YOUNG LAWYERS ADMITTED TO BAR

Hon. Charles Pooley, Oldest Member of Profession, Presents the Candidates

(From Monday's Daily.)

This morning the following gentlemen were presented before Mr. Justice Clement in the Supreme court by Hon. C. E. Pooley, treasurer of the Law Society of British Columbia and the oldest barrister in the province, and admitted to the bar:

For call—Edgar Newton Brown, Harold Claude Nelson McKim, Athelstan George Harvey, George Lewis Taschereau, John Harold Slaughton, Frederick Armand McDiarmid, Angus Wylie Cameron, John Archibald Haviland, Charles Bell Buddle, Vernon Hastings Shaw.

For admission—Brown, McKim, Harvey, Taschereau, Claughton, McDiarmid, Arthur Alexander, Angus Wylie Cameron and Angus Frederick Ross Mackintosh (equal), Haviland, Buddle, Shaw, Leslie Cleland Ford.

The following results of the recent examinations are announced:

Preliminary—Edward Bruce Irving, R. A. Braden, W. B. Burnside, L. W. Cottingham, W. J. Bowser, G. M. Whittington.

First intermediate—G. W. McKeen, A. D. Macfarlane, W. O. Fulton, Chas. Saint, D. G. Campbell, E. A. Burnett.

Second intermediate—G. E. Housser, G. L. Cassady, T. Todrick, G. R. McQueen, D. S. Montgomery, A. W. Milligan and A. E. McCaul (equal), H. G. Lockwood, John Stafford.

STORM IN KOOTENAY.

Nelson, July 2.—On Tuesday occurred one of the worst storms on the main lake that has been seen for several years. Three of Nelson's motor fleet had an experience that will long be remembered by them. H. Nelson's Elk and Gelignite and the Atlanta, belonging to Hon. F. E. Grosvenor, were bound for Nelson, and when in the vicinity of Coffee creek and Queen's bay the storm, which had been brewing for some time, developed into a hurricane. The Elk and Gelignite reached the river at Proctor in safety, but the Atlanta, twenty minutes behind them, came in for the worst of it. Her engine hatches were lifted off bodily and flung in the air like paper and after shipping quantities of water and having her engine-room flooded, she eventually made the river in comparative safety.

CLOSING EXERCISES AT ST. LOUIS COLLEGE

Boys Receive Handsome Medals Presented by Dr. J. J. Murtagh

The closing exercises of St. Louis College were held on Thursday morning, but owing to the lack of an assembly hall it was impossible to invite parents. Bishop Macdonald presided and with him were Rev. Father Leterme, Rev. Father Gillis and Dr. J. J. Murtagh.

The boys have done exceptionally well during the term, showing the ability of the teaching staff, and were complimented highly by the bishop, who addressed them in terms of kindly commendation and advice.

A feature of the day was the presentation of two valuable and highly artistic medals to the two head boys, the medals being given by Dr. Murtagh. These were designed and manufactured by Andernach & Co., and are undoubtedly by far the handsomest medals ever given for scholastic competition here. Alfred Belanger won the gold medal as a special prize for exemplary conduct and general progress, and Hildreth Lawless the silver and gold medal as a second prize for good conduct. Belanger got 855 marks out of 900 and Lawless 715 marks.

Medal presented to head boys of St. Louis College by Dr. J. J. Murtagh.

These medals were given with the permission and approval of Bishop Macdonald. At the close of the proceedings his lordship referred in feeling terms to the coming departure of Dr. Murtagh, who is a cultured and highly-trained instructor, and to his generous action in presenting the medals.

Dr. Murtagh, who is understood to have come into a princely fortune by a late decision of the Irish courts, leaves for Dublin as soon as the privy council has decided an appeal. Meanwhile he is remaining here and carrying on his music classes.

LACROSSE AT LADYSMITH.

(Special Correspondence.)

Ladysmith, July 2.—Nanaimo won the lacrosse game here on Friday, defeating Ladysmith by 9 to 4. There was no scoring the first quarter. The second quarter saw Nanaimo with a score of 3 to the locals' nothing. Ladysmith scored twice in the third quarter and Nanaimo four times. In the last quarter the visitors brought their total up to 9, while the home boys only added two more to theirs. The game was an easy win for Nanaimo.

A short but excellent list of boat and canoe races ended the day's sports, the eleven paddle canoe race, as usual coming in for the greatest share of interest. The launch races were also very exciting and a large fleet of local boats turned out for this event, showing that Ladysmith is well to the fore in this favorite form of amusement.

SHIPMENTS EXCEED MILLION TONS

Half Year's Output of Kootenay Mines—Over 400 Men at Work in Sheep Creek Camp

Nelson, B. C., July 4.—The feature of the past week in mining circles is the growth attained by the Sheep Creek camp, near Salmo on the line of the Great Northern, a few miles south of Nelson. At the present time over four hundred men are at work on the various properties. New strikes of free milling ore are reported daily, and during the next two months sensational developments may reasonably be expected. The West Kootenay Power & Light Company, of Bonnington Falls, will put a force of men at work to-day to cut the way for a direct line from Bonnington to Sheep Creek. When the line is installed, electric power will be supplied to all the mines and mills, and progress will consequently be very rapid.

In the lower level of the well-known Nugget a ledge of 11 feet in width has been discovered and proved; 9 feet wide of which ore is said to run $100. This discovery was announced some days ago, but the actual facts have only been proved now.

On the Devlin, owned by G. P. Wells, of the Hume hotel here, and W. C. Devlin, a fine ledge 14 feet wide has been discovered, and traced clear into the adjoining Clyde Belt, owned by the Britannia N. & S. Co. The paystreak is 3 feet wide and averages $100, while the 14 feet will average $10.50, free milling ore. Another good strike is reported on the Mother Lode in No. 4 tunnel, which is now in 550 feet. Many mining men and prospectors have gone into the camp of late, and beyond question Sheep Creek and the surrounding country will be a scene of great activity for the rest of the summer.

The ore shipments for the first half of the year from Kootenay show a good increase over the same period last year. The figures are: 1910, 1,194,332 tons; 1909, 908,000 tons. The smelter receipts for the same period show relatively the same satisfactory increases.

VICTORIA ATHLETES WIN AT LADYSMITH

Sweeney Wins Half-Mile—Local Trio is First in the Relay Race

Ladysmith, B. C., July 2.—The largest crowd that ever attended any kind of sports in this city were out in full force yesterday afternoon to enjoy the programme mapped out in celebration of Dominion Day. Baseball, lacrosse and foot races filled the bill and they were all exciting from the start until the finish.

The Chemainus nine won from the locals in the ball game by the score of seven runs to nil.

The hundred-yard dash was won by Joe Evans, a University of Washington athlete, who is visiting here at the present time. Bert MacKay, of the Victoria J. B. A. A., was second.

The half-mile open was won by John P. Sweeney, of the J. B. A. A., with W. Day second. Sweeney also won the quarter-mile from a field of a dozen starters, with Christmas, of Duncan, second and Evans, Seattle, third. Mackay finished second but was disqualified for fouling.

The feature of the day's sport was the relay race, for which there were teams entered from Victoria, Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Duncan and Chemainus. The Victoria trio won out after a close finish with Ladysmith. The Victoria team was composed of R. MacKay, W. Day and John P. Sweeney.

In the evening the celebration was brought to a fitting close when a big dance was held, which lasted until the early hours of the morning. A large crowd attended and to-day Ladysmith is recovering from one of the finest and best managed celebrations that they have had for years.

BOY LOSES LIFE.

Armstrong, July 2.—A sad drowning accident occurred in Mara, in Spallumcheen river, near the station. S. Tatala's children, with some others, were playing near the river bank, and his oldest boy, a little over six years old, fell off a raft into the river. There being only some small children present, it was some time before help arrived, and in all over twenty minutes elapsed before the body was found. Friends worked on the body for over an hour before giving up hope.

WILL INSPECT RANGERS.

Rossland, July 2.—Col. Peters will inspect the local company of the Rocky Mountain Rangers on July 18th. This is the first inspection he has conducted here since his appointment to the command of the district. There is a total strength of forty-two.

CLOSING EXERCISES AT OTTER POINT SCHOOL

Enjoyable Programme Provided by Pupils—Presentation of Rolls of Honor

(Special Correspondence.)

Sooke, July 2.—The closing exercises of the Otter Point school for midsummer vacation took place on Thursday. The regretable feature was that it was the farewell of Miss Mann, a teacher beloved by all. It was owing to her helpful interest that the school was furnished with modern up-to-date seats and blackboards. The programme included addresses, presenting rolls of honor for proficiency and merit, parting gifts to pupils, and a well-executed march. The resident missionary acted as chairman. A sumptuous repast of fruit, candies and cake was provided. The programme follows:

Chairman's address .....
Song—"Spring's Arrival" .....School
Recitation—"Grandma Pays the Bill" .....Julia Emerson
Recitation—"Wishes" ..Daisy Margison
Presentation of Rolls of Honor.... .....Teacher Miss Mann
Song—"Fairie's Lullaby ....Girls of School
Recitation—"Charlie's Opinions of a Baby" .....David Harris
Recitation—"The Robin and the Chicken" .....Lily Clark
Recitation—"Jack and Jill".May Martin
Song—"Little Kitty" ....Daisy and Poppy Margison
Reading—"He Never Told a Lie".. ....Victor Emerson
Recitation—"Mary Had a Little Lamb" .....Margaret Davidson
Reading—"Let Down the Bars"... .....Larry Anderson
Song—"Little Raindrops" ....Daisy and Poppy Margison
Recitation—"Canada" Johnny Margison
Chorus—"Swallows Flight"..... School
Recitation—"The Bay's Complaint" ....Ernest R. and Victor E.
Recitation—"No Kiss"..Helen Davidson
Recitation—"Sweet and Low"..... .....Reg. Clark and Fred Fletcher
Recitation—"Music... ..Poppy Margison
Dialogue—"Three Old Crows"..... .....Ernest, Victor, David
Song—"Aura Lee" .....Girls of School
March, followed by "Maple Leaf Forever" ..... Pupils of School
Refreshments .....
Closing ..... "God Save the King"

FIRST CARGO OF IRON FROM HANKOW, CHINA

Description of Holdings of Western Steel Corporation in This Province

Steamer Riverdale has arrived at Irondale from Hankow, China, with a cargo of 5,000 tons of iron and 1,500 tons of pig iron, and the Netherlee is now loading at the same port with another cargo of ore and pig for the Western Steel Co. The company which owns the smelter has also large properties in this province which are described by the Seattle Times as follows:

"Thirty mineral claims (1,500 acres) on Quatsino Sound, Vancouver Island, Present development shows 10,000,000 tons of bog iron ore, which is delivered at the furnace at Irondale for $3 per ton, including duty.

"Magnetite deposits on Barkley Sound and Pitt Island, British Columbia, showing 5,000,000 tons at present stage of development. Same cost at furnace.

"Graham Island, British Columbia, 20,500 acres of coal lands. Exported at 720,000,000 tons of coking coal. Crown granted to James A. Moore and by James A. Moore transferred to Western Steel Corporation.

"Under the contract the corporation imports 100,000 tons of pig iron and 72,000 tons of iron ores from the Chinese company every year and may import as much more as it desires. Clauses in the contract guarantee to the Western Steel Corporation the exclusive right to the importation and sale of the Chinese ores and products into the United States, British Columbia and Hawaii. The ore is of exceptionally high grade, and when combined with the British Columbia ore makes an ideal steel combination, also materially reducing the cost of production. Ores of equal quality laid down at Pittsburg cost more than $6 the ton. Laid down at Irondale the cost is $3.85 the ton.

"There are at present in operation at Irondale two open-hearth furnaces and a third will shortly be blown in. A plant for the manufacture of horse shoes, the only plant of the kind west of Chicago, is in course of construction. A big tide land fill has just been completed at a cost of $60,000, and upon this eight more open-hearth furnaces are to be erected, as well as the rolling mills necessary to handle their output. The rolling mills now in operation are sufficient to handle the output of the three furnaces available."

—Angus Smith, city engineer, has completed an aneroid survey of the country lying between Sooke lake and Leech river, completing some data which H. M. Burwell, the hydraulic expert who is reporting on the Sooke lake proposition for the water board, required.

—The various wooden pavements throughout the city which have developed weak spots are being repaired. The worn blocks are being removed and replaced with new ones. The largest job of this kind is on Bastion street, where the condition of the pavement has been bad for a long time.

—L. O. L., 1426, will hold its regular meeting at the lodgeroom, Foresters hall, Broad street, on Monday night, the 4th July. H. C. Hockin, of the Orange Sentinel, will be present and address the meeting. All brethren are requested to attend.

London, July 2.—The Lancashire cricketers had 182 runs and Surrey 100 for seven wickets when the game was abandoned today.

CELEBRATION OF DOMINION DAY

MANY PICNIC PARTIES WERE HELD YESTERDAY

Weather Was Beautiful and Large Crowds Enjoyed Themselves Thoroughly

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Dominion Day in Victoria was made the occasion of a general exodus from the city. The beautiful weather prevailing made it possible for the thousands of school children and their friends to participate to the fullest enjoyment in the many picnic events which had been arranged. The celebration of Canada's natal day is now the recognized date for the holding of the annual outings by the various schools of the city, and yesterday these affairs were of an elaborate character, and more largely attended than usual.

Victoria has so many points of attraction in its immediate vicinity that holiday seekers may with slight effort find a comfortable nook wherein to picnic. Thus yesterday the many pretty spots on the waterfront all the way from Sidney to Pedder Bay were crowded with merry parties; and the many picnics passed off most pleasantly. The children of the Metropolitan Methodist church went to Pedder Bay by the steamer Venture; James Bay Methodist Sunday school and the Victoria West Methodist had their outing at Macaulay Plains. The First Presbyterian and St. Andrew's Presbyterian united in a picnic at Macaulay, and St. Paul's Presbyterian went to Oak Bay. The First Baptist, Burnside mission and Emanuel Baptist went to Macaulay, while the Tabernacle children went to Fisher castle, Esquimalt.

There were numerous sporting events to occupy the attention of those of the holiday seekers who did not go to the picnics, and a concert by the Fifth Regiment band at Beacon Hill at 3 o'clock attracted a large crowd. Many went up the line of the E. & N. during the day, and the V. & S. line was well patronized also.

At Peddar Bay.

Everyone who attended the picnic held at Peddar Bay yesterday by the Sunday school of the Metropolitan Methodist church enjoyed themselves to the utmost and voted it as being one of the most pleasant affairs in which they have participated for many years. Never before in the history of the school, according to the officials, has such a successful picinc been held. It was largely patronized and proved most profitable from two sides, the financial and social.

The fine steamer Venture, which was the excursion boat on this occasion, was very suitable for the work. On the first three trips to the station she carried her full complement of passengers, and there was ample room on her for every person.

On the grounds family parties were to be seen dotted all over, amongst the beautiful ferns, under the stately trees or on the massive rocks. The orchestra of the school under the leadership of Jesse Longneld furnished music which added greatly to the day's pleasure.

About 3 o'clock the sport programme was commenced and many keenly contested races, especially amongst the youngsters, were witnessed. The most interesting event of the day was the tug-of-war between the team from the quarantine station and the Metropolitan school. After three strenuous pulls the former aggregation was awarded the prize. The 100 yard race opened to members of the Young People's Bible class drew forth a number of speedy runners. The winner was J. Staples, who got a good start and although losing considerably managed to reach the tape first.

W. E. Staneland, superintendent of the school, wishes to thank Capt. Golding and his officers for their kindness to the many passengers rendered in different ways and also Dr. Watt, who took a big interest in the picnic and allowed the pleasure-seekers to pass through the quarantine grounds.

Baptists' Picnic.

The members of First Baptist Sunday school with the Burnside and Victoria West missions held their annual picnic at Macaulay Plains. The day proved thoroughly enjoyable to all who attended and the many games, races, etc. arranged by the sports committee were keenly contested.

During the day two baseball matches were on the card. The first between the men of Tabernacle church and the Baracas of First church, when the Baracas proved the victors with the score reading 7 to 4. In the afternoon the married and single men of the First church were the contestants, the victory resting with the benedicts. The sensational feature of this game was the splendid three-bagger of A. B. McNeill.

AMATEUR BREAKS RECORD.

C. B. Harmon Remains in Air in Curtiss Biplane for 2 Hours 3 Minutes.

New York, July 4.—Although an amateur, Clifford B. Harmon broke all American records for length of time in the air in a continuous aeroplane flight at Mineola, Long Island, Saturday evening. He remained aloft in a Curtiss biplane for two hours and three minutes, and only descended when his gasoline became exhausted. The best previous record for duration of flight was one hour and fifty-six minutes, made by Louis Paulhan at Los Angeles last January. During the flight Harmon made 57½ laps over the course. In the 45th he flew over the grand stand, made a figure eight and reversed his course. When he alighted the spectators crowded around the aviator and attempted to shake his hand, but he retreated, explaining that his right arm was almost paralyzed from continuous handling of the machine. Harmon is wealthy, and has recently made aviation his hobby. He carries a canoe with him when he goes aloft.

New Britain, Conn., July 4.—Charles K. Hamilton made three successful flights in his biplane here Saturday.

MEETING OF DUNCAN BOARD OF TRADE

W. P. Jaynes New President—Municipal Councillors Elected Members of Council

Duncan, July 2. — A well attended meeting of the Duncan board of trade was held in the board rooms at which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. P. Jaynes; vice-president, Chas. Bazett; members of the council board, Messrs. J. H. Whittome, A. McKinnon, K. Duncan, A. W. Hanham, T. Pitt and A. Peterson.

The secretary-treasurer gave a report of the finances of the board showing a balance on hand of $84.05.

A communication was received from the municipal council regarding becoming members of the council of the board of trade, and the following resolution was adopted: "That the members of the municipal council be elected members of the council of the board of trade."

The following resolution was also ordered forwarded to the municipal council: "The Duncan, B. C., board of trade urge upon the municipal council the necessity of having the streets of the townsite of Alderlea properly defined at the earliest possible moment and that the same be submitted to the provincial government for confirmation."

An aggressive and active campaign has been promised by the new officers of the board to all matters pertaining to the welfare of this district.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS

In addition to the promotion lists already published are those given below. Hillside avenue rolls of honor were published on Saturday, the pass lists being as follows:

Promoted to First Reader—Lilian Northan, John Thomas, Ruth McMahon, Thelma Jeeves, Herbert Little, Hazel Smith, Eddie Broom, Isla Brandon, Arthur Forrest, May Cummins, Dorothy Cobbett, Vivian Matthews, Bertram Dresser, Lily Earl, Emily Smith, Irene Smethurst, George Anderson, Leta French, Harold Lowry, Florence Freeman, Colin Campbell, Isabel Phease, Cotta Jennings, Constance George, Edgar Day, Rupert Coggan, Frances Walker, Annie Oppenheimer, Lizzie Wright, Susie Clayton, Curtis Berryman, Bessie Johns, Elgin Barr, Willie Turnbull, Bella Gray, Bertie Henderson, Isabel White, Marie Van Opstal, Lionel Le Lievie, George White, Frank Gray.

Promoted to Gage's First Primer—Harry Johns, Eddie Braden, George Griffiths, Lexa Martin, Robert Bruce, Lena Burley, Stewart Davis, Wilbur Matthews, Jack Harris, Eddie Grexton, Herbert Pearson, Melville Stainier, Ella Verge, Olive Haggard, Leslie Northram, Willie Talbot, Willie Campbell, May Cross, Alfred Smethurst, Edith Cross.

Recommended to Second Primer—Herbert Cummins, Harry Johns, Geo. Griffiths, Eddie Braden.

Promoted to Second Primer—Gordon Forbes, Sydney Hole, Archie Brown, Freddie Hall, May McLeod, Etta Wallace, Dorothy Fraser, Frances Jennings, Leah Bernath, Harold Earl, Elaine Day, Ned Braden, Clarence Chafe, Virginia Byrne, Jean Stuart, Mary Chisholm, Leonard Bowcott, Wilfred McGregor, Ruby Appenheimer, Frank Costin, John Anderson, Herbert Cummins.

Recommended to First Reader—Gordon Forbes.

Promoted from Chart to Supplementary, December, 1909.—Helena Hurst, Elaine Hill, Emily Engstrom, Eva Hammond, Louisa McWha, Lilian Regan, Agnes Greenlaw, John Wright, Harry Mackay, Richard Mackay, Wilbert Jeeves, Mortimer Girton, Marion Rees, Lewellan Clayards, Willie Webber, Ernest Hampton, Christopher Darcy, Samuel Grexton, Lloyd Campbell, Irvin McGary.

Promoted to Supplementary First Primer from Chart—Godwin Brandon, Arthur Plows, Geo. Heller, Norman Lowry, Ernest Yeo, Elmer Leonard, Billy Burnett, Ross McKenzie, Norman Harris, Willie Pettman, Harry Harris, Willie Carmodie, Bertha Carmodie, Ethel Smith, Vivian Tite, Mary Stuart, Hettie Martin, Kathleen Darcy, Mary Marrs, Iva Cramer, Ettie Bucy, Marjorie Little.

ST. GEORGE'S SCHOOL.

Several parents were present at the closing of St. George's girls school, the Dean of Columbia distributing the prizes after Mrs. Suttle had spoken of the work of the term. Promotions and prizes were as follows:

Transition form—Term prize, Janetta Skillings; exam. prize, Charlie Fraser.

Form I. — Term prize, Kathleen Paulin; exam. prize, Kathleen Paulin.

Form IIb.—Term prize, Gwennie Hughes; exam. prize, Gwennie Hughes.

Form IIa.—Term prize, Winnie Lee; exam. prize, Kathleen Muir.

Form III.—Term prize, Elizabeth Scott; exam. prize, Beatrice Lees.

Form IV.—Term prize, Gertrude Scott; exam. prize, Gertrude Scott.

Form V.—English and mathematics, Ruby Rudolph; science, Dorothy McGillivray; French and German, Erminie Bass.

Drawing—Edith Richardson.

Good conduct—Marjorie Kent.

Music—Beatrice Cook.

Perfect attendance for year—Doris Macklin, Laura Macklin, Gwennie Hughes, Maud Williams.

Scripture prizes awarded by His Lordship, the Bishop of Columbia—Senior school, Ruby Rudolf; junior school, Gwennie Hughes; second in the senior school were Frances Cook and Gertrude Scott, equal, and in the junior school, Laura Macklin was only three marks behind Gwennie and received a special prize from Mrs. Suttle.

Music certificates (Curwen method)—Fourth step, Doris Macklin, 80 per cent. pass; third step, Helene Simpson, 80 per cent. pass; first step, Gwennie Hughes, 89 per cent. honors; Helen Fennell, 90 per cent. honors; Alson Suttle, 92 per cent. honors; Laura Macklin, 76 per cent. pass; Margaret McVittie, 93 per cent. honors; Violet Lewthwaite, 92 per cent. honors.

Prizes for Sports—Tennis tournament, silver cup, presented by Mrs. McBride, won by Beatrice Cook. Races, girls over twelve, Virtue Errington, 8 points; girls under 12, Inez Lewthwaite and Katie Collison, 9 points each; little boys, 1st, Jack Meldram, 12 points; 2nd, Jim Hanbury, 9 points.

CADBORO BAY SCHOOL.

At the Cadboro Bay school the closing exercises were attended by several parents. The teacher, Miss M. Billingsley, read the promotion list, as follows:

From Second Primer to First Reader—Margaret Smith, Hilda Woolstone, Edgar Pughe, Helen Edwards.

From First Reader to Second Reader—Tom Sturgess, Orrin Davies.

From Second Reader to Third Reader—Ruby Davies.

From Junior Fourth to Senior Fourth—Etta Evans, Frances Hobbs, Roy Hobbs.

Rolls of Honor.

Regularity and Punctuality—Helen Edwards.

Deportment—Frances Hobbs.

Proficiency—Margaret Smith.

SENSATION SUIT MAY NOT COME TO TRIAL

Negotiations to Settle Croft vs. Whiting Out of Court—Point of Law Decided

It is understood that the sensational suit brought by Henry Croft and others against Samuel Whiting, James Dunsmuir and others, in which conspiracy was alleged and damages to the extent of $4,600,000 asked for, will be settled out of court. Negotiations are said to be proceeding between the parties and it is considered very unlikely that the case will come to trial.

Chief Justice Hunter on Thursday afternoon handed down a judgment settling an important point of law which was argued before him by counsel for the various parties to the action. The question was whether the defendants had a right to hold their registration of a second option given on the coal lands owned by them and on which they had given a first option to the plaintiffs. The plaintiffs, on hearing that application had been made to file the second option, issued a writ and filed lis pendens. Nothing else having been done the registrar of the land office thought that the caveat filed by the first option-holders after their application to register had lapsed and registered the second option.

His Lordship held that the plaintiffs' caveat was in force when the second option was registered. By this judgment the second option is nullified and the first option established. The allegation of the plaintiffs is that the defendants persuaded three of the owners who gave the first option to give a second option to Whiting in an attempt to break the original one.

W. J. Taylor, K. C., appeared for the plaintiffs and E. V. Bodwell, K. C., Frank Higgins, and H. K. Courtney for the defendants.

WESTMINSTER EASILY DEFEATS VANCOUVER

Royals Win by Nine Goals—Game Ends in Fight on the Field

(Times Leased Wire.)

Vancouver, B. C., July 2.—The lacrosse game between Vancouver and Westminster resulted in the Terminal citizens being whitewashed, while the champions scored nine goals. Up to half time the Vancouver defense held splendidly, and the two goals scored were the result of sharp shooting, but with a procession of Vancouver men to the fence in the third quarter the Westminster attack got busy and grabbed four goals. In the last quarter they got three more. From half time on the game was very rough and there was a free for all fight a few minutes before the whistle finally blew, spectators swarming on the field. The crowd numbered about 9,000.

TRUE BLUES CLOSE SESSION.

Presentation Made to Supreme Grand Master J. I. Hartt at Dominion Hotel.

Supreme Grand Master J. I. Hartt, of the True Blue Association, left on Saturday afternoon's boat for Vancouver en route to his home in Orillia, Ont.

Before he left, the visitors to the session enjoyed a tally-ho ride around the points of interest. Those in attendance at the grand lodge session assembled in the parlors of the Dominion hotel, where Grand Master Vick, of British Columbia, on behalf of the members of the grand lodge, presented Supreme Grand Master Hartt with a set of silver-mounted toilet brushes, suitably engraved.

Mr. Hartt replied in a very feeling manner and expressed the hope that the work of the association would continue to prosper in the province of British Columbia.

Mrs. Jessie Walsh has been appointed organizer for Vancouver Island, W. J. Henderson for the lower mainland and F. E. Harmer for the upper section of the province.

BRIGHT LITTLE ONES MAKE HOME BRIGHT

Babies that are well, sleep well, eat well and play well. They sleep naturally and wake up good natured. The child that is not rosy-cheeked and playful needs prompt attention for it is not well. A sickly child can be restored to health with a few doses of Baby's Own Tablets, which cure colic, indigestion, constipation, teething troubles and the other disorders from which young children suffer. Mrs. Thos. Whiting, Waterford, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets in my home for some years and would not be without them. I find them just the right medicine for little ones." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

IRRIGATION WORK IN WESTERN CANADA

Annual Convention of Association to Be Held in Kamloops Next Month

Kamloops, July 2.—The subject of irrigation has become one of the utmost importance in the west. In both Canada and the United States the subject has been specialized and year by year —profiting by experience in practical irrigation, laying out and operating irrigation projects and the enacting of legislation dealing with water rights and privileges, marked progress is being made. To keep western Canada in touch with that progress and to be a factor in the making of it, the Western Canada Irrigation Association was organized and on the third, fourth and fifth of August the annual convention of the association will be held, the place of meeting being Kamloops.

The immense irrigation works carried in by the C. P. R. in Alberta, the several large irrigation projects in operation and in progress in this province, reclaiming great tracts of semi-arid lands, and the many other extensive tracts still awaiting reclamation by irrigation, cannot but provide much food for thought on the part of those interested in the development of the west. In view of the importance of the subjects that come within the range of objects of the Western Canada Irrigation Association it is highly desirable that the attendance at these annual conventions should be representative of every part of the west where irrigation is or should be practiced. The basis of representation is such that every city, town and district in the three provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia may send delegates, and it is urged that steps be taken immediately to send as large a number of delegates as possible so that the convention will be a thoroughly representative one.

Arrangements are being made to have the recognized experts in irrigation and allied subjects address the convention, and every opportunity will be given for the interchange of ideas and discussions thereon that will lead to their very best development.

The basis of representation at the convention is as follows: The Governor-General, members of the Dominion cabinet, the Senate and the House of Commons, the Dominion commissioner of irrigation, superintendent of forestry, the director and superintendent of Dominion experimental farms, five representatives of the Canadian Society of Engineers, two representatives from each Canadian railway and one from each agricultural paper in Canada.

From the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia: The lieutenant-governors, the members of the legislatures, the deputy ministers of provincial departments, provincial irrigation commissioners, three each of all irrigation and irrigation colonization companies, two each of all agricultural, forestry and live stock associations, five each for all cities, appointed by the mayor, two each for boards of trade or similar organizations, two each for all towns, villages or rural municipalities, to be appointed by the mayor, reeve or overseer, two each for all Canadian clubs to be appointed by the president, the superintendent or representative appointed by him, for each experimental or demonstration farm, three representatives from other irrigation associations to be appointed by their presidents.

PRETTY WEDDING AT THE CATHEDRAL

Miss Heyland and Mr. D. George McCurdy Were Married This Afternoon

A church wedding of great interest took place on Saturday at 2:30 o'clock, when Miss Anita Antoinette, eldest daughter of Mrs. Rowley Heyland, and granddaughter of the late General Heyland, "Redwalls," Eng., and Mr. David George McCurdy, third son of Mr. A. W. McCurdy, Esquimalt, were united in wedlock before the altar in Christ Church cathedral by Rev. Archdeacon Scriven. The church was prettily decorated with flowers common at this season, the decorating having been done by the friends of the contracting parties.

The bridesmaids were Misses Helen, Beatrice and Constance Heyland, sisters of the bride; Miss Drake, Miss Helmcken, Miss King and Miss Blackwood. Mr. Bryce W. Fleck, Ottawa, supported the groom. Messrs. Jenkins, Todd, Merritt, McDonald, Berkeley and Watt acted as ushers, and Master Sholto Watt was page.

After the ceremony the invited guests assembled at the residence of the bride's grandmother, 819 Cook street, where a reception was held. The parlor was arranged with quantities of white carnations and white roses.

The young couple, who are well known in this city, the bride being very popular in society circles, and the groom a great favorite, were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents, which testified to the esteem in which they are held.

Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy left on the Princess Charlotte at 5 o'clock this afternoon for Seattle en route to Southern California, where they will spend their honeymoon.

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