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MISCELLANEOUS

Sale—Scrip, Stock, Etc.
LE-20 partly paid up shares in lots in Great West Farm...
For Sale—Wood
TO BURN—Clean mill wood and small, to suit. Phone 1414.

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Young girl, light house work.
A waitress. Apply Dominion.

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A boy, Margison Bros, 1241 street.
Wanted—At Hasty Messenger in Commercial street. We provide bicycles.

Personal

WOMEN HAVE THEIR OWN AMATEUR COMEDY OF FOUR PARTS given by the Victoria People's Society, Monday, 8.15 at the Sunday school, Broughton. Adults, 25c; children, 10c.

Rooms and Board

Rooms under this head 1 word per insertion; 2 insertions 3 words; 4 cents per word per cent per line per month. Minimum payment for less than 10 cents.

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FIRST DRAFT OF STATIONS

CHANGES AMONG METHODIST CHURCH

Two Victoria Preachers Go to the Okanagan District.

The first draft for stations of the British Columbia Methodist conference shows that Rev. S. J. Thompson, formerly of the Centennial church, goes to Kelowna, while Rev. G. R. B. Kinney, of James Bay church, is assigned to Keremeos. The new pastor for Centennial church is to be Rev. Andrew Henderson, while Rev. James A. Wood comes to James Bay. These are the only changes in Victoria. The list of stations according to the first draft, which is open to change, is as follows:

- VICTORIA DISTRICT.
Victoria—Metropolitan: T. E. Holling, B.A.; Geo. W. Dean, Wm. Sheridan, superannuated; John P. Hicks, editor Western Methodist Recorder, by permission of conference; Albert J. Erace, allowed to engage in Y.M.C.A. work, by permission of conference.
Victoria—Centennial: Andrew Henderson.
Victoria—Victoria West: Arthur E. Roberts, sec. of conference.
Victoria—James Bay: James A. Wood.
Victoria—Chinese Mission: To be supplied—Chan Y. Tsang.
Victoria—Japanese Mission: To be supplied (P. E. Kuwabara).
Victoria—Indian Mission: (E. N.) Lay agent.
Sidneyville: To be supplied, Sidney—A. N. Miller.
Salt Spring Island—George R. Clark, under Supt. of Sidney.
Cowichan—H. A. Hastings.
Cowichan—Indian Mission: C. M. Tate (C.A.D.).
Ninaty—Indian Mission: To be supplied.
Clayoquot—Indian Mission: Melbourne Raynor, M.D., medical missionary.
Nanaimo—Wallace str. John Robson, B.A.; Robt. B. Laidley, superannuated.
Nanaimo—Haliburton st.: To be supplied.
Nanaimo—Chinese Mission: To be supplied (T. C. Thom).
Nanaimo—Indian Mission: To be supplied (W. J. Knott).
Wellington—Chas. W. Webber.
Cedar—To be supplied under superintendent of Wallace st.
Ladysmith—Robert Wilkinson, Cumberland—J. W. Dickenson.
Cumberland—Japanese Mission: Native evangelist (U. Oyama).
Alberni—G. A. Jones.
Esquimalt—One to be sent; A. W. Dever, superannuated; Thomas Keyworth to attend college.
VANCOUVER DISTRICT.
Vancouver—Wesley Church: Robert Simpson, B.D.; Chas. Ladner, Robt. Bulkeley, M.A., D.D., superannuated.
Vancouver—Central: Albert M. Sanford, B.A., B.D., James Turner, superannuated.
Vancouver—Methodist Pleasant: James P. Westman; Ebenezer Robson, D.D., superannuated; Jas. Hall, superannuated, with permission to reside in California.
Vancouver—Sixth Avenue: Ernest W. Stapleton, B.A.; Alfred E. Green, superannuated.
Vancouver—Grand View: R. Forbes Stillman.
Vancouver—Robson Memorial: Thos. Green, M.A., B.D.
Vancouver—Mountain View: John F. Betts.
Vancouver—Grace: (R. G. F.)
Vancouver—Dundas st.: R. W. Hibbert, M.A., B.D.
Vancouver—Kitsilano: To be supplied.
Vancouver—South: To be supplied.
Vancouver—Scandinavian Mission: Ole Eggan.
Vancouver—Chinese Mission: To be supplied (Fong Dickman).
Vancouver—Japanese Mission: To be supplied (K. Kanazawa).
New Westminster—B. H. Balderston, B.A.; George H. Morden, superannuated.
Collingwood—To be supplied.
Richmond—Saml. J. Green (Eburne).
Maple Ridge—James Hicks.
Vancouver—C. W. Wellesley Whittaker.
Agassiz—Wm. C. Frank, under superintendent of Mission City.
Howe Sound—to be supplied (Geo. T. C.).
Squamish—to be supplied.
Cape Mudge—Indian Mission: (J.T.R.) To be supplied.
Valdes and Coates—(J.L.B.)
Dawson and Klondike—W. Elson Dunlop.
Atlin—One wanted.
W. Gordon Tanner, B.A., Christian N. Hauge, C. H. M. Sutherland, Goro Kaburagi, left without stations at his own request.
NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.
New Westminster—Queen's avenue: Chas. W. Brown, B.A., B.D.; Wilford J. Sipprell, B.A., D.D., principal of Columbian College; Albert E. Hetherington, B.A., B.D., vice-principal of Columbian College; Edward M. Burr, M.A., B.D., professor of science in Columbian College; James H. White, D.D., local superintendent of missions; Thos. D. Pearson, John P. Howell; Thos. Crosby, D.D., superannuated.
New Westminster—West End: James Calvert, pres. of conference.
New Westminster—Sapperton: To be supplied.
New Westminster—South: To be supplied.
New Westminster—Chinese Mission: To be supplied. (So Pu Kow.)
New Westminster—Japanese Mission: To be supplied (T. Nishimura).
Oakham—To be supplied.
Burnaby—To be supplied.
Ladner—J. H. Wright.
Chilliwack—Tilhu Manuel.
Chilliwack—Indian Mission: To be supplied.
Sumas—to be supplied. (W.R.M.)
Under superintendent of Chilliwack.
Cheam—J. P. D. Knox.
Upper Surbiton—One to be sent.
Langley—Allan K. Shogga.

Cloverdale—Thomas G. Barlow.
Members in British Columbia, not elsewhere enrolled, local superintendents of missions, H. Wilson, D. A. Storey, E. D. Braden, W. E. Jones, C. O. Falls, A. E. Stephenson; C. E. B. Braid, Braid college; F. A. Magee left without a station at his own request.

KAMLOOPS DISTRICT.
Kamloops—Osbert M. Sanford.
Kamloops—Chinese Mission: To be supplied.

Thompson—H. Hobbins, under superintendent of Kamloops.
Little Fort—to be supplied.
Nicola—(J.W.H.)
Ashcroft—T. H. Wright.
Ladner—to be supplied.
Cariboo—to be supplied.
Salmon Arm—John P. Howell.
Notch Hill—to be supplied.
Revelstoke—Thos. W. Hall.
Revelstoke—Chinese Mission: To be supplied.
Trout Lake—One to be sent.
Golden—H. W. Bromwich.

OKANAGAN DISTRICT.
Enderby—Wm. A. Gifford, B.A., B.D.
Vernon—S. Stanley Osterhout, Ph.D.
Vernon—Chinese Mission: To be supplied. (Seymour Rolston.)
Langford—One to be supplied.
Kelowna—S. J. Thompson; E. B. Glass, B.A., superannuated.
Mount View—to be supplied.
Sachlan—John J. Nixon.
Sudbury—John J. McIntyre.
Penticton—J. Wesley Miller, E.A. Kinney—G. R. B. Kinney, B.A.
Hedley—to be supplied.

WEST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.
Nelson—R. Newton Powell.
Ymir—Jno. G. Gibson, under superintendent of Nelson.
Kaslo—Joseph W. Winslow.
Poplar—to be supplied from Kaslo.
Sandton—to be supplied.
New Denver—G. S. H.
Slocan City—to be supplied.
Arrow Lake—to be supplied (H. J. Rossland—W. P. Ewing, B.D., Trail—(S.B.)
Grand Forks—Wm. C. Schlichter.
Greenwood—to be supplied.
Harrison—E. E. Strachan.
Scandinavian Mission—One wanted.

EAST KOOTENAY DISTRICT.
Cranbrook—Robert Hughes.
Moyle—F. S. O'Keefe, B.A.
Kimberley—One to be sent.
Morristown—to be supplied.
Michel—Samuel Cooke.
Corbin—to be supplied.
Hosmer—to be supplied. (R.W.L.)
Coal Creek—D. W. Scott.
Creston—John Rutherford, B.A.
Elko—One to be sent.
E. C. Fakeley, R. E. S. Taylor, W. Vance, T. C. Colwell, R. E. Collins, B.A., to attend college; D. M. Perley, B.A., appointed to China.

SIMPSON DISTRICT.
Port Simpson—Geo. H. Raley, (C.P.)
Japanese Mission—to be supplied.
Prince Rupert—Charles F. Connor, M.A., B.D.
Construction Camps—to be supplied. (M.S.)
Skidegate, Q.C.I.—John Spencer, M.D.
Graham Island—J. J. Jones.
Wedway, Q.C.I.—One to be sent.
Fort Eslington—Barabas C. Freeman
Kitziaas—Native agent (R.T.T.), under superintendent of Port Eslington.
Kitziaas Canon—One to be sent.
Kitziaas—George Edgar.
Highton—Horace C. Winch, M.D.
Bella Bella—One to be sent.
Nechaco—One to be sent.
Kishlax—William H. Pierce.
Hartley Bay—One to be sent.
Kisnoat—Chas. S. Reddick.
Kitamao—One to be supplied.
Kitlope—to be supplied.
China Hat—Lay agent (W.H.G.)
Kinsquit—to be supplied.
Bella Coola—Lay agent (W.H.G.)
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Rivers Inlet—Native agent (L.G.)
Marine Mission—One to be sent.
Geo. Ridland, F. W. Hardy, B.A., to attend college.

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When the Blood is Weak or Out of Order Disease is Inevitable.

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WHEAT SEEDING IN CANADIAN WEST

Winnipeg Free Press Issues Report—Warm Weather Prime Requisite.

Winnipeg, May 17.—The Manitoba Free Press on Saturday issued its first monthly report on seeding conditions, thus carrying out the tradition it established away back in the early days of the Red river settlement, and as its conclusions have had unusual luck in hitting the bullseye more often than not, so far as Western Canadian crop conditions are concerned, considerable value attaches to this summary of actual conditions.

In its place, this well-known Western Canadian journal explains the rather unusually early date of issuing this report by saying that it was in order to satisfy the known anxiety in business circles as to the extent to which seeding had been delayed by cold and unfavorable weather.

The net result of the replies of the several hundred correspondents communicated with is that from 85 to 90 per cent of Western Canadian spring wheat is in the ground, but very little of it shows above the surface, owing to the cold and inclement conditions which have accompanied actual seeding operations. However, the bright summer weather of the past few days has been ideal to rush along germination. The report goes on to state that the acreage of wheat in the west, by the condition of the seed-bed, which is ideal. There has been plenty of moisture all over the country, and the prime requisite now is warm weather and plenty of it.

Wheat seeding is fully two weeks later than in 1908, but from five to ten days earlier than in 1907, and grain has gone in under more favorable circumstances than in either of the years mentioned.

Perhaps the most striking feature of the report, as it is the one that is bound to meet the most hostile criticism, is that there is no increase in the acreage of land seeded to spring wheat in the Canadian prairie west. No doubt good grounds exist for that contention, but, on the other hand, bearing in mind the large new acreage brought under the plough for the first time, as well as the incentive to sow wheat, neglectful of all other cereals, by reason of its abnormally high price, there must be a miscalculation somewhere.

This report alludes to the greater acreage seeded to coarse grains and oats, but therein lies the explanation of the unquestioned large increase in acreage under cultivation, and there seems little reason to doubt that wheat seeded will show at least ten per cent increase over last year, while the general prospects of the crop are, as this report states, very excellent, provided lots of good mixed heat and moisture contribute to the favorable result. It amounts to this: Canadian Western seeding—a little late, perhaps—has been highly successful. It is now up to the summer.

WILL CARRY ON PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN

New Westminster Committee Preparing for Season's Work.

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ANOTHER MOVE IN GAMBLING CASES

Application Made in Chancery This Morning in Connection With Chinese.

(From Monday's Daily.)
Another proceeding in the Chinese gambling cases took place this morning when J. A. Akman obtained from Mr. Justice Irving, in chambers, an order nisi for a writ of mandamus directed to Police Magistrate Jay. Should the magistrate not be able to show cause to the contrary the writ will issue in due course, directing him to try the Chinese defendants still awaiting a hearing on charges of running lotteries.

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Advertisement for Angus Campbell & Co., Ltd. featuring 'Campbell's' finery for the fair. Includes sections for 'Everything Ready-to-wear for Ladies, Misses and Children', 'Linen Costumes', 'Linen Skirts', 'Finest Gloves', and 'New Neckwear'. A central illustration shows a woman in a long, elegant dress and hat. Text describes 'SUPERB FINERY, for the fair, greets you in every section of our showrooms—new finery at very moderate prices—prices which enable the Ladies of Victoria and visitors to our city to be WELL DRESSED AT MODERATE COST; moreover, they—the fair sex who purchase their wardrobe equipment at Campbell's—inevitably possess that graceful air of distinction which comes from the knowledge of being perfectly gowned.'

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B. C. CONFERENCE OF METHODIST CHURCH

Statistical Report for the Year—Unveiling of Portraits.

The twenty-third annual session of the British Columbia conference of the Methodist church convened in the Queen's avenue Methodist church, New Westminster, on Thursday, forty-nine ministers and forty laymen answered to their names at the roll call. Rev. Jas. Calvert, B. D., of Mission City, was elected president of the conference and Rev. A. E. Roberts of this city, was re-elected secretary.

POPULAR MINISTER LEAVING PROVINCE

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ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

Santa Rosa, Cal., May 17.—Charles Cassini, a well-to-do rancher, is dead as the result of a peculiar accident.

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Many women go through life suffering in a weak, ailing and unhappy. The languor and bloodiness of girls and young women, with headaches, dizziness and fainting spells, the nervous ailments, back pains and the ailments of pregnancy, are all due to a weakness of the blood. These ailments, the trials of life and women at the turn of life, are caused usually by impoverished watery blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People have helped more women to the joy of health than any other medicine in the world. These pills actually make new, rich, red blood, which reaches every part of the body, feeds the starved nerves, strengthens every organ, and makes weak girls and women bright and well. Mrs. A. Eagles, Dundas, Ont., says: "I am writing this letter out of gratitude to let you know the great benefit Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been to me. From the time I began suffering from weakness and fainting spells—was always doctored, but it did not help me. As I grew older I seemed to grow worse. My blood seemed literally turned to water. Sometimes I would faint as often as twice in a day. I suffered from indigestion. I could not walk upstairs without stopping to rest on the way, and my heart would palpitate so violently as to grow sick as aethering sensation. I grew so weak that I had to be taken to bed in consumption. I was in this dreadful condition when Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were brought to my attention and I began taking them. The first sign of benefit I noticed was an improvement in my appetite. Then I began to grow stronger, the color began to return to my face; the fainting spells disappeared and gradually I was able to get on to a condition of more perfect health than I had ever enjoyed before. This is what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me, and that they have been of lasting benefit is proved by the fact that it is several years since they have improved my health, and I have remained strong and well ever since." Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a cure for all troubles due to impure or watery blood, such as anaemia, rheumatism, neuritis, headaches and backaches, indigestion, St. Vitus dance, paralysis, etc. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

FOUND DEAD.

Heart Disease Believed to Have Caused Death of Railway Timekeeper.

Vancouver, May 15.—The body of Kincaid Lee, the Great Northern railway timekeeper at White Rock, near New Westminster, was found lying on Great Northern tracks early this morning. It was at first thought that the man had either been murdered or had committed suicide, but after the provincial police had arrived on the scene and found no marks of violence on the body, they scouted both suggestions and are of the opinion that he died from an attack of heart failure. The deceased was only a young man and was formerly connected with the R. N. W. M. P. His parents reside in India. The last seen of the unfortunate man was on Friday night, when several persons said they saw him running after the Great Northern train, which is due in Vancouver each evening at 11 o'clock. He was troubled with a weak heart, and it is probable that the exertion proved too much for him.

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