

MARKET PORT

COMOX-VICTORIA

Comox-Victoria... and

most elaborate style... the latest modern comfort of passenger boat and built for speed...

smoking room are... deserving of men excellent manner...

several metallurgists... together with Her deck afforded opportunity for viewing the route...

former vessel, driven by... with cylinders of a stroke of 30 inches...

she will be taken... to be taken out for ways for an over sea journey...

should discharge... kitchen aboard... they did their best about 25 per cent...

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TIMBER TRUST BEING ORGANIZED

STATEMENT MADE BY U. S. COMMISSIONER

Declares Three Companies Hold Two Hundred and Thirty-Eight Billion Feet

(Times Leased Wire.) Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—Production of some startling statistics, Commissioner of Corporations Herbert Knox Smith today sent a special report to Congress...

These holdings have enough standing timber to build an ordinary five six-room frame house for each of 30,000,000 families...

Finally, the concentration of land and timber, is added the closely connected railroad domination...

WILL CARRY ALBERTA WHEAT TO COAST

Pacific & Peace River Railway Company's Bill Reported by Committee

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The Commons railway committee this morning passed the bill chartering the Pacific and Peace River Railway Company's line from Bulkley Falls to Dunsmuir...

SMALLPOX IN NEW ONTARIO

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Feb. 14.—There is a very bright prospect for an outbreak of smallpox in New Ontario this spring...

TWO SECTIONMEN INJURED

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, Feb. 14.—A C. P. R. train on the Stonewall branch in a dense fog ran into a hand-car, seriously injuring two section-men...

EMERGENCY FOR PRISONERS

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Feb. 14.—The Minister of Justice has written from Ottawa to J. J. Warren, barrister of Owen Sound, stating that he will recommend the liberation of prisoners who were released from their cells on the C. P. R. train wrecked on the road on January 21...

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WHEAT EXPORTS TO UNITED STATES

GOVERNMENT TO MEET EXPORTERS' OBJECTIONS

Report That Guarantee of Weights or Standards Will Be Refused

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Feb. 14.—It is understood in well informed circles that the Dominion Government will refuse its guarantee to standards of weights of western Canadian wheat which, under the reciprocity agreement, may find its way to the Atlantic seaboard through Minneapolis or Chicago...

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Salem, Ore., Feb. 14.—Progressive members of the senate succeeded this morning in having Eout's resolution, calling on President Taft to withdraw the Canadian reciprocity agreement from Congress, passed...

DIVIDENDS DECLARED BY C. P. R. DIRECTORS

Surplus From Operation for Half Year of More Than \$10,000,000

Montreal, Feb. 14.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific railway held yesterday the following dividends were declared...

WARRANT ISSUED FOR C. W. WAPPENSTEIN

Former Chief of Seattle Police Will Be Arrested If He Tries to Leave City

Seattle, Wash., Feb. 14.—A warrant for the arrest of Charles W. Wappenstein, until last Saturday chief of police of Seattle, has been issued...

MUST SERVE ADDITIONAL TERM

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 14.—It was announced yesterday that Ben D. Green and John F. Gaynor, who have completed four-year sentences for defrauding the government in the Savannah harbor work, must serve an additional 30 days each in default of payment of a fine of \$25,000...

EPIDEMIC OF MEASLES

Nome, Alaska, Feb. 14.—St. Valentine's day is not as joyful as it might be in this camp. An epidemic of measles has broken out in Eskimo settlements and has now attacked the white children of Nome...



THE WATER COMEDY. VICTORIA (the big sister) — "Quit your racket, kid, or you shan't have any at all."

WOULD EXTEND BEACH DRIVE

Proposes to Be Roadway Between Dallas Road and St. Charles Street

Angus Smith, city engineer, informed the Times on Tuesday that despite the severe gales of Sunday and Monday morning, the groynes protecting the foreshore at the Ross Bay wharves had stood well...

CITY ENGINEER'S AMBITIOUS PLAN

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Referring to the matter of the construction of the Dallas road sea wall, and the doubt that has been raised relative to the need of revising the plans for that structure, Mr. Smith said the contract contemplated that the wall should be constructed to go down to a rock foundation, and steps will be taken to see that this is done...

DEBATE ON RECIPROcity

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—The debate on reciprocity will be resumed in the House to-day. Representative Gaines, speaking yesterday, said: "This measure has been urged on with considerable energy, but with indecent haste...

ARCHBISHOP RYAN'S FUNERAL

Philadelphia, Feb. 14.—With Monsignor Falcon, papal delegate to the United States, present as special representative of the Pope, the funeral of the late Archbishop Patrick John Ryan will be held on Thursday...

TAKING REVENUE FROM THE CITIES

H. C. Brewster Protests Against Government's Action—Railway Act in Committee

Legislative Press, Gallery, Feb. 13.—An earnest protest was made this afternoon by H. C. Brewster against the government's determination to tax from municipalities the power to tax fire insurance companies...

SCHOONER TURNS TURTLE IN STORM

Astoria, Ore., Feb. 14.—Members of the Point Adams life-saving crew patrolled the beach to-day searching for the bodies of six members of the gasoline schooner Oshkosh, who were drowned when the little boat turned turtle three miles off the Columbia river jetty yesterday...

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The drowned: Captain Thomas Latham, master; W. R. Deane, Gus Ramsauer, Chas. Larson, Gus Chibber, Al Davis, members of crew. May saved himself under terrifying odds. For over three hours he fought for his life in the dark engine room until the overturned boat, driven by the heavy gale, struck high on the beach...

DAVID BOYLE DEAD

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Feb. 14.—David Boyle, the well known provincial archeologist, passed away at four o'clock this morning, after a long illness. The late Mr. Boyle was one of the best known ethnologists on the continent...

NAT GOODWIN DIVORCED

New York, Feb. 14.—In his own words, "once more a matrimonial remnant, cast on Cupid's bargain counter," Nat Goodwin, the actor, is endeavoring to take philosophically the action of Rebecca J. C. Thompson in deciding against him in the divorce suit instituted by Edna Goodwin, his fourth wife...

EUSTACE BALFOUR DEAD

London, Feb. 14.—Eustace Balfour, brother of former Premier Arthur J. Balfour, died here to-day.

APPALLING DEATH ROLL FROM CHOLERA

Last Year's Total in Russia May Be Exceeded Unless Prompt Steps Be Taken

(Times Leased Wire.) St. Petersburg, Feb. 14.—That deaths in Russia this year from cholera will reach the appalling figures of 1910 unless the government finds some way to check the disease, is the prediction of health authorities here to-day...

TRAPPER FROZEN TO DEATH IN ALBERTA

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ACTRESS FLIES IN AEROPLANE

London, Feb. 14.—Londoners are agreed to-day that Pauline Chase, actress, has an abundance of nerve, following a flight she made yesterday with Claude Grahame-White. The wind was tricky and the actress was advised not to make the trip. She insisted, and, with White, flew eight minutes...

SOUTH POLE EXPEDITION

President Taft's Brother Will Be Asked to Assist Captain Bartlett. Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Friends of the Arctic steamer Roosevelt, have decided to ask Charles F. Taft, of Cincinnati, a brother of President Taft, to help finance the proposed expedition to the South Pole. Harry Whitney, the big game hunter, will accompany Bartlett...

YUKON LEASE LITIGATION ENDS

NORMAN McLEAN'S CASE SUDDENLY TERMINATES

Realizes the Hopelessness of Claims Against the Government and Withdraws

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, Feb. 14.—The celebrated claim of Norman McLean of Vancouver against the Dominion Government for cancellation of a dredging lease on Dominion creek in the Yukon in 1901 came to a sudden and inglorious end yesterday...

For the past two or three years McLean has been privately trying to get the Dominion government to settle out of court by paying him a large sum of money. He demanded as much as \$350,000 in settlement of his claim.

In face of the evidence the government had ready for submission, McLean realized that his case was hopeless and rather than incur a few hundred dollars more expense to get a decision to the merits of the case he was willing to lose what he had already expended.

LUTHERAN COLLEGE

New Institution Will Be Erected at Melville, Saskatchewan. (Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, Feb. 14.—The general board of the Lutheran church for western Canada unanimously decided to-day that the Lutheran college shall be situated at Melville, Sask. This is for the three prairie provinces.

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Engineer Saves Himself After Long Fight for His Life in Engine Room

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THE PRINCE OF WALES

London, Feb. 14.—The condition of the Prince of Wales and his brother, Prince Albert, who are suffering with the German measles at Dartmouth, was unchanged to-day. It was officially stated that neither of the Royal patients was in danger.

COMPANION IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION Owing to Long Exposure

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OAK BAY TO GET ITS PIPE LINE

CITY COUNCIL LAYS DOWN CONDITIONS

Suburban Municipality to Give Up Goldstream Supply When Sooke is Ready

Following an informal meeting of the city council, held in a committee room at the parliament buildings this morning, the city's representatives gave in as gracefully as was possible to Oak Bay—while, firmly protesting against any infringements of Victoria's rights—and outlined conditions on which the suburban municipality will be allowed to lay a pipe line through Victoria for the conveyance of Goldstream water from the Esquimalt Waterworks Co.'s main at Victoria Arm.

Oak Bay will be permitted to lay a main by a route and of a size approved by the engineers of both municipalities, which the city will later on utilize, and when Sooke water is available Oak Bay will take its supply from the city and cease taking water from the Esquimalt Company.

There was a full attendance of the council of Victoria. Oak Bay and Stanich, with their legal advisers. At the outset of the meeting the chairman, N. P. MacKay (Kaslo), made a dignified statement of the attitude of the committee towards this matter and took exception to the report which City Solicitor McDiarmid had given to the council of the proceedings before the committee, and what that official had imagined the committee had done. His report was misleading and incorrect, he said. Mr. MacKay reminded the council that the committee was there to do justice to all.

W. J. Taylor, K. C., city barrister, smoothed matters over by saying there had been a misunderstanding as to a suggestion he had made. The city would supplement the supply to Oak Bay from Elk lake by a supply from Goldstream.

Later on, it might be mentioned, the mayor remarked that this suggestion was made by Mr. Taylor of his own initiative and owing to his "lack of practical knowledge of waterworks matters."

Mr. Taylor, continuing his statement, said that the misunderstanding had after a while worked out a solution. Oak Bay, in seeking an injunction, based its right to that remedy on an agreement made in 1909 which had been signed by the city but had neither been signed nor even acknowledged by Oak Bay. Three clauses in that agreement were a complete answer to its present application—that Oak Bay be furnished water from Elk lake at 20c, a thousand gallons until an improved service was obtained, that on the obtaining of that improved service it get its proportion of that at an adjusted price, and that all matters arising out of the relations of the two municipalities in this regard shall be determined by the provincial water commissioner. The city would stand by that agreement.

FIRE DESTROYS HOTEL AND STORES

Hensall, Ont., Visited by Destructive Blaze—Wind Spreads Flames. (Special to the Times.) Hensall, Ont., Feb. 14.—This place was visited this morning by a most disastrous fire which wiped out the whole north side of King street. Fanned by a strong wind the blaze spread rapidly toward the Commercial hotel and completely destroyed the following places: J. J. and C. McDonald, hardware and furniture; E. Hamle, dry goods and groceries; R. W. Drysdale, shoe merchant; T. W. Palmer, restaurant; F. Manns, barber; J. J. McArthur, hardware; commercial hotel.

RETURNS TO TORONTO

(Special to the Times.) Toronto, Feb. 14.—J. J. Warren, manager of the Trusts and Guarantee company, has returned from British Columbia. On Friday morning he has to answer to a charge of conspiracy in connection with the Farmers' Bank of Canada. It is the same charge which is against the four provisional directors and C. H. Smith and Hon. J. R. Stratton. Mr. Warren had nothing to say on the subject. One of his children died suddenly yesterday afternoon.

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