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April 25.-The movement on Friday inaugurated

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WHAT ERRONEOUS

ention Credited to Macken Mann by Local Paper.

cial and realty men by ion in a Victoria evening "news" that Macken the "news" that Mackenne re preparing to put a new in the market at Stewart, neighborhood of the Stew-tte, and owing to a small land available for townsite

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uiry of Hon, Price Ell quiry of Hon. Price Ellison, minister of lands, confirms sibility of the statements of fact. Mr. D. D. Mann, in terminals, ore bunkers, smelter and docks, has divert the Bear River to in base line, build a great n a portion (assigned him vernment) of the area of ead, also paying the gov-r the privilege thus secured land now held by the sea, h is destined to be worth a sum approximating \$50. ie land to be reclaimed to Mann and his associa ate purposes of their own ention of townsiting any nt works, and they certainly ntention of townsiting any y doing which they would y handing back to the govquarter interest in the proobtained from the Crown t difficulty.

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PORTLAND CANAL

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Visiting Hotelmen Plan to Ex-

Planning at first to remain here only a few hours, but becoming so enchanted with the beauty of Victoria during the first hour of their stay that they turned every possible stone in their efforts to re-arrange their itinerary as to be able to spend two or three days here, thirty-five prominent hotelmen, members of the Hotelmen's Mutual Benefit Association, unconsciously handed Victoria a compliment yesterday which sould hardly be equalled as an advertisement especially as the visitors had just come from a season of continuous sight-seeing and entertainment in the show spots of California.

The party consisted of some of the delegates to the big annual convention of the association held at Los Angeles, April 11, to which three of the finest special trains ever sent over American raidroads carried the delegations from New York, Boston and Chicago. The party which arrived here from Seattle yesterday afternoom is routed east over the C. P. R. as far as Winnipeg, from which point they will proceed the complex of the proposed to the complex of the series of the first of the series of the first of th rived here from Seattle yesterday afternoon is routed east over the C. P.
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please. Late last night several of
the party had decided to remain in
Victoria for a few days despite the
afrangements. The itinerary could
not be changed, owing to the volume
of travel out of Vancouver and the
fact that accommodations for the
party had been booked ahead. Many
of the visitors are accompanied by
their wives and daughters, and the
ladies are especially taken with the
beauty of this city.

When they arrived yesterday they
were met at the boat by a reception
committee of local hotlmen, consisting of Messrs, B. M. Humble and H.
B. Jackson, of the Empress; Stephen
Lones and Thomas Stevenson of the

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Collecting Income Tax.

LONDON, April 25.—Now that the budget has been introduced in the commons with the guillotine, with suarantees that it will pass its third reading by April 27th, Englishmen are confronted with necessity raising the wind to pay their income taxes, which payment has been held up since January 1st, by the squabble between the Lords and Commons.

VICTORIA'S CHARM

Tries to End Life

VANCOUVER, April 25 — Jealous of the man with whom she is said to have been living for the past seven years, and seeing nothing further in life worth living for, Nellie St. Lewis, an attractive-looking woman about 30 years at age, tast histo evallowed the contents of a four-ounce bottle of carbolic acid in an effort to end her existence, and, when found in her apartments at the Savoy rooms, Pender street, she was well on the way, to the goal of her endeavors.

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WASHINGTON April 35.—President Taft and Affdrew Carnegic spokes at the dedication of the new Carnegic library of Howard University before a crowd of Francisco and the corner form and the streets are stated to the streets and the due to the head been glad to act for Mr. Carnegic library of Howard Interest year ago. He alluded to that nearly a year ago. He alluded to that nearly a year ago. He alluded to that nearly a year ago. He alluded to that he had been glad to act for Mr. Carnegic library of the head been glad to act for Mr. Carnegic library of the stephen Jones, proprietor of the fortune that has attended his of the fortune that has a tended his of the fortune that has attended his of the fortune that has a tended his of the fortune tha

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MONTREAL, April 25.—A serious
accident was narrowly averted at the
Austro-Hungarian synagogue on Milton street yesterday morning, when a
beam broke in the floor while the edifice was crowded during the service.
The shock of the meaking beam was
so gheat that two or three hundred
people were throws to the floor and a
panic was avoided by the courage and
presence of mind of Rabbi Glazer, who
succeeded in quieting the congregation
and emptying the synagogue without
anyone being injured. The accident is
thought to have been due to overcrowding.

at the Empress Next Friday

Ball at the Empress Next Friday



DEPARTMENTAL TALK

Instead of mentioning one particular department to-day, we'll talk about several items of interest to the lady who would be correctly dressed.

To begin with, we draw attention to our Misses' GRAD-UATING DRESSES, together with a few delightfully designed PARASOLS, with the new long plain handles. You'll observe how distinctly exclusive our models are-the "Campbell" exclusiveness so strongly in evidence in the Mantle Department. -

DAINTY WAISTS in Mulls, Muslin and Linen; neat, plain and inexpensive. Our stock of Plain and Fancy Waists is varied in the extreme and there is no excuse for the lady of modest means to start the season without a nice assortment of this necessity. The prices you can choose from range from 90c to \$17.50. The very elaborate one are always in stock.

HOSE for the Lady, Miss or Child. There is not much to tell you in this line, suffice to say that we are fully stocked with all the leading qualities in light weights and the extra strong for the "youngsters."

UNDERWEAR-To secure a comprehensive idea of what is correct in Spring and Summer Underwear you must visit us. Exquisite indeed are the numerous garments we offer you-perfect-fitting, non-irritant.

GOWNS AND DRESSES-Our exclusive models in Gowns and Dresses for formal and informal wear are as individual as our tailored suits. From the modest and inexpensive gown to the extreme and higher priced one a wider and more beautiful range 'tis impossible to find,

NEW NECKWEAR—The smartest innovations in Neckwear are ever pre-eminent here; our stock this spring eclipses all previous ones. The range of Jabots is wider and the ingenuity shown in many of the designs (also in Dutch Collars) is really remarkable when one considers that Jabots and Dutch Collars have been in fashion many years. In Lace Yokes, too, we have a glorious display, having unpacked a new lot two days ago. Neckbands in all qualities and prices.

CORSETS—The famous "Gossard" Lace-in-Front Corsets; Nemo Self-Reducing Corset; latest models in C.B. a la Spirite; W.B. Nuform Corsets; D. & A. Directoire Corset; Ladies 'and Children's Hygeian Waists.

WALKING SKIRTS-We were prepared for the popularity of the separate skirt and consequently have stocked ourselves to meet the demand, a demand which also enables us to carry a great variety of waists to suit the skirts.

GLOVES AND SCARFS-The majority of ladies you see at the theatre, ball, card party or reception are wearers of "Campbell's" Gloves; their shoulders are shielded from chilly air by a "Campbell" Scarf. In evening and street gloves we have exactly what you want and our display of Silk Scarfs in Spangled Chiffon, Crepe de Chene and handsome Black Spanish Lace are worthy of your highest praise.

PARASOLS AND SUNSHADES-A galaxy of designs, qualities and colors. Numerous pretty little ones at 50c for

CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT-Perhaps it is hardly necessary to draw attention to this Department for the reason that every mother in and around Victoria knows of our exclusive values and always leaves our store with a feeling of complete satisfaction.



CENTURY HAS A STORMY PASSAGE NORTH

Australian Mail Liner Reaches San Francisco From the Antipodes— Had Decks Swapt.

THE LOCAL MARKETS

Figs, table, per 1b, Demons, per-dozer. Oranges, Naval. Bananas Apples, # 1bs Apples, per box Grape Fruit, (Cal.) Grape fruit (Florida) Strawberries (Cal.) box 2.56@3.50

Births Marriages, Deaths

SHERRATT—On April 22nd inst., to the wife of R. W. Sherratt, of a son.

SHERRATT—April 22nd, at 722 Market street, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sherratt, a son.

MARRIED.

GARDNER-BROWNING—The marriage of James A. Gardner to Florence R. Browning was solemnized by the Rev. Leslie Clay, on Saturday, April 23rd, the ceremony taking place at Mrs. Margett's, 1142 View street. COOKSON-FOSTER-On the 25th inst... ta St. Paul's church, Vancouver, by the Rev. Hubert St. J. Payne, Cecil Cookson of Victoria, B. C., to Violet E. C. Foster, daughter of the late Edward J. Foster, J. P. D. L., of Sandy Place, Sandy, Bedfordshine, England.

DIED.

BOYD—On the 21st inst at 834 Pandora avenue, James Boyd, a native of Dub-lin, Ireland, aged 80 years. WILLIAMS-On April 22nd, at the family residence, "A" street, Eunice Eve-lyn, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Williams, aged fourteen month. Due notice of funeral will be given. RUSSELL—On Tuesday, the 19th inst., at the General Hospital, Vancouver, James Russell, aged 74. McCALLUM—At "Courtland," Foul Bay Arthur Campbell McCallum, aged 42.