

Well Known Victorian is Shot in His Own House By Thief

MURDERER MAKES ESCAPE

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Cries to His Wife. Crying to his wife to telephone the police, Freedman rushed to the door and endeavored to hold it close, and it was while Freedman was struggling, as she thought, to keep closed the door and the intruder to open it, that Mrs. Freedman, surprised by the cries of her husband, came upon the scene. One glance and she rushed back to the telephone, which was situated in a Che glance and she rushed back to the telephone, which was situated in a bedroom off the front hall. It was after this that the shot was fired. Freedman did not immediately fall, but retained strength to run through the front of the house to the front gate, a distance of nearly fifty feet, in pursuit of the miscreant who had made good his escape by the pantry window. At the gate he fell, and, be-yond gasping, "Marion, Im shot. I'm flue minutes of reaching it, and less than ten minutes from the time the shot was fired Murderer Escapes.

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VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST The murderer's feet, and a place showed where in jumping he had slipped and faller on once knees. He had slipped and the kitchen opens the had the kitchen opens the had the kitchen opens of the sailon of the sait to check the had to the kitchen opens of the sait of the had to the kitchen opens the kitchen opens the sait to check the bost the socially may be seen from the socially may be seen from the sole of st. Joseph's hospital was a big success financially may be seen from the sole and belactive Palmer of st. Joseph's hospital was a big success financially may be seen from the sole and belactive Palmer of st. Joseph's hospital. Dur the sole of st. Joseph's hospital was a big success financially may be seen from the sole of st. Joseph's hospital. This will dod st. Joseph's hospital was a big success financially may be seen from the sole and belactive Palmer of st. Joseph's hospital. By the had bold at the bost the bost the sole of st. Joseph's hospital. By the had bold at the bost the

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tion of a sewer on which successful to toria west. C. J. Paget-Ford, animadverting up-on the character of the repairs done on Speed avenue. I. Simpson, calling attention to the condition of a drain on Cedar Hill road, opposite his property. Henry Moss, et. al., requesting the council to lay a permanent sidewalk on the west side of Vanceuver street, between McClure and Collinson between McClure and Collinson streets, as a work of local improve J. F. Matthews, et. al., asking that

MATTERS BEFORE COUNCIL MATTERS BEFORE COUNCIL

## Can Proceed With Work

Can Proceed With Work The city assessor reported that the time for adverse petitions against the following paving work has expired, and that work can be commenced forthwith. Fort street, from Govern-ment street to Wharf street Langley street, from Courtney street to Bas-tion street; Broad street, from Broughton to Fort streets: Courtney streets; Broughton street, from Wharf to Douglas streets; Broughton street, from Wharf to Douglas to Douglas street. Langley was realized in aid of purchasing new uniforms for the band. MATURALIZATION FRAUDS Applicants in Vancouver Declared to Variety of Subjects Come Up The directors of the Y. M. C. A. Association have requested the city to

Isolation Hospital subscribe \$15,000 towards the build-In regard to the needed changes a ing fund, to raise which an active

Ing fund, to raise which an active campaign will shortly be undertaken by the association in order that that body shall have one of the most up-to-date buildings for association the council will take in the matter will be decided when the year's esti-mates come up for consideration. The association's request for a city grant was made in the following com-munication from A. J. Brace, secretary of the association here: Your Worship and Aldermen.—It is association to more adequately pro-vide for the local young men's work by erecting a \$100,000 thoroughly equipped huilding provided the money can be raised. The directors are confident the modum of a strong financial campaign shortly to be conducted in this city. Stated time. This puts confidence into y the movement and ensures its suc-t. We have learned that the limit of ing fund, to raise which an active the isolation hospital the health and campaign will shortly be undertaken by the association in order that that considering the matter reported as

He will be in the position of a Cana-dian attache to the British embassy and he will conduct his duties under Sid Claude Macdonald. Mr. Drury received word some days ago that this duty might be required of him. He will leave as soon as pos-sible. If the commission arrives in time he will sail on the Empress which sails Monday next. He expects to be absent six or seven months at the least and will be accompanied by his wife. More Streat Lights More Streat Lights The electric light committee recom-mended the installation of lights on the council in donating without bylaw is \$15,000. If the council can see their will practically assure the success of this proposition, which is undoubtedly a civic asset. Carstully prepared estimates of need, cost of construction and main-tenance can be shown and explained if a deputation is desired to wait upon the council or finance committee. The provincial secretary wrote ad-

the council or finance committee. Thanking you for past consideration and relying upon your serious study of our present need.

f our present need. I remain yours sincerely, On behalf of President McCurdy and

to the legislature. The provincial secretary wrote ad-vising the council that the govern-ment has decided to give the various interests concerned in the Victoria Waterworks bill an opportunity to present their views on Monday next at 10 o'clock in the executive room at the parliament buildings. The dity barrister will be instructed to attend. The following resolution, moved by



**CAUSE OF COLLAPSE** 

Applicants in Vancouver Declared to Be Paying Their Money in Ignorance

Friday, March 13, 1908.

Ignorance
 Vancouver, March 9.—Judge Grant declared today in passing on Japanese naturalization papers that the present notarial system in Vancouver was a farce. Applicants pay money, but for trace, applicants pay money, but for the deeport of the Earl Grey musicat competition was issued today, The totawa Conservatory of Music scored trates show that out of 50 marks, the totawa Conservatory of Music scored trates account to an election, fund must be made to and through his statutory agent, and this agent shall make public outributions. Any other contributions are under the new wamendment illegal, Ottawa Conservatory of Music scored trates a farmer near here, commit ted suicide by shooting himself in the mouth. It is supposed the cause of the dee was praofing in media to a subchelor and a highly respected citizen.
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adopted from the English law, that all advertisements, posters, etc., shall bear the name of the printing office whence they are issued. The bill also prevents the interven-tion of any alien in election matters. To assist in any particular election the parson must be a voir in some con-

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question, including those between Van-couver island and the state of Wash-

FOUR MEN KILLED

Another Disastrous Dynamite Explo-sion on Grand Trunk Pacific

Winnipeg, March 9.—A terrible ac-dicent occurred on Saturday evening at Grocon Bros', camp on the Grand runk Pacific construction work, orth of Kaimar, Ont. March of Kaimar, Ont. The dead are: Herbert Dunn, an orglishman; Nicholas Kok, an Aus-tragishman; Nicholas Kok, an Aus-tragishman; Micholas Kok, an Aus-Micholas Kok, an Aus-Micho

Farmer Dies Suddenly.

Osage, Sask., March 9.-William Gates, a farmer near here, died sud-denly yesterday while on his way to visit some friends close by.

Priest's Death

**Crew Rescued** 

been rescued at sea from their vessel, which was in a sinking condition. The Glimt was not destroyed.

An Anti-Trust Suit

**ELECTION LAW** AMENDMENTS The Victoria and St. Andrew's pipe band, a new organization, serenaded the citizens last evening by promenad-ing the principal streets and playing appropriate airs. The band is tank of the band street their open air per-per Major McDonald is leader and is ably assisted by Sergt. McIvors. The band, after their open air per-formance, repaired to the Sir Wilson Wallace hall, where-a concert in ald of the band was given. A crowded house were entertained by moving pictures and magic lantern views, interspersed with vocal and instrumental music. The Mackie brothers acted as lectur-ers for the lantern views. A nice sum was realized in ald of purchasing new uniforms for the band. ONI the poi Re Pat Sir TTT vig cu yesterday as a Pa Ottawa, March 9.—In the house day Mr. Aylesworth introduced, bill to amend the Dominion elect act. The minister said the ame ments related to different detail The Commission James Johnston liam Starkie and

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## Got Glimpse of Man

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Miss Hagenback got a glimpse of the burglar. "I had gone up stairs, and when I heard the sound of the struggle I rushed out to the front and climbed out on the porch, and cried for help. It was then that I saw the burglar rush from the pantry window across the lawn, jump the fence and run off up Pandora street. I then went down and helped carry Mr. Freedman in. The burglar was dressed in a long black overeeat and wore a cloth cap. He was about medium size and stout-ly built." "Hubert McIntyre, son of Hugh Mc-intyre, who lives opposite, heard the

Intyre, who lives opposite, heard the shot, and ran out in time to see the man running away. He called his father, and while the latter was help-ing Mrs. Freedman carry the victim in, he phoned for Dr. Hall and the police.

Police on the Scene

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 The conference between S. T. Bas-tedo, the representative of the Do-ninition fisheries' department and the provincial government will not be held at the earliest before Friday of this week. Hon. W. J. Bowser, chief com-missioner of fisheries, is at present in Vancouver, and will not return until the end of the week when Mr. Bas-tedo is expected back from Nanaimo.

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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water.

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Mayor Hall ....

Donation

Expenses

from

Empress hotel ....\$1,022.00 Less rebate per kindness of Mr.

Stewart Gordon 50.00

Balance .... \$ 960.50

TO BE WATCHMAN

25.00

FOR THE DOMINION

**BE IN VICTORIA** 

Dominien Sends R. L. Drury to Tokia to See Japanese Keep Faith Re-garding Emigration

R. L. Drury, of this city, has been appointed by the Canadian govern-ment to proceed to Japan as Canada's representative with a view to seeing that the agreement recently entered into with regard to Japanese immigra-tion into Canada shall be carried out.

tion into Canada shall be carried out. He will be in the position of a Cana-dian attache to the British embassy and he will conduct his duties under Sid Claude Macdonald.

HEADQUARTERS WILL

\$1,125 50

Extra service, supper room ...... \$2.076.00

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J. E. SMART. Secretary-Treasurer. Ald. Cameron, chairman of the fi-nance committee, pointed out that the city's proposition could not be accept-ed by the association as for the reason stated in the above letter, but the fi-nance committee felt that as the asso-cialon is really a city institution and advertises the city, the committee ceuld not turn down its request and the amount of \$2,000 was passed. If this were not done several persons who had done work for the association and have not yet been paid would be forced to wait a long time for their money. Ald. Fullerton suggested that the as-pare an estimate of what money it to the council. The following communication set-ing forth the matter which has been referred direct to the streets, bridges ar meeting next Friday evening was the arm meeting next Friday evening was

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an experienced bridge engineer. The work done by the Phoenix company and the material used were good. The engineers express the opinion that a bridge of the span proposed can be built, but the amount of metal used must be larger than if engineering knowledge were more exact. Finally, Mr. Cooper's selection as consulting engineer was justified by the authoritative position he occupied, and the confidence placed in him was deserved. And the contraction of the Dominion gov-deserved. It is possible that the Dominion gov-ernment will compromise with the Phoenix Bridge company, builders of the bridge, in the settlement of the financial loss involved. GIRLS PLAY BASEBALL Fair College Students Start Training in Great National American Game Seattle, March 9.—"Silde, Mabel, slide, you dear." The foregoing fam-iliar exclamation is being reproduced with many variations at the state uni-

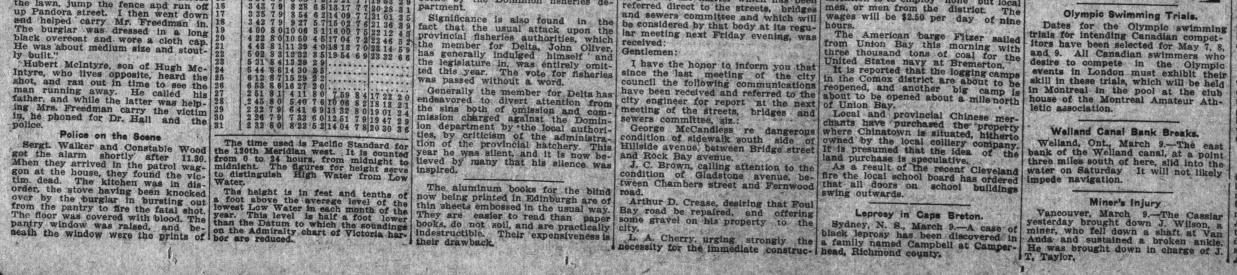
with many variations at the state uni-versity these days and in response to the urging of many fair rooters, ath-letic co-eds, clad in bloomers, are playing their respective parts in the sreat American game. Yes, the co-eds have organized a baseball team, two of them, and girls' baseball and hockey are now esrrb-lished sports at the state university. The suggestion that the co-els take up this masculine form of sport was at the girls actually have been out swing-ling a bat and running around the diamond, there is no longer a doubt of the girls' support of the innovation. Hanged Himself. Etomani, Sask, March 9.—William Potticarle sulcided here yesterday by hanging himself in his bedroom at the hotel. Potticarle was an Englishmot, 40 ware of new and main and 40 years of age, and married Kenora, Ont., March 9.-Rev. Father Hertman, resident priest here, died in

the hospital yesterday, after several weeks' illness from rheumatic fever. Father Hertman came here from Du-Dympic Swimming Trials. Dates for the Olympic swimming trials for intending Canadian compet-itors have been selected for May 7, 8, and 9. All Canadian swimmers who desire to compete in the Olympic events in London must exhibit their skill in these trials, which will be held in Montreal in the pool at the club house of the Montreal Amateur Ath-letic association. luth eighteen months ago, and was only 35 years of age. Porta-a-Fayal, Azores, March 9. The crew of the Norwegian bark Glimt, Capt. Larsen, were landed here today by the British steamer Trede-garhall, Capt. Williams, after having

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New York, March 9.—Holding that the case was a political rather than a legal one, and that therefore he had no jurisdiction, Judge Hough, in the no jurisdiction, Judge Hough, in the United States circuit court today dis-missed the jury in the suit of the American Banana company against the United States Fruit company for damages amounting to \$6,000,000. The suit was brought under the Sherman Anti-Trust act.