

Peter Hing, Educated in Victoria, Does Remarkably Well in East

(From Saturday's Daily)

The success which he achieved during the course of his studies in local public schools has been followed by a similar success in the University of Chicago. The young man, who was a member of the team for whom his former teacher, Mr. J. H. McNeill, recently dictated a bright college career. After going through the public schools here and attending the University of Chicago, Peter went to McGill college where he is now taking a course in the faculty of engineering and applied science. In the recent announcement of the results of the past term's examinations, Peter, who has completed his second year, was placed second among the seniors securing a first rank, general standing, and a scholarship of \$40, helped by a loan of \$100 from the boys who won the Alex. Morris exhibition.

Peter is now in Vancouver and will spend his summer holidays on this coast before returning to Chicago to resume his studies. During his course in the Central school here he showed unusual aptitude in mathematics. Whose application to his studies

most invariably brought him out at the top of his class, and his success at McGill, against the large number of Canadian students, is a source of gratification to his Chinese friends in Victoria.

**JAPANESE LINE WILL
START NEXT SUMMER**

The Osaka Shosen kaisha steamship line to this port and Seattle will be commenced next summer, according to a statement made by T. A. Hildes.

ALBERTA PRESBYTERIANS.
Second Annual Session of the Provincial Synod in Progress at Edmonton, April 30.—The second annual session of the synod of the Presbyterian Church of Alberta opened its first sitting in the Presbyterian church last evening, a large number of ministers and laymen from all over the province being present.

Principal Patrick of Manitoba called and delivered a very eloquent opening sermon. At the conclusion of the sermon some preliminary business of the synod was transacted.

White, of Lacombe, was elected moderator of the synod for the ensuing year, and a committee was appointed to arrange a programme for the meeting of the synod.

The synod held its first session this morning in the First Presbyterian church. Rev. Mr. White, M.A., of Lacombe, the moderator, presiding, Rev. Gavin Hamilton, of Cowley, was chosen secretary.

Rev. Dr. Shearer, of Toronto, was the first speaker, delivering an address upon the vital need that exists

Vancouver, April 30.—A conference held yesterday afternoon between hackmen of the city and a civic committee, composed of Ald. Cavanagh, Calland and Chief of Police Chamblin. As a result a new by-law

regulating the cab business will shortly be introduced in the council. The measure will cover the local area of cabstands, declare the tariffs which may be charged and in general regulate the business in every way within the power of the city.

One point which will be included was strongly insisted upon by Chamberlain to the effect that all cabs and drivers must be licensed and that the registry of their licenses shall be

The question of the amended tariff evoked considerable discussion, and ended in the preparation of a preliminary schedule of rates, based on both a time and distance footing.

In answer to the protest of the hackmen that the police were interfering with their business through preventing cabs standing on main streets while waiting for customers, it was agreed that on Granville street

Threatened With Destruction
Grafton, W. Va., April 30.—The town of Towlesburg, W. Va., on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, about 10 miles or here, is threatened with destruction by fire which started late at night.

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