### MUCH LATER THAN LAST BIG RUN

J. P. Babcock Returns From Preliminary Visit to Fraser Upper Waters

J. P. Babcock, deputy commissioner terday from a tour of inspection of the Seton lake hatchery and the upper waters of the Fraser. Mr. Babcock tates that this year there are fewer almon in the Indian smokehouses long the Fraser river canyons than there were last year at the same period. The early run of last year was not duplicated. As a result it is too to judge of the manner in spawning beds will be seeded. On the last year of the big run, 1905, there were several thou-sand fish in the weirs at Seton lake by this time, but today there is not a

### ISSUING BULLETINS

Provincial Bureau of Information Finds Work In-

At the present time a new bulletin aling with northern British Columbureau of information ile additional copies of bulletin. No the one on agriculture, revised and cought up to date are being run off. new edition of the Handbook of itish Columbia is being printed also he work of sending out literature answering letters containing enquiries about the resources of the province, etc., has increased greatly. Some of the latter contain some very amusing

he Fiji islands wrote asking for the terms upon which he could purchase a lake. He also asked if he would be permitted to fence it off, and the dimensions, length, breadth and depth. When he learned that this was impossible to obtain he has writ-ten demanding the cost of an island n Barkley Sound.

A lady living in England sent out neets of foolscap, filled with written questions. These were decidedly vague. "How much does it cost to irrigate," without any reference to the amount of land, etc., was one question. "How much does a house cost." "Should it be built of seasoned timber." "How much does seasoned timber." "How much does a cost." seasoned timber cost," and various other queries were amongst the num oer, without respect to location, place, sind or sizes desired.

But all the letters are answered.

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	Flour.	***
	Royal Household, a bag	.00
	Lake of the Woods, a bag	.00
	Wild Rose, a bag	.00
1	Calgary, a bag	.00
1	Snowflake, a bag 1	.85
1	Lighted Show, per sack 1	.80
1	Three Star, per sack	.00
1	POODSTUIIS.	Sec.
1	Bran, per 100 lbs.	.70
	Shorts, per 100 lbs	.80
ã	Oats, per 100 lbs.	.90
	Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs	.60
S	Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs 2	.20
	Crushed Barley per 100 lbs.	.90
	Chop reed, per 100 lbs.	.50
	Whole Corn, per 100 lbs	.00
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	Eggs— Fresh Island, per dozen, Eastern Eggs, per dozen	
	Eastern Eggs per dozen	.40
	Cheese-	.00
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	Cream local each	.10
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Ì	Alberta, per Ib.	.35
	Victoria Creamery per lb	.80
S	Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	.45
	Comox Creamery, per lb	.45
	Chilliwack Creamery, per lb	.40
	Riberta, per lb.  Best Dairy	.45
	Vegetables.	
	Tomatoes, per lb	.10
	Beans, Wax, per lb	.08
,	Carrots per 1b.	.03
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1	Mint, per bunch	.05
	Cucumpers 10 to	.20
	Radishes, per bunch	.95
	Potatoes, per sack	1.50
	Cauliflower, each	20
	Cabbags, new, per lb	.04
	Lettuce, a head	.00
	Onions, 8 lbs, for	.25
	Sweet Fotatoes, 3 lbs	.25
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Halibut, fresh, per 1b. 08 to 10
Halibut, smoked, per 1b. 05 to .10
Halibut, smoked, per 1b. 05 to .08
Smoked Herring 12½
Crabs, 2 for 25
Black Bass, per 1b. 06 to .08
Oolichans, salt, per 1b. 12½
Flounders, fresh, per 1b. 12½
Flounders, fresh, per 1b. 05 to .08
Salmon, fresh, white, per 1b. 08 to .10
Salmon, fresh, red, per 1b. 10 to .12
Salmon, smoked, per 1b. 25
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### STATE CLOSES CASE

Friday, August 6, 1909

THOUSANDS WIL

BE ATTRACTED

BY FAIR

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 5.—The State rested in the Thaw case yesterday and from now on it devolves upon Harry Thaw and his attorney, Charles Morchauser, to offset the testimony of the State's alienists who have sworn, without exception, under cross-examination of District Attorney Jerome that Thaw is still insane and would be a menace to the community if released from the asylum at Matteawan. Dr. Carlos P. Macdonald was the last allenist called by the State. He was followed by John F. Gleason. Thaw's original legal adviser, after the shooting of Stanford White. He eame to Thaw's aid and cleared up a few old mysteries, sweeping away gome of Thaw's apparent vagaries in which Mr. Jerome has dwelt so persistently. Mr. Gleason's most advantageous statement, from the prisoner's standpoint, concerned the dropping of the law firm of Black, Gruber, Olcott and Boynynge and of L. L. Delafield and of the engagement of Delphin M. Delmas as chief counsel for Thaw.

Through Mr. Gleason, Thaw's law-yer hopes to show Thaw's attitude to-wards Stanford White were not from delusions but was prompted by which stand above all the others by virtue of their importance. This is the second year since the destruction of the first time since, the new ones, of modern type affording ample space for modern ty

development of the Canadian northwest of detectives regarding a alleged attagriculturally and industrially are completely ready for use while the surrounding fifty or sixty acres of ground, on which is an up-todate half mile horse race track, also is in shape for all forms of entertainment. Besides the marked advance of British Columbia in truit growing, in stock raising, and in other branches of farming is expected to be strikingly illustrated by the exhibition displays. Hence the unusual hibition displays. Hence the unusual hibition displays. Hence the unusual wan.

tect's friends entered into a conspirato be strikingly illustrated by the exhibition displays. Hence the unusual attraction the fair is proving to western canadians.

With over five hundred extra stalls for the accommodation of stock the secretary is doubtful whether he will have enough space for the entries. It is a month and more before the gates will be thrown open to allow the people congregated from all points of the Pacific northwest to surge into the walled area and yet already hundreds of stock owners, of tillers of the soil, and of manufacturing establishments from one end of Canada to the other, have announced their intention to be present during fair time with herds of pure bred cattle, choice collections of all varieties of fruit of dairy produce et al, and of agricultural and other machinery. So great is the demand on space that the secretary is beginning to wonder whether

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TOLD IN FEW

The body of a white man, unidentified and badly decomposed, has been found at Shady's Camp, on the Naas. The Dominion geological survey party is engaged in mapping the lay of the formation up the south fork of Kettle river.

The Internatinal Fisheries Commis sioners spent two days on the Naas last week but had nothing to say as to their mission.

Miss Beatrice Seeley, who has many friends in Interior British Columbia, was married in Los Angeles last week to Mr. R. L. Turner, of that city. While a party of thirteen men were in route from Graham City to Prince Rupert on the Josephie, one of them, Iohn Anderson fell overboard and was

A coroner's inquest into the drowning of Angelo Christopher, from Luluisland bridge, have returned a verdict of accidental death, no blame attaching to anyone.

Provincial Architect Criddle was in Kasio a few days ago inspecting the site for the new government buildings there as a preliminary to the preparation of plans.

The New Westminster police have a grey coat, a set of false teeth, and an assortment of papers belonging to Mr. Mr. Thomas Kirk, but cannot locate Mr. Kirk to give him his property.

Joseph Mullet has resigned his posi-tion as Nanaimo waterworks manager and streets foreman, declaring that it would be impossible for him to work in harmony with the newly appointed Application has been made by Louis

Application has been made by Louis Crook, an electrical engineer of this city, for the right to divert fifteen cubic feet of water per second from Beaver Creek for the purpose of generating electric power for the benefit of Alberni.

The members of the International Fisheries Commission have returned to New Westminster. The experts can offer no explanation for the late arrival of the salmon this year and the breaks in the run.

The Clayoquot Development League has secured a fine lump of ore, weighing 220 pounds, from the Edith Development Company at Elk river. It is being forwarded to be placed on exhibition at the A.-Y.-P. Exposition.

Edward Hawkins, who had been convicted of theft and seemed in for a long term of imprisonment, has been saved from this just fate by the discovery that he has tuberculosis, in consequence of which he has been ordered deported to England.

The Kaslo volunteer fire department has formally adopted a resolution "That this department considers the action of the Great Northern and Canadian Pacific railway companies combining to raise the price of their boats for an annual picnic in no other light than a 'hold-up' which compels us to abandon our long-established custom of holding the popular annual event." The Kaslo volunteer fire

Commenting upon the fact that the Black Hand contrives to flourish in the Kootenays, despite the severity of sentences received in the past by members of this gang, the Fernie District Leader says: "Perhaps the judicious use of a fine strong piece of rope properly attached to the arm of a telegraph or electric light pole and affixed to the neck of one of these rascals might have the desired effect."

Opening Mining Country The trail from Copper City to Alermere, which was begun last fall, is dermere, which was begun last fall, is being pushed to completion. Work on the remaining twenty-six miles to the summit is to be begun immediately from the Copper river end and is costing \$10,000 apart from the bridges. Mr. E. D. Clark, Government inspector of roads, has sent a party of bridges. Mr. E. D. Clark, Government inspector of roads, has sent a party of men in for this work. The work from Aldermere is under Mr. Hillscroft and is also being completed so as to connect at the summit. A gang of men and lumber is also being taken up Portland Canal for the new Government wharf which is to be erected at Stewart.

The New Fernie Celebrates The banquet given on Monday night by the Fernie Board of Trade in celebration of the first year's growth of the greater Fernie since the fire, August 1, 1908, was a brilliant affair. So rapid has been the recovery of the city from its calamity that the board of trade, taking the lead, brought about arrangements for holding a banquet to celebrate the success attained under such trying conditions, attained under such trying conditions, attained under such trying conditions. The mayor, by proclamation, set aside August 2 as a public holiday, and all business was suspended and the day observed by the whole population as the first anniversary of Greater Fernie's existence. The Board of Trade sent invitations to all the neighboring cities and towns which so generously, extended open hands to Fernie a year ago, and a large number of the officials of these cities were present to the procedure of the first train. Fear restrains the parents.

Roads Made Good The banquet given on Monday night the Fernie Board of Trade in cele-

Roads Made Good Hon. Thomas Taylor, minister of public works, after carefully weighing the charms of Glacier, Banff; Field and the other show places along the C. P. R., comes to the conclusion that none are to be compared with Cameron Lake, where the C. P. R. intends to erect its Island hotel for tourists as seen as rellway connection is obtain and promptiess as the Meadows, Seather than the most against the season of the winds and promptiess as the Meadows, Seather than the most against the season of the winds and promptiess as the Meadows, Seather than the Meadows,

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# SAMPLE SHIPMENT FALL COATS

COOL EVENINGS suggest something warm for an outer wrap. We have opened up and have now in our showrooms a shipment of new Fall Coats, simple, comfortable and stylish. Broadcloth predominates, but our very full range includes the ever popular Covert, Box and Tweeds. Also black and colors. OUR PRICES as usual are moderate, and buyers have the satisfaction of knowing that their Fall Coat purchased from us NOW is what will be worn by ladies of fashion during the coming fall. There will be no advantage in style, material or price, gained by waiting until later. Buy your coat now and get the use of it in the evenings, and when the time arrives to use it for daily street wear, it will be as up-to-date as any line offering at that time.

The Ladies ANGUS CAMPBELL & CO.,

kidnapping of Grace and Timmasso Viviano, who were taken from their home Monday and are being held for \$25,000 ransom. With the arrest of the susransom. With the arrest of the suspects the police announced that they believed the children were put in trunks and shipped out of the city. Lamantia Giroloma, a driver for Fietro Fanaro, a grocer; Domino Luticco, another employee, and Fanaro himself are the suspects taken to nolice headquarters. Giro-

pected of the kidnapping of Grace and Tenmasso Viciani, confirm the police in the belief that the disappearance of the children and the demand of \$23,000 ransom for them was the result of a carefully laid plot which did not, however, contemplate harm to the children. The police believe that the trunks found in Chicago contain the property of Samuel Turnsi, who is believed to have lured the children from their home, and the other members of the blackmailing sans.

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