Palms was told by one of the refugees who reached Charleston yesterday evening on a tug, according to a man who arrived here from Charleston to-day. No lives were lost although much property was destroyed on the island.

Seventy-five guests of the hotel spent a night of terror while the storm raged. Congregated in the lobby, the only spot immune from the wind and rain, women wept and prayed and one man held a pistol in readiness to shoot himself to avoid drowning. It is believed all those stranded on the island will be rescued to-day.

No violence was reported in Charleston up to early to-day, although the city was in almost total darkness.

Arrivals from Charleston estimate the property loss at a million dollars, the principal damage being to the street railway system, the docks and the streets.

Twelve Dead.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 29.—At least twelve persons are dead as a result of the severe storm which swept over this city Sunday night and Monday. The wind has decreased and the water which stood in some of the streets has receded.

Conservative estimates place the damage at \$1,000,000.

Wind 96 Miles an Hour.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 29.—Via mail to Wadley, Ga., Aug. 29.—Springing from the sea, an unheralded storm buffeted this city and adjacent territory, including ships at sea, last night and all to-day. Savannah's parks are scenes of desolation as a result of the high wind that played havoc in every direction. After raining all the morning and the early afternoon, late this afternoon, the wind subsided, too late, however, for business houses which had suspended business to reopen.

Long distance telephone and all the telegraph wires connecting Savannah with the outside world were out of commission from early this morning and have not been repaired. Two men are reported to have been drowned in Lasaretto creek, which divides Tybe island from the mainland.

In spite of the destruction of the telegraph and telephone wires, most of the trains left here on time to-day and tonight. At 3:50 o'clock the wind reached its highest velocity, 96 miles an hour.

No one was reported injured in this vicinity.

Torpedo Boats Ashore.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 29.—Six torpedo boats were swept ashore and the Charleston navy yard damaged to the extent of \$20,000 by the storm which struck the Georgia and South Carolina coast Sunday night. In a telegraphic report received at the navy department to-day, the velocity of the wind was estimated at 80 to 90 miles an hour. The yard has appealed for an emergency allotment for repairs.

VILLAGERS DRIVEN FROM THEIR HOMES

FOREST FIRES CONTINUE TO RAGE IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Many Persons Take to Sea in Boats—Flames Surround Villages

St. John's, Nfld., Aug. 29.—Forest fires which have been raging in this district for some days past are now sweeping everything in front of them and destroying crops and dwelling along the northeast coast.

The villages of Elliston and Joehatrin, in the district of Fogo and Trinity, have been hemmed in by flames. Residents gathered what belongings they could carry away with them and were forced to take to boats and seek refuge at sea.

The towns of Catalina and Bonavista, Trinity Bay, are also threatened and unless providential deliverance comes early by a change of wind or rain storm, they will probably be wiped out before sunset to-day.

The situation is indescribable and consternation prevails in the fire-wreath area. Adjacent settlements have sent boats to the villages threatened with destruction.

GOMPERS ON RECENT STRIKE IN BRITAIN

Regards Upheaval as Great Step Forward in March of Labor.

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—"The great strike of industrial workers is the most promising thing that has occurred in Great Britain during the last twenty years," said Mr. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, to the Times representative this morning.

"Conditions in the larger British cities have been far from satisfactory from the standpoint of the people. There is in those cities a submerged class which has been submerged so long that it has become practically unrecognizable. They have drifted back home for themselves or for the generations they bring into the world. The recent upheaval shows that an attempt is being made to loosen them from their drab environments and the strike was a great step forward in the march of labor."

Mr. Gompers knows conditions in the Old Country, because he is an Englishman. More than that, he is a real Cockney, for he was born within sound of Bow Bells on January 27, 1850. He went to the United States in 1883 and helped to organize the "Clamshores" movement. To-day he is the foremost figure in the labor movement on the continent of America.

To-night he will address a public meeting at Dominion hall, and will then leave for Seattle, Tacoma and Portland. On Labor Day he will speak at San Francisco.

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Great West Permanent (A) 116 90
Great West Permanent (B) 123 90
Stewart Land 9 50
Bitter Creek 56 04
Lanquell 04 00
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Lucky Jim Zinc 25 00
Main Reef 01 05
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New York, Aug. 29.
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Amal. Copper	109 5/8	109 1/2	109 3/4
Amal. Beet Sugar	51 49 1/2	51 49 1/2	51 49 1/2
Amal. Can. pref.	84 82 1/2	84 82 1/2	84 82 1/2
Amal. Tobacco, pref.	91 90 1/2	91 90 1/2	91 90 1/2
Amal. Cotton Oil	52 51 1/2	52 51 1/2	52 51 1/2
Amal. Locomotive	94 93 1/2	94 93 1/2	94 93 1/2
Amal. Smelting	70 69 1/2	70 69 1/2	70 69 1/2
Amal. Tel. & Tel.	132 131 1/2	132 131 1/2	132 131 1/2
Amal. Tobacco, pref.	91 90 1/2	91 90 1/2	91 90 1/2
Anacosta	34 33 1/2	34 33 1/2	34 33 1/2
Atchafalaya	104 103 1/2	104 103 1/2	104 103 1/2
B. R. T.	76 75 1/2	76 75 1/2	76 75 1/2
C. P. R.	229 228 1/2	229 228 1/2	229 228 1/2
C. & O.	174 173 1/2	174 173 1/2	174 173 1/2
C. & G. W.	174 173 1/2	174 173 1/2	174 173 1/2
Do. pref.	37 37 1/2	37 37 1/2	37 37 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	114 113 1/2	114 113 1/2	114 113 1/2
Can. Gas	134 133 1/2	134 133 1/2	134 133 1/2
Can. Pac.	294 293 1/2	294 293 1/2	294 293 1/2
Do. 1st pref.	48 47 1/2	48 47 1/2	48 47 1/2
Goldfield-Cous.	56 55 1/2	56 55 1/2	56 55 1/2
C. N. pref.	124 123 1/2	124 123 1/2	124 123 1/2
U. S. pref. eds.	63 62 1/2	63 62 1/2	63 62 1/2
Illinois Cent.	158 157 1/2	158 157 1/2	158 157 1/2
Inter-Metro.	14 13 1/2	14 13 1/2	14 13 1/2
Do. pref.	43 42 1/2	43 42 1/2	43 42 1/2
Inter. Harvester	111 109 1/2	111 109 1/2	111 109 1/2
L. & N.	142 141 1/2	142 141 1/2	142 141 1/2
Lehigh Valley	104 103 1/2	104 103 1/2	104 103 1/2
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	111 110 1/2	111 110 1/2	111 110 1/2
M. I. & S.	29 28 1/2	29 28 1/2	29 28 1/2
Nat. Pac.	41 40 1/2	41 40 1/2	41 40 1/2
Nat. Biscuit	114 113 1/2	114 113 1/2	114 113 1/2
Nat. Cans.	17 16 1/2	17 16 1/2	17 16 1/2
N. Y. C. & W.	102 101 1/2	102 101 1/2	102 101 1/2
N. Y. O. & W.	29 28 1/2	29 28 1/2	29 28 1/2
N. & W.	101 100 1/2	101 100 1/2	101 100 1/2
N. Y. P.	117 116 1/2	117 116 1/2	117 116 1/2
Pacific Mail	28 27 1/2	28 27 1/2	28 27 1/2
Penn.	120 119 1/2	120 119 1/2	120 119 1/2
Reading	143 142 1/2	143 142 1/2	143 142 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel, pref.	50 49 1/2	50 49 1/2	50 49 1/2
Rock Island	25 24 1/2	25 24 1/2	25 24 1/2
S. P.	109 108 1/2	109 108 1/2	109 108 1/2
S. P. Railway	27 26 1/2	27 26 1/2	27 26 1/2
Tex. Pac.	68 67 1/2	68 67 1/2	68 67 1/2
Texas Pacific	24 23 1/2	24 23 1/2	24 23 1/2

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Wheat—			
Sept.	80 80 1/2	80 80 1/2	80 80 1/2
Dec.	76 76 1/2	76 76 1/2	76 76 1/2
May	70 70 1/2	70 70 1/2	70 70 1/2
Wash.	132 132 1/2	132 132 1/2	132 132 1/2
Western Union	74 74 1/2	74 74 1/2	74 74 1/2
Money on call, 24 per cent.			
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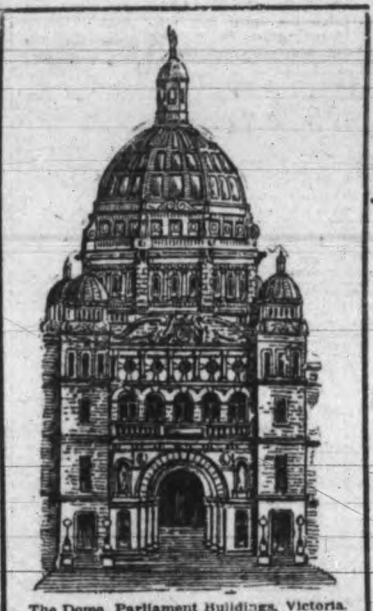
TORONTO STOCKS.
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Bid. Ask.

Amal. Asbestos	16 16 1/2	16 16 1/2
B. C. Packers "A"	88 88 1/2	88 88 1/2
Do. "B"	80 80 1/2	80 80 1/2
Do. common	50 50 1/2	50 50 1/2
Bell Telephone	145 145 1/2	145 145 1/2
Can. Gen. Electric	107 107 1/2	107 107 1/2
Consumers Gas	196 196 1/2	196 196 1/2
Detroit United	71 71 1/2	71 71 1/2
Dom. Iron, pref.	80 80 1/2	80 80 1/2
Laurentide	223 223 1/2	223 223 1/2
Maple Leaf	60 60 1/2	60 60 1/2
Mex. L. & P.	86 86 1/2	86 86 1/2
Do. pref.	80 80 1/2	80 80 1/2
Montreal Power	362 362 1/2	362 362 1/2
N. S. Steel	97 97 1/2	97 97 1/2
Penman	57 57 1/2	57 57 1/2
Porto Rico Ry.	65 65 1/2	65 65 1/2
R. & O. Nav. Co.	113 113 1/2	113 113 1/2
Rio Janeiro Tram	112 112 1/2	112 112 1/2
Sao Paulo Tram	174 174 1/2	174 174 1/2
Shredded Wheat	70 70 1/2	70 70 1/2
Toronto Railway	128 128 1/2	128 128 1/2
Winnipeg Railway	130 130 1/2	130 130 1/2

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.
(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Aug. 29.
Open High Low Close

Jan.	11.42	11.47	11.24	11.37
March	11.53	11.56	11.35	11.38
April	11.56	11.56	11.56	11.56
May	11.50	11.44	11.46	11.49
July	11.62	11.62	11.62	11.62
Aug.	12.50	12.50	12.00	11.98
Sept.	11.42	11.44	11.25	11.28
Oct.	11.44	11.47	11.34	11.37
Nov.	11.44	11.47	11.34	11.37
Dec.	11.50	11.53	11.29	11.34

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OBITUARY RECORD

Mrs. J. H. Richdale, 2645 Quadra street, died yesterday after a lingering illness. She was 69 years of age and a native of Plymouth, England. Besides her husband she leaves three children, Mrs. Lucy Parker, Sidney Richdale and Herbert J. Richdale; also two stepsons, W. H. F. and John Richdale. The funeral will take place from the home on Wednesday at 4 p.m. Rev. P. H. Fatt officiating.

Andrew Letch Baxter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baxter, of 1123 Yates street, died yesterday at the family residence. He was 39 years of age and was born in East India. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. from the residence. Service will be conducted by the officers of the Salvation Army, of which Mrs. Baxter is a member. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

The double funeral of Bryan Ronald Marsh and Ann Louisa Marsh, the little son and daughter of J. Marsh, of Duncan, took place on Sunday at Duncan. The arrangements were made by the Victoria Undertaking Company.

There passed away at the Jubilee hospital on Saturday in the person of Perrin E. White, of Seattle, one of the most charming personalities. Mr. White was taken ill some days ago, but being a man of robust health, he disregarded the very grave symptoms of his disease, appendicitis, and called in a medical man when it was almost too late to operate. Despite the devoted attention and skill of Drs. Ernest Hall and Graves and his own gallant fight for life, he succumbed from exhaustion. His sorrowing widow wishes to thank the nurses and all at the Jubilee hospital for their unremitting care of her beloved husband, whose last and every thought was for the one he was leaving desolate. Mr. White was a native of Boston, a man of singularly pure and simple character, cultured and refined, and beloved by all who knew him. The remains were forwarded to Seattle for cremation by the B. C. Funeral Co.

SEEKING LOWER RATES.

Application Will Be Heard By Railway Commissioners At Vancouver.

Vancouver, Aug. 29.—The long-pending application of the Vancouver board of trade for a reduction of freight and passenger rates on the C. P. R. between Vancouver and Alberta points will be heard by the board of railway commissioners, whose sittings open here Thursday. As it is far down on the list this case, which has already been argued at a former sitting here as well as in the east, will probably not be reached until Friday afternoon. Joined with it is the application of the United Farmers of Alberta, an organization of prairie farmers which seeks corresponding reductions of freights on products shipped to Vancouver and other points in British Columbia.

The United Farmers will be represented at the hearing as they were also in this city on a former occasion.

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Adjustable Collar and Cuffs

THERE'S one province of fashion that must be pictured on our modistic map as striped. Now, if ever, there can be used broad stripes, narrow stripes, contrasting colors in stripes or stripes of the same color; and this dominant pattern occurs in silks, woollens, cottons, and the stripes run in any direction that you wish.

If you are short and wish to look taller, wear a striped dress that emphasizes the vertical lines. This disposition will also tend to make the body appear more slender. So, ladies, take notice.

The silk dress, to which reference is made, is black-and-white foulard. A very shallow collar and yoke of lace is used. The bodice is cut round at the top and shows the half-length kimono sleeves, that drop over subcuffs of lace. Epaulettes of blue-and-white silk embroidery are placed on the shoulders and a plastron at the front, above which are two rows of blue silk buttons. The skirt shows a band of horizontal stripes at the lower edge. The fullness of bodice and skirt is gathered in at the waist line by a blue silk cord, knotted at the front.

The outing suit is a stunning model in blue-and-white serge. A striped panel is used on the skirt, from which three bands trim the lower part. Smoked pearl buttons are the only trimming. The skirt is a gored model, straight in line but comfortably full. Worn with this is a plain blue serge coat with long black satin revers and turned-back cuffs. A binding of the striped serge serves to emphasize the collar and cuffs. Here is an idea for the suit that shows a skirt too much worn, but a good jacket: Make up a new skirt and trim the coat with the "pieces."

In the tailored suit of flannel there is shown what contrasting directions will do. Stripes run vertically on the coat, and a band of horizontal stripes is used at the top. The lower band is cut to run in a direction opposite from that of the main part of the bodice. This disposition of stripes is repeated on the skirt, with its broad hem edged at the top by the separate band. Oval buttons and soutache cord trim the bands at the tab endings.

Striped silk trims the pongee dress, and a striped belt of soft leather carries the idea still further. Over an extended yoke of acra lace a bib effect is shown, the upper portion of black-and-white striped silk and the second bib trimmed with striped cording and buttons. The elbow sleeves are edged with pongee and striped silk cuffs. A band of striped silk suggests a tunic line on the skirt.

Another model is made of popular cotton voile. The yoke is of figured chiffon, its square, collarless top piped with empire-green satin. A pointed bib effect with bias stripes is placed over the sides of the bodice. Shirred underpieces of voile are joined to straight bands of chiffon to form the sleeves. The front panel on the skirt shows stripes running diagonally, while the side and back gores are striped in straight lines. A hem of horizontal stripes finishes this. In this again do we see the effect of trimming due to the difference in direction of the stripes.

Collar and cuffs of striped material are used on serge and linen suits. These can be attached to the coat or merely adjusted, as the linen sets were a few seasons ago. Blue-and-white silk forms the long revers and the deep circular collar at the back. The touch of contrasting material is given on blue serge. Why not make a silk set to change the effect of a jacket!



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planned to spend three months in France, principally in Paris.

Mrs. John Pigot will receive on the second Friday in September, and thereafter on the second Friday of each month, at her new residence, Runnymede avenue.

Henry T. C. Knox, one of the lecturers of the Navy League, and A. N. Brown, secretary of the branch league in Ludgrove school, one of the preparatory schools to Eton, are visiting Victoria.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret Moore, Fernside, fifth daughter of Mr. C. F. Moore, Victoria, and Mr. E. T. Opir, eldest son of Dr. E. A. Opir, Fort Steele. The wedding will take place early in October.

The wedding of Miss S. E. M. Daly and Mr. James Hall was celebrated on Saturday evening at the bride's home, Caledonia avenue, by Rev. T. E. Holling. Mr. and Mrs. Hall will take up their residence on McBride avenue.

Miss Savida Raymour and Miss Marjorie Corson went over to Vancouver with Miss Ola Phelan, with whom they will spend a week or two. Miss Phelan has been the guest of Mrs. Raymour and Mrs. Corson, Shawnigan Lake, for the past month.

The many friends of Walter Walker, jr., will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed as assistant manager of Bank B. N. A. at Des Moines, Manitoba, where he succeeds Mr. McLaren, who has been promoted to Bow Island, Alta.

Mrs. Clayworth and Miss Lillian Mansell left on Sunday, Seattle, after spending a pleasant holiday with Mrs. Johnson, Gorge road. Miss Mansell will spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Anderson, Seattle, and will then continue on to Portland.

Ven. Archdeacon Scribner, Rev. E. G. Miller, Canon Silva White, Percy Wollaston, Clive Phillips-Wolley, John Harvey and H. S. Crotty, left for London, Ont., last evening, to attend the meeting of the general synod of the Anglican Church, opening on Sept. 5. Very Rev. Dean Doull has already left.

Mrs. Thomas Hooper and Miss R. J. Taylor, who have just left on an extended tour of the east, will visit most of the principal cities on their journey. From Boston the party will cruise Long Island Sound to New York, where they remain for a time. The journey will be continued by way of the Eastern States, along the border of the Gulf of Mexico to New Orleans, thence through Mississippi, Tennessee, Kentucky and the central states to Denver (via the Rio Grande), Glenwood and Colorado Springs and other interesting points in Colorado; through Utah to Salt Lake City and from there to Los Angeles, Cal., returning overland to Victoria. Upon Mrs. Hooper's return Mr. and Mrs. Hooper will take up their residence on Kingston street, facing St. John, in their beautiful home which has recently been remodelled. In the interval Mr. Hooper is residing at the Empress hotel.

One of the most enjoyable dances of the season was the Tennis Flannel Dance, held at the Strathcona hotel on Saturday night, at which a large crowd of well known dancing people were present. The affair was held following the tennis tourney, which was held at the Strathcona courts on Saturday, and in the evening players and guests alike made themselves at home and had a most enjoyable time. At midnight a buffet supper was served and a large throng enjoyed the sumptuous repast. The Bantley-Dresser orchestra supplied the latest music, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. Following are some of those who were present: Mrs. Gordon Hunter, Mrs. George J. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Aikman, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Robertson, Mrs. Trevor Keene, Miss Dolle Keene, Mr. and Mrs. Neville, A. D. Armstrong, Mr. Saxton-White, Miss Agnes Robertson, Mrs. Stuart Robertson, L. J. Hamilton, F. O. Hamilton, A. McCallum, Miss McCullum, F. Pauline, Miss Hirst, Jack McArthur, Joe. McArthur, A. MacDonald, W. McArthur, Ernest Cortland, Mr. Rowcroft, John Heyland, Miss Lillian Clarke, Miss Weldon, Mrs. Corson, Miss Corson, Mrs. Phelan, Miss Phelan, Mrs. Troup, Mrs. Hazeldeine, E. H. Williams, Geo. Keenig, G. Tarkart, George K. Stevenson, P. J. Brown, P. J. Brown, and the Misses Metlor.



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No Fire in Opera House—
Breaking Film Threw Bright Light on the Screen

Canonburg, Pt. Aug. 23.—Canonburg will be in mourning for days to come. All public and social functions have been abandoned, a number of dances and church festivals arranged for this week having been postponed. Even the baseball games in the church league have been cancelled for the season.

How foolish the panic in the opera house was, developed fully when those involved related just what occurred. There was no fire. The fatal rush for the exit was due to causeless fear.

It developed that not even a spark flashed. The film broke with a snapping noise and a bright light was thrown on the screen. A frightened boy imagined it was fire and unconsciously shouted out the death knell of more than a score of persons as he started to rush for the exit. Boldus Dubrowski, a miner, jumped from his seat and ran wildly for the same exit. In a moment there was a fighting, struggling mass after him. At the head of a narrow staircase, which leads to the street, the miner tripped. As he rolled down the stairs, he swept from their feet many persons who were waiting their turn to enter the theatre. Soon there was a horrible pile of men, women and children at the foot of the steps.

Dubrowski probably was the first person killed. The stairway was jammed full from top to bottom and those behind could not get out.

It is customary for the management of the theatre to give two or three performances each evening, and the moving picture machine operator was about to complete the first session when a film parted. Some of the audience had already begun to leave the building and others were on the stairway coming up when Dubrowski began his wild flight. When the doorway had been filled up, others walked over the bodies of the fallen, and breaking the glass transom over the door, crawled through and dropped into the street.

Manager Ferguson tried to stop the panic. Accompanied by his wife he started for the stairs at the first alarm, but seeing no escape there, made his way to the stage.

Calling loudly to the frightened people he follows him, he follows him to the rear of the stage and hundreds went out the back exit. In 10 minutes the opera house was empty, and in half an hour 200 bodies had been recovered.

Arthur McPeake, whose name is among the dead, was passing the building when the bodies began to pile up at the door. The young man rushed to the rescue, and was dragging a body from the pile when a man came hurrying out the transom. He struck McPeake on the back, and the young man's neck was broken.

One of the most thrilling incidents of the disaster is described by Nellie Gilhe, 16 years old. When taken from the pile at the door, she was clinging to the lifeless form of her baby sister. At the first alarm, the elder girl caught the child by the hand. In the rush for the steps, the little one stumbled and fell. Nellie stopped to pick her up. The moment's delay was fatal, and both were swept to the bottom. Crushed under the heavy mass of humanity, he gripped tightly to her sister, feeling and knowing that she was lying and not knowing how soon her own end would come. She said she prayed all the time and finally lost consciousness.

Bradley Williams was caught in the crush and thrown down the steps. He alighted on top of a foreigner who begged pitiously for Williams to release him. Williams was unable to help himself. The foreigner, frantic from fright and pain, and powerless to enforce his demands with his fists, seized Williams' arm with his teeth and tore the flesh badly.

ADVICE FROM AN EDITOR

Warns English Cub Reporter to Get Point of View.

He is a veteran among Canadian editors. His newspaper is the leading Conservative daily in one of the western provinces. A young man with an English air blew in on him not long ago and explained that his paper had sent him out from London to write up "Reciprocity." He said his people "wished to do their share to keep Canada in the Empire."

The editor sat silent one long minute. Then, looking level into the interviewer's eyes, he said, solemnly: "Young man, I pity you. You are doing your assignment, but you are in the service of people whose ignorance is matched only by their presumption."

The London correspondent was rather staggered by such straight, cold words from a Canadian Conservative editor. "Keeping Canada in the Empire! Indeed! Who told you Canada was in danger of going out of the Empire? What aforesaid annexation, are you? What Does my son there? Or that reporter yonder? Or the business men downstairs? Or the printers upstairs? Or the men in the pressroom?"

"No? You think we are all loyal? Well, I can tell you we are just like the fellows on the other newspapers here. This city is made up of people just like us. This whole country is of the same breed."

The correspondent said something about the good effect it might have in England were he to tell of the danger to Imperialism.

"Why not tell them the truth?" asked the editor, with growing impatience. "The truth would be live news to some of them. Tell them that this annexation talk is just badly politics, believed in by nobody with sense enough to vote."

"Tell them something more. Tell them from this Conservative standpoint that the best thing you can do is to wait awhile before you discuss Canadian affairs. Get the point of view of the native-born. Tell your people to follow the same advice. Change eyes with the real Canadian. Then tell the truth as you see it."

"Look here!" continued the editor, "this thing just makes me sick. We have fellows like you and like these professional British-born spellbinders going about Canada talking and writing about keeping Canada in the Empire! I want to know what you and your blessed people and your press

think we native-born are made of. We have put our whole lives into this country, thousands and thousands of us. Our fathers before us fought and slaved and blazed the trails across this continent, making homes for their families, while your people and your politicians didn't care one farthing whether Canada belonged to the Empire or not. They didn't know, and that was why they didn't care. But now when Canadians begin to make good, fellows like you come around and talk solemnly about 'keeping Canada in the Empire!'"

The reporter in the local room looked amazed. He had never heard his chief quite so scornful. The Englishman said nothing for a minute, but did some thinking.

"Check your loyalty stunt," my boy," said the editor in a calmer tone. "Take off your coat. Start to work at some honest job. Get the native-born point of view, and by the time you have earned your right to an opinion you will know that your assistance is not needed to keep Canada in the Empire." And he is a good Conservative editor, too.—Exchange.

THRILLS OF THE HYDRO-PLANE

Story of Development of Birdman into Duckman.

It may come to many people with something like a shock to learn that the highest stage in the development of the birdman is to become a duckman. He is the man who controls the new hydro-aeroplane which is the longest and most important stride that has been taken in aviation. Its creator is Mr. Glenn H. Curtiss, who finds it difficult to place a limit to the possibilities of its usefulness. It certainly opens up a field of achievement that was undreamed of a year ago.

It is claimed by Mr. Curtiss that the hydro-aeroplane can fly sixty miles an hour, skim the water at fifty miles and run over the ground—whether roads or fields at thirty-five miles. It marks the conquest of the three elements that constitute for our ordinary vision the world in which we live—the air, water and earth.

This of course greatly widens the scope of the aeroplane's use, not only as a mode of transportation but as an engine of warfare. At a single stroke aviation is robbed of half its dangers and its pleasures are increased a hundredfold. Driven over the surface of the water, the new machine can pass the fastest motor boat ever built, and will respond to its rudder more quickly than any water craft afloat. Its appeal will be as strong to the aquatic as to the aerial enthusiast.

Flying an aeroplane is thrilling sport, but flying a hydro-aeroplane is something to arouse the jaded senses of the most blasé. It fascinates, exhilarates, vivifies.

Fear, the one thing that has laid a restraining hand on the sleeve of many a man eager to fly, need no longer be a hindrance to the progress of the aeroplane's popularity. The timid may become successful aviators as well as the venturesome, the man of business as well as the practical mechanic.

Whether soaring above land or sea, the operator of a hydro-aeroplane may always feel sure of a safe landing. If there be no land suitable for alighting upon, there must be water. Either will do for the hydro-aeroplane.

The mobile character of this new craft of the air will make it the safest and most popular of all flights possible—flights stretched from time to time until even the broadest ocean will eventually be spanned and continents brought closer together.

These things the average man does not appreciate to-day, yet they are well within the range of possibility. As a people we are prone to accept, in this day of wonderful progress in invention, those things that add most to our comfort and pleasure without halting to wonder at them. The aeroplane, one of the greatest achievements of man, has thus been "adopted" without fuss or feathers, and is fast being adapted to our every-day needs. The hydro-aeroplane, the latest development of aviation, is still so new to the world that it is a curiosity, but it too will quickly find its field of usefulness—more quickly, indeed, than did its predecessor. Its field will be broader because of its mobility, and it will give fresh impetus to the art of aviation.

This new machine, consists simply of an aeroplane fitted with fixed pontoons so that it will float on the water, and Mr. Curtiss tells us that he found it well adapted to passenger-carrying. With the addition of plane surface it shows remarkable lifting power and great steadiness in the air. He found it easier and safer to use the hydro-aeroplane in passenger-carrying excursions than the standard aeroplane, and it was far more popular.

"I will confess," writes Mr. Curtiss, "that I got more pleasure out of flying the new machine over water than I ever got out of the aeroplane over land. I had given up exhibition-flying some time before going to San Diego, and had made up my mind to fly only when it was necessary to the carrying out of development work. The hydro-aeroplane's success rather weakened that resolution, however, and I found myself forming a decided preference for the water-flights."

"It is evident to the most casual observer of flight by a hydro-aeroplane that the danger of aerial navigation is greatly lessened. It doesn't require an expert aviator to determine that. A few days later we affixed wheels to the hydro-aeroplane, in addition to the hydro-surfaces, and successfully demonstrated its ability to start from the land and alight from the water and alight on the land. It was then that it became known as the Triad, having conquered air, land and water.

"A great field is open to the hydro-aeroplane, or triad, as it will very likely be called. It may compete with motor boats as a water craft, or in the air with the fastest aeroplane. It can start from the land on its wheels, and thus launch itself on the water where there is lack of room for rising from the land. Likewise it can be run out of the water and up on the beach on its wheels."

FIRE AT EBRURNE.
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Akron, O., Aug. 28.—Melville Vanne-

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"Akron." The start will be made from Atlantic City.

The Akron is the only dirigible of the first class ever built this side of the Atlantic. It is 265 feet long, or about

30 feet longer than the America which was lost in the ocean as a sequel to the Water-Wellman expedition last year. Filled with pure hydrogen, it will have an atmospheric displacement of 25,000 cubic feet and a gross lifting power of 25,000 pounds. With the car and engines attached, it will have a net capacity of 12,000 pounds, or about 80 persons.

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EARTHQUAKE EXPERTS MEET IN CONGRESS

Victorian Attends Remarkable Gathering in Manchester—Discussions of Note

A Congress of Earthquakers! The idea is so novel that it seems necessary to coin a new word to express it and a slangy one of course or it would not be up-to-date. The congress has just been held at Manchester and by all accounts it was a remarkable gathering.

From all over the world representatives were present—Canada, Japan, the United States, the Congo, Norway, Germany, Chile, Russia, Germany, France, The Pacific Coast from Southern California to Prince Rupert was particularly well represented. Among the delegates to this gathering were such men as Professor Reid, famous in connection with the San Francisco earthquake; Dr. Omori, from Japan, and Prince Galitsin, of Russia. Mr. Napier, Dennison, came from Victoria, B. C., and Sir George Darwin is one of the English delegates.

It was a meeting of men who are studying the science of earthquakes, and who had met to compare notes of what is being done in this branch of scientific investigation as described by Prof. Milne, F. R. S., who has been studying earthquakes for more than a quarter of a century.

In 1875, says the Professor, together with many others of various nationalities, I was invited to assist Japan in her endeavor to learn something about the material side of western civilization. I had just come home after two years' bucking about in a fore-and-aft schooner on the coast of Newfoundland and Labrador, but being young and vigorous I accepted the invitation, packed up and started off via Siberia, Central Asia, and some 1,200 miles of China, to take up my new appointment.

When I arrived in Japan, I had a glorious shakeup the very first night. The name of the mansion the Japanese government had provided for my reception was "Yama-Gouchi" or "Mountain Mouth of the Mountain." Yama-Gouchi creaked and groaned and rolled about, pictures sea-sawed on the walls, while the rings attached to a mosquito curtain jingled a high treble. I held on tightly, wondering what would happen next. There is nothing like an earthquake to fill you up with expectation. Of course, after a few minutes it ended. The next morning I wondered whether I had really ever lived or had only just risen from the dead.

Very quickly, like all the other professional consignments imported by Japan, I learned that in Japan, particularly at certain seasons, earthquakes came in groups. You could have them at breakfast, lunch, tea, supper, or in the middle of the night. An idea that earthquakes should be studied floated in the air. It was crystallized at the end of February, 1880. On the 22nd of that month an earthquake occurred which made people more thoughtful than usual. Yokohama practically lost all its chimneys, many houses had been unroofed, streets were filled with debris, while slopes from which trees and vegetation had slidden downwards looked as if they had been white-washed.

The interest in earthquakes was at white heat, and I felt the psychological moment to establish an earthquake society had come at last. A meeting was convened and a large hall was pecked. The American consul, General Van Buren, took the chair. In thirty minutes a set of rules drafted to suit the occasion was read and adopted, subscriptions were collected at the door, and the Seismological Society of Japan was established. It lived for fifteen years, and in the twenty volumes which it published you find the foundations of almost everything that has been done since.

The ordinary Englishman does not think it necessary to study earthquakes because they are of such rare occurrence in his own country, entirely forgetting the fact that the whole of British capital is not invested in these islands and every year somehow or other he has to pay for earthquake effects. The shareholders in British insurance companies were called upon to pay £12,000,000 for an earthquake which ruined San Francisco and £2,000,000 more for destruction in Jamaica. Although the British government do not give any direct assistance to seismology at home, they contribute £150 a year to the International Seismological Association. Notwithstanding this, British workers have contributed very much towards the extension of our knowledge of the planet on which we live.

The British association, which has issued an annual report on earthquakes, at the present time enjoys the co-operation of about sixty stations fairly spaced over continents and oceanic islands. Because submarine earthquakes now and again interrupt cables and the records of these disturbances not only indicate the position where an interruption took place but enable experts to say they were due to natural causes, cable companies have generously assisted in the establishment of new stations.

If a colony is suddenly isolated from the remainder of the world by the failure of its cables, it is of great importance for them to know whether this was due to natural causes or to an operation of war. It frequently happens that earthquake records have furnished definite information respecting destruction in distant places and corrected and extended telegraphic information about the same.

Should the sixty stations which at the present time co-operate with Great Britain be internationalized, our Foreign, Colonial, and India Office may have to ask some office across the Channel why their cablegrams did not go through; cable companies will have to seek advice from a similar source as to where they should or should not lay their cables; insurance companies, to proportion rates to risks, may have to go abroad in connection with inquiries about the frequency of earthquakes in different countries; while survivors from devastated districts will seek for advice about rebuilding

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Dancing will start at 7.30, to the strains of Bantley's orchestra. The dancing committee includes: Floor manager, E. M. Walbank; F. T. Elford, W. R. Elford, H. E. Hawkins, E. W. Blake, G. Koenig, S. J. Heald, G. Garnett, T. A. Dundas, G. Taggart, E. W. Blake, J. H. Austin, H. Skuce. A special train will leave Koenig's for Victoria at 11.30 p.m.

CHILDREN'S REGATTA

WAS GREAT SUCCESS

Ian St. Clair's Pupils Show Their Proficiency in Swimming—The Results

The splendid progress made in the art of swimming by the pupils of Ian St. Clair was again demonstrated on Saturday afternoon at the Gorge, when the events postponed from the previous Saturday were run off and others as well. The day was a delightful one and attracted many hundreds to the children's regatta. George Jay acted as judge, R. P. Pomret as clerk of the course, and F. Butcher as starter. The results of the several events follow:

- Boys' sculling final—J. D. Deacon; 2, Cecil Hay.
- Girls' canoe race—1, Dorothea Hay; 2, P. Elford.
- Boys' long dive—1, B. McIlvride; 2, R. Burton.
- Tub race—1, Miss M. McDougall; 2, Miss D. Kerr.
- Boys, under 12 swimming match—1, B. Leigh; 2, J. Elford.
- Girls under 12—1, Miriam Ransdale; 2, Elsie Armstrong.
- Girls under 15—1, Malet Davis; 2, Doris Smith.
- Boys under 15—1, A. Beasley; 2, J. Scott; third prize for best swimmer, Edna Humber.

Miss Edith Richardson was awarded the special prize, she having recruited ten new pupils this season.

The special prize awarded by Mr. St. Clair to the smallest girl to learn swimming this season, went to little Miss Nancy Figgott, who is six years old.

Mrs. Jenkins graciously awarded the prizes, after which Mr. Jay addressed the children and expressed the cordial appreciation of the public generally of the good work which Mr. St. Clair is doing.

The mermaid drill and the two-act tableau, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep," served to show how completely at home in the water the young folks were. Father Neptune's arrival created a lot of fun.

Cheers for Mr. St. Clair and Mr. Jay were given at the close.

COMMENTS ON ELECTION.

London, Aug. 29.—The Observer, discussing Canadian politics, says: "Premier Laurier's reply to Bourassa on the navy question has been full and complete. When warning the people of Quebec that a vote for Bourassa was a vote for Borden and for \$25,000,000 to the strong boxes of London, the premier perhaps stated the case in a manner which was not just the way that English friends of Canadian Liberals would have preferred to summarize it. In the hard fighting of an electoral war weapons have to be sharpened to a keen edge. Though Bourassa is completely at odds with the Conservative party on naval and imperial questions, he is inclined to agree with them in opposing reciprocity. Perhaps we are not far wrong in attributing some of the motive force of his campaign to the tremendous activity of resources which are a Canadian parallel to our tariff reform association. The best chance for French Canadians to keep a leading hand in the destiny of the Dominion is surely to produce statements of a great moral like the present premier's."

"As to the practical wisdom of reciprocity Canadian imperialists profess to look askance at it. One fails to understand, however, how the imperial tie could be strengthened by the loss to a progressive and predominant part of the Canadian population of such a rich and legitimate opening for commerce as that offered by the proposed reciprocity treaty."

Dublin, Aug. 29.—The Irish Times says that a victory for the Liberals at the forthcoming Canadian elections would mean little more than the success of the reciprocity, while its defeat would involve grave issues, not the least of which would be the introduction of the annexation question into a region of practical politics. It is impossible to suppose, asserts the Times, that Canada's Nationalists and Conservatives, who are so much opposed in race and ambition, could form or maintain even a conditional government.

COOMBS LIBERALS.

Voters at New Town on E. & N. Extension Are Active.

A public meeting was held at Coombs station, a new station on the Albert extension of the E. & N., near Cameron Lake, on Tuesday evening, August 15, at the house of John West, to organize a Liberal association. Walter Ford was elected president, F. C. Jones secretary, and the following as an executive committee: A. B. Crump, W. Buss, Thos. Kincaid, Thos. Bell, John West, Wm. R. Jones, Arthur Barfoot, Lewis Pitblow, Fred Penn, Alfred West, Thos. Stringer and John Parker.

This station is a new place since the last election, only having been founded a little over a year ago, and it was decided unanimously at the meeting to apply to the late member to have a polling station placed at Coombs for the approaching Dominion election.

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RUSSIAN FAITH HEALER.

Calgary Has Sensational Case of Exposed Fraud.

Working on the credulity of unlearned people by posing as a faith healer, Sophia Bulgo, a young Russian girl, now in the cells, is alleged to have defrauded three Austrians of practically one thousand dollars in Calgary by purporting to cure them.

She was in the centre of an exciting incident just prior to her arrest, when an alleged accomplice, for whom the police are now scouring the town, turned a revolver, when arrest was threatened by one of her victims at the house, 624 11th avenue west.

Only 20 years of age Sophia Bulgo appears to possess infinite nerve, and to be adept at sleight of hand.

She is accused of taking \$490 from Zofie Rodovodski, \$100 from Maria Broushell, and \$298 from Kathleen Broushell.

According to the story, herself suffering from serious illness, told by Rodovodski, the girl, with a man slightly crippled, took rooms at her home a week ago. For several days she gave strong hints that she was a faith healer, and that she possessed the power of warding away sickness for all time.

She soon aroused the older woman's curiosity.

"Yes, I can keep off all sickness," she is alleged to have said to her, and declared she required money if she cured Zofie. She would not take the money unless the cure was performed and she generously left it to the other woman to fix the amount.

Zofie remembered that her husband had that day drawn \$490 to send to relatives in Austria, and she assured Sophia that she would give this sum if she was cured by the following day. Sophia took the money, saying, "See, I'll put it in this envelope, and we will place the envelope between these boards, and to-morrow if you are cured, I will take it. If not, I won't touch it."

Zofia was naturally anxious to receive a cure if it was possible, and she consented to the money being placed in the envelope.

Before Sophia left the house the Broushells, who are sisters and room there too, interviewed Sophia. They were both suffering from different affections of which they were anxious to be rid.

Sophia declared so confidently she could cure them, that they consented

to place their savings in envelopes, and let her have the amounts if the cure was performed. The combined sums Sophia put under the cover for them was \$398.

When the husband of Zofia came home from work his wife told him of Sophia's powers, and expressed complete confidence that she would be cured on the morrow. The husband, whose all savings were supposed to be in the envelope between the two boards, snipped a little suspiciously.

"We'll see the money, anyhow," he said. He lifted the boards to open the envelope, and there was revealed just a dirty little brown piece of paper. It was blank.

The Broushells were immediately informed, and examined their envelopes. There were not even pieces of brown paper in them.

The police were next told of the ingenious fraud.

To the surprise of Zofia and her husband, who should walk in, than the girl Sophia and her alleged confederate, the cripple, whom they hardly expected again.

"We've just come back for my bag," said Sophia, apparently having risked her victims opening the envelopes that same evening.

"Have you!" exclaimed the husband. "We'll tell the police you're here."

The cripple is alleged to have joined in the conversation here.

"No you won't," she said. "You'll hold up your hands; we'll get the bag and go."

He covered the party in the room with a revolver, and while Sophia fetched the bag, held them quiet. Both then made their escape. The police were immediately telephoned. All constables were warned to be on the look-out, and a few minutes later Constables Howard and Wilson met the pair on Ninth avenue.

The man fled, leaving the girl, who was immediately arrested, to her fate.

PRINCE ALBERT POWER PLANT

Prince Albert, Sask., Aug. 29.—The ratepayers of Prince Albert on Saturday endorsed by-law to raise \$75,000 to develop 35,000 horse-power at Lacolle Falls, on the Saskatchewan river. Construction work on this power scheme will be started at an early date, just as soon in fact as a final report on plans prepared has been received from Cecil F. Smith of the engineering firm handling the Point Du Bois scheme at Winnipeg.

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