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MUNICIPALITY MAY UNDERTAKE THE WORK

South Saanich Council Discusses Important Question

If the recommendation made by Councillor Pointer to the municipal council of South Saanich is followed that body will endeavor to obtain authority to hereafter do all the necessary work in cleaning out the ditches and watercourses throughout that municipality, the cost of such work to be charged up against the owners of the land benefited.

Heretofore there has been much dissatisfaction expressed by many of the property owners in the municipality, at the manner in which this work has been neglected by those owners whose duty it was to keep the ditches and watercourses open. The result has been that while one property owner would go to the trouble to do his share of the work his neighbor would refuse to do so, and the work of the former was of no serivce in draining the land. If Councillor Pointer's suggestion is accepted it may mean a resurvey of the watercourses. The cost to the property owners if the council was authorized to do the work would, it is estimated, be about ten cents per acre of the land benefitted, while it would also do much in preventing friction among neighbors.

Councillor Grant stated that there was no doubt but that the majority of the property owners were in favor of some such change, and Councillor Puckle said that the bylaw allowing of such a change would require to be on the local improvement plan. The matter was referred to the solicitor of the municipality to have the bylaw prepared.

Want School Money

The municipality will also endeavor to get the provincial government to take over the public schools on the same basis as formerly, and assume all financial obligations, the same as before the change to the present system was made three years ago. This was recommended in the report of the committee appointed some time ago to consider what changes are required in the Municipal Clauses Act. Councillor Grant declared that very few of the ratepayers had any idea of the amount of money which the municipality had to pay towards the maintenance of the schools. It cost the municipality of South Saanich in the neighborhood of $4,000 a year. Now that the financial condition of the province has so vastly improved, the government could afford to assume the cost and let the municipalities off these burdensome payments. This amount would go far towards meeting the cost of road maintenance and improvements.

The committee also recommended that the Municipal Clauses Act should be amended so that a sum of not less than twenty per cent. of the annual revenue of municipalities in this province should be set aside for road purposes. Good roads were an absolute necessity, Councillor Grant declared. The report of the committee will be forwarded to the secretary of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities to be later incorporated in the recommendations which that body will make to the government.

Municipal Revision

The municipal clerk, who had been instructed to revise the municipal boundaries and submit a plan to the council, had prepared his plan on the basis of the municipal assessment, the Municipal Clauses Act making it imperative that no ward should vary in amount of assessment from another ward by more than forty per cent. The plan as prepared by Clerk Carmichael was laid over to be considered at a subsequent meeting. The assessment by wards, according to the clerk's figures, would be as follows:

Cedar Hill, $655,390; Maywood, $650,650; Gordon Head, $647,261; Colquitz, $648,706; Lake, $649,685; South Saanich, $646,440. Total, $3,898,131.

The councillors considered that the revision was remarkably well done, the sectional lines being more closely followed than in the last revision, while the apportionment of the assessment could hardly be more evenly made.

A resolution submitted by Councillor Moore, that all persons under sixteen years of age be prevented from carrying firearms within the limits of the municipality was also adopted.

In view of the desire of the residents of Tolmie avenue to have water supplied by the city of Victoria, the municipal clerk was instructed to write the city and ascertain if the latter corporation would give the necessary connection. The Tolmie avenue residents have written to the city several times about the matter, but so far have received no answer.

Names for Directory

The Henderson Publishing company wrote asking for the voters list in order that the names thereon could be included in the next issue of the Victoria city directory.

Deputy Minister of Finance Smith, forwarded a cheque for $543.86, the final payment of the real propeerty tax collected by the government for the year 1906, due to the municipality of Saanich.

George Blizard, Mount Tolmie, wrote complaining of the blocked condition of the ditch which had been filled in by the council and so interfered with the drainage of his property. The matter was referred to the road superintendent.

Accounts to the amount of $331.80 were passed and ordered paid.

The monthly report of Constable Russell showed that $156.50 had been collected as follows: Road tax $114; booth license at Saanich fair $25; police court fines $17.50. The latter amount was levied on three hunters for trespassing on enclosed land at Cedar Hill.

The clerk of the municipal council, J. R. Carmichael reported that taxes collected by him at the rebate rate amounted to $13,569.57. The taxes now in arrears amount to $2,242.80.

On motion of Councillor Pointer the assessor was authorized to compile an assessment roll, issue tax notices and other necessary work in connection with Craigflower school district lying outside the limits of the municipality, in accordance with the list submitted by the provincial assessor.

In the absence of Reeve Brydon Councillor Puckle occupied the hair.

Building Will Be Active

The building operations for the month of November will be swelled by two important items, one of $30,000 for the Victoria west school, and one of at least double that amount for extensions and additions to the lieutenant-governor's private residence. W. Ridgway Wilson is architect for the school and J. S. Maclure for Mr. Dunsmuir's house. The contractors are respectively, Luney Bros., and Thomas Catterall. If it had not been for the delay attending the agreement for the utilization of Store street by the E. & N. railway there would have been another large item in that connection. Permits to the amount of $7,600 for small dwellings were taken out day before yesterday. The month is certainly opening very auspiciously in the building line. This month's figures already exceed those of October.

INTERNATIONAL CHESS.

British Team to Play Americans For Sir George Newne's Cup.

London, Nov. 2.—The London chess club, on behalf of the British players, has accepted the challenge of the Brooklyn Chess club, representing the American experts, for the annual cable match for Sir George Newne's international chess trophy which was won from the Americans by the British early this year. The trophy until the defeat of this year had been held by the Brooklyn chess club on behalf of America, for eight years. The next match will be decided in the spring of 1908.

Advertise in The Colonist

ADSETTS WILL PAY PENALTY OF CRIME

Has Been Convicted at Hongkong for Murdering His Companion

W. H. Adsetts, the former United States marine, arrested at Chefoo for the murder of Gertrude Dayton, an American woman, whose body he put into a trunk and placed it on the steamer Monteagle for shipment to Victoria from Hongkong, has been sentenced to death at Hongkong and will be hanged there. He escaped to Chefoo after murdering the woman at the Hongkong hotel, and was arrested and taken on board the United States ship Galveston by United States naval officers, being taken to Manila, where extradition proceedings were taken and he was brought back to Hongkong for trial.

The murder took place under the most revolting and cold-blooded circumstances. The body was found packed in a Saratoga trunk on the Monteagle in the harbor on August 7.

The victim of the murder was a woman named Gertrude Dayton, who belonged to the unfortunate class in Manila. It appeared that Adsetts made her acquaintance some months previous to the crime, and was acquainted with her for at least two months in Manila.

The two traveled to Hongkong as Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones and went to the Hongkong hotel. They went to a notorious house where they drank considerable wine and returned intoxicated to the hotel. They had then 14 orders on the postoffice brought from Manila for $100 each. It was after the return to the Hongkong hotel that the woman was murdered. Adsetts bought a sandal-wood box and placed his effects in it, while he crammed the murdered woman's body into a Saratoga trunk.

Following the actions of Adsetts the prosecuting attorney at the trial at Hongkong said: The murderer came out of his room and asked for two coolies. They came, and he told them to move a saratoga trunk—which was afterwards found on the Monteagle with the victim inside—to the lift of the hotel. They took it to the lift and it was taken down by the lift boy. On arrival in the hall below accused went to a counter clerk and borrowed $10 for which he signed a chit. Then he asked the counter clerk to call in outside coolies to carry the trunk. They were sent for and two came, and were told by accused to take the trunk. Accused got in a 'rikisha and went with it to the office of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire. Arrived there he entered the office and told Mr. Kent he wanted the trunk booked to Holbow by the steamer Sungari. Papers were issued for the booking of the trunk to Holbow and the question arose as to the address on it, which was simply A. H. Jacks, Holbow. Mr. Kent asked how it was to be delivered, and the accused said it was to be left till called for, as the addressee was travelling in the neighborhood of Holbow and would call for it. Then the accused went away and returned an hour or two afterwards, saying that he had altered his mind as to the trunk. He would have it consigned to Sydney, as it would be more convenient. Mr. Kent thought this rather funny, but told the man to go away and come back in office hours. Accused left, but returned at four in the afternoon and removed the trunk. He engaged two coolies to take it to the bamboo wharf known as Murray pier, and was identified by one of these coolies. Arrived there he told the coolies to put the box on a sampan, and accused went with it and told the people aboard where to row. He told them to row down to Causeway bay and put it on a four masted steamer which was there. This turned out to be the Monteagle.

The boatman identified the accused, picking him out from eleven other men without hesitation. When the Monteagle was reached he went on board, and was met by the quartermaster. He asked the quartermaster to put the trunk in the hold, saying he would return on board later as a passenger. The quartermaster was unable to put the trunk in the hold as it was passengers' luggage, so he put it in a place kept for such luggage. On the 7th, the third day after the trunk was put on board, the people on the ship noticed a bad smell, and tried to find what was the cause of it. Eventually they traced it to the trunk put on board by the accused, opened it, and found the dead body of an adult female. The police were at once sent for and Sergeant Watt went aboard and had the body removed to the mortuary at Kowloon. The body was taken out of the box, and medical evidence would show that it had been packed tightly in it. The head was hanging down, the thighs were flexed, and the body was pushed down tight. It took some force to remove it from the box, and when it was removed it was found that around the throat was the band of a lady's dress tied in a tight knot, which was twisted with the handle of a hair brush. The handle was still in the band and sticking up, with the brush almost in front of the throat. The body was so decomposed that it was almost impossible to say what had exactly caused death, but the doctor would say that the tightening of the band would have caused death. He had examined the body carefully, externally and internally, and could find no other reason for the death. Next accused was identified as having pawned with a pawnbroker two diamonds. Among the jewelery of the victim there was a ring which one of the witnesses would say, who know her well, had two diamonds in it. Most of the jewelry belonging to the deceased had been recovered, but that ring had not. The police then endeavored to find the culprit. They got a very good description of him and wired to all the coast ports, and eventually the accused was arrested at Cheefoo, and upon him there was found a quantity of jewelry and property which has since been identified as belonging to the deceased. From Cheefoo he was sent by the cruiser Galveston to Manila. There he was set free and at once rearrested by the Manila police and held for extradition. Police officers' evidence and documents were sent there, he was extradited, and now stood before the court. Up till the time the police realised who it was they were looking for, the boy had not been identified, but a woman from Manila came up who knew the deceased, and the body which had then been buried at the colonial cemetery was exhumed and taken into the mortuary. There the woman identified the body as that of Gertrude Dayton by the hands, certain gold filled teeth and the general conformation of the body. Since the prisoner had been in Hongkong three identifications were held in the jail, when all the witnesses were given an opportunity to recognize him. No less than twelve witnesses for the prosecution identified the man. Mr. Morrell concluded by saying he would call witnesses to prove the whole story as he had opened.

Flags on Schools

The provincial government has notified the Canadian club that it has under consideration the question of supplying the schools of the province with the national ensign as requested in a recent communication of that organization. The officials of the Canadian club trust that the request will be granted. The civic officials have notified the club that their request with regard to the uniforms to be used by the police has been referred to the proper committee of the council.

WILL BUILD DOCK

Admiral R. C. Holliday, chief of the bureau of docks and yards of the United States navy, who has been visiting Bremerton, is quoted by the Seattle Post Intelligencer as stating that the United States navy department proposes to build at Bremerton the biggest and best dry dock not only on the Pacific coast, but one which will excel any dock in the country.

"This dry dock is planned to cost $2,000,000," said Admiral Hollyday, "and will be designed to accommodate any warship that may be built for years to come, and also any ocean liners that might be pressed into service in time of war as transports. The dock is to be 800 feet long, which is a greater length than the giant new liners recently put into commission by the Cunard line, and than any vessels now planned to be built in any part of the world.

"The sum of $775,000 will be needed in addition to the million and a quarter dollar appropriation made by the Fifty-ninth congress. After the work has been begun, the magnitude of the enterprise is so great, four years' time will be required for its completion.

"Besides this additional appropriation of $775,000 for the dock, we shall ask for an appropriation of approximately $1,500,000 for various other improvements at Bremerton. These will incude the building of sea walls, a large foundry, a pattern shop, a large supply house, additional officers' quarters, railway tracks and various other facilities for handling the business of what will be one of the two chief navy yards on the Pacific.

RAILWAY STRIKE MAY BE AVERTED

Action is Postponed Until After Conference With Mr. Lloyd-George on Nov. 6

London, Nov. 2.—The prospects that the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Lloyd-George, may be able to avert a general railroad strike by arranging a compromise were brighter today. A full meeting of the executive committee of the Amalgamated Society of railroad servants was held this morning and decided to postpone all action on yesterday's resolution in favor of a strike, until after the conference which is to take place with Mr. Lloyd-George on Nov. 6, to which he has invited the society to send representatives. Richard Bell, M. P., general secretary of the society, and leader of the strike movement, will probably head the delegation.

A meeting of the parliamentary committee of the trades union congress was to have taken place on Monday next and a joint meeting of this committee with committees representing the general federation of trade unions and of the Labor party had been arranged for next Tuesday, but Mr. Bell has written the secretary of the first named organization suggesting that the meetings be postponed, adding "Owing to a change of circumstances I do not think it will be necessary to call them together at this stage."

This is regarded as a significant step because the two meetings were to have considered what action to take in order to support the railway men if they struck. The circumstances to which Mr. Bell refers, of course, was Mr. Lloyd-George's invitation to the conference on November 6. The plan of the president of the board of trade is to form a permanent board of conciliation with an equal number representative of the companies and of the men and having an independent chairman. The railroad directors apparently are willing to adopt the plan but the question arises whether the men having demanded complete recognition of their union, and direct dealings between the managers of the companies and unions will accept such a substitute.

Partizans of the railways refer to yesterday's resolution as being a bluff intended to frighten the railroad magnates, but the supporters of the unions say the Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants has cleared for action, and that while it has not actually declared war it has given its executive a mandate for war.

Public feeling against the strike is so strong that the men are bound to go slow so long as the companies show any disposition to arrive at a compromise agreement.

Railroad shares fell slightly at the opening of the stock exchange, but rose later to their normal quotations, thus reflecting the belief in a peaceful outcome of the situation. Railroad men decided to hold a mass meeting on Sunday night at which denutations from all parts of the United Kingdom will be present.

VETERAN ON LONG TRAMP

Edward Weston Walking From Portland to Chicago Against Time

Willmantic, Conn., Nov. 2.—A large crowd turned out today to welcome Edward Payson Weston, who is walking from Portland, Maine, to Chicago, against his record for the distance, made 40 years ago.

Weston was led from the Windsor line by Mayor Dunn and other citizens at the Willmantic line, which he reached at 10 a. m., and was met by a party of 500 men and boys. Weston was escorted to the city.

This was Weston's hardest day since he left Portland. He decided to rest three or four hours here and after taking a light lunch, he retired for a little rest. He made 42 miles up to this point. Tonight at 7:45 o'clock, after having eaten a hearty supper, he resumed his long walk in a pouring rain, heading for Andover, ten miles away, where he will spend the night and Sunday. By the time he reaches Andover, he will be 33 miles and five hours ahead of his record 40 years ago for the week, and will have covered 228 miles of his journey, an average of 51 miles a day.

WOULD BAR BOOKIES FROM FAIR GROUNDS

City Council May Decide to Make Drastic Changes in Fair Regulations

(From Sunday's Daily)

If the rumors which are current in civic circles prove to have any foundation, in fact there is likely to be some startling recommendations proposed at tomorrow night's council meeting.

At the last meeting of the council Ald. Gleason proposed a motion to the effect that the Public Morals Bylaw be amended so that hereafter the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquors on the fair grounds be prohibited. The matter was but incidentally discussed being, on motion of Ald. Fell, laid over for a week. It is now hinted that when Ald. Gleason's motion comes up for consideration a determined effort will be made to have the matter carried even further, to make the motion include not only the prohibition against liquor, but also to put an end to pool selling and the making of books on the races, to prohibit all classes of gambling and all attractions which have the slightest suggestion of indecency. Should the changes be decided upon it will mean an end to betting on the races not only during the fair, but also at any race meet held at the fair grounds.

Another question which will come up for consideration will be the motion proposed at the last meeting by Mayor Morley, that the annual liquor license fees of saloons and hotels be increased from $300, the present figure, to $500. This matter was also laid over for a week on motion of Ald. Fell, who thought that more time was required for its consideration by the aldermen.

ARCHITECTS KEPT BUSY

Better Class of Dwellings Going Up in the City and District

(From Sunday's Daily)

The activity amongst builders and architects which has characterized the summer in this city has continued throughout the fall. If anything they are busier than ever before and new permits are being taken out. The demand for a better class of dwelling is aso on the increase and numerous residences are going up both within the city limits and in the suburbs. Stone or concrete foundations are universal.

H. T. Rous Cullin, one of the newer members of the profession, stated to a reporter of the Colonist that he had been compelled to engage extra assistance to cope with the press of business. Amongst others he pointed to the plans for a dwelling on Linden avenue which is being built for Thomas Shaw.

The exterior shows a fine example of early English half-timbered work, whilst extensive panelling and a pleasing treatment of half-timbering in the tudor style go to make the interior strikingly handsome. A feature of the dining room will be the sideboard built in recess in the panelling and carried out in cedar and leaded glass. The design is most pleasing. A new departure has been made in the treatment of the Chimneys and stacks, the like of which has not been seen in Victoria before.

Plans for a residence for Mrs. Denny on Scoresby street, also beautifully treated in half-timbered style, but differently carried out were also shown. There is considerable panelling and half timber work both dining room and hall and the same remarkable treatment of the chimneys as in Mr. Shaw's house.

Both dwellings will be completed, under normal conditions, in February, next year, and will be valuable additions to the already attractive homes of "Victoria the Beautiful."

Importing Disease to Persia.

In Tabriz, Persia, the increase of pulmonary disease is alarming foreign physicians. This is due to the introduction of western ways of living. Heretofore the housing problem has been a simple one. The adobe furnished material both cheap and convenient. Every family had its own circle house and court. The door and the hole in the roof were open at all seasons. Even in winter no attempt was made to heat rooms. An open fire, or what might be called a foot warmer—a pan of ashes containing a few red coals—was all.

To make a visit to a Persian in midwinter when the snow was falling, was something like taking a sleigh-ride indoors. The doors and windows were wide open. Host and guest set on cushions, a wool filled comforter tucked around them, with their feet toward the foot warmer. No boisterous crowds were found on the city streets—they were dark and deserted. No one sat up by artificial light or lay abed when the sun was shining. Now that the comparatively prosperous Aremnians and Mohammedans are building houses like ours and trying to heat them with wood stoves and light them with lamps, a change is beginning to take place in all this. Fuel is scarce and expensive so every crevice for fresh air has been closed lest any of the precious heat escape. The result as far as health is concerned has been just what might have been expected.—Elizabeth Easton, in the Charities and the Commons.

ENGLISH CHAMPION BEATEN

Johnny Summers Loses to New York Slugger at New Haven

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 2.—Johnny Summers, the premier lightweight fighter of Great Britain, was defeated by Bert Keyes, the crack New York slugger here last night before the Edgewood Athletic club. It was a corking bout, and at the end of the tenth and final round the Englishman was all but out.

The men fought it all the way and there was not a single second that they rested. In fact, it was the greatest battle that has been held in this vicinity since Young Corbett knocked out Terry McGovern in Hartford on that memorable Thanksgiving day.

Keyes fought gamely, but was not nearly so clever as his doughty opponent from the other side of the big pond. The boys had a terrific punch in either hand, and time and again it looked as though the proceedings would be stopped by a single blow. Keyes was the aggressor most of the way. Summers was decidedly groggy at the end.

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MAY PRACTICE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Twenty-two Doctors Successful at Examinatoins of Medical Council

(From Sunday's Daily)

Twenty-two out of the thirty-three candidates for admission to the practice of medicine in this province were successful at the examinations held last week in the provincial government buildings. The announcement was made last evening by Dr. Fagan, provincial health officer and a member of the board of examiners.

The examination papers were stiff, but fair, and the showing of the various candidates is considered a favorable one. The candidates have all graduated from eastern Canadian, United States or British medical schools.

The names of the successful are as follows: Drs. W. C. Acheson, V. E. D. Casselman, W. T. Chambers, W. Y. Corry, C. P. Covernton, W. G. Gable, G. E. Gillies, G. B. Henderson, J. D. Hunter, O. G. Ingram, R. W. Irving, G. G. Little, G. V. Lockett, J. G. McKay, R. M. Port, T. F. Saunders, W. E. Spankle, J. W. Thompson, J. L. Todd, J. L. Turnbull, R. C. Weldon and W. A. Whitelaw.

The majority of the successful ones will at once commence the practice of medicine in this province. Three ladies who took the examination were unsuccessful.

New Postage Stamps

The new international stamp agreed upon at the Rome Postal congress of 1906, on the motion of Mr. Hemiker Heaton, has now been prepared, and will be issued for use next month, says the London Daily Chronicle. The stamp is really a coupon measuring approximately four inches by three. It has been designed by M. Eugene Grasset, and engraved by M. E. Florian, both of Paris.

The coupon is really a kind of little postal order to bearer, to be exchanged for stamps so that anyone writing, say from Europe to America, and wishing to send a stamp for reply, can take advantage of it. Five million stamps have been printed, and each country will order several hundred thousands.

The vignette on the stamp represents the figure of a goddess as a messenger of peace, from one hemisphere to the other. In the background are olive branches. The robes of the goddess are a bluish-grey fading in the background into a yellowish-green. The olive branches are also of that color, making a soft, harmonious blend. The stamp has been made by Messrs. Benziger and Company, of Einsidein, Switzerland. Immediately above the figure are the words in each case in the language of the country which issues the stamp:

"This coupon can be exchanged for a stamp of the value of 25 centimes, or the equivalenc of this amount, in the countries which have accepted the agreement."

The countries which have entered into the arrangement include Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria, Belgium, United States, Spain, British Colonies, French Colonies, Egypt, Mexico, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Sweden, Switzerland, Roumania, Japan, Siam, Korea, Greece, taly, Chill, Costa Rica, Crete, Denmark, Luxemburg and Norway.

Emerson, Nov. 2.—On Wednesday night last the office of George Christie, financial agent of this town, was broken into and the vault, which was not locked, opened and promissory notes to the value of $40,000 stolen.

One man's meat may be another man's poison, but poisons are ill meat for any man.

Ill luck is much like a Scotch mist—three drops to a bucketful.

If an idle brain is the devil's smithy what a lot of blacksmiths must be looking for a job.

It's a wise man that profits by his neighbor's faults, but he's not always a pleasant neighbor himself.

Those who put on airs can't complain if others call them light-headed and puffed-up.

Appearances may be deceitful, but dummies cannot lie.

THE LOCAL MARKETS

Retail Prices

Flour	
Royal Household a bag	$2.00
Lake of the Woods, a bag	$2.00
Calgary, a bag	$2.00
Hungarian, per $bbl	$7.50
Snowflake, a bag	$1.70
Snowflake, per bbl	$6.80
Moffet's Best, per sack	$2.00
Moffet's Best, per bbl	$7.50
Drifted Snow, per sack	$1.70
Three Star, per sack	$2.00
Foodstuffs	
Cracked Corn, per ton	$38.00
Bran, per ton	$30.00
Shorts, per ton	$32.00
Feed Wheat, per ton	$42.00
Oats, per ton	$35.00
Barley, per ton	$37.00
Hay, Fraser River, per ton	$20.00
Cornmeal, per ton	$38.00
Chop feed, best, per ton	$37.00
Whole corn, best, per ton	$36.00
Middlings, per ton	$30.00
Vegetables	
Celery, four heads	25
Egg Plant, per lb.	15
Citron, per lb.	5
Lettuce, two heads	5
Lettuce, hot house, 3 heads	10
Garlic, per lb.	10
Onions, local, per lb.	2½
Cucumbers, hot house, each	25
Tomatoes, outdoor, 3 lbs	25
Potatoes, local, per sack	$1.75
Peas, local, per lb.	5
Sweet Potatoes, new, 4 lbs.	25
String beans, per lb.	8
Vegetable marrow, each	10 to 25
Corn, per doz.	25
Green peppers, each	3
Chili peppers, per lb.	20
Squash, per lb.	5
Pumpkins, per lb.	4
Cauliflowers, each	25
Cabbage, local, per lb.	5
Red Cabbage, per lb.	5
Dairy Produce	
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per dozen	60
Cooking, per doz	35
Cheese—	
Canadian, per lb.	25
Neufchatel, each	5
Cream, local, each	10
Butter—	
Manitoba, per lb.	35
Best dairy, per lb.	35 to 40
Victoria creamery, per lb.	40
Cowichan creamery, per lb.	50
Delta Creamery, per lb.	45
Chilliwack Creamery, per lb.	45
Butter, cooking, per lb.	30
Fruit	
Quince, per lb.	10
Grape Fruit, per dozen	1.00
Oranges, per doz.	$0 to 50
Lemons, per doz.	40
Figs, cooking, per lb.	8 to 10
Rhubarb, per lb.	5
Apples, local, 4 lbs. for	25
Grapes, California, per basket	60
Bananas, per doz.	35
Figs, table, per lb.	25
Raisins, Valencia, per lb.	20
Raisins, table, per lb.	25 to 50
Cantaloupes, each	10 to 50
Grapes, Con., per basket	$1.00
Pineapples, each	50
Pears, per box	$1.25 to $1.50
Huckleberries, Sooke, 2lbs. for	50
Cranberries, per lb.	10
Nuts	
Walnuts, per lb.	30
Brazils, per lb.	20
Almonds, Jordon, per lb.	25
Almonds, California, per lb.	30
Cocoanuts, each	15
Pecans, per lb	20
Chestnuts, per lb.	20
Fish	
Finan Haddies, per lb.	20
Cod, salted, per lb.	10 to 15
Halibut, fresh, per lb.	8 to 10
Halibut, smoked, per lb	15
Cod, fresh, per pound	6 to 8
Flounders, fresh, per lb.	6 to 8
Salmon, fresh, white, per lb.	8
Salmon, fresh red, per pound	6 to 10
Salmon, smoked, per lb.	20
Clams, per lb	20
Oysters, Olympia, per pint	40 to 50
Oysters, Toke Point, doz.	40 to 50
Shrimps, per pound	25 to 30
Smelts, per lb.	6 to 10
Herring, kippered, per lb.	15
Meat and Poultry	
Lamb, per lb	15 to 18
Mutton, per lb	12½ to 15
Lamb, per quarter, fore	1.00 to 1.50
Lamb, per quarter, hind	1.75 to 2.00
Veal, dressed, per lb	12½ to 15
Geese, dressed, per lb.	18 to 20
Ducks dressed, per lb.	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb., live weight	12½ to 15
Chickens, broilers, per lb.	25
Guinea Fowls, each	$1.00
Pigeons, dressed, per pair	50
Rabbits, dressed, each	50 to 60
Hare, dressed, each	75
Hams, per lb.	25 to 30
Bacon, per lb	25 to 30
Beef, per lb	8 to 10
Pork, dressed, per lb	15 to 20

Died Suddenly

Brandon, Nov. 2.—Murdoch McLennen, a guest at the Windsor hotel, died suddenly yesterday while eating his dinner. He was seized with a fit of coughing. Deceased was about [illegible] years old, and came from Wingham, Ont. An inquest will be held.