GOVERNMENT AND CORONATION FEIL

Parliament Buildings - The Scheme of Celebration,

That the decoration and illumination of Victoria for the approaching Corona-

tion Day festivities will be on a more carefully considered, effective and thoroughly artistic plan than similar features of any past carnivals of kindred character was indicated by the reports and discussion at a meeting of the dec oration and illumination committee held at the Empress yesterday. And that the Provincial government fully recognizes and appreciates the great importance of well-studied decoration and illumination in suitably impressing the festival visit-or as well as in delighting the eyes of patriofic citizens was eloquently attest-ed in the assurance received from the representative in attendance of Acting Premier Young that the Provincial gov

ernment would appropriate a further sum of \$2,000-\$2,000 having been al-ready contributed to the general Cor-onation Festival fund-for the decoration and illumination of the Parliament ary grounds and buildings.

The government also proposes to have ten thousand copies of a most artistic and significant Coronation Day souvenir printed for gratuitous distribution at the important exercises of the afternoo The Education office will shortly pro claim holidays for the scholars in British Columbia's public institutions of learning, including not only Coronation to attain an ideal which has been Day, the 22nd proximo, but also Wed-

pursued throughout these years by all nesday, the 21st, and Friday, the 23rd. The general efforts of the decoration the colonies, the ideal of making common cause with men of our own race, and illumination committee for the mon cause with men of our other lands, by beacons have been established in Alas. The case has become a failous of the Bonus were frequent, while a decause with method other lands, by han waters by the United States gov- its way and will be well remembered of 1-8 in United States 4s; total sales by ell readers of the Provincial Press. (ner value) \$3.664.000. and illumination committee for the Dominion public buildings, across the by sentiment, but by bonds of common

imperial unity.

WELSH COAL STRIKE

Messrs. Landbury and .Keir

Hardie

sectional strikes which had been com-

menced. The interests of the working

carry either soldiers or troops, or any-

one else except pickets and when the

whole of the working classes from the

came there would be no more strikes.

Technical Education Commission.

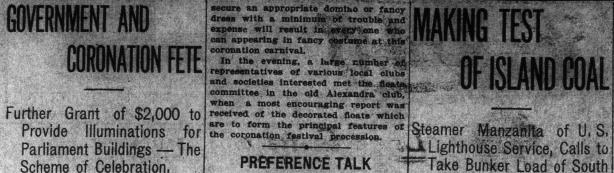
OTTAWA, May 23 .-- The minister of

Causeway to the Parliamentary pile. interests. Arches are projected at either end of The News says the action of Austen the Causeway, which structure will be Chamberlain in attacking reciprocity worked out with a series of Venetian and the lending of his authority to masts entwined with coronation bluemasts entwined with coronation blue— which is naturally to be the basis of the canadian opposition against Sir Wilmerely technically

ing of the arches and the Causeway is promised by the B. C. E. R. Co., while it is hoped that funds will permit the running of an additional line of lights along the water base-line of the Cause way, and the working out of the Imperial motto on the green slope at the Addresses Made at Demonstrati southern side of James Bay.

Seek Co-operation

The committee will ask for the cooperation of the James Bay Athletic association and of all business firms, and hope that its efforts will be supported by the provision through the general committee of adequate prizes to stimulate artistic competition in decoration by the mercantile houses. It is hoped that these will, in so far as possible, adhere to the adopted and significant color scheme of coronation blue. A deputation to consist of Mr. Joshua Kingham, Mr. R. L. Drury, and Mr. Richard Hall, district was the beginning of a great d'affaires at Mexico' City, to make



Wellington Product. ars. Joseph and Ansten Chamb lain Give Views of Canada's procity Action

LONDON, May 23.—At Manchesten on Saturday, at a preference demon-stration, a letter was received from Joseph Chamberlain, in which he wrote: "This is a critical time for our undergenese policy and in view of the The United States lighthouse tender preference policy and in view of the proposed reciprocity between Canada have been supplied heretofore with and the United States, advantage ought to be taken of the Imperial con-ference to make some offer to Canada decided to make a thorough test of Brought Up-No Bill in Per-inty Trial.

and other over-sea dominions. I still believe it is the only way the empire can be strengthened and kept tocan be strengthened and kept to-gether. English people have an op-steamers of the United States light-

MAKING READY

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the prejudices which have caused the

Mr. Lansbury said he admired the new cabinet will be complete. pluck and resistance of the striking coal Chinese Protest workers of the Rhondda yalley, and he

End possessed the same qualities. The Mexico, Chang Yin Tang, Chinese minstruggle which was going on in that ister here, has instructed his charge



Against Leaders Makes Imattempted to annex Canada, continued the premier, it would not be by force of arms, but by sedition. In that event Canada would reply, as Diogenes did to Alexander: "Stand out of my sun." Amalgamated Again Strong, There was sun enough for both. The last words of the Canadian pro-

THE VICTORIA COLONISI

VEBNON ASSIZES

jury Trial.

Official advices have reached the day's losses were recovered.

meeting, said he believed reciprocity would mark the first step in a great and is equipped with a large derrick Indian Aeneas Hahummshan indicted Amalgamated Copper was strongest reversal of the national policy of Can- forward capable of lifting twenty tons, on a similar charge, being found not of the active stocks. The demand for

ada, which for a generation had been the common policy of both its great narties and to which it owned its exparties and to which it owned its ex-traordinary development. "What will be the official on our trade" said Mr Chamberlain. "If these new competi-tors, the most powerful and fighly or-ganized, were introduced into markets where we had the first invitation?" Bonar Law said it was not too late Richardson have made numerous visits town constable Murk, resulting in a The Hill stocks showed furthe

Canadian government on this coast and the recrudesence of the Dake and Bel- Time money was easy today, ruling a as a result of the recommendations mont case-a"charge of arson arising rates which prevailed last week. Rates

made by the inspector, following his out of the attempt to burn Dake's for sixty and ninety days accommods visit here, some of the same type of jewelry store eighteen months ago tions were cut 1-4 per cent.

by all readers of the Provincial Press. (par value) \$3,664,000. An ingenious appliance was left in the

due to start the blaze at two o'clock in FIRST SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE

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and the faithful clock attracted the common in all parts of the empire there attention of the town constable who are between the Dominions and the United Kingdom differences of local inpromptly put out the fire. terest which, unknown and ignored, Both Dake and Belmont were ar ested, but the latter escaped from would tend to the disintegration of the empire, but which, if known and recogtured. Without his evidence the nized, may be harmonized towards Grown cannot proceed, and so the case union.

"I represent a country," said Sir Wil has been again laid over until the next court of competent jurisdiction, Dake frid, "that has no grievances and few leanwhile being admitted to bail. suggestions to make. We are satisfied with our lot, happy and prosperous, but This is the third traversing of the rial which has been a very expensive we recognize that there is room for LONDON, May 23. — Mr. George and the post has been of Senor Madero. He sary witnesses having had to attend M.P., were the principal speakers at a acted as go between in the recent peace at Vernon from the coast at this term one for the Crown, five of the neces-sary witnesses having had to attend improvement. If there is one principle upon which the empire can live it is imperial unity based on local autonomy." athletic grounds at Tonypandy, Wales, ance, which is expected immediately the each, while witnesses were also necescourt, at a cost of upwards of \$50 Premier Fisher said in regard to the defence scheme that Australia had no sarily present from Enderby and other desire to be aggressive but in any way the general interest in her case, as her

in which she could cheerfully co-opdo it to the best of her ability.

COMPLAINTS SENT Sir Joseph Ward introduced a reso-TO CUSTOMS OFFICIALS lution regarding an advisory council in students.

Many Passengers Between Sidney

and the Islands

Complaints from Sidney regarding the

aly benefited, for the annual ally benefited, for the annual NEW HIGH SCHOO on at least reduced to a m Not so very long ago, Deputy Min-er Scott, in the fullness of his expert owledge, wrote a polite letter to the WILL BE ATTRACTIVE vor in which he directed attention to the futility and fatuity of employing a force of men to destroy the ten force of men to destroy the tent millars about the sity, or to re- Description of Structure for quire private citizens to do so, after these little pests had attained maturity. It was pointed out that the time to kill the tent caterpillar was before pression-Hill Stocks and he is born-in other words, people strous of saving their trees and the city's good reputation should be re-

quired to destroy the infected leaves NEW YORK, May 23.—In the stock pelling general action in this direction Architect Mr. C. E. Watkins, school board last night decided to p or twigs while the webs are first being Accepting the plans as presented ceed as quickly as possible with ments were directed against the mar-deputy minister, as practical head of Spring Ridge district on Fernwood ket leaders particularly United States the provincial administration in such road. The plans provide for one of the Steel and after an early decline fol- matters-the province now being finest High school buildings in owner of what was formerly the Song- west and the board gave Mr. Watte actionary tendency developed. Trading hees reserve-to get busy at once and authority to call for tenders for was almost the lightest in a week un- arrange a wholesale massacre of the struction as soon as the plans embryo tent caterpillars in that newly completed. This should be within

next few weeks. The deputy minister has promptly accepted the invitation and a force of been in the hands of board of schort men has been put on under Mr. Scott's trustees and were also examined steamers of the United general of the spring assizes at or the last time house service, having been built to re-lost" in othe the former steamer of the same which was sunk after collision and now argue that the file which followed the Standard for, will be put to work, and not a caternillar will be left in occupation of such a school of such a caterpillar will be left in occupation of Mr. Watkins, was given power to the provincial property.

> province has been ordered to do and is ten immediately. forthwith doing will be demanded of A detailed description of the school all other property owners within Vicfollows

toria's boundaries, and will be done by the city itself where the parks, main floors; the basement or ground The building is designed with four squares and city thoroughfares are floor being on a level with the ground with entrances for both boys and girls

from the front of the building. This floor contains the boys' girls' and teachers' lunch rooms, kitchen, bicycle rooms, armory and store rooms, also dressing rooms, locker rooms and lay atories in connection with the gymn asium and for outside sports.

The portion of the building under the assembly hall is occupied by the gym nastum on this floor and is also carried down to the level of the heating cham bers in the sub-basement. The gymnasium will be 70 feet by 85 feet, with a running track level with the main basement floor.

The main floor of the building reached by four stairways from th basement or directly from the outside by the main front entrance and an en trance on each side of the building passionately fond of touring, and made On this floor are located the princ one of her frequent excursions to the pal's office and reception room of Semmering heights. A week ago her side of the main entrance and on t dead body was, discovered, after a opposite side are located the male and search, at the foot of a steep rock. If female teachers' rooms with cloal was generally believed by the doctors rooms and private lavatories that, as she was a woman of advanced Ten class rooms, to accommodat years and suffered from a weak heart, 30 pupils each, are located on this floo

together with lavatories for both and girls, and space is provided ual lockers for the pupils' clothing The entrance to the main floor of th assembly hall is immediately in fro

of the main entrance to the building The hall will have a seating capac

Spring Ridge, Building Which Will Commence During Next Month.

Friday, May 26, 1911

May 22.-E the Agraria: an anima the famine an abnor re is the fa eigners find ids and facto any natives ca at all. ng to the censu Prussia alone

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nigrant invas during bad years of ed when Ger the down-grade 100,000 Berline during part of the usually regard de up only of fiel lew is wrong. In ere engaged is 471.000 found ry. Yet neither

industry were th satisfactory. The landowners had no ; and complaints crops; and the in ying 471,000 foreis tly employ nat th the result that, espe end of the year, une towns was severe. Th its every year in a mo us degree. It teaches state organization or overcome the lack of r, and the refusal of th be diverted from one her. The condition is n a point of view othe laborless landowners yed urban proletaria If is threatened throu

oly of vital national i culture and mining h immigrants. More Marked Every Germany's dependence becomes more marke Thus, in the three year of immigrant

Prussia alone grew by 33 latter year 342,000 Austr 154,000 Russians (mostly 000 Italians, and 104,0 were employed, not to marmles from Belgium ar states. The Austrians rease most rapidly.

Superficially regarded profit from these deals-grants, being usually less ermans, and less efficie eturn home improved, a with them annually an a ,000. This, being only is a moderate estimate. ticularly profit. Much ings go into Polish land that way money paid to nating Prussian landed ed to combat Prussian to buy up Prussian land. Germany profits by ge cheap labor for unit ises. This enables na monopolize the better ents. Despite this ightful Germans and cheap labor are dis he system. The first eril in the increasing nigrants mostly brin wer standards of life an y create a dangerous reigners. If a great reak out, it is admitted griculture would be dou y the withdrawal of t vists and the dryingtrian and Russian immi The Russo-Japanese war trouble in Prussian agi ven the Balkan crisis fficulty in recruiting (Immigration La In addition to this mat class peril of the re beginning to realize igrant labor goes when aid. America, Denmar France are bidding for ver, owing to the oreon native German from the eased supply of Russia atrians does not mean The demand during rows greater and greater rger farmers and propi der and harder to ge ply. Thirty years ago its came only from a tch on the Russo-Po **kt a Galician** supply wa **r** a supply had to be tote parts of the Balks a champion of Agrari f seriously proposed the latic labor on indentu problem of getting lat nearer solution than immigrant labor wa he Agrarians carry on gn in favor of color keeping on it that par n which has not yet ey go may be show l of Dr. von Kahlde who occupies himself in the agricultural proposes th a spply to her own s ar to those of the U st pauper immigrants. Ints should, in short, ntsr the towns unless of a to some exten

By curious carelessness, whoeve planned the fire used an alarm clock as the innocent agent of destruction.

revolution being swept aside and the custody and has not yet been recap-

and the post has been offered to Rafael demonstration held on the Rhondda peace negotiations and with his accept-

wished a few of his friends in the East to appeals from Chinese colonies in WASHINGTON, May 23 .- In response

color scheme-and adorned with frid Laurier's government seems not Reyes well says, all sorts of personal ambitions, there is no doubt but that incorrect, but more dangerous than anything else to Mexico very soon will repose in peace.

country developing rapidly under the new regime of hopes for liberty." At the Madero headquarters it was

announced that Senor Vasquez Tagle, who has been in poor health, has found t impossible to accept the portfolio of ninister of justice in the new cabinet LONDON, May 23. - Mr. George

Okanagan points,

store, attached to clockwork which was FOR NEW REGIME the morning.

narket today the most aggressive op- was plainly emphasized. erations in the shape of selling move-

tive issues declined a point or more, acquired section of the city. but a rally was effected shortly before the close and a large part of the

THROWN DOWN PRECIPICE Laborer Confesses to Murder of Lady

Philanthropist in Tyrolese Mountains

VIENNA, May 22 .- A voluntary con fession made by a murderer has caused much sensation here. Some days ago in the Semmering district of the Austrian Tyrol, a lady, named Maria Weber, was found dead at the foot of a precipice. She was well known in Vienna for her charitable works, and

was also in private life a person of remarkable energy, very successful in house speculation, in which she often ventured enormous sums, and thus secured a large fortune. Fra Weber was

an attack of syncope had overtaken her

and caused the fall. Her will, published later, increased either end of the corridors for indivi entire fortune of several million kronen erate with the Motherland she would was devoted to humanitarian purposes. Among the bequests was one of \$200,-000 for providing stipends for poor

authorities and invite their cordial coas attractive and artistic a terminal fea- Labor party could pass an act of parture of the James Bay decorative and liament making it illegal for companies inative plan as the Parliament to conspire together against the work-

ings will be devoted to the accommodatreing upon the reading of the proclama-ment to declare it illegal for com-cluding an Australian ballot with The Ganges has no passenger license, of May 1, 1910. at right and left. At either side of the went on, "and the men will whack power, main entrance to the buildings there them in less than a month." cial list; while space will be reserved ing and had been making during the

contiguous to the Provincial Museum past seven months. He trusted fraternal and benevolent societies. His Honor with his official staff, ac-

companied by members of the Cabinet, classes were one and the same, and he will reach the stage erected for the hoped to see the day when there would proclamation ceremonies through the come about a strike in the coalfields, main entrance and great gates forming when the railwaymen would refuse to Buildings proper.

Carnival Arrangements.

The carnival committee met in the schoolmaster down would unite and old Alexandra club and prepared an co-operate together. When that time admirable programme for winding up the day's impressive ceremonies with a fancy dress carnival and illuminated fete after 9 p. m., which will centre in Parliament square, and extend along labor received a cablegram today from

the causeway up Government street to Dr. Robertson, chairman of the royal

provisions are to be made for a well commission left England yesterday for provisions are to be made for a weil commission left England yesterday for mutual relations of more than 560, home village on the West river, some dresses for hire for the regulation of communication and France. The 000,000 people," he asserted. dresses for hire, for the regulation of commission has spent five or six weeks the sale of confetti (under sanction of in different parts of Great Britain, and since the clash of arms was heard on ple in the homeland. On the homeward the chief. of police, to interview whom the minister has been informed that a the islands, England has had the oppor- voyage, though, there was considerable a sub-committee was appointed), for the careful investigation of English and tunity to develop her conception of law, play at the fantan mat, around which a decoration of the boats in the harbor Scottish systems of technical education order and power. So she has been able number of the Chinese reclined in the (undertaken by the yacht club), and has been most valuable in results, en- to impress her lofty ideals of govern- steerage, and the suicide had lost neavfor the provision of "traveling concert abling the commission to gather most ment on a larger aggregate of people ily. He continued to play, day after parties" on decorated floats (under-taken by the Victoria Amateur Dra-the purposes of its repert. The last world." matic club), and for a grand display few days in Great Britain were spent A message was sent to the king by funds when the steamer was within

at their next meeting, and which, if carried out, should provide a pleasant

surprise and a fitting and effective conclusion to what promises to be a popular and entertaining evening celebra-

acres of land at present open to pre- hopes that the high ideals which the emptors alone. The rainfall in the Rossland district pletely realized. The large supply of fancy costumes, during the first half of the present for which arrangements are being made, month has been the heaviest on record. Of the speakers the Canadian prewill enable every one who wishes to exceeding five inches.

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ture in which men and strong protest to Mexico against the women would go on to the bitter end. If the miners could only keen the mines the mines to massacre at Torreon, in which Many Passangers Between Sidney operation so that the post office and If the miners could only keep the mines state department advices received here customs house may be made nelatively quiet for a twelvemonth, and H the report 206 Chinese were statan . Catholic National Party

TUCSON, Arizona, May 23 .- Authentic buildings are certain to afford at the ers, they would all soon see the end of the Causeway to the table of table of the Causeway to the table of with regard to the Government's ar-with regard to the Browinciel grounds the miners' members of parliament to the miners' the browing the miners' members of parliament to the miners' members of p with regard to the Government's ar-rangements for the Provincial grounds, keep the field clear by keeping off the offices, from the presidency down on warded to the Collector of Customs. It fers the only immediate and promising down the precipice. rangements for the Frontiers for the Frontiers, keep the field clear by keeping off the the contract of the Belleville (blacklegs" of every description. Their offices, from the presidency down, on a platform which will stand for free left on Saturday with a heavy freight, America sist upon the refusal of protection to suffrage, free speech, an unrestricted with hay on her top, deck, some sheep Norris, own over 12,000 square miles of "blacklegs" under any circumstances. press and full religious freedom. Lead-and other cargo and over 20 passengers. tion of the school children and general The men wanted to fight out the mat- ers of the party are said to be draft- The customs officials have no informa-

ter alone, and they must ask parlia- ing bills which, they will support, in- tion as to the correstness of this report. ship wood pulp because of prohibition tion of His Majesty's accession. The panies to combine together to defeat different colors for the several tickets hut in order to allow of people resident the legitimate demands of the workmain entrance gates, the military forces being massed immediately in front and ot right and left At either side of the would be taken if one or two passengers

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continent, he added: "Our policy is

The American consul-general, John L. Griffiths, responded.

He said it was a matter of gratifica-

note of his generation and he recalled

with what sense of exaltation they re-

their kind congratulations on his ap

British Columbia has over 8,000,000 proaching coronation. He earnestly

ceived Sir Edward Grey's reply.

tion to the American people when Pres-ident Taft struck the highest moral

in full accord with that doctrine.

will also be provided seats for the mem-bers of the judiciary and other repre-the was proud of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the officience of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the confetice of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the confetice of the fight which the confetitive citizene included in the confetice of the confetice men of the Rhondda valley were mak- road open as far as Culiacan within ing paid by the passengers who had no other way than to travel by launches present struggle was the last of the PLAIN SPEAKING

since the steamship service was inter-BY SIR WILFRID



AND SUICIDES Chinese Steerage Passenger Who Gets Rid of His All At Fantan and Jumps from Empress of India

When the R. M. S. Empress of India was on her outward voyage one of her steerage passengers jumped overboard "The imagination is profoundly as the liner was in sight of Hongkong. stirred as we try to) anticipate the The suicide was a Chinese who embeneficent results which would follow if barked here. He had saved for three commission on industrial training and England and America enter into a cove- years and had accumulated a tidy com-As a result of westerday's meeting technical education, intimating that the nant; of peace, which would govern the petency with which to return to his

of fireworks at 11 p. m. A novel scheme in Edinburgh, Hull and Leicester. The the diners, and the secretary of the sight of port and decided to drown himfor this display was discussed by the commission is at present planning to society, Harry Brittain, read this re- self. He sprang from the foc'sle head "The king thanks the pilgrims for miles from Hongkong. of the steamer when she was seventy

society have in view may be com-pletely realized. urging upon the local member the ne-the provincial department of agricul-it is very well to consider whether or freshman and varsity crews of the two society in the principal roles has entered it is very well to consider whether or freshman and varsity crews of the two society in the principal roles has entered it is very well to consider whether or freshman and varsity crews of the two society freshman and varsity crews of the two the principal roles has entered it is very well to consider whether or freshman and varsity crews of the two society freshman and v cessity of road and sanitary improve- ture in the principal roles, has entered not such a change should .e made. The ments involving a provincial expen- upon another act, with a general com-former's family needs no Daylight law.

secure the hire of a suitable costume without sending away for one. It is hoped that this provision for the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-bound themselves to exclude all Asis interest have the con-the co

The affair finally took a sensational vided with a large stage and dressing which he alluded to complications now impending with respect to commercial turn, when a laborer in the Semmerrooms. ing district, named Heinrich Schreckl,

confesed to the police that he mur-Four stairways lead from the mai dered Frau Weber. In the man's posfloor to the second floor on which located 12 class rooms similar in s session was her purse, containing sev-IS CRITICIZED eral of her rings. He related that he to those on the main floor, also a larg had buried her money near the place floor over the main entrance. Lav well lighted library is located on this tories and lockers are arranged similar and, after the exchange of some words, per clause of the reciprocity treaty of- had strangled her and thrown her to the lower floor.

Will Seat 300

drawing, commercial and typewriti

rooms and five class rooms, toget

with lavatories and lockers similar

will be strictly fireproof througho

The heating and ventilation is

the pupils, also all of the class room

are so arranged as to receive direct

sunlight during at least a portion

The heating plant will be loca:

sub-basement. the heat bein

tributed to the various upright

through galvanized iron ducts

are to be located in a pipe tun

as to avoid obstructing and dis

The exterior of the building

signed in a simple but pleasing

of cut stone and the three

ner. The lower story being constru-

storeys of pressed brick with cut st

trimmings. An effort has been ma

designed that an ample supply of f

warm air will be provided

the day.

Entrance to the balcony of the as More Daylight embly hall is also from this flow A short time ago, Mr. Winston which will seat about 300.

Churchill stated that many business and The third floor contains the chemi industrial establishments had adopted and physical laboratories, toget the plan advocated in the Daylight Bill. with a lecture room in connection w Their employes came to work earlier each also the necessary appara in the morning and left work earlier rooms, etc, freehand and mechan

PRESS COMMENT The Conference.

PAPER COMBINE

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timber rights on the crown lands of

Quebec, from which they cannot now

during the summer months. Mr. That British Columbia occupies Churchill used this as an argument the other floors. arge place in the attention of the for making a law to compel the whole The corridors throughout the bu churches is apparent from the fact community to adopt the plan. Coming are wide, direct and well lig that the Methodist conference is in menting on this, the Times sogues that and the four stairways to each session in this city, so soon after the if the general opinion of the perole is are so distributed as to avoid an Presbyterian Synod. The meetings of in favor of using the hours of our sumrupted by the disaster to the Iroquois those two bodies may also be regarded mer days for work and play and the jestion. The construction of the bi-

in the afternoon. In this way all re-

ceived the benefits of a longer evening

as symptomatic of the deepening and night for sleep, there will be no need as symptomatic of the deepening the light for sleep, there is a strengthening of church life in the of a law. province and in the city. There can It does seem as if this was one of the best cit. be no doubt that many of the best cit-those matters in which custom has the

izens coming to British Columbia, force of law. Over this custom these days, are and have been church members, and to meet the religious women have quite as much influence eeds of rapidly increasing popula- as men. It is they who order the dotion is one of the first obligations rest- ings of their households and control ing upon the various denominations social customs.

presented here. While comparisons There can be no doubt that the fendare odious, it may fairly enough be ency in this country, at least, is to claimed for Methodism that the char- later hours.

acteristics with which it is frequently What would have been looked upon identified are such as will not militate as dangerous and disreputable in the ing the main basement ceiling. against its success in the buoyant and time of cur grandmothers is now taken vigorous west. Thoughtful observers as a matter of course. Young people of affairs will note with approval the now go to parties at an hour when those fact that this morning the preacher of a former generation would have been was the Rev. George Jackson, B. A., preparing to go home.

whose writings caused some stir in Methodist and other circles, but a short If this applied only to 'the lisured time ago. This is gratifying evidence class no great harm would result. Bug to so design the building as to pres that intellectual breadth is not incomworking men and women must either an attractive elevation to each of the patible with earnestness, fervor and deny themselves enjoyment or take it four fronts. zeal-Vancouver World-

CATERPILLAR PESTS

at the cost of unfitting themselves for thier work. **UNIVERSITY CREWS** If, on the other hand, work were **READY FOR RACES** begun at an earlier hour and were discontinued sooner there would be much more time for out door enjoyment. SEATTLE. May 23 .- Thirty-two ath-That this would result not only in letes, comprising the baseball team and greater profits to employers, no one can the freshman and varsity eight ca doubt. But to bring this about dinners crews of the University of California

few weeks with His Worship Mayor keepers know these are things which big event of the week will be the boat Morley and Dennty Minister Statt of with the University of Washington. The The citizens' committee of Hope is Morley and Deputy Minister Scott of are much easier said than done. Yet races Thursday evening between the ments involving a provincial expen-diture of about \$15,000. Fifteen prominent residents of Kel-worship in the position of having been "called" on what some at least imuniversities. The boat races will be over the three-mile course on Lake Washington. The California delegation is being entertained at the fraternit Tomorrow morning Coach houses.

Davidson of California will take his The new post office at Carmi will oarsmen out on the lake for practice over the course.

and the apprehensions expressed that and wait for them at New York. good." If he does so, Victoria will be open next month.

Will City Insist on Victoria Property Owners Cleaning Up Their Lands? The pleasant little comedy which must be served earlier and visitors arrived today for a series of contests

has been in enactment during the past must leave sooner. As most house-