

Field Athletics This Week

James Bays Present an Attractive Programme for Next Saturday.

Wheeling Celebrities Making Local Dates--The Shooting for Spoons.

In connection with the big field day meeting of the J. B. A. A. next Saturday at Oak Bay park, the committee in charge have been very busy during the week just closed, and preparations may be spoken of as now approaching perfection. Entries will positively close tomorrow evening at 8, when the already large list should be materially added to Tuesday evening handicap session of the committee of management, and by that time the end of the preliminary work will be fairly in sight.

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THE WHEEL. Goodson Will Come. Arrangements for the fall race meet at the Grand Forks track, which have been delayed for a week or two pending definite information as to the possibility of securing Ben Augustus, the world champion, to appear and establish five-mile champion of the world, are now to be pushed forward with energy. Goodson has expressed a willingness to come to Victoria, but to bring T. B. McCarthy, the fast Canadian, and all the others who are accompanying him back to Australia. They will visit in Vancouver, Victoria, and Seattle, and then return to the United States.

YACHTING. The Henrietta Awar.

After a pleasant visit of several days to Victoria, Captain George U. Piper and his associates of the yacht Henrietta, fitted anchor in the harbor yesterday, and sailed away with a brisk breeze and delightful sunshine. For gambles and objective points, and the yachtsmen expect to return to Seattle in time for next Sunday's services. The yacht was seen en route in the harbor, and flying the V. Y. C. flag, there being no race on for the day.

HOCKEY. Victoria Hockey Club.

The members of this club are reminded of the postponed annual general meeting, which takes place to-morrow night. All who possibly can are requested to attend.

THE RIFLE. Third Spoons Shoot.

The following list of scores in the third spoon shoot of the Victoria Garri-son Artillery Rifle Association, held on Clover Point range yesterday afternoon:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Score. Includes names like G. J. Caven, R. J. Butler, E. McLaughlin, etc.

SURGERY RESTORES REASON.

An Interesting Triumph of Science and Skill Reported From Vancouver. Vancouver, Sept. 9.—There is a great deal of interest manifested in the city at the prospect of a successful surgical operation for insanity performed by Dr. McNaughton. Some three years ago Capt. Doherty was incarcerated in the asylum for the insane and was pronounced incurable. Capt. Doherty's monomania was spiritualism. Recently a phrenologist declared to Dr. McNaughton that he believed that the case of the man could be cured if the pressure on the brain cells indicated by phrenologists as overstimulated was relieved. It was decided that this was the way, and the operation was performed. Three weeks ago the operation was performed, two or three buttons being taken from the skull where the pressure was apparent. Capt. Doherty has since been pronounced sane by the medical board, and has been discharged from the asylum and is at present engaged in his trade as ship carpenter.

BIG SMUGGLING Interesting Case Told of by Arrivals on the Tees--Skagway Has an Earthquake.

Fog Is Responsible for the Filling of the Wood-bury.

Walla Walla Has a Hard Trip--Salmon From the North.

The American bark Theobald (302 tons, Captain Cameron), which left here some weeks ago with coal for the little known port of Unga Island, is back in the Roads again, awaiting orders. She had sailed south eighteen days ago, and sighted but one vessel in the entire course of her going and returning, and was supposed to have been the mysterious barkentine that has kept all the local shipping folk guessing for weeks past. Walla at Unga Island and a good many learned from the resident agent of the Alaska Commercial Company at Wood Island that their schooner Woodbury had gone ashore on one of the Unga islands, in dense fog, while en route from Kodiak to Unga Island for coal for the week ago to-day, making the buildings around the very foundations were being given away, and noticeable by this through the swaying of the electric lamps, as though in a strong North wind. The fog was done, but the sensation was entirely new to Skagwayans.

Northern Craft In Trouble.

DELAYED BY ROUGH WEATHER.

GOSSIP OF THE WATER FRONT.

The Tees brings very little treasure on this trip, but according to the report of Mr. Munro, much over \$5,000 or \$6,000. She had 46 passengers down, including some other Victorians A. L. Belyea, who was in the last summer's cruise, and connection with some mining appeals. W. H. Price, who has been over-riding the shipment of freight down the coast, is at the head of the unique enterprise. Mr. F. Romo, formerly of San Francisco, is at the head of the unique enterprise. According to the Skagway-Atlin Budget, the people of the Lynn Canal water at present arranging for wholesale and retail trade in lumber, and the premises by the bringing of some 320 vacant buildings on scows from Deseray. Mr. F. Romo, formerly of San Francisco, is at the head of the unique enterprise.

Texada's Rich Mines.

Splendid Specimens From New Strikes on Van Anda Properties.

The Smelter Town Fairly Booming--Capacity to Be Immediately Doubled.

The stockholders of the Van Anda mines had an opportunity yesterday to inspect the specimens of the two latest finds on their properties at Texada Island, Mr. L. J. Seymour having arrived down from the smelter town, bringing with him a large piece of borate from the Copper Queen which is the admiration of all experts who have seen it. A fine body of this ore is in sight, and contains the full maximum of its class--66.5 per cent of copper.

Two Brides For The Klondike

Nuptials of Mr. Merman and Dawson and Miss Frank.

Salvation Soldiers Join Their Fortunes--A Wedding at Seattle.

There was a very charming wedding solemnized at the Temple Emanuel hall on Blanchard street yesterday evening--a wedding which besides being so perfect in the completion of all its arrangements, to challenge criticism even by the ladies, at the same time completes a dainty romance, and therein becomes doubly interesting. The groom was Mr. E. Merman, of Dawson, a gentleman who until two years ago was one of the active, wide-awake business men of this city, a resident of ten years standing, but who, going quick to realize the opportunities of the Klondike, "got in with the early pioneers" of the new camp, and thereby made a fortune. When he left to seek his share of the Yukon's gold he determined that when he had done so he would return to win a bride in the old city of his affection, Victoria, and his fortune coming to him just as he had determined it should, the second chapter of his life plan also developed happily. The bride is, or rather was, Miss Bertha Frank, eldest daughter of Mr. E. Frank, formerly well known as a merchant of Government stock, who also has been a prominent figure in Klondike opportunity. She was betrothed for her marriage in white silk, believed with the additional well and beautiful attire, and a magnificent wedding canopy, the hall being also tastefully decorated with evergreens and flowers for the auspicious occasion. Believing in the bride building to the very doors, the bride was supported by Mr. and Mrs. Simon Lesieur, and Miss Bertha Frank, her sister, Pauline and Marian Frank, her sisters, dressed in white silk, most becomingly. Both brides wore a crown of flowers, and congratulations were showered on the young couple by many scores of friends, the wedding party then sitting down to a sumptuous banquet, followed in style by a charmingly informal reception and a dance. Afterwards Mr. and Mrs. Merman took the train for Vancouver, where a few days will be spent, the honeymooning then continued to embrace the cities of Seattle and Tacoma. Next week they leave for Dawson, where the groom's interests demand his personal attention.

CONDITIONS CHANGING.

DAWSON PAPER HEREFTER WILL SELL FOR TEN CENTS.

CANADA NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Mr. Mackenzie Speaks of the Prospect for This Latest Enterprise of His Firm. From the Montreal Gazette. "The Canada Northern is a pretty good name," says Mr. William Mackenzie, who is in connection with the project. He says that the project is a very important one, and that it will be a great success. He says that the project is a very important one, and that it will be a great success. He says that the project is a very important one, and that it will be a great success.

THE DOOMED GOVERNMENT.

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LOVE IS ALL.

A Reply to Edwin Markham--By Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

This poem was written by Mrs. Wilcox as a protest against the sentiments expressed in "The Man with the Hoe." Let labor boldly walk abroad, let the farmer tread the soil with his hoe, for who has labored more than God, the maker of all things? The time has come, ay, even now it is, for God's great in heaven placed on earth. With other fairy tales, Way, he began all with himself. He was so full of force. He sang the solar systems on their hold, and bulled worlds on worlds; and not content he burs will; when mighty suns are spurs on his white-hot anvils--New stars to tell his glory and His grace.

A CHECK TO JAMAICA.

IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT WILL NOT PERMIT PROPOSED TREATY WITH UNITED STATES.

From the Toronto Globe. Ottawa, Aug. 30.—According to advices from Kingston, Jamaica, Mr. John W. Kasson, for the United States, and the Jamaican delegates, who were in Washington and Ottawa early in July, have negotiated a reciprocity treaty between the republic and the colony, whereby, it is stated, the United States is to grant to Jamaica a duty-free entry of sugar, citrus fruits and pineapples 50 per cent of the present tariff. Jamaica, in return, will grant to the United States American goods to the amount of \$120,000 annually. Doubtless this dispatch will be received with some apprehension by Canadian exporters, who of late have been working up a highly successful trade with the island of Jamaica. It is rather curious that the Jamaica government will not permit to put into force any reciprocal agreement which discriminates against Canada. Before this entorpy was signed in Washington Sir Richard Carr-Saunders, a prominent member of the cabinet, which was proposed by the United States. The Minister of Trade and Commerce communicated with Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain, and pointed out that Canada is subsidizing the Pickford & Black line of steamships plying between Jamaica, St. John and Halifax, and that the United States was doing nothing to aid in increasing the prosperity of the island, but was, on the contrary, trying to monopolize the whole import trade of the island. Mr. Chamberlain's answer was terse and forcible. It was to the effect that the Imperial government would advise Her Majesty to disallow any Jamaican-American treaty that would discriminate against Canada in the slightest degree. The cable from Kingston, printed in to-day's newspapers, states that "the agreement is sure to be as successful as the British concession to the United States concession will be to the American sugar planters and orange growers. But Jamaica's prosperity in Victoria has been consulted and the colonial office is to be subsidized steamship lines to nullify the arrangement." It is evident that the Chamberlain's determination on the question, but it is rather curious that the members of the government of the island should have any hope that the Imperial authorities would sanction an anti-Canadian treaty. British tariff for Jamaica, when the Bondiaine treaty was disallowed. In his communication to the United States, the Jamaican government would take part in protesting against the allowance of the treaty, but it is pretty certain that they will not do so, and will witness the alienation of the Jamaican trade. And all the opposition to the treaty will come from the Dominion and the British government. State Senator Darby, of Florida, who is at present in Ottawa, has been very active in the growth of Mississippi and Alabama and the proprietors of Florida orange groves.

CHAOS IN VENEZUELA.

PONCE, PORTO RICO, SEPT. 11.—THE STEAMER PHILADELPHIA, CAPT. CHAMBERS,

from Venezuela north, brings news of the spread of revolution and the waning strength of the government. The insurgent leader, Gen. Cifuentes Castro, has 10,000 men under his command. According to the same authority, a strict censorship of cable dispatches has been ordered. The matter is freely opened and a close watch is kept upon outgoing passengers.

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