

Attacked Her Rival

Seattle Woman Creates a Scene This Morning in the Queen's Hotel.

Followed Them From the Sound, and Wreaks Vengeance on the Girl.

Early this morning the guests at the Queen's hotel, in the city, were rudely awakened from their slumbers by an angry altercation on the part of a woman who had followed them from the Sound, and who had taken up her abode in the Queen's hotel.

Proprietor Voss's attention was attracted by the noise, and he quickly located the cause of it. He found one of the women standing in a corner of the bedroom, her lingerie almost torn off her, her face bleeding from the blows of her assailant, and her hair dishevelled. The assailant, a woman, was in a state of fury, while the man sat helplessly and shamefacedly on the bed, which also showed signs of a tussle. It was only after repeated warnings and threats that the proprietor caused the furious woman to desist, and shortly afterwards the younger woman hurriedly made her escape.

The details, as nearly as could be gleaned, were as follows: A few days ago the man in the case accompanied by a handsome young woman, presented himself at the Queen's office and asked for apartments. They registered as A. Kanaeit and wife, Seattle, and were assigned the room in which the scene afterwards took place. They seemed very much attached to one another, and were constantly together.

This morning, what proved to be the rightful wife, hot in pursuit of the pair, she sought the register of the Queen's, and locating her prey rushed upstairs, two steps at a time. Reaching the room she found the pair asleep, and immediately the vials of her wrath broke in a storm on the head of the unfortunate girl whom, she alleges, is a domestic in the employ of herself and her husband. She upbraided her violently, at the same time leaving physical marks of her displeasure upon the girl. Indeed, so great was her wrath that the opportune arrival of the proprietor of the house probably saved the girl from serious injury, as the man seemed disposed to take no risks in the matter by interfering with his person between the combatants.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Business Quickly Dispatched at Last Evening's Session of Civic Board.

It took the City Council considerably less than an hour to transact the business of the regular meeting last evening. Anxiety on the part of the members to attend the big meeting in the theatre was very apparent during the proceedings, and by 9 o'clock the meeting stood adjourned, it being agreed on that a special session for the consideration of business standing over be held one week from Wednesday evening.

Little other than communications were dealt with. One, from William Grant, asked that the sewerage system be extended as soon as possible to two of his houses on King's road. This was referred to the streets, sewers and drainage committee. A petition from Chas. Hawkins for an application at the new pumping station was tabled; a request from Thos. Hooper in behalf of another for the replacing of a section of sidewalk on Broughton street was referred to the city engineer for report at the special meeting, and a petition from S. C. Styles and other property owners on Farquhar, calling attention to some dangerous pieces of sidewalk, was also referred to the city engineer.

E. S. Baxter, chief engineer of the steamer City of Nanaimo, wrote from Nanaimo offering the council the gift of an albatross for the park. The bird was brought to Vancouver from off Cape Horn by some sailing vessel and would, the writer said, be sent down to Victoria on the steamer Thistle, if accepted. The council were, of course, grateful for the gift, and Ald. Hall was delegated to meet the bird.

Sept. Johnson submitted his usual monthly accounts for May, amounting to \$119.95.

James H. Meldrum reported that the installing of the machinery at the pumping station was being done expeditiously and from the finance committee came the regular statement of accounts totalling \$4,522.54. These were passed and a recommendation to purchase seven copies of the B. O. Directory from the Henderson Publishing Co. was approved. Of the motion of Ald. Hall for the inviting of tenders for the cutting of hay at Beacon Hill was next adopted, after which the Mayor's recommendation, previously referred to in the Times, was brought up. It was as follows:

Whereas, by a proclamation of His Excellency the Governor-General-in-Council, dated on or about the 22nd day of April, 1898: All that piece of crown land from time to time covered by tide water situate to the east of James Bay bridge, Victoria harbor, and commonly known as the "Mad Place" was granted into the corporation of the city of Victoria for the use of the said corporation, absolutely; and whereas, it is desirable to provide for the erection of a new bridge or wall to

take the place of the present James Bay bridge, and that such a bridge or wall should include the full width of Government street:

Now, therefore, be it resolved: That in view of the necessity for a new bridge or wall across James Bay in the city of Victoria to replace the present wooden structure, commonly known as James Bay bridge, the municipal council do humbly petition the Dominion government requesting that a grant be made to the city of a further piece or strip of land covering the ground on which the present bridge stands and a piece of land extending seven feet beyond the west line of Government street westerly along the whole length of the said bridge.

Ald. Williams and Bryden were desirous of having the extension asked for 20 feet instead of seven, but the amendment to this effect was lost and the former passed.

The second reading of the Expenditure By-law, which was postponed until after the meeting of the court of revision, was brought up, but deferred again until after the election.

Plastered With Eggs

Novel Features Introduced at the Government Meeting at Metchosis.

Messrs. Mills and Jardine Have a Unique Experience-Proceedings Threatened.

The government meeting at Metchosis last night developed some features which were not on the programme. A repetition of the treatment received by the Premier at his Sooke meeting seemed to have been prepared for his speakers at Metchosis, although the Metchosis people claim that those responsible for the trouble do not belong to the district in which the meeting was held.

The unpleasantness commenced very shortly after Chairman Fraser had called the meeting to order. S. Perry Mills had taken the platform and was elucidating the government platform when his remarks became almost inaudible from the interruptions of a number of men in one corner of the room.

Mr. Mills stopped, and observed that the same job was as attempted at Sooke was evidently being thought to be carried out at this meeting. The Sooke plan failed and he prophesied that if the interruptions were more successful in this case they would regret it. "I am an Englishman," added the speaker, "and intend to have fair play."

The interruptions still continued, and Mr. Mills was obliged once more to pause and admonish his tormentors.

"If you don't want to hear what is said," he shouted, "you had better go outside, or it might be well for you to go to South Africa and assist the Boers, when you will probably get your deserts."

At this point Mr. Higgins entered the room and was received with applause. John Jardine then took the platform and intimated that he did not propose to stand any interruptions. He was allowed to finish his remarks with little interruption.

He was followed by Mr. Bizanston, one of the government candidates and immediately the uproar was renewed. The candidate, however, assumed a fighting attitude and intimated that he was prepared to give any of them a thrashing if they wanted it. Mr. Mills's good offices were again called into requisition, and he appealed to the interrupters to keep order, observing that if they had no respect for the intelligence of the men present they should have some regard for the ladies in the audience.

The chairman also rebuked the disturbers, saying that he had never seen such disgraceful conduct at any district meeting. He was ashamed of it and was quite sure the parties responsible for the trouble did not belong to Metchosis.

After Mr. Higgins had given his views the meeting dispersed and the Victoria speakers sought their conveyances to return to town. A strange odor emanating from the buggy caused Mr. Mills some bewilderment.

Mr. Jardine, however, recognized the effluvia. "It's rotten eggs," he said in tones of conviction as the ancient hen frisked under his feet. Investigation disclosed the rugs, cushions and in fact the whole interior of the buggy plastered with eggs which completely upset the stomach of one at least of the gentlemen.

Finally by the aid of ferns and other devices the buggy was rendered sufficiently clean to ride back to town in, although a delicate aroma was still shed from it.

The government supporters assert that the matter has gone as far as they propose to allow it to go, and they have taken precautions which may result in trouble to the perpetrators of such acts in future.

WHERE ARE THE SKEPTICS?
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Royalties Discussed

At a Meeting of the Board of Trade Council This Morning.

The Members Favor Establishment of an Assay Office at Dawson.

A meeting of the council of the board of trade was held this morning, those present being President W. A. Ward in the chair, and Messrs. L. G. McDougal, Lindley Crease, Sims, Leiser, D. R. Keir, J. J. Shallcross, Capt. Cox, G. McCandless and Secretary Elworthy.

After the usual preliminaries the report of the mining committee respecting the resolutions forwarded by the Vancouver board of trade on gold of the Yukon, was submitted. The report made a few changes and suggests that contraventions of the law be punished by imprisonment at hard labor, not to exceed five years, and the forfeiture by the contravener of all the gold. The resolutions were as follows:

1. That the 10 per cent. royalty at present levied by the government on the gold of the Yukon is distasteful to the miners and unsatisfactory in its operation, and does not produce the revenue to the government which is due on the output of gold.

2. That the present mode of collection induces deceit on the part of the miners and incidentally causes perjury to be committed in respect to the returns sworn to.

3. That in consequence a large amount of gold is taken out of the country, thus depriving Canada of business which would be done here if the gold were purchased in Dawson and paid for in Dominion currency.

4. That it is eminently desirable that as much as possible of the business to be derived from the mining industry shall be conserved to the people of Canada and a fair revenue be secured by the government in a manner agreeable to the miners and the government.

5. That in order to best attain these desirable results it is respectfully submitted that the present tax of 10 per cent. be abolished, and in lieu thereof that an equal duty be levied on the output of all gold produced there shall be taken for assay, and, if so desired, exchanged for Dominion currency. A charge of not exceeding 5 per cent. being made for assay and all taxes upon said gold.

6. That it is further suggested that all gold must be assayed in the government assay office and duty paid there, and that any person found attempting to take out gold without a proper certificate from the assay office stating the correct quantity, and the gold so taken out, such gold shall be seized and forfeited by the party found in possession of same or the owners thereof, or such other penalty as shall be deemed desirable by the government.

Capt. Cox was of the opinion that a man who acquired his gold in that country should be permitted to dispose of it as he pleased. Such a procedure, as that suggested by the committee would be most arbitrary and entirely without precedent.

D. R. Keir suggested that an assay office be established by the government at Dawson, and that the full market value for the gold be paid. The government could then collect the royalty at the assay office, although this, in his opinion, should be reduced. He favored the collection of, say, seven per cent. royalty from mining operations, and \$500,000 in gold, and five per cent. from mines producing from \$100,000 to \$500,000, thus constituting a sliding scale. The gold should be exchanged for a draft payable at par at any bank in Canada, although perhaps a sliding percentage for exchange may be allowed. The speaker understood on good authority that the matter would shortly be placed before the Dominion government, who would give it their closest consideration.

G. McCandless believed in great influence being used to induce the Dominion government to establish an assay office at Dawson. The great majority of miners would prefer disposing of their gold at Dawson, even though the draft be payable on the other side, as there is considerable risk experienced in bringing it out. As regards the penalty suggested by the mining committee for contraventions of the law in this respect, he characterized these as unheard of. He favored the reduction of the royalty, say, to five per cent.

Lindley Crease explained that the suggested penalty was not "five years' imprisonment," but that the term provided for was not to exceed five years, giving the magistrate the option of imposing a smaller term. The whole object was to see that the tax was levied and consideration paid to the wishes of the mining man.

Mr. Shallcross strongly endorsed Mr. Keir's suggestion that the full assay value of gold be given the miners in Dawson. In Seattle an assay office was established under the control of the government. It was not the business of the board of trade to interfere with the collection of the royalty, but it was their business to see that this is not collected in such a manner as cripple our trade.

Mr. McCandless said that on a sliding scale the imposition of the royalty would not do justice to all. If an assay office was established and the percentage reduced, everything, in his opinion, would be all right.

Some further discussion followed on this question, and the meeting was ultimately adjourned.

A LATE POLL

Voting on Saturday Will Continue Till 7:30—Mr. McPhee Supports the Government.

The Premier is spending to-day on the Mainland and is expected to speak to-night at Stevenson.

To-night the government hold a rally at Johns Bros.' hall, while another government meeting is called for Metchosis to be addressed by the candidates of the administration in Esquimalt.

Mr. Eberts speaks to-night at the Royal Oak, and to-morrow evening at Mount Tolmie. Mr. Sangster stated to-day that it was not his intention to hold any more meetings, contenting himself with speaking at those of his opponent.

The elections take place on Saturday. Owing to a change in the Elections act, the returns from the cities of Victoria, Vancouver and West Westminster will not be available as early as usual. The polls will remain open in these places from 9 to 7:30 p.m. The country districts will be unaffected by this regulation.

Mr. J. McPhee, one of the Comox candidates about whose allegiance to the government there has been some doubt, has at last declared himself for Martin. At the government meeting at Cumberland Mr. McPhee said he endorsed the Martin government except the railway plank. At Courtenay Mr. McPhee said from the platform that he supported the Martin government, and after hearing the Hon. Mr. Joseph Martin explain his railway plank Mr. McPhee had much pleasure in supporting the railway plank. Mr. McPhee stated on Saturday evening at Union Bay that he would support Martin's government as the leader of the Liberals of the province.

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YUKON'S ESTIMATED OUTPUT.

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"Eight thousand dollars was subscribed for the Ottawa sufferers, and the list is far from complete." "Investigation of the charges against Gold Commissioner Senkler was adjourned to June 2nd. The Dawson public has no belief in the charges. Mr. Senkler is generally liked and trusted." "Business is flourishing, and the Nome exodus is small."

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May, 27th, 1900.

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