

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Issued by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 2-5 a.m.—The barometer is slowly rising over this province, and the weather is likely to continue for several days. The weather is now fine from Northern British Columbia to California and across the prairie provinces to the Great Lakes.

Forecasts.

For 25 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday. Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate breeze and warm to-day, Friday and Saturday. Lower Mainland—Light variable winds, fine and warm to-day, Friday and Saturday.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 65; minimum, 49; wind, calm; weather, clear, smoke. New Westminster—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 65; minimum, 46; wind, calm; weather, clear, smoke. Kamloops—Barometer, 29.91; temperature, 60; minimum, 60; wind, calm; weather, clear.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, 1st to 7th August, 1906. During this week the weather conditions throughout Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland have remained practically the same as during the previous week; that is to say the barometer has been high along the Coast while between the ranges the head air has caused an almost permanent trough of low barometric pressure. These conditions have caused westerly and westerly winds and the weather west of the Cascades. There has been very little fog in this vicinity, while on the Coast it has been reported upon several days. During the night of Thursday, 2nd, sufficient frost occurred about Nanaimo to affect some delicate forms of vegetation. The weather on the Coast is reported to be causing some damage in the interior and on the Lower Mainland. The rainfall in Cariboo occurred upon the first two days, while along the northern coast of this province moderate rain is reported and during a greater portion of the week. In the Okanogan district the weather has been fair and cool, while at Dawson rain was reported upon four days. Showers or thundershowers are reported during the first three days of the week, the remainder of the week was fine and warm.

Victoria—Total sunshine recorded was 10 hours and 31 minutes; no rain; highest temperature, 70.0 on 6th; lowest, 42.2 on 5th. Vancouver—No rain; highest temperature, 70 on 6th; lowest, 45 on 2nd. New Westminster—No rain; highest temperature, 70 on 2nd, 3rd and 6th; lowest, 46 on 1st. Kamloops—Highest temperature, 94 on 6th; lowest, 50 on 2nd and 6th. Barkerville—Rain, 24 inches; highest temperature, 78 on 8th; lowest, 32 on 2nd. Athol—No rain; highest temperature, 68 on 1st; lowest, 34 on 2nd. Dawson—Rain, 3.38 inches; highest temperature, 72 on 6th; lowest, 40 on 2nd.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Queen from San Francisco to A. Harris & Co., Chong Lung, Clark & Peterson, D. H. Ross, Co., P. R. Stewart & Co., Fletcher Bros., Fairall Bros., G. M. Munro & Co., Hudson's Bay Co., M. R. Smith & Co., P. & C. Baker & Son, Simon Leiser, The Melrose Co., Ltd., The Victoria Photo Engraving Co., Wing Chung Lung, Wilson Bros. Co., Yuen Lung.

DEATHS IN THE ALPS.

Unusually Large Number of Accidents Already Reported. Although the Alpine season has only just opened an unusually large number of accidents has already occurred. In the majority of cases inexperienced climbers—sarcastically termed "mountain scratchers" by the Swiss—have been the victims. Several English tourists have met with mishaps.

Fourteen accidents were reported during the two days. In these three persons were killed, six seriously injured, and the rest slightly injured. A movement has been started to assist persons ascending the ascent of difficult mountain peaks. The largest number of accidents happen to inexperienced climbers, who imagine they can dispense with the services of experts. The Swiss and Italian Alpine Clubs have decided to place the matter before their governments with a view to the total suppression of the "mountain scratchers."

A young Munich upholsterer, who formed one of the party of amateur mountaineers, was killed by a fall from the Pix Juller. His body was found at the bottom of a crevasse. The body of another young man, who appears to have lost his footing while picking flowers among the rocks, was found on the Schynigge Platte, near Intenken. His identity has not been discovered yet.

W. L. Weyman, of the Indian Army, narrowly escaped death. He was making the ascent of Mont Blanc, accompanied by the guides Balmat and Marquis, of Chemouix, when a strong wind sprang up and swept across the ledges.

The force of the gale was such that the members of the party were obliged sometimes to lie down flat on the ice, with their axes in the snow and hold on with all their strength. They were several times swept off their feet and carried almost to the edge of a crevasse. It was only by the greatest exertion that a fatality was avoided.

POPULAR MEETING PLACE FOR BUYERS AND SELLERS, FIRST, LAST AND ALL THE TIME OF THE YEAR. REAL ESTATE DIRECTORY.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn a good income at home in spare time corresponding for newspapers, no canvassing, experience unnecessary. Send for particulars, Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. WANTED—A stenographer, with some knowledge of bookkeeping preferred. Address giving reference, P. O. Drawer 620, Victoria.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. WANTED—A waitress, at Dominion Hotel.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. WANTED—To buy, cottage, with two or more lots, east or west preferred; cash payment, balance on instalments at 7 per cent. Rambler, this office.

TO LET.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. TO LET—A well furnished house for six months, upper Yates street. Apply Helsterman & Co.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED flat, two minutes from car line. Apply 49 Gorge road.

LARGE, COOL, AIRY ROOMS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. LARGE, COOL, AIRY ROOMS for housekeeping, in Douglas House, Elliott street, half a block from Parliament Buildings and one block from C. F. R. wharf.

TO RENT—SUITE OF OFFICES.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. TO RENT—SUITE OF OFFICES on first floor in Bank of Montreal building. Occupancy on May 1st. Apply Bank of Montreal.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—Team of work horses, wagon and harness. James Freeman, Shawnigan Lake.

FOR SALE—FRENCH POODLE PUPS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—FRENCH POODLE PUPS. Apply 12 Parquar street.

TWO IRISH SETTER PUPS FOR SALE.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. TWO IRISH SETTER PUPS FOR SALE—5 months old. 170 Yates street.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SHOOTING GAMES.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—CHEAP, SHOOTING GAMES, organ and guns, also shooting stoves, fur, furs, etc. At the Old Curiosity Shop, cor. Blanchard and Fort streets.

FOR SALE—ONE BLACK HORSE.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—ONE BLACK HORSE, five years old, light harness, very gentle. One bay horse, six years; one sorrel horse, six years; well broken also buggies, carts and wagons, and harness. Apply I. J. J. Fisher, Carriage Shop, 608 Yates street.

ENGINE FOR SALE—3000 RPM.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. ENGINE FOR SALE—3000 RPM. power. Can be seen in operation at the Times Building, 26 Broad street, running Times machinery.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, FLAGS FOR DECORATING.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—CHEAP, FLAGS FOR DECORATING, fire extinguishers, furniture and stoves. Old Curiosity Shop, cor. Fort and Blanchard streets.

FOR SALE—NAPHA LUNCH BLENCH.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—NAPHA LUNCH BLENCH, of the following dimensions: Length, 25 ft., beam, 4 ft., depth, 2 ft. 6 in., in first-class condition. For particulars apply E. B. Marvin & Co., 41 Wharf street, Victoria.

WHEN ANSWERING ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. WHEN ANSWERING advertisements under this heading please say that you saw this announcement in the Times.

LAND FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—140 ACRES AT BAMEFIELD.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—140 ACRES AT BAMEFIELD, close to cable station, water front, sheltered harbor. "Enterpris," Times Office.

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS RUNNING FROM RAE STREET TO CHURCHWAY.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—TWO LOTS RUNNING FROM RAE STREET TO CHURCHWAY, with the quick Perry Mills, city.

FOR SALE—5 ACRES, CLEARED, FENCED.

Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion. FOR SALE—5 ACRES, CLEARED, FENCED, new house, splendid soil, 3/4 miles out, a trap, \$1,000; 2 1/2 acres, fenced, splendid soil, good road, 2 1/2 miles out, good poultry and fruit soil, spring water, \$1,100; 11 acres, cleared, fenced, splendid soil, spring water, 2 1/2 miles out, good roads, 4 1/2 miles out, 2000 ft. of water, 12 miles out, \$1,200; also lots of other farms, houses and lots, etc. Apply P. O. Box 394, or 35 Wharf street, between 9 and 12.

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IF YOU NEED HELP ... IN A HURRY ... Telephone the Times, and your advertisement will be inserted at once and the chances are ten to one that you will get the very thing or person you need. It makes no difference whether you want a clerk or a hostler, a stenographer or a cook. They all look to the Times to tell them of the best opportunities in town.

MAKE YOUR WANTS ... KNOWN IN THE TIMES ... LADIES' TAILORS. JACK LEE, ladies' tailor, manufacturer of hats, coats, suits and waists made to order and repaired. 30 Blanchard street.

THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. IN PROBATE. In the Matter of the Estate of William Chisholm, late of Duncan, B. C., Deceased.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Victoria. L. O. L. 1225, meets in A. O. U. W. Hall, Yates street, first and third Mondays in each month. Alexander Duncan, Master; D. G. McNaughton, Secretary.

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SWINERTON & ODDY.

102 GOVERNMENT STREET.

NOW IS THE TIME TO PURCHASE an acre of cleared and cultivated land, near terminus of tram line extension.

\$1,500 WILL PURCHASE 1 lot and 4 dwellings; total rental, \$30; a good opportunity for small investment; assessed for \$1,750.

9 ROOMED HOUSE, attic and basement, in good repair, hot water and electric light, stable, tennis court, 1 acre of land on car line, good location, only \$5,500.

2 1/2 ACRES, choice garden land, sloping to the south, within 3 miles of town, good investment, \$300 per acre.

5 1/2 ACRES, partly cleared land, on pipe line, close to town, \$1,500.

FOR SALE—2,000, hotel, stable and outbuildings, two lots, and business. It is well situated as a dining resort, in close proximity to the Cowichan and Kootenai rivers. A good opportunity for suitable parties. At this price it is a bargain.

FURNISHED HOUSE, on Yates street, in good location, 8 rooms, \$45 per month.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE.

On improved real estate security, at current rate of interest, in close proximity to the Cowichan and Kootenai rivers. A good opportunity for suitable parties. At this price it is a bargain.

INSURE in the Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn.

PEMBERTON & SON.

45 FORT STREET.

FOR SALE.

FORT STREET—Very nice 6 roomed cottage, with good grounds and full sized lot, very close to town, \$3,500.

NIAGARA STREET—New bungalow, on car line, near Beacon Hill park, \$3,700; terms.

BEACON STREET—Good two story house and two lots, well fitted and very desirable, \$3,750.

SIMCOE STREET—Large ten roomed house and lot 6x250, usual conveniences, easy terms, \$3,500.

NIAGARA STREET—Five roomed cottage, hot and cold water, etc., lot 50x125, \$1,800.

SEVERAL GOOD HOUSES TO LET—See our list.

THE DOMINION REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

67 GOVERNMENT STREET.

FINE NEW HOUSE OF 6 apartments, with modern conveniences, on concrete foundation, large corner lot, close in, \$4,000.

SUPERIOR HOUSE OF 11 apartments, with pantry, attic, cellar, bathroom, etc. stone foundation, full sized corner lot, retired situation, but convenient to car line, in perfect condition, beautiful garden, altogether a particularly desirable residence, \$3,250.

ON CALEDONIA AVENUE—Well built house of 7 apartments, with stone foundation, on 40x140 lot, \$2,750.

CORNER LOT—Oak Bay Ave., 400.

INNER LOT—In same locality, \$300.

LOT—Corner Randall and Niagara streets, 400.

ACREAGE—A few miles out, in 4-acre lots, with good roads, 100 per acre of ideal residential sites, \$100 per acre.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Provinces, excepting 8 and 20, not reserved or may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry may be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land to be taken is situated.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES. A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required to perform the conditions specified hereunder under one of the following plans:

(1) The father or mother, if the father is deceased or any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of this Act, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead.

(2) The father or mother, if the father is deceased or any person who is eligible to make a homestead entry under the provisions of this Act, resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining a certificate are satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

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APPLICATION FOR PATENT should be made at the end of three years, before the Local Agent, Sub-Agent or the Homestead Inspector.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

Coal—Coal lands may be purchased at \$10 per acre for soft coal and \$20 for anthracite. Not more than 250 acres can be acquired by one individual.

Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim, is \$5.

At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof.

When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at \$1 an acre.

The patent provided for the payment of a royalty of 2 1/2 per cent on the sales of placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square; entry fee \$5, renewable yearly.

A free miner may obtain two leases to prospect for gold or five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable at the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles of river.

per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent, collected.

NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria having determined that it is desirable to construct and lay permanent sidewalks of concrete on the following streets, namely:

1. Gorge road, south side, from Government street to Davy street.

2. Caledonia avenue, south side, from Douglas street to Blanchard avenue.

3. Fisgard street, both sides, from Douglas street to Blanchard avenue.

4. Cornmuter street, north side, from Blanchard avenue to Quadra street.

5. Fort street, north side, from Stanley avenue to Douglas street.

6. Elliott street, north side, from Government street to South Turner street.

7. South Turner street, both sides, from Simcoe street to Dallas road, including boulevards.

8. Clarence street, west side, from Simcoe street to Niagara street, including boulevard.

9. Ribbit street, north side, from Mezzies street to South Turner street.

10. Michigan street, south side, from Government street to Mezzies street.

11. Ower street, east side, from Quebec street to Belleville street.

12. St. John street, east side, from Kingston street to Quebec street.

And that each and every of said works shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the Local Improvement Act, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-Law and the City Engineer and City Assessor, having reported to the Council, in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the said By-Law, the various portions of real property benefited thereby, and their reports having been adopted by the Council, it is hereby given that the reports in question are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall, Douglas street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, City Clerk's Office, C. M. C. Street, Victoria, B. C., July 15th, 1906.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA. COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

We, Robert Ledingham and Elbridge J. Christie, formerly members of the firm carrying on business as blacksmiths in the City of Victoria, under the style of Ledingham & Christie, do hereby certify that the said partnership was, on the 31st day of July, 1906, dissolved, Mr. Robert Ledingham having taken over the business.

Witness our hand at Victoria on the 31st July, 1906.

(Signed) ROBERT J. LEDINGHAM, ELBRIDGE J. CHRISTIE.

Witness: Jas. M. Mellis, as to the signature of Robert Ledingham and Elbridge J. Christie.

HE'S A WISE ONE who, when he wants to have referred to the want columns of the Times, they are the index of the current demand and supply of good help.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

ART STUDIO.

MISS MILLS, Art Mistress, P. C. A. London. Lessons in drawing, painting and design. Studio, 1000 Douglas street, Commercial Bank of Commerce, Government street.

BUILDER & GENERAL CONTRACTOR.

THOMAS CATERALL—16 Broad street, Building, 1000 Douglas street, wharf work and general jobbing. Tel. 82.

BABY CARRIAGE TIRES.

BABY CARRIAGE TIRES—Harris & Co., 1000 Douglas street, have the best appliance for re-tiring baby carriage wheels.

BOOT AND SHOE REPAIRING.

NO MATTER where you bought your shoes, bring them here to be repaired. Hibbs, 3 Oriental Ave., opposite old Grand Theatre.

BUILDER & GENERAL CONTRACTOR.

M'CARTER & DRYSDALE, builders and contractors. Houses built on instalment plan. 61 First street. Phone A102.

CHAS. A. MCGREGOR, 95 Yates street.

Preparing trade specialties, twenty years' experience. Orders promptly filled.

PICTURE POST CARDS.

VIEWS of Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Ottawa and Winnipeg, all colored, 25c. Printed and drawn by W. Fawcett, dispensing chemist, cor. Douglas street and King's road. Phone 620.

CHIMNEY SWEEPING.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED—Defective flues fixed, etc. Wm. Neal, 22 Quadra street. Phone 103.

CHIMNEY CLEANING, house cleaning of any kind, roofs cleaned and painted.

Call or drop a card to A. Lloyd, 45 Pandora street, near Fort.

CHINESE GOODS.

CANTON BAZAAR, 106 Government St. Just arrived from China, exquisite embroidered and drawwork table covers and dories; also linen and silk embroidered goods. Chinese fire crackers, etc.

A BUSINESS CAN GO WITH ADVERTISING—50 can a wagon without greasing; but in both instances it goes bare.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

COFFEE AND SPICES.

VICTORIA COFFEE AND SPICE MILLS—Office and mills, 148 Government St. A. J. Morley, proprietor.

DENTISTS.

DR. LEWIS HALL, Dental Surgeon, 1000 Douglas street, between Douglas and Yates streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone Office, 507; Residence, 121.

DYEING AND CLEANING.

VICTORIA DYE WORKS, 116 Yates street. Dyeing and cleaning; modern plant; satisfaction guaranteed. Tel. 71.

B. C. STEAM DYEWORKS—Largest dyeing and cleaning establishment in the province. Country orders solicited. Phone 200. Hearns & Renfrew.

ENGRAVING.

GEORGE CROWTHER, engraver and steel cutter, 12 Wharf street, opposite Post Office.

BOARDS OF TRADE, Tourist Associations, etc., should consult us when preparing guide books, advertising literature, and all kinds of illustrated folders. We group photos artistically and guarantee best results. B. C. Photo-Engraving Co., 26 Broad street.

EDUCATIONAL.

IF YOU WANT thorough instruction in shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, take a course at the Shorthand School, 15 Broad street, Victoria, B. C. E. A. Macmillan, principal.

FANCY GOODS.

BEST JAPANESE PORCELAIN and fancy goods at Kawai Bros. Co., 6 Douglas street.

FLOWERS.

PRETTY POND LILIES—White, pink, yellow, beautiful for table decoration, 15c. each; strings of 25, 50c. each; long, 50c. each. Flewin's Flower Store, opposite Post Office.

HARDY PLANTS.

LATE CABBAGE PLANTS, 25c. per 100, \$2 per 1,000; cauliflower plants, 50c. per 100, \$5 per 1,000; greenhouses and bedding plants, at reasonable prices. Catalogue will find us. G. A. Knight, Mount Tolmie P. O.

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