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Died in Operating Chair— Vancouver, May 20.—Walter Drake aged nine, while being operated on for tonsillitis died in the operating chair today after taking an anesthetic.

No Dominion Fair Exhibit— New Westminster, May 20.—Chilliwack district has decided not to make an exhibit at the Dominion Fair at Calgary owing to the small prize of \$50 which is all that is offered.

Excursion to Victoria— New Westminster, May 20.—Victoria was decided upon as the object of a trip for the Dominion Fair at Calgary.

Bills of Lading— Toronto, May 20.—Representatives of shippers from all parts of Canada, at a meeting held in the board of trade today, passed a resolution expressing their desire for more simple forms of bills of lading.

Fireman Badly Injured— Vancouver, May 20.—Clarence Westover, a fireman stationed at No. 2 fire-alarm, last night fell through the hatchway surrounding the sliding pole at the hall, striking heavily on the floor, 23 feet below.

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FRENCH BISHOPS TO REJECT OFFER

Instructions From Pope Are Against Mutual Aid Societies

FUNDS FOR AGED PRIESTS

Rejection Based on Fact That Church Would Not Have Control

Paris, May 20.—It is officially announced that the Pope has instructed the French episcopate to refuse the clause in the church document providing for the creation of mutual aid societies for aged priests.

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Poisoned by Lya— Montreal, May 20.—A two-year-old child named Boudreau is dead from drinking Lya.

Crops in Alberta— Calgary, May 20.—There has not been any rain north of Airdrie, but the crops are looking ideal.

Bookmakers Win in Court— Toronto, May 20.—The court of appeals today quashed the conviction against John Wolff and seven others who were fined \$100 and costs each at Fort Erie for betting at Fort Erie Jockey club last fall.

Refugee Jury Disagrees— San Francisco, May 20.—The jury in the case of Ruff, accused of offering a bribe to the San Francisco Police Commissioner, came into court today after being locked up all night and announced that they were unable to reach a verdict.

Sun Life Company— Montreal, May 20.—Robertson McAnay, while retaining the presidency of the Sun Life Assurance company, has relinquished the managing directorship, and is succeeded by J. B. Wood.

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UNFAIR CLAUSE MAY BE ALTERED

Rumor That Opposition Eight on Election Bill is to Be Successful

PART OF SUPPLY VOTED

Civil Service Salaries Provided for on Suggestion of Opposition

Ottawa, May 20.—The air is full of rumors regarding the plans of the government in connection with the election bill. One rumor is to the effect that the government will amend the clause in the bill to overcome the objections of the opposition.

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Merkel Threatens— Medicine Hat, May 20.—Jacob Merkel, head of the "Dreamers," has written threatening letters to the witnesses in the recent trial, and an effort will be made to reach him for using the mails for this purpose.

Premier-Whitney's Affiliation— Toronto, May 20.—Premier Whitney is confined to his residence with a bad attack of rheumatism. He passed a bad night and is unable to walk, and unless there is considerable improvement he will be unable to take any active part in the election campaign.

Anaconda Company— Anaconda, Mont., May 20.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Anaconda Copper Mining company held here today the directors, with the exception of William L. Bull, were re-elected. Mr. Bull's place on the board is filled by H. H. Broughton of New York.

Pure Bred Stock Sales— Calgary, May 20.—Some 500 prospective buyers were in the sales pavilion this morning when Auctioneer S. W. Paisley placed the first purebred under the hammer. Before the sale was stopped for luncheon the number was largely increased.

Excursionists in Danger— St. Catharines, May 20.—While probably a thousand excursionists from Welland and other points were coming into the city on the Niagara Central railway this morning, the first car jumped the track on a fifty-foot embankment near Thorold.

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DOUBLE CRIME OF INSANE SON

Deliberately Shoots His Father and Turns Revolver on Himself

ELDER MAN A MILLIONAIRE

Trouble Caused By Intention to Remarry Against Family's Wishes

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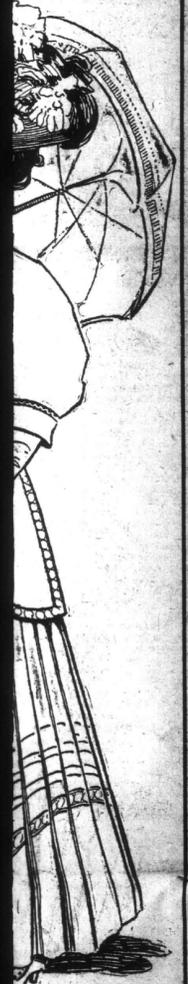
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