

MUCH LATER THAN LAST BIG RUN

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

J. P. Babcock, deputy commissioner of fisheries, returned to the city yesterday from a tour of inspection of the Seton lake hatchery and the upper waters of the Fraser.

ISSUING BULLETINS

Provincial Bureau of Information Finds Work Increasing

At the present time a new bulletin dealing with northern British Columbia, is in course of preparation by the provincial bureau of information.

Not long ago a gentleman living in the Fiji Islands wrote asking for the terms upon which he could purchase a lake.

A lady living in England sent out two sheets of foolscap filled with closely written notes and various decidedly vague "How much does it cost to irrigate?"

But all the letters are answered.

THE LOCAL MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various goods including Royal Household, Eggs, Butter, and Fruit.

THOUSANDS WILL BE ATTRACTED BY FRASER

Management of Victoria's Exhibition Makes Special Arrangement for the Entertainment of Americans

Throughout Vancouver Island, and in fact in every British Columbia agricultural district farmers are looking forward, all eyes, for the provincial exhibition of 1909.

There are several reasons why the forthcoming fair should be anticipated with interest but there are two which stand above all the others.

with over five hundred extra stalls for the accommodation of stock raisers.

At any rate it is certain that the best Canada produces in pure bred stock.

And there will be no lack of entertainment. The program already has been drafted.

Then there is the Horse Show. This year has earned a permanent place as an exhibition feature.

Special arrangements are being made to make welcome those visitors from the north side of the straits who may visit Victoria during the show.

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STATE CLOSES CASE

White Plains, N. Y., Aug. 5.—The State rested in the Thaw case yesterday and from now on it develops without exception, under cross-examination of the State's witnesses.

Dr. Carlos P. Macdonald was the last witness called by the State. He was followed by John P. Gleason, Thaw's original legal adviser.

Mr. Morschauer tried to prove the charge against White again by the charge against Thaw's testimony.

He intimates that he has some surprises in store for the remaining days of the trial.

It developed that he wanted Mr. Jerome to be declared insane.

Thaw's attorney was palpably preparing the way to prove his client's beliefs were well founded.

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Buffalo, Lockport & Rochester Road Goes Up Spout—Application Was Filed by a Toronto Firm

PROVINCIAL NEWS TOLD IN FEW WORDS

Kamloops complains that the public park question there is allowed to languish.

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-out of the Naas valley.

The International Fisheries Commission 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 British Columbia, was married in Los Angeles last week to Mr. R. L. Turner, of that city.

While a party of thirteen men were en route from Graham City to Prince Rupert on the Josephine, one of them, John Anderson fell overboard and was drowned.

A coroner's inquest into the drowning of Angelo Christopher, from Lalla, was held yesterday.

Provincial Architect Criddle was in Kootenai a few days ago inspecting the site for the new government building there as 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. Thomas Kirk, him his property.

Joseph Mullet has resigned his position as Nanaimo waterworks manager and streets foreman.

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 the creek for the purpose of generating electric power for the benefit of Alberni.

Bishop McDonald has just paid a first visit to the Christie Industrial School at Alberni.

The Government survey party under Mr. Brown reached the Claycoquet on Monday evening.

A find of exceptionally good marble has been made at Shelter Bay, west coast of Vancouver Island.

Prince Rupert is moving to secure first-class recreation grounds now that the opportunity is the best.

Prince Rupert's "Booster Club" is said to be living up to its name.

Among the letters signed with the name of the Premier found it impossible to attend.

When the Princess Ena was unloading coal at Cunningham wharf, the caps of the caps of the structure, with 25 tons of coal, dropping to the mudbanks beneath.

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The Claycoquet Development League has secured a fine lump of ore, weighing 220 pounds.

Edward Hawkins, who had been convicted of theft and sentenced in for a long term of imprisonment, has been saved from this just fate by the discovery that he has tuberculosis.

The Kaalo volunteer fire department has adopted a resolution that this department considers the action of the Great Northern and Columbia to raise the price of their boats for an annual party.

Commenting upon the fact that the Black Hand gang is flourishing in the city, the Police Commissioner says.

The trail from Copper City to Alberni, which was begun last fall, is being pushed to completion.

The banquet given on Monday night by the Fernie Board of Trade.

The New Fernie Celebrates

The minister of the Interior has been carefully weighing the charms of Glacier, Banff, Field and the other show places along the coast.

Roads Made Good

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Prince Rupert's Disappointment

Great disappointment is expressed by the Prince Rupert citizens generally that Hon. Dr. Pugsley was unable to visit Prince Rupert.

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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.



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GRAHAM AND OLIVER HOMEWARD BOUND

Sir Hugh and Hon. Frank Hitting Trail the 18th—Fisher Coming West.

Ottawa, Aug. 5.—Sir Hugh Graham and Hon. Frank Oliver are returning to Canada on August 13.

Constantinople, Aug. 5.—Greece repels to the Turkish note yesterday which practically demands the recall of the Greek officers serving in Crete.

Count Zeppelin Honored

Frankfurt-on-Main, Germany, Aug. 5.—A monument to Count Zeppelin was unveiled today at the spot where Count Zeppelin landed in his airship August 4, 1909.

THE TRIAL OF THREE TRUNKS

St. Louis Police Do Not Believe That Kidnaping of Mrs. Pugh is a Case of Harm.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 5.—Three additional arrests were made today in the