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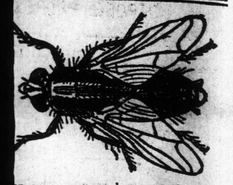

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PHONE SYSTEM

nal City Emphatically Insts Upon Some Improvent Being Made—CompetSystem Talked About

COUVER, Aug. 26.—The agita- a better telephone system than er enjoys today, reached the n stage with the civic fathers

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The Absentees.

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IS IN FAVOR OF CHURCH UNION

Methodist General Conference Overwhelmingly Declares Itself in Accord With Union on Basis Proposed

PROMINENT MEMBERS OPPOSE PROPOSAL

Vote, However, Stood at Two Hundred and Twenty to Thirty-five—Various Considerations by Speakers

The Methodist general conference Friday overwhelmingly declared itself in favor of church union on the basis already agreed upon by the joint committees representing the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches of the Dominion. The vote on the issue resulted as follows: For, 220; against, 35.

Among those who were not in accord with the finding of the conference on this, the most important issue before the church, were many prominent men including: Mr. Justice Maclaren, of Toronto; Rev. Dr. William Briggs, Toronto; Rev. Dr. W. M. Patten, Montreal; Rev. Dr. W. R. Young, Montreal; Rev. Dr. D. Hickey, Pictou; Rev. Dr. L. Curtis, St. Johns, Newfoundland; Rev. Dr. W. S. Giffen, Toronto; Rev. J. Craig, Mahone Bay, N. S.; Rev. Dr. W. H. Hincks, President of the Toronto Conference; Rev. A. M. Sanford, Vancouver; Rev. S. E. Osterhout, Vancouver, Rev. R. Milliken, Vancouver; and Mr. H. P. Moore, Acton.

The question before the conference when the vote was taken was the first recommendation in the report of the committee on Church Union, the debate which opened at last night's session. The recommendation was: "Your committee recommends that the general conference declare its approval of these documents agreed upon by the joint committee as a basis upon which the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational churches may unite. On the result of the ballot being declared all those who had voted in the affirmative rose and sang 'Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow," the dissenting delegates remaining seated.

Discussion Resumed.

The discussion was resumed at the afternoon session. Chancellor N. S. Burwash of Victoria University, the Chairman of the Church Union committee being given an opportunity to reply. Dr. Burwash said the matter had been abundantly discussed. The doctrine of the Deity in the proposed basis of agreement had been called in question. As far as he could judge there could be no doubt of the absolute Deity outlined in the proposed doctrine. The sovereignty of God was the foundation of the Christian faith. It had been said that each of the three great denominations stood for some great principle of truth. If it was possible to unite them in one common truth this truth would have behind it the united force of a brotherhood of Christian people. All the evangelical churches of the land were moving towards a common ideal. The brethren of the different churches had felt each others pulses with regard to the great fundamental truths of the Christian faith. He knew of no doctrine that could be reached with more efficacy than that which was now before the conference. In it the full theology of the New Testament had been preserved. If the conference was unable to pass a judgment on this important matter how was it possible to send it down to the lower courts for their decision.

The following change in the reading of the recommendation moved as an amendment by the Rev. A. M. Sanford of Vancouver and seconded by the Rev. W. J. Robertson, of St. Catharines which read as follows was discussed: "The committee therefore recommends that the general conference cordially receives these documents agreed upon by the joint committee as a basis upon which the Methodist Presbyterian and Congregational churches may unite."

The Rev. O. Darwin of Regina said that from the legal standpoint he had no fear of the union. The delegates had been told of the Pentacostal condition of affairs which had prevailed at the proceedings of the joint committee. He wished there were a more Pentacostal attitude among the delegates in discussing this great question. The speaker during the discussion had gone on the principle that "What's thine is mine, and what's mine is my own." What he would like to understand was where was the spirit of union which should go with the discussion of union itself. In his twenty-six years experience in western Canada he had never known a time when the Presbyterian church was striving so hard to blanket this portion of the Dominion. They had taken advantage of union being in the air to put forth their strongest efforts to gain adherents. Before the conference endorsed church union it should have the spirit of the thing. If the conference would adopt the resolution of the Rev. Mr. Stanford it would just receive the documents dealing with the basis of union and then it could try and cultivate the spirit of unity after which it was supposed to be striving.

Doubtful About Policy.

In speaking to his own amendment Rev. Mr. Sanford said that as far as the doctrine was concerned he was quite satisfied. But he was very doubtful about the policy. He had put the amendment in the hope of drawing together the members of the conference. It was time that these documents should be sent down to the people of the church. They should be sent down without being endorsed and the conference should trust to the intelligence of the rank and file of Methodism. As the basis of union evidently did not meet with the approval of all the delegates it should not be carried. By approving now the conference would tie its hands when the time for a final consummation came about, as it would be unable to propose amendments to a basis which it had already endorsed. By passing the basis now the people of the church would become disintegrated. It was for the people to decide what should be done on such a momentous issue.

The vote was then taken and resulted as stated above.

Adoption Recommendations

The remaining recommendations of the report of the committee on church union were adopted at the evening session without amendment as follows:

Also that we further recommend the general conference to send the documents of the basis of union agreed upon by the joint committee, to the district meetings for consideration, and the annual conference of 1911, for consideration, and adoption or rejection, the conference to report their decisions and votes thereon, with any additional information deemed desirable by them, to the general conference special committee, immediately after the close of the conference of 1911.

Also, further, that the general conference authorize the general conference special committee, after the reports of decisions and votes on the proposed basis of union have been received from the annual conference, if the reports from the annual conferences warrant such action, further to send the documents of the basis of union to the quarterly official boards and also to the membership of the church for consideration and adoption or rejection, during the year 1911-12, the results of the decisions and votes of quarterly official boards and of the membership to be reported in 1912 and transmitted through the district meetings and annual conferences of 1912 to the general conference special committee, which shall further be authorized, if the tabulated results of all the voting of annual conferences, quarterly official boards and the membership of the church, seem in the judgment of the general conference special committee to warrant further action, in its discretion to call a special meeting of the general conference, further to consider the matter of consummating the proposed union.

Memorial of Alberta conference re union with the evangelical association. Your committee make the following recommendations:

Whereas it is desirable, especially in the newer districts, where population is very scattered, to conserve all Christian forces as much as possible; and whereas in many portions of our country, there is much overlapping on the part of our work and that of the evangelical association; and whereas the evangelical association in doctrine and policy is in substantial agreement with the Methodist church.

Therefore we recommend that the general conference declare itself in favor of approaching the said body with a view to organic union, and hereby authorize our general superintendent to open negotiations with the said evangelical association, with such object when in the opinion of the general conference special committee the time seems opportune so to do.

Explains Paragraph

In explaining the first two paragraphs Chancellor Burwash said that the Methodist church intended going on with the movement step by step and co-ordinately with the Presbyterian and Congregational churches. The matter was to be laid before the different conferences, district boards and finally before the congregations of the church.

A number of amendments relative to the time that the basis of union should be submitted to the congregations were moved. One speaker, the Rev. O. Darwin, of Regina, considered that the question of union had been so long in the air that it was about time that it was brought down to the ground. There were congregations holding back the work of the church waiting for the consummation of this movement. The church should put itself in harmony with the resolution already passed on union.

Rev. Dr. W. R. Young, of Montreal, deprecated any union which did not receive the vote of the people in the church. The church members were awaiting the action of the general conference. Two years time was not too long for the people to discuss this important question. There were many prejudices to be overcome. The city which he came from (Montreal) was not as strong in favor of the movement as was generally thought.

The Rev. Dr. S. P. Rose, of Toronto, said that if the movement was not consummated in two years' time he had grave fears for the outcome.

The amendments were defeated and the report adopted in toto.

The following general conference committee was appointed to act during the ensuing quadrienium: From Toronto conference; clerical, Rev. W. H. Hincks, D. D., Rev. J. A. Rankin, D.D.; laymen, Mr. N. W. Rowell, K. C., Hon. E. J. Davis, Hon. Thomas Crawford. London conference; clerical, Rev. R. Millyard, Rev. J. E. Ford; laymen, Mr. C. S. Naylor, Hamilton conference, clerical, Rev. J. G. Antcliff, D. D.; laymen, Mr. M. S. Schell, M. P., Mr. J. B. Reynolds, P. A. Bay of Quinte conference, clerical, Rev. W. H. Emsley; laymen, Mr. W. H. Hopper, Mr. T. E. O'Flynn. Montreal conference, clerical, Rev. C. S. Deeprose, Rev. W. Philips; laymen, Mr. C. W. Cate, K. C. Eastern conferences (comprising New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Newfoundland) clerical, Rev. H. Sprague, D. D., Rev. G. J. Bond, B. A.; laymen, Hon. H. J. B. Woods. Western conference (comprising Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia) clerical, Rev. J. W. Sparling, D.D.; Rev. R. N. Powell; laymen, Mr. E. Michner, J. E. Middlemiss.

Delegates to the Methodist Episcopal church conference South have been appointed as follows: Clerical, Rev. Dr. S. P. Rose, of Toronto and lay, Mr. G. F. Johnson, of Montreal.

The two lay vacancies on the board of missions were filled as follows; Mr. W. H. Lambley, Toronto and Mr. C. B. Keenlyside, Regina.

Farewells were said to the conference yesterday by the Rev. Dr. H. H. DuBois, delegate from the Methodist Episcopal churches South, U. S. A. and by Bishop Hond delegate from the Japan Methodist church. Both of them spoke appropriately wishing the Methodist Church of Canada all prosperity in the great work it had undertaken in the dealing with the problems with which it was confronted.

Committee on Education.

Report number two of the committee on education one of the most important to come before the conference, will be presented in the course of today's sessions. The report is appended:

Re Memorials 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 15, 16, 20, 21, 22, we Recommend:

Whereas it is of supreme importance to the well being of our church that the teaching in all our colleges, schools and institutions should be in accord with the standards of doctrine and articles of religion set forth in our discipline, and also that the professors and teachers in said colleges schools and institutions be protected in the free and proper discharge of their duty, we recommend the following.

Insert the following clause in discipline after paragraph 279, as 279a:

No teaching or preaching shall be allowed in any college, school or other connexional education institution nor shall any person teach or be permitted to teach therein, any doctrine contrary to or inconsistent with the standards of doctrine and articles of religion of the Methodist church and it shall be the duty of the governing persons, boards, presidents and other chief officers of such colleges, schools and institution to see that this provision is strictly observed.

Insert a new paragraph in Discipline after Paragraph 254 as No 254a, as follows:

(1) Whenever a specific complaint is made in writing and signed by five members or ministers of the Methodist Church, charging a Professor lecturer or teacher in any college, school or other connexional educational institution with teaching or preaching, or with disseminating views or teaching contrary to or inconsistent with the standards of doctrine or articles of religion of the Methodist church to the governing persons, Boards, presidents or any chief officer of such college, school or institution of which the person charged is a professor, lecturer or teacher, the said governing persons or boards of such college, school or institution shall be called together immediately and such complaint or charge shall be laid before it or them, and the said governing persons or boards shall at once consider said complaints and if in their or its judgment the said complaint or complaints is or are of a serious character, the said governing persons or board shall forthwith transmit the said complaint or complaints to the board of education for action thereon as hereinafter provided. In case the complaint is not considered of a serious character as in this clause provided the said governing persons or board may refuse to entertain it, in which case the complaints may appeal to the court of appeals as in the case of appeal from decisions of presiding officers, and in case the court of appeal is of the opinion that the complaint is of a serious character the said governing persons or board shall forthwith forward it to the board of education as in this clause provided.

(2) The board of education shall upon receiving any complaint or complaints from any college board under the provision of this paragraph select five persons, being ministers of good repute for their knowledge of questions of doctrine who shall constitute the committee of trial in the case, and name the presiding officer who shall be one of the general superintendents and who shall have all the powers and duties belonging to said officer.

All the principles and procedure relating to trials, as set forth in the discipline, shall mutatis mutandis be followed.

(3) If the person against whom the complaint is made is a minister or probationer for the ministry of the Methodist church, either the complainants or the persons complained against, may appeal from the decision given in respect of such complaint to the next ensuing annual conference to which the minister or probationer belongs, that is to say, to the ministerial members thereof in special session.

(4) The committee of trial shall forward a copy of their decision to the complainant, the party complained against, and the college board of which the party complained against is a professor, lecturer, or teacher.

Amend paragraph 284 of discipline by inserting a new sub-paragraph after sub-paragraph (3) as follows:

In case a complaint is received by the board from any college board, as provided in paragraph 254a, the board shall appoint a committee of trial as provided in said paragraph and name the presiding officer thereof.

CANADA'S NAVY

Service Paper Makes Comment—Interest in Queen's Own Rifles Visit to England.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The Army and Navy Chronicle says: "Canada aims at training her own personnel. Mistakes will surely be made, but Canada is in earnest, and will ultimately build up a navy that will count."

Lord Crewe, replying to the suggestion that opposition members should participate in the Imperial conference, did not think such a departure convenient for this or for any other countries.

The army is looking forward with the keenest interest to the arrival of the Queen's Own Rifles of Toronto. Every preparation is being made for their reception at Rushmoor green. The first part of the performance takes them over Monday. Thence there will be field training uninterrupted till September 12. Probably some civic entertainment will be offered in London. The government is making special arrangements for the regiment to visit the Tower of London and King George will probably inspect them at Buckingham Palace.

FAST AUTO DRIVING

Contestant at Elgin, Ill., Rate Averages Over Sixty Miles in Long Race

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 26.—Out of a potpourri of road-races over the new 8½-mile course here today, three drivers and three cars emerged with distinguished honors. A Livingston spinning a mile a minute for 203.35 miles, annexed the major event, the Illinois trophy, with a National. C. D. Bulick, who drove half of his race with one spring suspension broken, captured the Kane County trophy, covering the 169.46 miles in 3:04:45. A Hearn, who drove his own entry, a Benz, in the smal car contest, took the Fox River trophy. His time for the 135.57 miles was 2:30:04. Livingstone averaged 60.6 miles an hour. Bulick 55 miles and Ahearn 54. The pilot of the National made the entire trip without stopping, without even hesitating, in fact. Ahearn was similarly fortunate. Ned Kane, in a Stave-Chicago car, had consistently worked from fourth place to second, for which he had a lead over Miller, the Warren-Detroit pilot.

Thieves Cart Away a Safe

BRANDON, August 26.—Burglars visited five places of business here last night, but the loot was small, except on the McLean Piano Company's premises, where, unable to break open a safe, they removed it bodily, having a wagon with them apparently. The safe, which weighed about a quarter of a ton, only contained about $70.

Sir Wilfrid's Journey

VANCOUVER, Aug. 26.—The special train conveying Sir Wilfrid Laurier and party back to the East left Vancouver yesterday morning, with Kamloops as the first stopping place, where the premier had a reception last night, and on Saturday evening the party will reach Nelson, staying there overnight. The departure from Vancouver was quiet. A number of the Liberal Association accompanied the special, including Messrs. Robert Kelly, A. M. Tyson, J. H. Kilroy, Harry Senkler, and also Reeve McNaught, of North Vancouver.

MORE REVISIONS OF DEATH LIST

Latest Report From Fire-Swept Districts Places Number of Dead at 185 and Missing at Ninety-eight

RANGER HALM'S PARTY NOW REPORTED SAFE

Many Fire-Fighters' Lives Lost Through Own Disobedience—Fate of One Party of Eighteen

MISSOULA, Mont., Aug. 26.—A compilation made today by the office of Field District, No. 1, forest service, embracing the entire burned district in Idaho and Monntana, gives 85 as the number of known dead in the employ of the service. Eighty-three employees are missing and still unaccounted for. Complete returns have not yet been received from the Coeur d'Alene region in the vicinity of Wallace, Idaho. When these are in it is thought the list of missing will be materially reduced.

The missing include the following: Ranger Hollingshead's crew on Big Creek, 23 men; Ranger Thenon's crew at Indian Lake, 34 men; at the Setzer creek camps, 6 men; Ranger Halm's crew, 16 men.

The discrepancy in the number of men in Halm's crew, which has been reported from Wallace to consist of 70 men, and which according to the records of the district office is only composed of 16, can be explained through the fact that the original party consisted of 70, but after starting out many were transferred, and some discharged, reducing the number of the party to sixteen. The district office is still hopeful that the Halm party is safe.

The party was made up of the following individuals: Ranger Joseph B. Halm, Wm. Rogers, Joseph Burnes, John Miller, Jas. Bates, Lewis Walheim, Oscar Henderson, A. Sunstrom, Job Sobi, James Whalen, Fred Utz, Chas. Cronin, Wm. Kidd, J. C. Little, Fred Mill and T. J. Carlson.

Search For Halm

SPOKANE, Aug. 26.—Forest Ranger Joseph B. Halm, who is believed by Supervisor Weigle and Head Ranger Deblitt to have perished with 15 men in the mountains at the head waters of the St. Joe river, Idaho, had a large force at the beginning of his expedition, but sent 70 men out because of a lack of provisions. Chief Forester F. A. Silcox, of Missoula, who arrived at Wallace today, still hopes that Halm will be saved. He has sent Forester Priscoe Haines to find Halm. Haines took three men, and went ahead, and a pack of twenty horses and a trail cutting crew will follow. Ranger Louis Fitting and a party of 34, who went into the upper Clearwater by way of Lost Horse pass, have not been heard from since the big fire of Saturday and Sunday, and rescue parties are searching for them. Supervisor Perh reported today that conditions on the Clearwater and Salmon rivers are much better.

"It is impossible," said Forester Silcox today, "to give any estimate of the area of the timber burned or its value. Not until after the rains come do we make an estimate. After the rains crews will be sent to estimate the losses by townships, and the forestry bureau will tabulate the losses and extent of the burned districts."

Courted Their Fate

Halm is the only college man reported dead thus far. Guards Stewart and Robinson, identified at Avery, were men of the regular establishment, but nearly all of the dead were emergency men, sent out by employment agencies in the cities. Stories told by survivors indicate that if the employees had been under discipline and had obeyed orders the loss of life would have been much less. One ranger kept his men from stampeding by threatening them with a rifle. Near Avery twenty men, warned to flee for their lives, started down the mountain till they found a clearing, went into camp and perished. On Setzer creek the 24 men who died had been warned to leave, but they were comfortable in camp, and declined to move. On Setzer creek also one man who disobeyed orders was obliged to shoot himself to escape cremation, while his 89 obedient comrades were only singed. The forest service did not employ the 13 men killed at the Big fork of the Coeur d'Alene, and these men should be stricken from the list of the service's dead. On the other hand, Ranger Lee Hollingshead, in the St. Joe district, lost 11 men, not 14, as at first reported. A homeseeker at St. Joe today described the death of twelve men, mostly foreigners, on Big creek. These were probably not foresters. On the north side of the St. Joe river the area burned over is 15 miles in width and 30 miles long. On the south side of the St. Joe river the fires are very serious and extensive.

Buried Together

Eighteen fire fighters, who served under Forest Ranger Lee Hollingshead are buried at Ditman's cabin, twelve miles from Piles' ranch in the St. Joe district. All that identifies the men is a roughly pencilled card bearing the inscription "eighteen men buried here."

There were Scandinavians and Americans in the party. There were 26 men at the cabin under the immediate supervision of Ed. Maloney, Maloney, W. Corbitt, E. R. Kendall, a man named Allen, Tom Long and Peter Peadleton escaped. The Dittman cabin is about 2,000 feet up the mountain in the Big creek district, and was surrounded on three sides by dense forests. To the north was a plateau that had been burned clear. The men that escaped from the camp found refuge here until the fire had passed. "Early Saturday morning," said Corbitt, "we noticed that there were several small fires around us. Every time we looked around the fire seemed to have started in a new place. Pretty soon the cabin began to burn, and the trees and brush all around it. I jumped into the ravine and made my escape. When Pendleton jumped into the creek bed all his clothing had been burned off except his underwear and his shoes. We could not get back to the cabin until Wednesday to bury the dead. Ten of the men were found in a hollow just south of the cabin. The men had gone there thinking they might find water, but the place was dry. The bodies of two Swedes, brothers, were found lying across each other, face downward. One man had stayed in the cabin. All that was left of him was his backbone. Five bodies were found on a little flat north of the cabin. A body was found right at the edge of the clearing, his hands clutching a fallen log."

Halm Party Safe.

MISSOULA Mont., Aug. 26—The missing Halm party of 16 has been found safe, according to a dispatch received tonight by District Forester Greely from Bonner, Idaho.

Revised Death List.

SPOKANE, Aug. 26.—The revised list of dead in forest fires is: United States forestry employes (official figures) 104; settlers and loggers in St. Joe valley, Idaho (estimated) 50; on Big Fork near Wallace, 13; at bullion mine, Montant, 8; at Wallace, Ida. 4; at Newport, Wash.; Mullan, Ida., and Spokane, 6; total 185.

Missing: Three camps in Clearwater country, 28; Ranger Louis Fitting and party 34; Ranger Thenon and party, 34; Setzer creek rangers, 5; total, 98.

The forest supervision's office at Wallace, Ida., tonight declined to give out a statement of the number of its fire fighters known to be dead, saying its books were in confusion. The Missoula district officers stated that 86 men were known to be dead.

The Missoula office places Ranger Hollingshead's 23 crew in the list of missing, whereas 18 of the men are dead and buried; hence the official list of dead foresters is 104.

Blue Mountain Fires.

WALLA WALLA, Aug. 26.—According to Assistant Forester Unzer, of the local office, Gov. Hay will be asked tomorrow to detail company "K" of the Washington national guard to assist in fighting forest fires in Looking Glass canyon, near Tollgate, in the Blue Mountains. A heavy wind is driving the flames, and the situation is rapidly growing more serious, with flames less than two miles from the settlement at Tollgate. Another gang of fighters was sent to the mountains today, but as the wind veered to all points of the compass within a few moments, the men dared not venture within fighting distance for fear of being caught. People who have been in camp near Tollgate have fled to the valley, where dense smoke now smarts the eyes and burns the lungs. No word has been received today from guard returned today from the endeavoring to control the fire near Elgin, Ore. Company "K" of the national guard reutrned today from the encampment at American lake.

Rainbow On Her Way.

LAS PALMAS, Canary Is, Aug. 26.—The Canadian cruiser Rainbow arrived here today on her way to Esquimalt. She leaves tomorrow.

Deserter Surrenders.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Aug. 26.—Charles Martin, who says he is a deserter from the N.W.M.P. in Alberta surrendered himself to the chief of police here today.

For Eucharistic Congress

LONDON, Aug. 26—Clergy and laity of the Roman Catholic church nombering about 270 left Euston today to embark at Liverpool for Montreal. Canon Gauthier, representing the Montreal reception committee, escorts the delegates to Canada.

Fire in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, August 26. — Last night, at about half-past ten, an alarm of fire was given from Water street. It was found that the Pacific Fruit and Produce Agency's store was on fire, and as this is a wooden building, the absence of wind was fortunate. This place stands between the Edward Hotel and the Temperance Hotel. The brigade, which was quickly on the scene, soon had the flames under control, and confined them to the building where they originated, conducting the fight from both front and rear. Fruit and vegetables were stored in the place, and what with fire, smoke, water and chemicals they will be worthless.

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A. L. ELLIS,
Per J. Dubois, Agent.
August 2, 1910.

SOOKE LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sooke.

TAKE NOTICE that Leone Dubois, married woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 112; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

Per J. Dubois, Agent.
August 2, 1910.

SOOKE LAND DISTRICT.

District of Sooke.

TAKE NOTICE that I, L. Harrington Ellis, clerk, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 112; thence west 74 chains, more or less, to the western boundary of lot 93; thence north 70 chains, more or less, to the northeast corner of lot 93; thence east 64 chains, more or less, to the east boundary of lot 92; thence south 30 chains, more or less, to the southwest corner of lot 95; thence along the southerly boundary of lot 95, 10 chains, more or less; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

L. H. ELLIS,
Per J. Dubois, Agent.
August 2, 1910.

LAND ACT.

Sayward Land District, District of Sayward.

TAKE NOTICE, that James A. Campbell of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, storekeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of James A. Campbell's claim, situate in the vicinity of Cahnish Bay, Valdez Island, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north to shore; thence along shore south and east to this post.

JAMES A. CAMPBELL,
MELVIN R. HARTFIELD,
Agent.
Dated 28th of June, 1910.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an application for Duplicates of Certificates of Title to Lots 16 and 17 and 5, Block 5 (Map 283), Victoria City.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue Duplicates of Certificates of Title to said lands issued to James Watson Meldram, on the 15th day of October, 1890, and 26th day of May 1893, and numbered respectively 10648 (4) and 14431 (a).

J. P. McLEOD.
Deputy Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., the 27th day of May, 1910.

Rushing Work on Savoy

LONDON, Aug. 25.—What is probably the most remarkable building feat which London has yet seen is now in progress on the Victoria Embankment. Though it is only a few years since the Savoy hotel was rebuilt, the management finding it necessary to enlarge further its accommodation, have decided to add two extra storys to the building, and in order that there should be as little interruption of business as possible they have contracted with the builders to complete the job in two months. Nine hundred men are employed on it, working in three shifts, night and day, Sundays included.

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