News Brought by Tacoma Maru that Salvors are Meeting with Success-Brings Silk and Tea

The steamer Tacoma Maru, of the Osaka Shosen kalsha line, reached the outer wharf yesterday morning with a cargo of 2,220 tons of general freight including 500 bales of silk and 2,300 of porcelain, matting, rice and general freight. The steamer brought news that there is an excellent prospect of saving the R. M. S. Empress of China.

When the Tacoma Maru passed the scene of the wreck on August 22nd the salvage steamers Oura Maru and Arims Maru, the latter a shallow draught vessel, were towing on lines made fast to the wreck, on which salvage pumps were at work throwing considerable water overside. The steamer had been moved some distance and it was generally ex pected that, unless heavy weather sets in, the work' would be successful. Re insurance had dropped to 25 per cent

on the liner. Six Japanese of the crew of the steamer Tagonoura Maru employed to take the cargo salved from the liner to Yoko hama from Shirahama were arrested for stealing 400 bags of flour from the

wreck. Four saloon passengers, all Japanese arrived by the Tacoma Maru and 68 Chimese and 18 Japanese steerage were landed here. The steamer had a good voyage across the Pacific, but encountered fog on Monday afternoon, which delayed her arrival. The cargo for Victoria was light and the steamer proceeded to Tacoma before noon. The Panama Maru, of this line, left Yoko-hama on Tuesday en route here and is due at the outer wharf on September 20. The steamer Keemum, of the Blue Funnel line, sailed from the outer wharf yesterday morning for Liverpool, via the usual ports of call in the far east, after embarking about 250 homing Chinese. The steamer had a large cargo, valued at three million follars, including about 6,000 barrels of whale oil shipped by the C. N. P. Fisheries company to Glasgow. The cargo included copper cathodes from Tacoma, lumber and general merchandise

The R. M. S. Marama, of the Canadian-Australian line, left the outer wharf yesterday on her first trip outward under the new schedule, calling at Auckland, New Zealand, instead of Brisbane, en route to Sydney The Marama had 250 passengers, including 130 first class and 110 second class. The cargo totalled about 1,200 tons. Under the new schedule the steamers leave on Wednesday instead of Friday as hereto-

### JEANETTE GIVES LANGFORD HARD FIGHT

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, York, Sept. 5.—Sam Langford won his ten-round bout with Jeo Jeannette in the Madi-son Square Garden tonight, but in every minute of the thirty in which blows were minute of the thirty in which blows were exchanged, the Boston man knew he had a stiff problem to solve. Jeannette fought gamely and cleverly. The Hoboken negrowas at no time afraid of the Boston terror, and frequently sent back better than he got. It was a gruelling mill from start to finish, and while it was fast and clever, the bout was somewhat of a disappointment to the followers of pugilism. Langford was expected to finish off his opponent within seven rounds, and the fact that Jeannette stayed the Hmit, sent Langford's stock as a likely opponent for Johnson away down. A crowd that filled the garden watched the bout, but the overcrowding of a week agowas missing and there was no confusion outside the garden.

## FROM WEST COAST

Tees Brings Cargo of Canned Salmor From the Uchucklessit Cannery.

The steamer Tees returned yesterday day with 42 passengers and a cargo including 5175 cases of canned salmon from the Uchucklessett cannery. The steamer took 222 tons of general freight, mostly groceries to the west coast on her up trip.

#### FORTUNE TAKEN BY THE POACHERS

Alien Fishermen Have Violated Laws Extensively Off the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

An officer of the steamer Tees. which plies to the west coast of Vancouver Island four times a month, said

"I see it is being denied that there is, or has been, any poaching on the Vancouver Island coast. If I had the value of the fish poached from the British Columbia fishing grounds off that coast I would not seek any greater fortune. I would probably be giving away libraries now. On August 26th when we were at Nootka there was a poaching schooner lying at anchor in Friendly cove."

### OWNERS STILL DIVIDED Tangle Over Courtney Street Pavement

Awaits Settlement

In an effort to unravel the tangle which has arisen over the proposed paving of Courtney street, between Douglas, and Quadra streets, a meeting of owners interested was held last evening at the city hall, when the matter was gone into by about six owners together with the city solicitor, city engineer and Alderman Gleason, chairman of the streets committee. When the first bylaw to improve the street was and driven in automobiles to the hotel passed it provided for a forty-six foot and afterwards taken for a tour of the asphalt pavement with sidewalks on each side ten feet in width between Douglas and Quadra streets. After- Eastern Star chapter. On the concluwards it was proposed to cut down the width of the pavement between Blanchard and Quadra streets to 32 feet with were entertained at a banquet at the six-foot walks and the balance to be boulevard, that portion between Doug- largely attended.

las and Blanchard to be paved to a width of 42 feet and widen the side-walks. This work was started, the engineer allowing for the boulevards between Blanchard and Quadra, his idea being to preserve a number of trees on the south side of the readway. But some of the owners believe that that portion of the street will be what can be termed semi-business and they want the full width pavement and the trees removed. Others of the owners wish emoved. Others of the owners wish he trees to remain. Petition and counter-petition have been presented to the city council and finally the meeting of

the owners was decided upon. Last night's meeting appeared to be still very much divided in opinion and the session closed by the city solicitor announcing that as the owners between Douglas and Blanchard are willing to accept the engineer's proposition the best thing the city can do is to hold up the balance of the work until the owners get together and come to some understanding. In the meantime work on laying a curb at the reduced width between Blanchard and Quadra has started and considerable expense entailed. The owners refuse to pay for this work which will doubtless have to be paid for by the city.

### ARRESTED SEALERS WANT TO APPEAL

ur Japanese Captured Of Pribyloff Seal Bookery and Fined \$1,000 -Want Case Reopens

According to advices brought by the racoma Maru yesterday, Japanese papers report that the crew, numbering four in all, of the Funagoshi Maru, a sealer owned by the Kofuji Deep Sea Fishing Co., of Gogo island, Iyo provnce, which was arrested by an American revenue cutter, has appealed against conviction. It was on February 2nd that the schooner fell into the hands of the American officers near St. Paul island on suspicion of having engaged in the poaching. The crew were pronounced guilty and each man fined 1000

dollars. The report says that the defendants do not think that they violated the American law and decided to take the

case to the upper court. But to do this bail of 200 dollars was required for the release of each appellant, and the money was not orthcoming. Their counsel laid the case before the Japanese consul in Seattle who, in turn, advised the foreign office at Tokyo. The matter has been comnunicated to the owners of the sealer

## MR. F. H. SHEPHERD'S TRIUMPHANT TOUR

in Iyo.

Conservative Candidate Nanaimo District Meets with Utmost Encouragement Meetings at the Islands

On Monday Mr. Frank H. Shepherd the Conservative candidate for the Nanaimo riding, addressed successful meetings at Mayne and Pender islands. Rev. Canon Paddon presided at the meeting at Mayne. It was largely attended and very enthusiastic as to the outcome of the contest on Septemb 21. At the conclusion of the meeting the candidate and Hon. A. E. McPhillips, K. C., who was one of the speakers, were guests at a banquet, for which

forty covers were laid. Mr. Spencer Percival presided at the meeting held at Pender island. This meeting was also well attended and resolutions expressing confidence in Mr. R. L. Borden and the government of Hon. Richard McBride were passed unani-

On Tuesday Mr. Shepherd addressed an open-air meeting at Fulford harbor, with Mr. J. Hamilton in the chair. There was a good attendance of the farmers district; and there is no doubt that the Conservative standard-bearer may count on a good majority of the votes cast in the islands of the gulf.

Kootenay's Resources .- Mr. Elmer R Sly, managing director of the Fire Valley Orchards, Ltd., has just returned from the Kootenays, where he and Mr. R. B. Elliott, president of the company. had gone to inspect the survey of their property. Mr. Sly brought back with him some excellent samples of the products of the district, including fruit. vegetables, oats, etc., which will be on exhibition at the company's new offices at 1309 Douglas street, beginning next

Monday.

Building Permits-Building permits were issued yesterday by the building inspector to C. G. Wash & F. S. Bonnell for three dwellings to be erected on Moss street to cost \$6.100; to the Westholm Lumber company for temporary office quarters for the contractors of the new addition to the legislative buildings, to cost \$2,500; to F. Bond, addition to dwelling on Fifth street, \$250: to F. J. & L. W. Hall, addition to premises on Yates street. \$2,000: to J. T. Redding, three dwellings on Langford street, \$4,700; to J. Wookey, dwelling on Shelbourne street, \$1,200; to Dr. F. H. Sterling, garage on Rockland avenue \$150; to S. H. Reynolds, garage on Fairfield road, \$150.

Enjoy Visit to Seattle-Loud in praise of the spirit of hospitality which prevails in Seattle, Stephen Jones, worship ful master of Victoria-Columbia lodge No. 1. A. F. of M., and officers and sev enty-five members of the lodge and their families returned yesterday from the Sound metropolis, where they had been on the occasion of the celebration of the Fifty-First anniversary of St. John's lodge. The visit was in every sense a pleasant and memorable one. The party was met on arrival by the receptio committee from St. John's lodge, headed by Worshipful Master J. W. Thomas, and afterwards taken for a tour of the city. The comfort of the ladies was well looked after by the members of the sion of the business session, which was held on Monday evening, the visitors Rainier-Grand hotel, which was very

G. T. P. Has No Immediate Plans Regarding Government Street Site-President C. M. Hays a Visitor in City

President Charles M. Hays of the Franc Trunk Pacific Railway, Montreal, and Mr. Alfred W. Smithers of London, chairman of the Old Country board of directors, with a numerous party of higher officials of the new national transcontinental system, spent yesterday in Victoria in the course of the president's annual visit to the coast the little company having but just returned from the Pacific terminus of the line at Prince Rupert and a run eastward from that infant city to the rail head near Kitselas, more than one hundred miles up river and inland whence the steel is being rapidly advanced to Hazelton. It would indeed have skready reached that important strategic point but for the fact that ion of a series of new tunnels one of these not contemplated in the original construction plan-has some what delayed the progress of raillaying. The president and his party (who also visited both Hazelton and Stewart) express thorough satisfaction with the manner in which the work is being prosecuted and anticipate no special difficulties in operation of the Skeena section from slides or other kindred interference. The line in this section is indeed no worse at any point than along the canyon of the Fraser.

"Although," as General Manager E. J. Chamberlin remarks, "Grand Trunk Pacific construction along the Skeena i naturally much heavier work, as we are cutting down to the four-fifths of one per cent grade and six degree maximum curvature, the standard insisted upon n railway construction today being vastly different from what it was when the line of the C. P. R. was run through the gorge of the Fraser."

Confer with Premier The greater part of President Hays and Chairman Smithers' time while here yesterday morning was devoted to a conference with Premier McBride upon various detail matters of business in which their company and the province are mutually concerned, but which however, involves no new departures in railway or public policy. The visitors also lunched with Premier McBride and Hon Mr. Ross and afterwards visited and inspected the site at the corner of Government and Belleville streets purchased some time ago for the location some time of a palatial G. T. P. hotel. Asked as to the progress of developnent of the company's plans in con nection, with this hotel establishment

programme, vice-president and general nanager Chamberlin said last evening "We are not doing anything about it at present. We bought the site because it seemed likely that we should at some future time require it. But we are not doing anything further in the matter at present. We're not even thinking

From here President Hays and party go to Vancouver this morning proceed ing thence to Edmonton and westward from there to the railroad between Yellowhead Pass and Fort George, their great interior divisional and radial point. It is expected also that an important permanent town-though not a huge one-will be created at Tete Jaune Cache, the head of upper Fraser navigation, with a valuable and resourceful country back of the tributary to it. The members of the inspection party know nothing as yet, except from pres reports, as to the acquisition of the Fort George Indian reserve property, negotiations in this behalf having been conducted through the Dominion government. During their stay in the mountain district, the presidential party will spend some time at Jasper Park, which is to be boomed as the chief mountain. resort of the new Canadian system. With President Hays on his present tour-his fortieth annual journey of the kind since his first identification with the old Grand Trunk-are Mr. Smithers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swanson, Miss Gladys Jackson, of London, Mr. H. Deer, assistant secretary of the London board; vice president and general manager E. J. Chamberlin of Winnipeg; Mrs. Chamberlin, Mr A. B. Smith, head of the company's department of telegraphs, Dr. J. M. Leney,

# RECIPROCITY FIRST

assistant general medical officer: Mr. A

Bulze, general purchasing agent; Capt.

Nicholson, Mr. D. E. Galloway, Mr. V.

A. Payne and Mr. N. Kinseller.

Australian Politicians Believe in Empire Resources for the People of the Empire -Value of Protection

"We in Australia think that reciprocity should first be established among all the British people. The preferential tariff we have we think should be used to build up the markets of the British people. This does not mean that we are not prepared to enter into trade relations with other nations, but the first reciprocity should be among our own

people." This was the statement made by John hompson, M. P. for New South Wales in the Australian parliament, who left by the R. M. S. Marama yesterday on way home to the Antipodes after attending the coronation of King George. He and Mr. John Livingston, M. P. for South Australia in the federal house, both expressed themselves strong-

## country by adopting a protective ta

and we don't expect any reversal of it.
In 1902 we established our first low
tariff and in 1907 we made our preferention arrangement, which has given
us the most benefit. "We are the largest purchasers from

he Old Country within the British em pire and we are also big exporters Our wool exports last year were \$27,000,000, our butter \$7,000,000, and our wheat £17,000,000: The Australian pe ple are intensely imperial and look ward to an imperial parliament, at which state of affairs common interest to the empire may be discussed. Of course presents some difficulties, but we elieve that this can be overcome

Livingstone, the other member Mr. "We are a strongly protectionist because we have prospered under it and see no reason at prese for a change. Why do you offer the United States such an agreement? "What were you ten years ago Look what you are now under the present tariff. Why should you take down the rails which have so built up trade? In three years you will have hem eating out of your hands. I an rabid opponent of reciprocity, because I don't see the necessity for it Look at our country, see how we hav prospered under protection. The Old Country holds to free trade, but she will have to abandon it before long, be caused she is becoming the dumping ground of the Belgian, German and

## BLOODED EQUINES AT HORSE SHOW

Large Crowd Witnessed Splen-Entertainment Last Night-Hon. Price Ellison at Formal Opening

Last night's session of the Victoria Horse show attracted an exceptionally large crowd, the pavilion being thronged practically to its full capacity. A feature was the formal opening by Hon. Price Ellison, minister of agriculture The contests were keen almost in every case. Judge Fuller often having his hands full in deciding between close competitors for the highest honors. Where such struggles took place the enthusiasm of those present was roused. the applause which greeted the official's award being great. As usual jumping competitions brought the entertainment to a close and thaquehout the Fifth Regiment band rendered a splendid musical programme,

Complete Besults. The complete results follow: Section 36.

Children's pony, other than Shetland, not exceeding 13 hands, 3 years old and over, to be ridden by girls or boys under 12 years of age/ 1st. Nan, exhibited by Miss Helen Farrell, of Seattle, 2nd, Queenie, exhibited by Miss Scott,

Section 3.

Pair of draft horses, each horse to weigh 1,000 lbs. and over, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle, certificate of weight to be furnished if asked for. 1st, Shorty and Nelly, exhibited by Richards Victoria.

2nd, Prince and Queen, by Finnerty Sons. Victoria. 3rd, Neil' and Nigger, exhibited by F. R. Stewart & Co. Section 13

Carriage horses novice, over 14.2. -, exhibited by Miss Stimson, f Seattle. Miss Stimson, of Seattle

Section 32 Shetland ponies in harness not exeding 116 inches in heighth, 3 years old and over, to be driven by a boy or girl not over 12 years of age, ponies per cent, appointments 25 per cent. 1st-Trinkets, R. Thoburn, Victoria. 2nd-Prince, Kathleen Forter, Vic-

3rd-Punch, Arthur Colbert, Victoria. Section 10 Pair of trotters, mares or geldings, 3 ears old and over.

1st --- exhibited by Dr. Henderson. 2nd -, exhibited by Victoria Section 41 Saddle horses, 4 years and over, up to

arrying 200 pounds. -, exhibited by E. R. Rickets, ancouver. 2nd-Never Mind, exhibited by Mrs. Burns, Calgary. 3rd-, exhibited by J. D. Farrell,

of Seattle. Section 15 Mare or gelding 15.2 and over to be shown to a broughton 1st-Ambassador, exhibited by Anhew Laidla'w, of Seattle. 2nd-Stanton, exhibited by Mrs. B.

W. Pearce, Victoria. Section 48

Hunters' horses, lightweight, up to arrying 150 pounds. -, exhibited by J. D. Farrell, of Seattle. 2nd-, exhibited by W. Snarpe. 3rd-Flash, exhibited by Victor pencer. Vancouver.

Section 30 Tandem, ponies, 13 hands and not ex-First—Belmont Daisy and Belmoni Stager, exhibited by James G. French, of Section 18.

Pair of mares or geldings, 15.1 and over, to be shown to a Victoria—
First—Dorothea and Hillcrest Diamond, exhibited by Andrew Laidiaw, of Spokane. Second—Sweet Briar and Culraven Extravagant Queen, exhibited by W. S. Holland, of Vancouver.

Section 40.
Saddle horses, novice, 15.2 and over, 3 Suavita, exhibited by E. Hender-

on, of Victoria exhibited by J. D. Two experimental orchards are being established by the provincial govern-

# AT CHRIST CHERCH

of Miss Marguerite J. Little and Mr. H. Despard Twigg Celebrated—Reception at "Highlands"

A very pretty wedding and one great interest to Victorians took place at Christ Church cathedral, Victoria, Miss Marguerite Jean Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frances D. Little and Mr. Harold Despard Twigg, were married. The church was thronged with the many friends of the bride and bridegroom and the bridal procession was admitted to be one of the prettiest seen in Victoria for some time The service was fully choral and the fandsome interior of the parish church

peas, ferns and greenery. The decora-tions were carried out by Mrs. Tilton, ssisted by other friends. The young bride, who looked very charming in her lovely bridal gown, was met upon her arrival by, a bevy of pretty bridesmalds. She was escorted up the aisle by her father, who subsequently gave her away. The marriage

ceremony was performed by Bishop

was beautified with masses of swee

The beautiful gown worn by Miss Little was an example of elegant simplicity. The material used being silver brocade, and the only trimming a delicate design of shamrocks worked in seed pearls. A chaplet of orange blossoms was worn under a lovely Limerick lace veil, an heirloom of the bridegroom's family, and the bride carried a shower boquet of bride's roses and ferns. Her only ornament being the bridegroom's gift, a very lovely string

of seed pearls.

Miss Lucy Little, sister of the bride, vas maid of honor and the bridesmaids, four in number, were Miss Kathleen Dunsmuir, Miss Muriel Dunsmuir, Miss Laura Andain and Miss Adele Kirkbride. Their very uncommon dresse were of a lovely shade of pale pink Mousseline de Soie, threaded with the new shade of aeriel blue ribbon, with over dresses of pink Mousseline de Sole and waist bands of aeriel blue. The ittle empire coats were of pink silk taffeta caught across the corsage with empire boquets of satin roses in pink and aerial blue. Their very becoming pale pink tagel hats were trimmed with pale pink lace, scarves threaded with gold and caught with tiny bunches of pink and blue roses and heather. The nats being underlined with aeriel blue Mousseline de Soie. They carried empire boquets of pink roses, surrounded with blue and wore the bridegroom's gifts, enamel butterfly brooches? Cane acted as best man and there were four ushers, Mr Marshall, Mr. Cambie Mr. Bromley and Mr. James.

During the signing of the register Mrs. Harry Pooley gave an exquisite rendering of "A Little Prayer," by Frances Leoni.

The Reception

Highlands, Rockland avenue, the res dence of the bride's parents, which was very largely attended. The bride and bridegroom received the congratulations of their many friends in a marque which had been built on one of the lawns, which was profusely decorated with white gypsophilia and white cryanthemums. The bride's table on which stood the handsome wedding cake was arranged in a beautifully decorated arbour with climbing clematis trained over white posts and massed with bride's roses and ferns. And the refreshment marquee which was on the same lawn had for its decorations quantities of pink and white sweet peas, while the tables were arranged with pink roses and ferns.

Mrs. Little wore for her daughter's wedding an elegant creation of white satin with an overdress of black chantilly lace, and the trimming of the corsage and skirt consisted of exquisite hand embroidery in blue cheville. The becoming hat worn was of white chiffon over black velvet leaves. The brim underlined with black velvet and the only trimming was one long, white saucer nlume tinned with blue Mrs Freeman grandmother of the bride, was attired a very handsome wisteria colored soft satin, with an overdress of chiffon in a deeper shade trimmed with wis-

### Baby's Terrible Eczema HANDS TIED TO PREVENT SCRATCHING.

Five Doctors Failed to Believe, But Zam-Buk Worked a Cure.

Mrs. Chas. Levere, of Prescott, North Channel, Ont., tells how Zam-Buk cured her baby. She says: "My baby's head and face was one complete mass of sores. The itching and irritation were fearful, and the little one's plight was so serious that at one time we feared her ears would be eaten off by the disease. "We had to keep her hands tied for

days to prevent her rubbing and scratching the sores. Doctor after doctor treated her in vain, until we had had five doctors. They all agreed it was a frightful case of eczema, but none of them did any permanent good. "As a last resource we were advised to try Zam-Buk. The first box did so much good that we felt sure we were at last working in the right direction We persevered with the treatment un til we had used thirteen boxes, and at the end of that time I am glad to say Zam-Buk had effected a complete cure."

For eczema, eruptions, rashes, tet ter, itch, ringworm and similar skin diseases, Zam-Buk is without equal. It, also cures cuts, burns, scalds, piles abscesses, chronic sores, blood poison ing, etc. All druggists and stores at 50 cents a box, or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Torento. imitations.

eria and silver embroidery, with yoke and sleeves of cream shaded lace, Her toque of the deeper shade of wisteria coloring was afranged with lovely cream saucer plumes tipped with wisteria color and touches of silver em-

Many other beautiful toilettes were noticed among the guests present. Th bride and bridegroom left later in the afternoon by motor on their honeymoon For her journey the bride wore a tailor nade dark blue cloth coat and skirt and a beaver hat in dark blue, simply trim med with touches of blue and green. The young couple were the recipient of a number of wedding presents which made a magnificent collection.

#### ROUTINE WORK OF LABOR COUNCIL

The Victoria Trades and Labor Council held its regular meeting last vening, Vice President Parrott in the

chair. Ironmoulders International Inion of North America sent two delegates for the first time, namely, Arthur Burns and Samuel Young. They were warmly received and duly seated. The secretary reported that an invitation had been received from the secretary of the Women's Council to send a representative to attend a meeting that was to be addressed by Mrs. W. Cummings on the annuity system. The ecretary was deputed to attend by the vice-president, and he did so, giving the council a very interesting account

of the lecture. The secretary of the labor hall comnittee reported that the lease of the labor hall would run out in four months, and that Pat Burns & Co. did lot wish to renew same, as the firm wished to use the premises for business purposes. Delegate Smith was given power to make arrangements for suitable hall to accommodate the mions until such time as the council could place a new hall on the premises

ecently purchased on Pandora avenue. The B. C. Federation and Statistical and Employment Bureau were granted the use of labor hall at a very moderate rental for the balance of the year. The business of the bureau will be strictly watched by the union labor representatives and there is every reason to believe from the prospectus that the bureau will do good, honest work in the way of finding employment for honest, sober working mer Thomas Norris, secretary of the Vancouver Building Trades Council, on request, addressed the council on labor matters in general and made a

very interesting address. The president, with Delegates Burns and Ryan were appointed a committee to wait on the Plasterers Union regarding urgent business matters.

Acting City Clerk Bradley wrote to say that the letter sent by the council relative to having the city sewers built by day labor under the supervision of the city engineer had been received and filed.

## E. O. S. SCHOLEFIELD IS NEW PRESIDEN

A reception followed the ceremony at Victorian Elected Head of Pacific Northwest Library Association — Conference is Concluded

> The third annual conference of the Pacific Northwest Library association was brought to a close yesterday morning amid many expressions of good will and appreciation of the harmonious and instructive way in which the proceedings had been held.

The most interesting feature of the closing session, from British Columbia's point of view at any rate, was the elecmuch-liked provincial librarian, as president of the association. Much to the amusement of those present Mr. Scholefield, having been out of ear-shot dur ing the election, was quite unaware of the honor done him, and it was not until the end of the meeting when his friends pressed around to congratulate him and ask for a speech that the knowledge was borne hom to him. The other officers elected were: First vicepresident, Mr. W. L. Brewster, Portland; second vice-president, Miss Blan chard, Seattle; secretary, Miss Fargo, Spokane: treasurer, Mr. M. H. Douglass, University of Oregon.

A number of interesting matters came up for discussion during the morning. Among these were the reports on the progress of libraries in Oregon, Washington, British Columbia and Alberta. Mr. E. O. S. Scholefield, while not

reading a formal paper, had much that was interesting to say about the growth of library work in this province. He pointed out that the mis. imp.: tan feature was the getting out of plans for the new provincial library in which all the library work of the province would one day be synchronized. They had been drawing up plans for several months, but they had had various difficulties to contend with. They paid special attention in the provincial library to the North West Americana having there one of the best collections on the coast. Also they had recently acquired ne collection of Hon Mr. Justice Martin, which contained many valuable books. Referring to ...e libraries throughout the province he belleved it to be the intention of Mr. Douglas, librarian of the Vancouver Carnegie library to install branch libraries throughout that city. The Victoria public library had also been decidedly moving forward. They had engaged the services of Miss Helen Stewart, whom he believed to be the first trained library worker to take up a position in this province.

He wanted to thank the delegates very much indeed for coming to Victoria for their convention, for besides enjoying their society, they had particularly wished for library work at this time.

# G. T. P. LINER

President of Transcontinental Line and Party Return from Prince Rupert on the Prince George

The steamer Prince George, Can-Saunders, of the G. T. P., reached por yesterday morning from Prince Rupert bringing a large complement of passen gers, including President Charles M Hays and party of officials who have been north on an inspection trip. The party included Alfred W. Smither chairman of the London directors. My and Mrs. Frank Swanson, and Mis Gladys Jackson, London, England; Deer, assistant secretary of the G. P. in London; E. J. Chamberlin, gen eral manager and vice president of Win nipeg, who is accompanied by Mrs. Chamberlin; A. B. Smith, manager of elegraphs; Dr. J. M. Leney, assistant general medical officer; A. Butze, general purchasing agent: Cant. Nicholson of Vancouver; D. E. Galloway, private secretary, and V. A. Payne, assistan private secretary to the president, and N. Kinsella, secretary to Mr. Chamber

From Prince Runert the party mad a trip over the first 100 miles of the railroad toward Copper river and thence went by river steamer up the Skeena After visiting the G. T. P. road the went to Stewart to note the progress made by the port which is to be the ter minus of he Canadian North Eastern railroad, the first section of which has been constructed to the Red Cliff mine Other passengers aboard the Prince George were: D. S. Tait, C. W. Brad shaw, D. E. Brown, C. A. Harrison, J Mara, J Irvin, Thomas Stedham, G. Thompson, D. Ross, Dr. and Mrs. Mc Intyre, Mr. and Mrs. P. McAllister, D. Laney, Miss McLaughlin, Mrs. Pries man, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. Brigger, Miss Kroetch and Miss Jackson.

When the steamer left for Seattle yesterday morning she took as deck passengers a party of 80 Indians bound to the Washington hop fields to work as pickers. The steamer will sail again for the

north this morning. A large comple ment of passengers has been booked Visiting Alaska.

SEATTLE, Sept. 6 .- Commander Toku taro Hiraga, naval attache to the Japanese embassy at Washington, D. sailed for Alaska tonight on the steam ship Admiral Sampson. Commander H raga, who came to Seattle last week with Admiral Togo, said that his trip to Alaska is for pleasure

## THE CITY MARKETS

RETAIL Bran, per 100 lbs.
Shorts, per 100 lbs.
Middlings, per 100 lbs.
Ooas, per 100 lbs.
Feed Wheat, per 100 lbs.
Crushed Oats, per 100 lbs.
Barley, per 100lbs.
Cracked Corn, per 100 lbs.
Feed Cornmeal, per 100 lbs.
Hay, per ton
Chop Feed, per 100 lbs. Eggs—
Fresh Island, per dozen ....
Eastern, per doz. .....
Eastern, per dozen ..... Cheese-

Canadian, per lb.
Cream, local, each
Butter—
Alberta, per lb.
Best Dairy, per lb.
Victoria Creamery, per lb.
Cowichan Creamery, per lb. .20 Salt Spring Isl. Creamery, 1b. Royal Household, bag .... Royal Household, bag ...
Lake of the Woods, bag ...
Royal Standard, bag ...
Wild Rose, per sack
Robin Hood, per sack ...
Calgary, per bag ...
Moffat's Best, per bag ...
Drifted Snow, per sack
Three Star, per sack
Snowflake, per bag ...
Fruit

Fruit .100 Grape Fruit (Cantornia)
Plneapples, per lb.
Plums, per box
Local Plums, per basket
Peaches, per basket
Pears, per dozen
Grapes, per lb.
Canteloupes, each .25@.

Vegetables Tomatoes, per lb. ...... Canbage, new, per lb.

Garlic, per lb.
Onions, 8lbs.
Beets, per lb.
Carrots, per lb.
New Carrots, 3 bunches
String Beans, local, 2 lbs.
Vegetable Marrow, per lb.
Corn, per dozen
Celerv, per atalt Corn, per dozen
Celery, per stalk
Radishes 3 bunches
English Broad Beans, 3 lb.
Green Peppers, per lb.
Green Onions, 3 bunches
Watercress, per bunch Beef, per lb. .....

Fowl ...... Births, Marriages. Deaths

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LIVINGSTON—At at Joseph's September 1 to the wife of Livingston, a son. BROOKER-To the wife of Thorns
Brooker, on the st inst., corn.
and Catherine sts., Victoria West. daughters.

OHNSTONE-COOKE-At Christ Cathedral, on the 29th inst, Rev. Baugh Allen, Thomas Johnstone to Nellie Ruth, d. of Mrs. A. M. Cooke of the Mansions.

MARRIED

BEWLEY - SCROGGS .- On the 21 Aug., at Harpenden Parish Church, Rev. Edward Dawson Bewley, eldest se of the late Sir Edward Bewley, to Flor ence, widow of the late Arthur Scroggs Esq., of Victoria, British Clumbia, Canadian papers, please cept

Good Sized Cro ance - Great Aroused Than Features of Fa

A crowd of such p have been exceeding the management ass hipition yesterday. day it was a prono point of attendance was the same from points is almost a ow proper, as re main building exhibi ally large number of ether with the hors programme so dive as to carry involuntarily whirl of entertainme

The exhibition ma ered in full swing an expected that the nur public holiday Mayor Morley, will record. Tomorrow. tion's executive is l cially large gatherin the fact that the list is more varied than fered in previous ye tions of those in cha the declaration of a day for that day b poard of education therefore, will be the They, in company w or guardians, are look

The management bring the event to a day in grand style. there will be unusua for the various horse and Dr. B. P., the holding the champion dle west and of the spectively, and which cently with credit i will be among the el ferent harness events The running events be particularl gyood. Horse Show building programme of such a ter that the accomi pavilion should be tax

Special Con Never before have sessions been of such case this year. For programme offers ex entertainment, the cla being especially notab ed that several com ntroduced in the co that will attract horsemen throughout Both are jumping eve an effort will be record established in by Credential. Shannon. The heigh of timber and 6 incl has not since been northwest. Mr. J. D. tle, who will be ren owner of Fox Cate norse which died rec in this city gave C run for the honors. ) which he hopes will indicated. The Prem on which he has place has outstanding abili many who believe t the record. The oth red to is being arran pose of establishing for jumping over an

of the features of the

blue ribbon winners

breeding and horse

Yesterday's I A pleasont feature the luncheon tendered the exhibitors by the the directors of the was prepared by the W.C.T.U. who have cl restaurant and was a selves and took occa ulate their hosts on the assembled here, affir stock classes, in the stances, would be any centre of the con mie, president of the tural association, occi judge of dairy cattle Ontario, while at the sallantyne, also a jud Among others p Standish, who is res listribution of ribbo orses, and Mr. Ellio presiding over the be sheep competitions. ominent stockmen umbia also were in One of the first to which was proposed Miller, of Mount Tolm ed to in eloquent term Knight, in behalf of overnment, and by for the Deminion go Andrew Laidlaw, of did honor to the live referring to the impor dustry with which the they have made in the years in the developm class of animal. For response were made marked enthusiasm. Westholme, V.L., and zies of Pender Island

provincial cattle inter J. T. Maynard of Chi

spekesman of the sw Mr. Ji T. Hisginson