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ONE FORGERY DRIVEN HOME.

The administration of justice in Japan, a country which has but lately effect and increasing the revenue. If the younger generation which preceded taken a conspicuous place in the ranks of first-class world powers, seems to be more effective than it is in the section gently endeavoring to persuade them Times has conscientiously striven to of Canada known as British Columbia. that the way of economic salvation lies lift that reproach from its editorial Perhaps the official in Tokio whose through the labyrinths of protection. columns. duties synchronize with the duties of An investigation lately held in the the Attorney-General in Victoria has a higher conception of the responsibilities of his position than the Hon. W. J. Bowser, the "chief law officer of the heavily upon wage earners and agri- But the parents of the city have Crown" in British Columbia.

We have not observed in any of ou

erence to the suit successfully prose- understand what the term means. The heritance of double tramlines on all of cuted by a gentleman named W. T. R. Preston against the Japan understand thoroughly what the effect must frequently have occurred to ob-Herald. Mr. Preston, as readers of the of a fiscal revolution in Great Britain Times have been informed, has been would be. awarded five thousand dollars damages against the Tokio newspaper for publishing an article copied from the Victoria Colonist during the late Dominion election campaign. The article in be up to a certain point in the spring, as a consequence of carelessness or black, is huddled in a cell in the city action on their cases. She estimated tered in its determination, carried to 24th of May, Victoria's banner holiday confusion under such conditions. But der which resulted from a fight over a \$3,200, with perhaps deduction of, say, the point of criminality, to accomplish of the year. It did not fail Monday. the defeat of the Minister of Inland We have been having all over Canada, Revenue in the constituency of Vic- they have been having in all parts of charged with a solemn responsibility, toria. It was based upon an alleged the world, so far as we can learn, an which the deplorable event referred to Commercial Agent in Japan, to the exceptionally backward spring. The serves to accentuate. London National Review, Our readers weather has been cold, disagreeable will remember that the Times publish- and treacherous-just the kind of Ian Cameron was anything more than ed in full the article contributed to the | weather that finds out the weak spots | Review by Mr. Preston, and pointed in the human physique and teaches the cidents are of frequent occurrence upon Before the bartender could reach them to out the manner in which it had been necessity for discretion in one's out- the streets of cities. Combinations of der that it might be made susceptible goings. The probability is that after all circumstances over which drivers of of the political construction falsely put the spring season of 1909 has not dif- cars have no control bring them about. upon it. At that time we asked the fered very materially from the corres-Colonist to deal honestly by itself and ponding seasons of previous years. its readers and print the contribution Time, which heals all wounds, also should be freely sounded and the cars ple act of justice and fairness our contemporary refused to entertain. It act- periences. In any event, Monday was officials will doubtless say they invaried as it did when its infamy in con- a most beautiful day, just the kind of nection with the forged telegram from day that draws people out of doors and Mr. Borden was exposed. It took refuge tells them to forget life's ordinary doin sullen silence.

on our system of administering justice time Monday ,and we trust their that crimes committed in British Col- visitors also enjoyed themselves thorumbia against public men have to be oughly. They appeared to do this, and exposed and punished in far-off Japan. to do it in a sane, healthful and decor-But the original and chief offender still ous manner. We have never yet had a goes unwhip of justice. We do things riotous crowd in Victoria on the 24th differently in British Columbia.

BRITAIN'S PEACEFUL REVOLU-

lution, which will change the entire and beautiful countries in

Romance and sentiment are giving place to the purely utilitarian. Estates which have stood intact and unchanged for centuries, many of them being the spoils of war-the reward of the Conqueror to his chosen instruments-are to be divided up and delivered into the hands of "common people," who will till the soil and compel it to yield according to the maxi-

Exchequer was the last straw upon the back of the lordly camel. Mr. Lloyd George's proposa's are unquestionably the most radical that have ever been submitted to any parliament in these latter days. They are based strictly upon the principle that the expenses of government must bear a just relation to the capacity of the individual taxpayer. In the past this principle has been carried out in theory, but an analysis of the revenue returns proves incontestibly that the discrimination in favor of the wealthy has been very glaring. The present government has undertaken to remedy this grievanceand there are divided opinions as to the ultimate effect of its policy.

One effect is apparent already. The great landholders are in a state of acters. panic. One of them has sold out; others are threatening to follow his example The government in pursuance of its policy of internal reform has acquired a part of the estate of His Grace of Bedford and will cut it up into ideal spring day and the general joyment becomes general, it is easy to stricken household? The lad Ian Camunderstand how completely our prediction at the beginning of this article more thickly populated. It will pro- dispensable institutions, was the "only Francisco itself could not have gone when others fail. will lose their ancestral estates; but they will receive full value for them. who bete find, who bete find the policy of the

or amending the Chancellor's budget have done. force there for many years the bur- mind, unless they have an intimate re dens of taxation fall by far the most lationship to the life of the individual Conservative contemporaries any ref- must be broadened, they will therefore course of events, has come into the inclasses who are eager for protection her leading thoroughfares. The thought

THE CELEBRATION.

However capricious the weather may forgeries which our contemporary uthelps us to forget disagreeable past ex- should be under absolute control (as mestic and business concerns and go in It is a somewhat strange commentory for a good time. Victorians had a fine of May. Monday we probably entertained more visitors than at any other period in the history of the city. Either that or the population of the place has There is no longer any question about grown beyond anticipations—and Vic- ing with a keen eye the receptions it: Great Britain is in the throes of a tario, like all contemporary cities, is revolution. But it is a peaceful revo- exceedingly sanguine in regard to the rate of civic progress. There was little occasion for the services of the muniface of the country, one of the most cipal police, although Chief Langley the manners and breeding of the people enjoyment bent, and it may be ex-The six new cars were not placed in

> commission a day too soon. annual suggestion that the Gorge and its features have lost their attractions, than it ever would have been by any and that the unique aquatic events performed there should be cut out of the has not yet, and never will, pall upon ment the fire-eating alderman was notresidents or visitors. Its charms prob-ed for the love he bore his "brown or other things had failed. I purchased a those now at the Vancouver sale ably have a greater drawing power yellow brothers." He would have taken supply, and commenced with the treatthan the races. The fact may be con- them into his great heart then in ment. After saveral applications, to sidered established, therefore, that a preference to piercing their cardial or- my great joy, Zam-Buk has effected Victoria day celebration in Victoria gans with leaden bullets. But of course from which the carnival on the Arm time and circumstances alter everyhad been eliminated would, to use an thing, including the most humanitarian Hamlet, with the part of the Prince of New York newspaper are sufficiently else tried had failed. There is a reason his walk to San Francisco. He de-

SATURDAY'S TRAGEDY. Of the thousands in Victoria yesterday who yielded to the charm of an small holdings. These will be al- ousness of the occasion, how many lotted to individuals upon easy paused for even a moment to think of the Japanese how well prepared we are base animal fats and oils. Zam-Buk terms of payment. Suppose the move- the deep sorrow that dwelt in one eron, so swiftly and so dreadfully will be fulfilled. The whole face of struck down in his promising boyhood, part in the hospitalities to the guests Nature's rich healing herbal juices by to the city Tuesday, being registered the country will be changed. It will be a victim of one of our modern and inof the mother country's colony. San the most modern scientific methods, at the Driard. Mr. Manning was an duce in vastly greater abundance. The son of his mother." Just think what unstandard of living will be raised; em- der such circumstances the words ployment more general and steady; quoted portend. The blow, we may be the sum of human happiness increased. sure, was hard enough for the father of day night appeared 'the strangest parmation and happiness increased. The grievance of the great landhold- the boy to bear; but for the mother ade ever seen in Victoria.' Four huncures burns, scalds, cuts, ulcers, chil- made in beautifying the city. esr will be purely sentimental. They who bore him, who had watched over dred Japanese sailors from the Japan-dren's sores and eruptions, bloodthey will receive full value for them. yearning from infancy to budding manAs they now claim that "there is no hood—what a task it must have been malt station. the hosts escorting for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. The man
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mine upon. But wiser counsels will considered by "others than young Vancouver's." assuredly prevail. There will be no boys." It may be of little avail to ordly tampering with the rights of the preach editorially to the youth of the ommons. Nor will there be any ma- city. We fear the rising generation erial changes in the taxation scheme pays but little attention to editorial of Mr. Lloyd-George. It is already in counsel. If it does, then it differs from the people of Great Britain are wise it. The editorial page is, probably, re-

Passing events, even of the most im-United States proves beyond cavil that pressive character, do not imprint under the system which has been in themselves deeply upon the youthful culturists. When British taxpayers duty to perform, surely, by their chilare told that the incidence of taxation dren now that Victoria, in the natural servant street car passengers that danger lurks at crowded corners, at intersecting streets, and particularly at the points where two cars pass each other. Many of us have seen narrow escapes from mutilation or death

while the public owes the duty to itself | charge of theft. to always be upon the alert, the officials of the tramway company are

We do not charge that the death of an accident. The coroner's jury is the proper tribunal to settle that point. Ac-But motor men should be instructed to exercise every possible precaution when cars are passing each other. The gongs

ably are). The natural human tendency is to lords of the thoroughfares and that warning horns and bells. We have tried to remove this false impression. It has been a thankless task.

"VICTORIA AND VANCOUVER."

which have been tendered the Japanese warships now visiting the coast and forming conclusions therefrom upon pected that a few individuals celebrate and liberal spirit in which the hand of good investment." "not wisely but too well." The street fellowship and comradeship was exrailway company handled the great tended to the allies of Great Britain concourse better than it every did be- when they dropped in to see us and exfore in the history of the institution. change formal felicitations. We note also from the comments of the Times that the fame of one Ald. Macmillan, After Monday's experience probab- who is not unknown in Victoria, has ly the last word has been heard of the been bruited abroad more extensively as a result of a blundering observation honorable achievement. The astonishing thing in connection with Mr. Macprogramme. According to many keenly millan's challenge is the change which observant persons never before did so a few years appear to have wrought in lotions, but nothing I procured seemed large a number of people attend the his sentiments. When a shining and to have the least bit of effect towards regatta. The natural beauty of the spot obtrusive light in our municipal firma- healing the sore. Hearing of Zam-Buk,

interesting to be printed in full: "The Mayor of Vancouver asked his skin injuries and diseases. inance committee last week to appropriate what was necessary to entertain man gladiators, secret balms were the sailors from the Japanese squadron used for the healing of cuts and in now on a visit to the ports of its ally, The money was refused, because, in the which external balms were neglected, immortal and burning words of Alder- followed by a period in which all the bers at three o'clock. Owing to the man Macmillan, "we ought to show salves and embrocations had as their press of assize and other work on the to shoot them." The Trades and Labor Council of Vancouver was not a whit less Chauvinistic, formally deciding tirely of rich medicinal herbal exthat no labor organization should take tracts. Zam-Buk is a combination of odist church in Canada, was a visitor

ada, the largest and the finest field in have had sufficient experience of life not as it should be, whatever the fu- CHILDREN'S AID the world for the judicious investment to understand, to a limited extent at ture holds in store? These fraternizing least, the futility of mere words of fighters may face each others' muzzles comfort or acts of consolation under when the boasting aldermen are far of Lords are now busily searching for such circumstances. We are sure that from the firing line, but to-day they precedents in support of the contenwhatever sympathy can do to lighten are at peace, and are acting like civilMany Present Members, Howtion that the Upper House would be the grievous burden of sorrow, the ized men, white and brown alike. Vicwithin its rights in either throwing out friends and neighbors of the Camerons toria makes Vancouver look foolish by comparison, and sets an example which proposals. If they go back far enough, Our contemporary, the Colonist, may well be followed by ourselves they will probably find precedents for draws some lessons from the tragedy whenever Admiral Ifichi's vessels come almost any course they might deter- of Saturday which ought to be well into a port where the sentiment is like

KINDNESS TO ANIMALS.

To the Editor:-On behalf of all true lovers of dogs, I congratulate the owner of the dear big fellow which was rescued some days ago from the horrid, slimy kelp, where the poor creature had been the thirteen members now qualified to the thirteen members now qualified to work and compared to the thirteen members now qualified to work and compared to the thirteen members now qualified to work and compared to the thirteen members now qualified to the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirteen members are the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirteen members are the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirteen members are the thirteen members are the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirteen members and the thirteen members are the thirt in their generation they will turn a garded by some besides boys as the deaf ear to the politicians who are dilidrest part of the paper, although the least, the big-hearted men who were not satisfied to sail on and say, "It's only a Those present listened to a report dog." This is another instance, on a comparatively small scale, of "Now then, Smith," a union of discipline and quick action universally found amongst sailors in emergencies.

A WOMAN 3262 represent listened to a report on finances presented by Lt. Col. Gregory. Since its incorporation in 1901 the receipts have been \$402.15, of which

> STABBED THROUGH HEART DURING FIGHT

Bootblack in Custody at Oakland on Charge of Murder.

(Times Leased Wire.) Oakland, Cal., May 27 .- J. C. Burleson a remittance man, lies dead at the morgue with a knife wound through his heart, the act calls for children being kept

Cerenala conducted a bootblack stand in front of a saloon. Burleson, who is a carpenter, had been talking to the Italian for some time during the morning institution was needed or that the so-

times for drinks. As they entered a fourth time the two doors of the saloon were thrown open and the two men, wrapped in each other's separate them, Cerenala pulled himself free and ran from the saloon. Burleson staggered up from the floor, and, dropping into a chair, said to the burtender 'Good-bye, Geo.; he's got me." He died shortly after being taken to the

NO TRIFLERS NEED APPLY. California Girl Willing to Sell Herself For \$250,000.

receiving hospital.

Menlo Park, Cal., May 26,-Pretty grow careless in the running of me- Miss Eliza Weeden, of this city, wants chanically, propelled machines. Drivers a husband, and frankly has set about too often assume that they are the finding one that will measure up to the standard she has set. Masculine beauty, age, pedigree, however, are not right of way, are in duty bound to only must be met by the candidate. He dance aside when they sound their must show a bona fide bank roll of a quarter of a million dollars.

said to-day. "My future husband need not be a society lion or a man of talent and reputation. The money is the only material point."

advertisement in local daily papers: 'Wanted-A man who is willing to

such contingencies as are likely to crop up when thousands of people are upon enjoyment bent, and it may be exthe tolerant, broad-minded, courteous the proper man appears it will be a tary, Thomas C. Sorby, will report to

Miss Weeden has lived here for many cated. years with two brothers. She is young and attractive, and very popular among PRINCE RUPERT LOTS a circle of intimate friends.

A MINISTER'S GRATITUDE.

Zam-Buk Cured a Face Sore Which Defied All Other Remedies for

Rev. Charles E. Stafford, of Bridge burg. Ont. says: "I had been much troubled for over two years with a sore on my left I decided to give it a trial, and see if it what for two years I tried in vain to bring about-a complete cure.

Case after case could be quoted in ancient simile, be like a performance of of sentiments. The observations of the Buk has worked cures when everything when he entered this city to-day on which, as in the above instance, Zam- Payson Weston, the famous pedestrian for this, Zam-Buk is the ideal remedy parted westward this because of its unique ingredients for all Weston said that he was in fine con-

Away back in the days of the Rojuries sustained in the arena and in battle. Then came a period during

NEEDS MORE SUPPORT

ever, Are Very Apathetic.

(From Thursday's Daily.) Either there is not much need for a Childrens' Aid society in Victoria or its members are for the most part very apathetic. Another attempt was made yesterday to get a quorum of paid-up struggling and crying for help for an un- vote for and elect ten officers and com-

> \$262 represents two special collections made by Mrs. Gordon Grant and Chas. Hayward, \$30 came from the government for one case and \$20 from a father for another. Members have been very remiss with their subscriptions. Last year the magnificent sum of two dollars was received from that source! Out of this total \$184.41 has been spent on telephone, \$10.05 stationary, \$18, travelling expenses, \$18 printing, \$40 for care of children, \$22.60 for clothing and 1905 the secretary Mrs. Grant, was given \$50.

Mrs. Grant presented a report in which it was stated that a detention home was needed, and that the city should be asked for \$3,000 towards that end. Mrs. Grant considered that the city should grant this request, as \$720 for payments by parents.

The male members present, President C. E. Redfern, Rev. Leslie Clay and Col. Gregory, considered that the city council would need more proof that the and the two had entered the saleon three ciety was justifying its existence be-

fore parting with any grant to it. The lack of public interest in the society was discussed and it was decided to make an effort to get a public meeting and arouse the people of Victoria to the claims of the society. Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Wilson, who have been closely identified with the work done declared that the society had done good service and was needed. If possible a public meeting will be

HARBOR ASSOCIATION APPROVES OF BUNKERS

As Long as Fairway is Protected There Will Be No Opposition.

The matter of granting the C. P. R. the privilege of erecting bunkers on "Appearance and age and those things the Indian reserve on the west side go not count one bit with me," she of Victoria harbor was discussed yesterday afternoon by the Inner Harbor Apples, per box association approved of granting them Walnuts (Eastern) encroach upon the harbor.

The Dominion government has buy a handsome wife, the price being promised to excavate the harbor in a

the city council along the lines indi-

TO BE AUCTIONED HERE

Five Hundred Will Be Put Up for Bid Next Thurs-

Five hundred lots in Prince Rupert townsite are to be placed on sale here on Thursday, June 3rd, C. D. Rand announces. It is understood that F. J. Bittancourt and L. S. Eaton will be the aucome over here for next week's sale.

WESTON REACHES DENVER.

Denver, May 27 .- A crowd of more than 2,000 persons greeted Edward dition.

CHAMBERS TO-MORROW.

Chief Justice Hunter wired from Vancouver to-day that he would be mainland there has been no judge here this week

and the result is a balm which cures interested spectator of the festivities further against the national policy.

Skin diseases, such as eczema, morning visited the Provincial muring with a second to plan concerted action seum and the Parliament buildings. It for repairs. Capt. McMullen stated in against the approval of the Spokar rate against the approval of mation, and hastening a cure. It also himself as delighted with the progress

money in and." investments in other to break the dark tidings to her. It is interest abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of a mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of the traffic bureau of the Merchants' Expension of the complex of the mother's heart; but most of us their guests abroad after the smoking not given to men to sound the depths of the traffic bureau of the Merchants' Expension of the complex of the mother's heart; but most of us the traffic bureau of the Merchants' Expension of the complex of the mother's heart; but most of us the traffic bureau of the Merchants' Expension of the complex of the mother's heart; but most of us the traffic bureau of the depths of the mother's heart; but most of us the traffic bureau of the mother's heart and the mother's heart and the mother's heart and the mother's heart and the mother's

LOCAL MARKETS

Pratt's Coal Oil 1.75 Hams (B. C.), per lb. Bacon (American), per lb.

Bacon (American), per lb.

Bacon (rolled) per lb.

Shoulders, per lb. Bacon (long clear), per ib. .. Beef, per lb. Pork, per ID. Veal, per 1b. Farm Produce-Fresh Island Eggs Best Dairy Butter

Butter (Creamery)
Lard, per lb.
Western Canada Flour Mills Purity, per sack Three Star Patent, per sack.. Three Star Patent, per bbl... Hungarian Flour-Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack Ogilvie's Royal Household, Lake of Woods, per bbl. Okanagan, per sack Okanagan, per bbl. Calgary Hungarian, per sack. Calgary Hungarian, per bbl...
Moose Jaw, per sack
Moose Jaw, per bbl.

Excelsior, per sack Excelsior, per bbl. Oak Lake, per sack ... Oak Lake, per bbl. Hudson's Bay, per sack Hudson's Bay, per bbl. Enderby, per sack Enderby, per bbl. Pastry Flours-Snowflake, per sack Snowflake, per bbl. O. K. Best Pastry, per sack .. O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl. ..
O. K. Four Star, per sack ...
O. K. Four Star, per bbl. ... Drifted Snow, per sack Driften Snow, per bbl.

Wheat, chicken feed, per ton. Oats, per ton Whole Corn Cracked Corn
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.
Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 23-lb. Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 45-lb. sk. Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 90-lb. sk. Rolled Wheat, 10 lbs. Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs. Wheat Flakes, per packet ... Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs. ..

45.00

Graham Flour, 10 lbs. Graham Flour, 50 lbs. Hay (baled), new, per ton 20.00@22.00 34.00 Dressed Fowl, per lb. 202 Turkey, per Ib.

Garden Produce—
Cabbage, per lb.
Potatoes (local) Onions (Australian), per lb. .. Carrots, per lb.

WHOLESALE MARKETS. HamBacon Carrots, per lb. 30@ Oranges (navel) Asparagus (Washington), box. Lettuce, per crate Cucumbers, hothouse reen Peas Spinnach Tomatoes, local hothouse matoes, Mexican, per basket Strawberries, per box

 Sweet Potatoes, per lb.
 3@ 4

 Oranges (Seedling), per box
 2.75@ 3.25

 Oranges (Med. Sweets)
 2.75@ 3.50

 New Potatoes (Cal.), per lb.
 49

Radish, per doz.

Watercress, per doz.

Vessels Are Compelled to Put Back to Dutch

Harbor.

DELAYED BY ICE

(Times Leased Wire.) Seattle, Wash., May 27 .- All of the Cali- lieved that any one was killed. The ornia cannery ships bound from San storm made accurate firing almost im-Francisco to Nushagak river and Bristol | possible. bay plants had to put back to Dutch Harbor on account of the ice in Behring Sea. News to this effect came in a cablegram the steamer Dora.

Having left Seward on May 3rd and proeeded by the way of Dutch Harbor, the say they will never submit to his be-Dora attempted to reach the mouth of Nushagak for the purpose of delivering the United States mail as per contract, but could get no closer on account of the fice packs than within 200 miles, so she turned back, as did also the cannery turned back, as did also the cannery ships, the latter putting into Dutch Har-

his message that he had never before en-countered such floes and fields of ice at that season of the year in Behring Sea. that season of the year in Benring Sea.

The Dora is the steamer which rescued the 194 survivors of the wrecked cannery from Los. Angeles and Sacran

FAIRYLAND AT THE GORGE

PLEASANT CLOSE TO VICTORIA DAY FETES

Fireworks and Water Carnival Last Evening Were a at Success.

(From Wednesday's Daily.) The Victoria Day celebration co cluded Tuesday evening with fireworks and a procession of illuminated boats at the Gorge, which brought out an immense crowd.

With thousands of lights twinkling among the trees, or moving about on the surface of the water, the scene was 2.10 one of fairyland, and delighted young and old. The fireworks were set of from the cleared point just beyond the 8.15 bathing pavilion, and also from barge out in the stream, while at in tervals fountains of fire were sent from the point far out on the water The picture was one to be long remem-

Hitt Brothers were in charge of the display, which was an excellent on The color effects, reflected back from the water, were beautiful and the tree stood out clearly in the blaze of Bengal lights. A pretty effect was given by the silver Nyanza Falls, which poured down its liquid flame behind a screen of trees.

Popular music was played during the evening by the Victoria Concert Band, All the amusements-Japanese games rifle-galleries, the maze, the merry-go round-were liberally patronized and 6.50 the refreshment booths did a rushing business. There was a display of mo 50.00 ing pictures after the fire-works which was greatly enjoyed.

For the four prizes given by the B. C. Electric Railway company six gaily decked craft entered the water carni val. The judges vere Mrs. Lewis Hall Mrs. Ernest Hall, and Mrs. J. G Brown, T. S. Mill's launch Ynamay 2.35 was awarded first prize, Mr. Pitcock's 4.59 Nemo second, Mr. Diorith, and J. William's Gladys fourth, Nemo second, Mr. Brown's Cree, third

When the pleasure crafts started homeward after the celebration the tide had begun to set in and the attempt to negotiate the rapids proved disastrous to some of them. Even 160 power launches found the stream too strong for them, and it was not until the upper basin had pretty well filled that all the canoes and boats got through,

There were two canoe accidents A canoe in which were a lady and gentleman was swept around and upset, 30 but both were good swimmers and struck out for the shore. Later the wash of a launch struck a canoe and overturned it. The occupants were two young men, one of whom got to shore himself while the other was pulled ashore with the aid of one of the lifeashore with the aid of the bridge by buoys recently placed at the bridge by

the provincial police Sergeant Murray and several pro rincial constables had a busy time looking after the boat traffic, the mill-15 were not more accidents. Two men were stationed on each side of the 16 narrow passage ready in case of ac

The balloon ascension in the afternoon was rather a failure. 50.00 but provided lots of excitement for all that. When it got up about 100 40 gan to drift slowly northwest, gradual 13 ly sinking. Prof. Sylvain attempted to get the parachute loose but it stuck Finally the balloon was brought to a stop by the trailing ropes catching in the trees.

An excellent car service was given throughout the evening and the large crowds were expeditiously and safely

TEN MILLION DOLLARS FOR THE GOVERNMENT

(Times Leased Wire.) London, May 27.-Charles Morrison whose estate is estimated at between \$50,000,000 and \$75,000,000, is dead near Reading. The government will receive from the estate more than \$10,000,000 in

TROOPS AMBUSHED.

Noxpater, Miss., May 27.—Reports reached here to-day of a skirmish last night between the state militia and son, the escaped convicted murderer who was recognized after living 18 years near here as a peaceful law abid-

The Atkinson men fired upon the troops from a thicket during a heavy rain. The marksmanship on both sides was poor and though the soldiers answered the fusillade, it is not be-

There is no indication to-day that the Atkinson men have any rendering. Governor Neal has received received from Capt. McMullen, master of he relinquishes the man hunt. Atkinson made many friends during the years he lived as a good citizen who

SPOKANE RATE CASE.

San Francisco, Cal., May 25 .- A general invitation has been extended to manufacturers, jobbers and shippers of this cit meeting will be held to-morrow in ship Columbia. The steamer Santa Ana will be dispatched at once to replace the Dora on the mail run.

The steamer Santa Ana mercial bodies, and probably from Northwest cities, will be in attendance.

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