ENGINEER'S PLAN TO PROTECT WALL

GIVEN IN REPORT TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Victoria Terminal Railway Company is Willing to Have First Street Improved at Its Cost.

A report from the city engineer on the work required for the strengthening of the James Bay wall and a communication from the Victoria Terminal Railway Company offering to stand the cost of certain street improvements along the line of the company's road were among the most important matters arising at Monday night's meeting of the city council.

R. P. Rithet & Co. submitted a proposition, offering to name the streets of the city, if the company would be allowed to place beneath the name of the street an advertisement of its Three Star brand of flour.

His Worship said that he was opposed to the proposition. Ald Stewart moved that the communication be received and filed, and that the writer be informed that the council objects to all such forms of advertisements. The motion carried.

Messrs. Drake, Helmcken & Jackson asked compensation in the amount of $27,666.70 together with interest, for a client whose property was expropriated by the city on the line of the Douglas street extension. Referred to the streets, sewers and bridges committee for report.

Pemberton & Son urged that the city engineer enforce the law in respect to the removal of Mr. Phillips from property required for street purposes. The city engineer will be instructed to carry out the law.

R. Ford Verinder called attention to the lack of a water main on Verinder avenue. The writer also requested that a tile drain be laid on the street. Referred to the city engineer and water commissioner for report.

The vice-president of the Victoria Terminal Railway Company wrote stating that the company was prepared to pay for certain street improvements on First between Bay and Market streets, just so soon as the city was ready to go on with the work. The company further agreed to take up similar work in accordance with the company's agreement with the city. Received and filed, the city engineer to be instructed to proceed at once with the work.

Geo. Jeeves called attention to certain mistakes in the report of the plumbing inspector.

J. C. Gardiner, directory publisher, stated that his company did not feel disposed to issue another Dominion directory until it is learned what patronage its subscribers will extend. A subscription form was enclosed, and the city was asked to state what advertisement it would require. Referred to finance committee.

Messrs. Hooper & Watkins submitted a certified statement to the effect that $5,000 had been spent on the Carnegie library to date. A properly certified form endorsed by the Mayor will be forwarded to Mr. Carnegie for the money wanted.

City Clerk Dowler reported as follows:

Gentlemen:—I have the honor to inform you that since the last meeting of the city council the following communications have been received and referred to the city engineer for report, viz.:

D. Spragge, calling attention to the condition of the alleyway between Third and Fourth streets.

A. H. Ridgman et al, directing attention to the condition of Frederick street.

J. E. Cowan (and five others), asking that a sidewalk be laid down on the south side of Pandora street from George street for a distance of about 200 feet, also on the east side of George street from Pandora street southward.

Windsor Grocery (and two others), calling attention to the needs of a crossing from the Metropolitan building to the post office.

Frank J. Sehl, re bad condition of Pembroke street immediately above Quadra street.

Marietta Lee, re condition of the ditch extending from Richmond road to Foul Bay road.

H. Brakes, asking for a crossing to his house on corner of Howard and Lydia streets.

Received and filed.

The city engineer reported as follows:

Gentlemen:—In accordance with instructions I have the honor to submit the following report of the work I consider necessary to be done to improve and strengthen the James Bay retaining wall.

As previously instructed, a cluster of piles has been driven as close together as possible for a distance of fifty feet on either side of the centre line of wall and ten feet from the face of same; and since this work was done I am pleased to say no further movement has taken place.

I would now further recommend that the mud be dredged out in sections and hard bottom obtained a distance of thirty feet from each end, and twelve feet from the face of above mentioned cluster of piles. In this area so formed piles to be driven at five or six feet centres, the space between and outside of the piles to be filled in with rock up to the foundation level of present wall.

On these piles and rock filling a solid concrete platform fifteen feet wide be erected to high water line; from this point the work to be carried out to correspond with present wall, as indicated by sketches Nos. 1 and 2.

In conclusion, I may say, should either of the above plans be adopted, I have no hesitation in stating the same would add greatly to the appearance of the structure, as well as making a substantial buttress at the point required.

Ald. Dinsdale fully endorsed the plan of work outlined, but did not agree with the manner of carrying it out. If the piles were not properly driven home it would jeopardize the wall. A bricklayer should not be employed on the pile driver. Expert men should be engaged over every branch of the work.

The report, excepting clause 3, was adopted, all members of the board voting for the motion but Ald. Dinsdale.

The finance committee reported accounts totalling $4,507.25. Adopted.

The committee further reported an appropriation of $10,000 required for sewers. Adopted.

The streets, sewers and bridges committee reported as follows:

Your streets, bridges and sewers committee, having considered the undermentioned subjects, begs to recommend the following for the adoption of the council:

Re Rock Bay. Resolved, that the necessary steps be taken to obtain permission from the Dominion government to construct a permanent roadway across Rock Bay in line with Bay street.

Recommended that a certain projection of rock at the corner of Langford and Aston streets be removed. Estimated cost, $60.

Recommended that the following sidewalks be laid: On Croft street, east sue, estimated cost, $148; Bellot street, north side, estimated cost, $44; George street, east side, estimated cost, $71; Fourth street, from Hillside avenue, estimated cost, $53.

Recommended that the sum of $75 be expended in repairing Pemberton road, and $30 in improving the alleyway between Third and Fourth streets.

Re communication from R. Muler, C. E., engineer of His Majesty's dockyard, Esquimalt, desiring the use of the steam roller for a few days in January next. Recommended that Mr. Muler be informed that the council is willing to loan the roller as desired free of charge, on condition that the transportation of the same from the city to Esquimalt and back is undertaken by him, and that the running expenses (including the present engineer's pay during the time the roller is used at Esquimalt) and all responsibility for damage, if any, is assumed by him.

Received and adopted.

A motion of Ald. Goodacre's that tenders for the printing of the annual voters' list be invited was next introduced and carried.

The council then adjourned.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Having Reference to the Death of Late Miss Flora Fraser.

At First Presbyterian church on Sunday evening Rev. Dr. Campbell conducted a memorial service, having reference to Miss Fraser, who died on November 21st. Miss Fraser was the eldest daughter of the late Rev. D. Fraser, who was pastor of the church until his death, in 1891. She was a consistent member of the church, and a very popular member of the Victoria staff of public school teachers.

Dr. Campbell, after pointing out the necessity of Christians growing in grace, said that the Christian who is to be useful and enjoy happiness must look forward and not backward. He who lives in the past becomes a melancholy recluse, but he who looks forward to the crown and joy and glory beyond, is cheerful and happy, and helps others in the Christian race. In the darkest cloud there is a rift through which he sees the light and glory which await him above the darkness and the storm.

Continuing, Rev. Dr. Campbell said: "We should not be satisfied with our attainments, but press on towards perfection, from grace to grace, from mountain top to mountain top, higher and still higher, until we reach the full stature in Christ Jesus. This world is only the training school for the other into which death will usher us. Death is really the beginning of our true happiness. Death is rest. 'Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord, because they rest.' They rest from sin and sorrow, and sickness and trouble. Surely to the Christian death is gain. The joy beyond enables us to look death calmly in the face as nothing else can. To feel that we are passing away from everything we delighted in here needs strong faith and assurance of something to rest our hope and beyond the great divide to enable us to meet death calmly. This the Christian has, and he can say with the sweet singer of Israel: 'When I awake in Thy likeness I shall be satisfied.' This, and this alone, enables us with calm and sweet assurance to meet the king of terrors."

In conclusion the doctor referred to the consistent life and strong faith of Miss Fraser, and her resignation to God's will. She was often for months weak and weary and worn, but now she enjoys the "rest which remains for the people of God."

DUNCANS NOTES.

(Special Correspondence of the Times.)

The celebrated Maori evangelists will pay Duncans a visit and preach in the Methodist church next Sunday night. They will lecture in the agricultural hall two nights next week. We expect the little church will be more than crowded on Sunday night.

Our annual event, the flockmasters' supper, is coming off early next month.

The Knights of Pythias gave a concert and dance in the agricultural hall, Duncans, on Wednesday, November 25th, in aid of Mrs. Cloutier, whose husband was killed a short time ago on the Cowichan Lake road by a limb falling from a tree. He was freighting supplies for the Cowichan Lumber company's logging camp at Cowichan lake.

Detective J. Driscoll, of Chicago, who was shot in the fight in Indiana with the three car barn bandits, is dead. In his confession to the police Peter Neidermeier admitted that he shot Driscoll as the latter sprang upon the railroad track near the dugout.

The new canal treaty between the United States and the Republic of Panama has been signed at Colon.

SALT RHEUM, TETTER, ECZEMA.—These distressing skin diseases relieved by one application. Dr. Agnew's Ointment is a potent cure for all eruptions of the skin. Jas. Gaston, Wilkesbarre, says: "For nine years I was disfigured with Tetter on my hands. Dr. Agnew's Ointment cured it." 35 cents. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—31.

ALREADY AT WORK ON HOTEL PLANS

MR. RATTENBURY HAS RETURNED FROM EAST

Gives Details of New Tourist Hostelry to Be Erected by C. P. R. Here.

"Well, work on the plans has actually commenced, and we expect to call for tenders in eight or nine weeks, provided of course we are able to determine as to the foundations."

This was the reply given by F. M. Rattenbury, the architect, to a Times representative on Tuesday, when asked when the erection of the palatial tourist hotel to be erected on the James Bay reclaimed area by the C. P. R. Company would be started. Mr. Rattenbury returned Monday from Montreal, where he has been conferring with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the company, relative to the plans of the proposed structure. The matter was thoroughly considered, the advice of the most experienced hotel men in the service of the company being sought, so that when Mr. Rattenbury left the eastern metropolis for the coast he knew exactly what was wanted.

"The question of foundations is the difficult feature of the proposition, and I have been authorized to engage a consulting engineer to assist me in dealing with it," the architest further said. When this was satisfactorily settled the rest would be plain sailing.

The hotel which is to be erected on the James Bay flats will be one of the finest of its kind on the continent. It will be 230 by 200 feet, and will stand about a hundred and fifty feet back from the sea wall. It will front on the harbor. The structure on which operations are to be commenced as soon as Mr. Rattenbury has made the necessary arrangements will contain all the public rooms required for the building, when additions, which will double its number of bedrooms, are made. In the meantime the hotel will have 175 bedrooms, with a bathroom attached to every apartment. It will be constructed of stone, and will be seven stories high. The public rooms, to which reference has already been made, will include a spacious entrance hall, about 80 by 40 feet, a palm garden 80 by 50, a grand dining-room 120 by 42, a library and reading-room 60 by 22 feet and a ladies' parlor 42 by 22 feet—all on the ground floor. On the lower ground floor, which cannot be called a basement, because it will be above the ground surface, there will be a Turkish lounging room with small private rooms accessory to it. This apartment will be 80 by 40 approximately. In addition to these this lower section will have billiard, and grill rooms and Turkish baths.

As stated above, the heighth of the hotel will be seven stories, and it will be of stone, with slate and copper roof. Its style will be French renaissance, and after the Chateau Frontenac, the company's tourist hotel in Quebec, which is one of the most admired hostelries on the continent. Its interior finish will be a special feature. Each roof will have a distinctive character in its fittings, this important department being under the general supervision of Mrs. Hayter Reed, wife of the manager of the Chateau Frontenac, who not long ago undertook the interior redecoration of this magnificent building with marked success. The finest woods will be used in the finish, the intention of the company being to spare no expense to effect perfect harmony and taste in the interior arrangement.

The C. P. R. hotels are noted for their efficient service just as much as for their imposing appearance, and it is intended that the new caravansary to grace the James Bay area will be a conspicuous advertisement of this feature for the company's hotel system. To ensure this, special attention has been given to the arrangement of the kitchen department and other branches essential to a service equal to the standard established in their various chateaux and chalets. Although the building will occupy a considerable part of the area to be granted the company by the city, it will leave a spacious expanse which will be laid out by experienced gardeners in a manner harmonizing with the beauty of the edifice that will grace it. On the sheltered side—facing Douglas street—there will be tennis courts, bowling alleys and other places for recreation, while the grounds generally will be ornamented with parterres and shrubbery.

It should be borne in mind that the structure to be erected as soon as the essential preliminaries are completed is to be so constructed that when the trade justifies, another large wing can be added to it. The building which Mr. Rattenbury is planning will cost approximately $350,000, exclusive of the foundations, which will mount up considerably, and the special interior fittings. In fact the architect told the Times representative Tuesday that cost would be somewhere in the neighborhood of $500,000, possibly more. The additional wing, for which provision is to be made, would cost half as much again, so that when the tourist trade necessitates an increase in the size of the hotel the cost will total at least $750,000.

At first blush this easy reeling off of estimates running into the hundreds of thousands may appear reckless, but reference to the Chateau Frontenac will furnish the required proof. The Chateau, which in the first place was supposed to cost $300,000 or thereabouts, has totalled between two and three times that amount to date, and to-day the Times was informed by Mr. Rattenbury that so great has been the trade there that the company intends doubling its accommodation. It has worked marvels in the development of tourist travel through the historic Eastern city, and as a result a hotel syndicate is contemplating the erection of a magnificent hostelry of not less than one thousand rooms there in the near future.

Mr. Rattenbury also said that Sir Thomas Shaughnessy was determined to fulfill to the letter every pledge he made to the people of Victoria, and he would see to it that in appearance, size, convenience and service the hotel to be erected here will be a credit to the place and to the company building it.

A SUMMER HOME.

Project Which May Be Carried Out Although at Present Turned Down.

Last week H. Brackman, of the Brackman-Ker Milling Co., offered the Y. M. C. A. the use of his hotel with the surrounding grounds at Sidney for a term of two years, at the end of which time the agreement was that the association pay Mr. Brackman the sum of $1,000. It was the intention of the association, had the deal been completed, to have converted the hotel into a summer home for its members, and there is no doubt that it would have added greatly to the popularity of the Y. M. C. A. during the summer months.

Although the project was not carried through on this occasion, owing to the caution of the directors who think that the proposal is too ambitious under the circumstances, there is every reason to believe that, when the association becomes stronger financially the scheme will again be considered.

"Nobody's Business," a weekly paper issued by the officials of the Y. M. C. A. to the members, contains the following account of the consideration and rejection of the proposal by the directors:

"What came near being a reality in the shape of a summer home for the young men of the association was turned down by the directors. The president and secretary succeeded in winning a practical friend for the association. This friend was Mr. Brackman, who offered the association the beautiful resort comprising three or four acres situate in one of the most charming spots in British Columbia two miles from Sidney, the association to pay a very nominal sum, about a quarter its value, at the end of two years without interest. The board is an exceedingly careful body of men, and probably did the right thing in refusing the gift, remembering past experiences of the association. Those of the board, however, who went to see the place and figured out the expense of equipment, means of raising money, and estimated the running expenses, were confident of the ultimate success of the enterprise. It would undoubtedly have meant a great boom to the association for a great number of young men would have joined for the extra privileges offered by this magnificent resort, which includes fishing, boating, lawn tennis and nearly all summer sports. Then again it would mean that the association through its summer home would reach a large number of influential people otherwise impossible. But it is only the fool who lingers and laments over the shadowy land of 'what might have been.'"

TYPHOON ON CHINA COAST.

Thousands of Lives Reported to Have Been Lost—Many Vessels Wrecked.

Advices were received from South China by the Athenian of the loss of many lives as a result of the destruction of several hundred fishing junks in a typhoon off Swatow.

The havoc was awful when the gale swept down on the Chinese vessels. Masts were broken, rudders carried away, sails ripped and general destruction was rife. For days numbers of disabled junks drifted helplessly about, their occupants suffering greatly from extreme thirts and hunger. The Hongkong government tender Stanley rescued a number and picked up eight juntas, taking 122 men off vessels that were abandoned.

The Stanley then returned to the rescue, for the saved fishermen reported that there were 400 junks fishing off Swatow when the typhoon came on November 8th. From the Stanley 57 disabled junks were seen flying distress signals. Several junks were towed to Hongkong and then a third relief cruise was made.

Meanwhile three torpedo boat destroyers, the naval water boat Cherub and a Chinese cruiser were sent out and rescued many. Several hundred men were taken from wrecked craft suffering greatly, some having been without food or water from two to five days. Of the 400 fishing junks, at least 300 are reported disabled or sunk, and thousands of lives were lost.

RECORDER FROM BENNETT.

Stages Will Have All Passengers They Can Carry For Next Two Months.

William Dalby, mining recorder at Bennett during the past year, was one of the arrivals from the north on the steamer Amur on Sunday. When Mr. Dalby left the north the thermometer registered 20 below zero. There was considerable snow on the ground, but as there was no wind the weather was very cold. Bennett lake was frozen over for about six miles from the coast end, and Linderman was completely covered with ice. Stages were running regularly, and were exceedingly busy. They had sufficient passengers booked ahead to keep them filled on every trip for the next two months.

Mr. Dalby met a number of the miners who have been in at Bullion creek, and none but the best reports concerning that district were received. Coming under his own attention the most important property recorded during the season were a number of quartz claims situated in the mountains about six miles from Bennett. The ore found is gold, silver and copper, and some of it runs up as high as sixty per cent. in value. The mountain range extends to either side of the lake, and there is every indication of a good camp being there opened up.

Rev. Levi Wilcox, pastor of the Free Methodist church, Lindley, N.Y., was found dead in his barn on Monday night, where he had been at work. When Adam Lonman, a friend of the pastor, attempted to raise the body he, too, fell dead. Heart disease was the cause of both deaths.

AN "ECHO" MEETING.

Delegates to Convention of Sunday School Association Reported Tuesday Evening.

There was a large attendance Tuesday evening at the Congregational church, the occasion being an "echo" meeting to the convention of the Internation Sunday school, held last week at Vancouver. Most of the local pastors and all active Sunday school workers were present. The chair was occupied by Noah Shakespeare. He explained briefly the object of the meeting, which was to receive the reports of the local delegates to the convention.

A. Huggett reported upon a paper read before the convention on "Personal Work," by Rev. J. M. McLeod. In his remarks he explained that the general intention of the paper was to emphasize the importance of Sunday school teachers coming in contact with the schools individually as much as possible. Many arguments were advanced proving that personal work had considerable more effect than class instruction.

"The Front Line Sunday School" was the next paper discussed. This was read at Vancouver by A. Huggett, and was commented upon at last night's meeting by Mrs. Geo. Carter. In her opinion the paper dealt with all the phases of an up-to-date Sunday school in a very masterly style. It outlined the benefits to be derived from the establishment of a cradle roll and home department in connection with the school and the influence of a rally day, and of normal work among the teachers.

An interesting report was submitted by Mr. Patton on a paper submitted by S. M. Okell, dealing with "The Sunday School Teacher Who Succeeds." In this was shown the necessity for the teacher to set the scholars a good example by being punctual and regular in attendance, as well as a thorough student of the Bible.

"Impressions of the Second Day's Proceedings of the Convention" formed the subject of an interesting discourse by Mrs. Reynolds, of the James Bay Methodist church. She dwelt upon the general success of the convention and the exceptional interest evinced by the delegates in the discussion upon the different papers read.

Miss Macken's paper on "Primary Work" was commented upon by Mrs. Losee. She said in this paper the author pointed out in strong terms the necessity for the primary classroom presenting an attractive appearance. Sacred pictures should adorn the walls, and the lesson should be illustrated as much as possible.

George Carter gave an address along the same line as that of Mrs. Reynolds. He told of his impressions of the convention. In his many years of Sunday school work he had never attended one more successful from every standpoint.

Before adjournment refreshments were served.

It is the intention to organize a branch of the International Sunday School Association at New Westminster immediately.

REGISTRATION OPENS

To Enable Householders to Qualify For the Municipal Voters' List.

(From Tuesday's Daily).

This is the first day for the annual registration of householders to enable them to qualify for the municipal voters' list. The necessary declarations are taken at the assessor's office, city hall, but as the public were not generally aware that the time opened to-day only a few were registered this morning. The period will extend to the end of the month. It is to be hoped that the householders this year will depart from the inconvenient custom of waiting until the last week to register, and take the declarations as early as possible.

The municipal nominations will be held on Monday, January 11th, and the elections on the following Thursday. There promises to be a large field of candidates, a number having already made up their minds to offer themselves for municipal honors. Two aspirants to the mayoralty have unfurled their colors, so that a contest for the principal seat in the civic government is assured. One candidate for alderman has announced himself publicly, that is through the press, but it is expected that most of the present aldermen will be on the list again.

There will be a couple of vacancies in South Ward, Ald. Barnard's candidature for the mayoralty creating one, and Ald. Cameron's election to the provincial legislature, it is understood, causing the other. Should Ald. Vincent again run he will be the only one of the present representation of this ward seeking the suffrages of the electorate. One of the others, Ald. Kinsman, informed a Times representative the other day that he would put on his armor for another aldermanic assault-at-arms.

FAREWELL ENTERTAINMENT

Given Monday Evening by Mr. and Mrs. Rawel at Y.M.C.A. Before Large Audience.

The series of entertainments which have been given during the past week by Mr. and Mrs. Wherahiko Rawel in the Y.M.C.A. auditorium closed Monday night with a grand farewell. The recital was one of the best given, and the large audience was delighted. Rawel and his wife both took part in the programme and were given a warm greeting. They had selected their best views for the occasion and about 150 were shown.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawel have certainly won an enviable reputation as entertainers, which has been shown by the degree of popularity which their entertainments have attained. Two thousand people have attended these recitals, and probably never before in Victoria has the satisfaction with an entertainment been so universal.

The charge for admission was made nominal so that no one could feel that it was too much, and there was nothing in the programmes but which was apparently selected with the utmost care. The Y.M.C.A. has the reputation of giving only the best entertainments, and in this instance that reputation has been sustained.

The next attraction will probably be a ladies' quartette, for which the association is negotiating.

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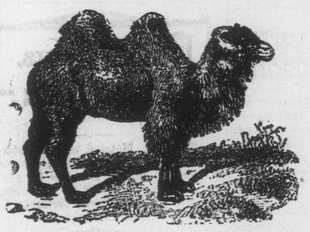
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NOTICE.

Take notice that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following land, situate at Port Fleming, Coast district, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a post marked H. P. O'Farrell's N.W. corner, thence east 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains along the east boundary of lot 213, range 4, Coast district, and containing 160 acres more or less.

H. P. O'FARRELL.

November 19th, 1903.

Miss A. Henninger, of Macon, Mo., has been found dead by the roadside. F. Strubbe, whom she refused to marry, is suspected of having murdered her.

A New York dispatch says Hans Parsons, Wm. Lasker and a man whose name has not been learned and one man was badly hurt by a collision between the tugs Iulewild and Hercules off Ellis island.

London is said to possess at present no less than 313 parks and open spaces, while in 1884 their number was only 102.

DR. VON STAN'S PINEAPPLE TABLETS.—Medical science by accident discovered the potency of the pineapple as a panacea for stomach troubles. The immense percentage of vegetable pepsin contained in the fruit makes it an almost indispensable remedy in cases of dyspepsia and indigestion. One tablet after each meal will cure most chronic cases. 60 in a box, 35 cents. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—32.

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CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS.

NOTICE.

General French, Little Bobs, Baden Powell, General White, Sirdar Mineral Claims, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Renfrew District.

Where located, Bugaboo Creek, Port San Juan.

Take notice that I, H. E. Newton, F. M. C. No. B79407, and as agent for R. T. Godman, F. M. C. No. B79406, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a certificate of improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 37, must be commenced before the issuance of such certificate of improvements.

Dated this twelfth day of November, A. D., 1903.

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Condition of Injured—M With Sending Letter T to Murder Minis

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—It is fe Miss Rose Davis, an elderl ployed for many years as Ottawa University, perish which destroyed the buildin A search is being made am for the body. She was las fourth flat during the pr fire. Father Fullam, one o priests, is now paralyzed fr down and ruptured as a jump for life. Father Boy his head, and his neck strained. Father McGurty slightly burned about the feared will lose his eyesigh

Legislature Open

Halifax, Dec. 4.—The le opened by Lieut.-Governor day. The speech referred the proposed legislation with the iron, steel and coal the province.

Committed For T

Peterboro, Ont., Dec. 4.— ford, of Parry Sound, nas ted for trial on the charge letter to Mrs. W. T. Lorin ing to murder her husban minister at Sawyerville, Qu

Caught in State

Fort Francis, Ont., Dec Bates, a tramp lumber-jack, rest charged with having murder James Short, merc whom he struck on the head and then robbed him of a poc other articles, and made off States: He was caught just across the boundary brought back here. Bates a tailor, and was given work

ICE YACHT REG

International Races Will Ta Gull Lake Next Mo

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 4 amazoo Ice Yacht Club has hold an international ice ya on Gull lake, January 19th Besides the race for the stud tional trophy for boats ca than 850 square feet of sail be another international rac not carrying over 430 square for the Hearst trophy. Ent Stuart trophy are already Boats from Hudson river, N Canada, Michigan and Wis sail in the 850-foot class.

TOO REALISTIC

Travelling Showman Stabbed Farce, and His Wound Result Fatally.

Gervais, Ore., Dec. 3.—Rob son, of Minneapolis, a trave man, was stabbed in the bre opera house last night, and i carious condition. During the ment a farce is played in woman in the case stabs th character. To make it realist wears a board under his clo this instance the heroine struc and the knife pierced the left l missing the heart.

OTTAWA NOTES

Provisional Regulations Conce man Surtax Have Been firmed.

Ottawa, Dec. 4.—Zachariah years of age, at one time co customs in this city, and a Ottawa, being in business in died suddenly to-day of paraly An order-in-council has be confirming the provisional regul cerning the German surtax, a a new clause thereto, defining visions of the surtax regardi partly manufactured in Germ sent to other countries to be fi

ELEVEN MINERS KIL

Rope Attached to Cage Broke Fell to Bottom of Sha

Liege, Belgium, Dec. 4.—El miners were killed to-day at th Laquasse mine at Montegnee, the breaking of the rope, by cage was being hauled up, the precipitated to the bottom of t their bodies horribly mangled.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

Hamilton, O., Dec. 3.—In a h lision between two trolley cars h Dr. Clarence W. Lehman, a pass crushed to death, and Motorm was fatally hurt.