MORE KIND WORDS FROM THE PRESS

REGARDING THE TIMES "OF AGE" EDITION

Giving Satisfaction Everywhere—English Gentleman in California Pines to be Among His Own People Again

The Times continues to receive the hearty congratulations of its contemporaries upon the excellence of its "Of Age" edition, and all are of the opinion that the issue will result in much good for the province by attracting to it a greater measure of attention. As an evidence of what may be expected along this line, the Times a few days ago received the following letter from a professional gentleman practising at a well-known California resort enclosing a clipping from the San Francisco Chronicle referring to the "Of Age" edition:

"Gentlemen,—I found the enclosed notice in the San Francisco Chronicle, and it occurred to me that this paper might be of very considerable use to me. I need a lot of information, and need it badly. If I can see any way to do it; I should very greatly prefer to spend the rest of my days among mine own people: as I have had a wearisome sufficiency of the great Yankee nation, and things are getting no better very fast. So far as my present information goes, I much prefer Vancouver before Victoria; but the case is still open for argument. Kindly send me this special paper, and a small bunch of papers of any recent date; anything within the past month; and you will greatly oblige a homesick Englishman. You won't take our silver, and our postage stamps are of no use to you, and so there is nothing for it but this ridiculous P. O. order for twenty-five cents, which I enclose. Thanking you in advance for your courtesy."

Following are some more of the nice things the various papers have said about the "Of Age" edition:

Nelson News.

The Victoria Daily Times has issued a sixty paged, profusely illustrated "coming of age" edition, to celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of the establishment of the newspaper. Concisely, the edition is an illustrated review of the development of British Columbia, and the advantages it has to offer the investor and settler.

The publication is easily the most ambitious one ever attempted in this province, the cuts are well selected and excellently reproduced, while the reading matter, which exhaustively covers the whole province, has been well and interestingly written and carefully edited. From a literary, artistic and news standpoint the publication is a valuable addition to the annals of British Columbia. And its circulation abroad cannot fail to be of great benefit to the province at large, setting out, as it well and truthfully does, the advantages offered by the British Columbia of to-day.

Kootenay is well taken care of in the issue; several excellent illustrations being given and a mass of interesting information taken at first hand and complete in details, accompanies the cuts.

Concerning this city, which is described as "the delight of the tourist, horticulturist, sportsman and artist, as well as the commercial centre for a favored district," the Times' article says, in part:

"Nelson, the capital of the Kootenay, has been well known as the centre of a large mining industry, and the chief commercial city of the district. Its attractiveness as a residential city, on account of the beauty of scenery and its temperate and equable climate, is but just beginning to be realized, while the capabilities of the surrounding country for fruit growing are now proved beyond controversy."

An extended notice follows of the advantages offered by Nelson as an ideal residential city, and of the special opportunities at hand for the investor in mining, friut growing and manufacturing.

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The Week, Victoria.

Twenty-one years old is the Victoria Times—old enough to vote. In this woolly West few papers reach that age on account of the deadly disease—so fatal to journalists—known as Sheriffitis. That our contemporary has escaped infection is a matter for congratulation. That it has chosen to celebrate its birthday in the most fitting way—the wide advertisement of the country of its nativity—is still more a matter of congratulation. Most of all is it to be congratulated on the way it has carried out its worthy design.

The "Of Age" edition is one of those well gotten up publications which should be distributed not merely in Canada and the United States, but in every country in the Old World—for the excellent engravings will tell their own tale to those who cannot read the letterpress. It is a book to attract the tourist and pleasure-seeker; but it is also a book which speaks to the merchant, the manufacturer and the capitalist of vast possibilities of trade and commerce only waiting to be developed.

No part of the province has been neglected in this publication. The descriptive articles are carefully written—optimistic as they should be, yet accurate in statements and with no undue "boom" exaggeration. As for the illustrations, their excellence may be judged when we say that they are the work of the B. C. Photo-Engraving Co., a company which, in the few years of its existence has so distinguished itself by artistic and accurate workmanship that it has well-nigh captured all the business of the province in this line, and has kept thousands of dollars in British Columbia which would, but for its presence, have been sent East or across the line.

Many happy returns of the day to you, brother Times. You have done the province a service and yourself honor.

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Rossland Miner.

To celebrate its "coming of age," the Victoria Times has issued a special number giving a review of the province, its resources and attractions. The composition, the engraving and the printing of this special issue were all done in the Times building, and the Times has good reason to be proud of the excellence of the work in all departments. There is equally good reason for the whole province to award the Times a meed of gratitude for the advertisement which this number gives it. Rossland mines and Trail smelters are given places of prominence in the number, and no doubt the descriptions will be read by many who have hitherto had small knowledge of the district and its wealth. In speaking of this celebration of its twenty-first birthday the Times announces that it will very shortly add substantially to its mechanical equipment. A large perfecting press from the manufactory of R. Hoe & Co. will soon be installed in its press room, giving the paper much better facility for printing. The Times has made its way to prosperity through much adversity and in spite of many obstacles. We trust that each succeeding birthday may find its position improved and its influence extended.

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Hedley Gazette.

The Victoria Times celebrates its 21st birthday in a 44-page profusely illustrated and interestingly written "of ago" number. With its own excellent engraving department, it was easy for the Times to turn out a number which would set the poor country publisher alonging. While Victoria's development and present business interests have first place, the number is made provincial in character, being an excellent epitome of the industrial wealth of British Columbia as it is to-day. As such, the number will be fyled away for future reference.

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Trail News.

The Victoria Daily Times having attained its majority has celebrated the event by issuing an "Of Age" edition, giving a review of the province, its resources and attractions. The work is well gotten up, and is profusely illustrated with half-tone engravings. The work is a credit to the progressiveness of that excellent paper, and should do much toward keeping the resources of the province before the public eye. Rossland mines and Trail smelter are given prominent places in the number, and no doubt the descriptions will be read by many who have hitherto had small knowledge of the district and its wealth.

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Nelson Economist.

Last Saturday was the twenty-first anniversary of the birth of the Victoria Times, and on that occasion that enterprising journal issued a paper that would be a credit to any newspaper office in the world. It contained forty-four pages of well written material, handsomely illustrated, dealing with the resources of the province, and supplying much valuable information that has not before appeared in any other paper.

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Kootenay Mail.

We acknowledge receipt of the special illustrated number of the Victoria Times, published in celebration of its 21st birthday, and have to congratulate the Times on the excellence of the number.

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San Francisco Chronicle.

The Victoria Times issued, on June 24th, a handsome edition on the occasion of the twenty-first anniversary of the establishment of the Times, and the edition is an illustrated review of the development of British Columbia and the advantages it has to offer the investor and settler.

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Chilliwack Progress.

We have just received a copy of the "Of Age" edition of the Daily Times and the issue speaks for itself. It is a very fitting celebration of the twenty-first anniversary of the establishment of this journal. On the first page is the photograph of the entire staff in the various department, and when we look at the inteligence in these faces, we have no doubt that the Times will be able to keep pace with the best journals in the province.

From a historical point of view the anniversary edition is valuable as it contains information which is not only interesting to a reader at present, but valuable as a reference in after years. The numerous cuts it contains on every page, the description of the various industries and resources of the province, the statistics of the various institutions and other information of a varied character all unite to make this edition a memorable one in the history of this journal. The mammoth new press which is being placed in the printing room, a cut of which appears in the Saturday edition, is ample evidence that the Times is going to be abreast of the "times," and that every facility for work and speed will be the consideration of the management.

We congratulate the Daily Times on the anniversary edition, and wish it every success in upholding the interests of the province and in the stand it takes in the political arena.

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Inland Sentinel.

Less than a month ago the Sentinel issued its quarter century commemorative number, and now comes the Victoria Times with a special issue celebrating its twenty-first birthday. The number consists of 44 newspaper pages of illustrated descriptive matter relating, not to Victoria alone, but covering the entire province. The issue, the "Of Age" edition, as it is entitled, contains much useful and interesting information attractively prepared, one of the most interesting articles being the Story of the Times.

One full page is devoted to the resources of Yale district. As one more aid in advertising the vast resources of our great province, the Times special issue cannot but prove useful and beneficial.

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Copies of this edition may be obtained at the Times office and various news agencies.

FOUND DEAD.

Winstead, Conn., July 6.—The body of Winthrop Turney, a millionaire and owner of a mine in Senora, Mexico, was found today in a pasture in the town of Colebrook. There was a bullet wound in his head and his hand clasped a revolver. It is supposed that despondency, due to poor health, led him to commit suicide. He was 40 years old and a graduate of Yale.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Appointments Made By the Provincial Government Appearing in the Gazette.

This week's provincial Gazette contains notice of the following appointments:

George Mead, of New Westminster, to be a justice of the peace for the province of British Columbia.

Andrew Lindsay Smith, of Alberni, to be returning officer for the Alberni electoral district.

Charles A. R. Lambly, of Fairview, S. M., to be an assistant commissioner of lands and works for the Similkameen division of Yale district.

Cuyler Armstrong Holland, J. P., John William Bolden and Edward Arman Lewis, of Victoria, to be members of the board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital for the twelve months ending June 30th, 1906.

William Irving Briggs, of Revelstoke, barrister and solicitor, to be a notary public within and for the province of British Columbia.

Charles J. Fagan, M. D., J. P., secretary provincial board of health, to be a commissioner under the provisions of the Health Act, and Health Act Amendment Act, 1904.

Notice of the issue of the writ for the Alberni election appears. The nomination is to be held at the court house, Alberni, although the date is not fixed.

Tenders are invited for the erection of a one room frame school house at Hedley.

The provincial board of health publishes regulations relative to the equipment and management of slaughter houses.

There has been incorporated the company of David Spencer (Nanaimo), Limited, with a capital of $50,000. The company is to take over the business carried on in Nanaimo by David Spencer, Limited, and Drysdale-Stevenson, Limited.

DROWNED WHILE BATHING.

Edward Scaling's Body Found in a Bay in Esquimalt Harbor.

The body of Edward Scaling was found in a small bay in Esquimalt harbor early on Friday by members of the provincial police. The deceased was about twenty-five years of age, and his death was undoubtedly accidental.

He had been employed by the C. P. R. for some time on various steamers. While the Danube lay in Esquimalt harbor Scaling acted as watchman. On Wednesday he spoke of going for a swim, and asked with reference to a good place for going in bathing. Later he took a boat from the steamer and rowed over to the bay, where his body was recovered Friday morning.

Thursday night the boat was noticed with no one in it and half filled with water. Upon investigation the young man's clothes were found in the boat. On Friday Sergeant Murray and Constable Cox, of the provincial police, made a search of the place where the boat was found, using a drag in the hopes of recovering the body.

The remains were found, and everything pointed to an accident. He had taken off his clothes in the boat and put on bathing trunks. Apparently he had then dived from the boat, striking a rock below the water as there were bruises above his eye and on the lower lip.

IGORROTES FOR FAIR.

Government Consent to Exhibit Bontoc Head Hunters at Portland Is Finally Granted.

Portland, July 7.—After much delay caused by the necessary negotiations with the government, Uncle Sam's consent has been secured and fifty Igorrotes will be brought over for the Lewis and Clark exposition. The Igorrotes, who are of the Bontoc tribe of head hunters, are expected in Portland by August 1st.

The Igorrote village will be located at the south end of the trail near the Homer Davenport farm. The people will build their own huts of grass and bamboo poles. There will be a jail, a court house and a mess house, where the Igorrote's most delicious titbit, the fat dog, will be slaughtered and prepared for the daily feast.

The Igorrotes now are probably aboard ship, headed direct for Portland. Within a month these interesting people will be beating their tomtoms, doing their weird dances and enjoying the luxuries of American roast dog, at the exposition.

—The city purchasing agent is calling for tenders for the supply of tables, chairs, shelves, blinds, etc., for the Carnegie library. The tenders must all be in by Monday, 17th inst. Plans and specifications can be seen in Mr. Northcott's office in the city hall.

This Musician is Delighted

HIS KIDNEY DISEASE AND GRAVEL CURED BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Tried Many Medicines But Got No Relief Till He Used the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Rosedene, Ont., July 7.—(Special.)—Mr. Samuel J. Crow, the well-known musician of this place, relates an experience that adds to the already great popularity of Dodd's Kidney Pills in this locality.

"I suffered for years with Kidney Trouble," says Mr. Crow, "which became aggravated with every attack of cold and caused me much agony. The disease developed into Gravel, when I was totally unfit for anything.

"I tried different remedies without the desired result and was in much misery when I decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, when to my astonishment and delight I immediately began to recover.

"After using five boxes the ailment had entirely ceased, and I was again enjoying perfect vigor, all of which I owe to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

The fact that Gravel yields so readily to Dodd's Kidney Pills is good news indeed, as it does away with those terrible operations that were supposed to be the only relief from this trouble.

JOHN OLIVER ON GOVERNMENT'S POLICY

MEMBER FOR DELTA SCORED ADMINISTRATION

Paid Particular Attention to Kaien Island Scandal—Enthusiastic Meeting at Alberni.

Alberni, July 7.—A large and fairly representative meeting of residents of Alberni district was held in Huff's hall on six hours' notice last night to hear John Oliver, M. P. P., on the political situation. He got a warm and enthusiastic reception. Mr. Oliver arrived here at noon on Thursday under the impression that Premier McBride, who is now touring the West Coast on the Queen City, would speak here last night. Unfortunately the Conservative meeting was fixed for to-night (Friday), and Mr. Oliver, having engagements at other points, could not wait.

Mr. Oliver spoke for two hours, and delivered an energetic scathing denunciation of the present government. He traced their proceedings from the inception of "party line" and the formation of the ministry, showing the deception practiced by the Premier. He went largely into details of all the recent legislation, more especially on questions of finance and taxation, and showed how every interest had been harried and worried by the present government. He was specially severe on the procedure of the land and works department in connection with the proposed terminus of the G. T. R. at Kaien Island.

Concluding, Mr. Oliver expressed great regret at not meeting the Premier, whom he had come expressly to meet. He thanked the people of Alberni for their cordial reception.

Chairman Dr. Watson called upon any Conservative present to reply if they desired to do so, but no one accepted the offer. A vote of thanks, proposed by Mr. Alexander, seconded by Mr. Redford, and responded to by Mr. Bledsoe, was heartily tendered to Mr. Oliver, the whole meeting standing and singing "For he is a jolly good fellow." The national anthem closed the meeting.

The Premier and party arrived here by the Queen City at midnight, and will hold a meeting to-night.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Members of Calvary Baptist Church Held Thursday Evening.

The annual meeting of the members of Calvary Baptist church was held Thursday, the pastor, J. F. Vichert, M. A., presiding, and a large number being in attendance. Reports were read from the various departments, showing that the work of the church was progressing, and the membership increasing.

The church clerk reported a present membership of 290, being an increase of ten over last year's report. Of this number 36 are non-resident members. The annual statement, as read by the treasurer, showed that during the year the amount of money raised for all purposes was $3,734.30, of which $437.80 was contributed for missions.

The reports of the Calvary Sunday school and the mission schools at Victoria West and Burnside gave a summary of 259 scholars enrolled, with 30 teachers and officers, and the amount of money raised for the year $465.45, of which $111.60 was for missions.

The amount of money raised by the different organizations of the church, exclusive of the Sunday schools, was as follows. Women's Mission Circle, $278.40; B. P. P. U., $43.35, and Junior B. Y. P. U., $3.

During the year extensive repairs were undertaken in the church buildings, necessitating an expenditure of several hundred dollars, and a further payment of $500 was made on the church debt, leaving the total amount of the mortgage indebtedness at $1,250 at the present time.

After the reading of reports the elections of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: Deacons (to serve for two years), A. Galbraith, A. J. Clyde, A. Stewart and D. Sanderson. Trustees (to serve for 3 years), F. Clyde, J. W. H. King, B. A., and H. W. Northcott; church clerk, Miss B Walker; treasurer, H. W. Northcott; Sunday school superintendents, Calvary, Angus Galbraith; Burnside mission, P. T. Croot; Victoria West mission, C. Durden; presidents, B. Y. P. U., Bertram Middleton; Junior B. Y. P. U., Miss A. Bishop; Women's Mission Circle, Mrs. J. F. Vichert.

The following were appointed delegates to the B. C. convention to be held in this city next week: From the church, Mrs. E. W. Andrews, Mrs. A. B. McNeill, Miss S. Blackwell, D. G. Walker, J. W. H. King, B. A., E. Lampshire; Women's Mission Circle, Mrs. H. R. McIntyre; B. Y. P. U., Chas. Durden; Sunday schools, H. W. Northcott.

MUSIC EXAMINATION.

Conducted Locally by University of Toronto Will Be Held on Wednesday Next.

The University of Toronto local examination in music will be held on July 12th at Waitt's music hall. A large number of candidates will present themselves for the practical piano examination. Frank Welsman, the celebrated virtuoso, Toronto, will be the examiner. It is gratifying that so much larger a percentage of pupils passed the recent examination in theory, showing a decided improvement in the standard of music in Victoria during the past year. This success is encouraging to local teachers, and proves that the instruction necessary for the University of Toronto examination is of the very highest order.

A piano recital will be given in Institute hall by Mr. Welsman on Friday, July 14th, in aid of the anti-tuberculosis movement.

Alexis Sergeviteh Suvorin, editor of the Novoe Vremya, now 70, has been for years the greatest figure in the Russian journalistic world.

THE CITY MARKETS.

The markets this week show little or no change in staple products. In the department of fruit there are, of course, changes from day to day, so that it is difficult to quote prices.

Strawberries are still on the market although they are nearing the close of their season. Raspberries are coming in very plentifully, and the price has reached the standard of 10 cents retail.

Lemons have gone up in price. This is not due to local conditions, as it extends all along the coast. The rise is not ascribed to any failure in the crop, but rather to a corner having been affected in the fruit by southern dealers.

Logan berries are on the market. They are of fine quality and the supply is quite large, many local growers of fruit having within the past two years devoted considerable space to this new variety.

The retail markets are as follows:

Hungarian Flour—	
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per sack	1.75
Ogilvie's Royal Household, per bbl.	6.75
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.75
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	6.75
Okanagan, per sack	1.75
Okanagan, per bbl.	6.75
Moose Jaw, per sack	1.75
Moose Jaw, per bbl.	6.75
Excelsior, per sack	1.75
Excelsior, per bbl.	6.75
Oak Lake, per sack	1.75
Oak Lake, per bbl.	6.75
Hudson's Bay, per sack	1.75
Hudson's Bay, per bbl.	6.75
Enderby, per sack	1.75
Enderby, per bbl.	6.75
Pastry Flours—	
Snowflake, per sack	1.50
Snowflake, per bbl.	5.75
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack.	1.40
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl..	5.50
O. K. Four Star, per sack	1.40
O. K. Four Star, per bbl.	5.50
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.40
Drifted Snow, per bbl.	5.50
Three Star, per sack	1.65
Three Star, per bbl.	6.50
Coal Oil—	
Pratt's Coal Oil	1.50
Eocene	1.60
Sugar—	
B. C. Granulated, per 100 lbs.	6.40
Grain—	
Wheat, per ton	40.00
Oats, per ton	28.00
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs.	.45
Rolled Oats (B. & K.)	.5
Feed—	
Hay (baled), per ton	17.00
Straw, per bale	.75
Corn	33.00
Middlings, per ton	27.00
Bran, per ton	25.00
Ground Feed, per ton	30.00
Carrots, per 100 lbs.	.60
Vegetables—	
Island Potatoes, 100 lbs.	1.60@ 1.75
Island New Potatoes, per lb.	.3
California New Potatoes, lb.	.2
Minnesota New Potatoes, 100 lbs.	1.75
Sweet Potatoes, per lb.	.5
Green Peas, per lb.	.4
Cabbage, per lb.	.3
Onions, silver skin, per lb.	.8
Rhubarb, per lb.	.3
Turnips, per lb.	1½
Beans (spring), per lb.	.30
Cucumbers (Cal.), per two	.25
Asparagus (local), per lb.	12½
Beans (spring), per lb.	.30
Cucumbers (Cal.), per two	.25
Watercress, per lb.	.25
Asparagus (local), per lb.	12½
Fish—	
Salmon, per lb.	12½@ 15
Salmon, spring (smoked)	.15
Haddies, per lb.	.10
Cod, per lb.	.8
Halibut, per lb.	.10
Kippers, per lb.	.10
Bloaters, per lb.	.8
Rock Cod	.10
Bass	.8
Shrimps, per lb.	.40
Herring, per lb.	.8
Farm Produce—	
Fresh Island Eggs	25@ 30
Butter (Delta Creamery)	.30
Best Dairy	25@ 28
Butter (Cowichan Creamery)	.30
Butter (Victoria Creamery)	.30
Cheese (Canadian)	.20
Lard, per lb.	12½@ 15
Meats—	
Hams (American), per lb.	18@ 20
Bacon (American), per lb.	22@ 27
Bacon (rolled), per lb.	.20
Shoulders, per lb.	13½
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	.16
Beef, per lb.	10@ 18
Pork, per lb.	11@ 15
Mutton, per lb.	12½@ 18
Lamb, hindquarter	1.25@ 1.75
Lamb, forequarter	1.00@ 1.50
Fruit—	
Cherries, per lb.	.10
Cocoanuts, each	.10
Lemons (California), per doz.	.25
Apples (local), per lb.	.8
Oranges (navel), per doz.	25@ 50
Oranges (Tangerine), per doz.	.10
Bananas, per doz.	30@ 40
New Jordan Almonds (shelled), per lb.	.60
Valencia Almonds (shelled), per lb.	.50
Valencia Raisins, per lb.	12@ 15
Sultana Raisins, per lb.	.15
Strawberries (local), per lb.	12½
Raspberries, per lb.	.10
Loganberries, per lb.	12½
Gooseberries	.10
Valencia Oranges, per doz.	25@ 40
Pineapples, each	40@ 50
Poultry—	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	20@ 25
Ducks, per lb.	.20
Geese, per lb.	.20
Turkey (Island), per lb.	.30
Turkey (Eastern), per lb.	22@ 25

WHOLESALE MARKETS.

Island Potatoes, per lb.	1¾
Onions (Californian), per lb.	1½@ 1¾
Cabbage, per 100 lbs.	1.50
Carrots, per 100 lbs.	1.25
Cucumbers, per doz. (hot house)	1.00
Tomatoes (hot house), per lb.	.10
Bananas, per bunch	2.75@ 3.25
Lemons	3.25@ 3.75
Oranges (Valencia)	3.50@ 4.50
Dry Figs, per lb.	6½@ 7½
Walnuts, per lb.	.15
Grape Fruit, per box	3.25
Strawberries (local), per lb.	8@ 10
Plums (California), per crate	1.15
Apricots, per crate	1.15
Peaches, per box	1.25
Raspberries, per lb.	8@ 10
Loganberries, per lb.	.10
Currants, black and red, per lb.	.8
Butter (creamery), per lb.	.25
Eggs (ranch), per doz.	.24
Chickens, per lb.	12½
Ducks, per lb.	12½
Hay, per ton	16.00
Oats, per ton	27.00
Peas (field), per ton	45.00
Barley, per ton	28.00
Beef, per lb.	.8
Mutton, per lb.	.11
Pork, per lb.	.11

READ THIRD TIME IN THE COMMONS

V., V. & E. BILL NOW GOES TO THE SENATE

It is Doubtful if There Will Be Much Opposition in the Upper House.

Ottawa, July 8.—The champions of monopoly were forced to succumb in the House last evening, and the Victoria, Vancouver & Eastern railway bill was read a third time, and passed amid the cheers of Liberal Western members.

David Henderson gave an excuse for the course he took against the bill that certain newspapers in British Columbia opposed it. He first quoted the Province, Vancouver.

Duncan Ross—Does he know that the Canadian Pacific controls the stock of the Province?

Mr. Henderson next quoted the Rossland Miner.

Mr. Ross—Is he aware that the War Eagle controls the Rossland Miner, and that the War Eagle recently amalgamated its interests with the C. P. R.?

Hon. G. E. Foster withdrew an amendment he had before the committee, and the bill was read a third time and passed.

The opponents of the bill realize that parliament is determined to put through the bill before prorogation, and it is very doubtful if much opposition will be offered in the Senate.

AUSTRALIAN MINISTRY.

The New Cabinet Formed by Hon. A. Deakin, Who Is Prime Minister.

Melbourne, July 6.—A new cabinet was formed to-day by Hon. Alfred Deakin as follows: Prime minister and minister of external affairs, Alfred Deakin; attorney-general, Isaac A. Isaacs; minister of trade and customs, Sir William Lyne; treasurer, Sir J. Forrest; postmaster-general, Mr. Chapman; minister of defence, Senator Playford; minister of home affairs, Mr. Groom; vice-president of the executive committee, Mr. Ewing.

AT LOSS OF WORDS.

J. S. Henry Says It Is Impossible to Describe Impressions of Trip Through Canada.

Golden, B.C., July 6.—After two weeks steady travelling through Eastern Canada and broad wheat fields and cattle ranges of the Canadian West, during which they were feasted and feted at every turn, the Washington correspondents spent a restful day at Banff yesterday, visiting Bankhead, the new C. P. R. mining town, and the various points of interest which have made this beautiful spot a great summer resort. The ride up the Bow Valley this morning, the first of the 600 miles of magnificence through which they will pass before reaching the Pacific Coast, was a delightful one, and everybody was charmed and impressed with the overpowering grandeur of the Rockies.

Mr. J. S. Henry, of the Philadelphia Press, says: "To describe the impressions of our trip through Canada would be impossible. It has been a wonderful revelation. Official advertising reports, graceful literature and attractive photographs all failed to convey the actual conditions we have met, or in any degree to picture the wonderful scenery.

"The Canadian Pacific railway, as the pioneer across this part of the continent, has been an epoch maker and contributed to the wealth and happiness of the world. The millions of acres of wheat that have come under our personal observation testify to the benefit the whole world has realized from the enterprise and foresight of the Canadian railroads. This wheat land can only be appreciated by the world as its product reach the markets. Mere statistics and illustrated reports cannot do justice to them. Personal visits such as we have paid and the great cargoes of grain that furnish the food of nations bring a proper realization of the possibilities of the great Canadian Northwest.

"It is difficult to keep within the bounds when speaking of the millions of acres of wheat fields, but language simply fails when we essay a description of the secenery opened to us through the Canadian Rockies by the Canadian Pacific railway. Our vocabulary is a wreck, and in the language of the Yankee, who for the first time stood on the summit of Pike's Peak, we manage to ejaculate, 'Gee whillikins.'"

—Three by-laws have been prepared by the city council to be submitted to the ratepayers on July 21st. The by-laws are for the raising of the following sums: $100,000 for sewer extension; $30,000 for a school building in Victoria West and $11,000 for the extension of the electric lighting plant.

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Notice is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in council to sanction and cause the issue of Letters Patent for the incorporation into a District Municipality that portion of the Districts of Cowichan, Shawnigan and Quamichan (except only such portions thereof as form part of indian reservations) within the boundaries as follows, viz.: To commence at the mouth of the main channel of Cowichan river at the boundary of North Cowichan municipality, following the said river in a westerly direction eight miles more or less to the boundary line between Quamichan and Sahtlam Districts, thence south three miles more or less on said line to boundary of Helmcken District, thence east five miles more or less on line between Quamichan and Helmcken Districts to boundary line between Helmcken and Shawnigan Districts, thence south on line between Helmcken and Shawnigan Districts four and a half miles more or less to junction of said line and Kokaislah river, thence north four miles more or less following the windings of Kokaislah river to section line between fourteen and fifteen, Shawnigan District, thence south on said line six miles more or less to salt water at Cowichan Bay, thence north following shore about nine miles more or less up to point of commencement.

WALTER FORD.
JOHN J. DOUGAN.
E. H. FORREST.

Cowichan Station, May 1st, 1905.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Section 53, Highland District.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title issued to Edward Cooper Arden on the 18th March, 1897, and numbered 3281c.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, B. C., July 3rd, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated on the Coast District, Range 5, commencing at a stake at the northwest corner of Lot 191; marked W. D. McIntosh, jr., thence running west 40 chains, thence south 18 chains to the northern boundary of Lot 193, thence east 40 chains along the northern boundary of Lot 193, thence north 18 chains to place of commencement, containing 72 acres more or less.

W. D. M'INTOSH, JR.

March 21st, 1905.

Notice is hereby given that, sixty days after date, we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land: Commencing at the southeast corner post on Dease Lake, Cassiar, near Porter's Landing, of Lot 206, thence north 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south to the lake shore, thence following the lake shore to the point of commencement, and containing 160 acres more or less.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., 19th May, 1905.

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