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SIGNS OF SUMMER PERVADE THE CITY

Progress Along All Lines Evidences Victoria Vim--Business Active and Enlarging-- Many Inquiries Made.

Only last week the lady booster of the Vancouver News-Advertiser was darting because "the laborum will soon be here." It's a pity she did not realize that a five dollar bill, and the expenditure of a little time, would have secured a happy realization of her hopes a month ago in Victoria.

Broughton and Government streets during the next week. The location at present occupied has been already leased by a couple of Victorians who will go into the real estate business.

Timber limits are also occupying much attention. The mill owners are complaining of being compelled to come to British Columbia to complete their orders.

Large Fruit Cannery at Sidney. Only British Columbia products will be put up, and the new institution will afford a market for any surplus supply of fruit.

Local real estate market has been quiet this week owing to the celebration, but the building trade continues brisk. D. H. Bate has contracted to erect a modern two story residence for Mrs. A. R. Milne on Queen's avenue.

After carrying out their project of delay until after delivery of judgment in the water case the water committee will probably present a report at Monday evening's meeting of the city council.

Monteagle arrived here this morning. Ship made run across the Pacific from Yokohama in thirteen days.

The former Elder-Dempster steamship Monteagle, which has plied the Atlantic for many years in the freight service, and which about three or four months ago was purchased by the C. P. R. Company for use in the trans-Pacific trade, reached the outer wharf from the Orient at 6 a. m. on Saturday.

Not to be got something those two the baby thought makes them both in his eyes everyone else so they are a friend they will be of everyone you get just bad--that's you'll get licked

There is nothing remarkable about the Monteagle. She is more of a freighter than a passenger steamship, and as such is an important addition to the trans-Pacific fleet, having a gross tonnage of 6,500 tons and a net tonnage of 3,500.

SUPPLIES FOR FAIRBANKS.

One Thousand Tons of Freight Now on the Way From Dawson. Dawson, May 23.—A thousand tons of freight is now on the way from Dawson to Fairbanks, which will be a considerable relief to that city since it burned yesterday.

The Fairbanks News plant was partially burned, but the paper is being issued from what was saved. The Alaska cable is crowded with commercial messages ordering new stocks.

QUESTION OF TITLE. Ottawa, May 26.—Lord Eging sends a dispatch to Lord Grey stating that the wife of the Governor-General of Canada is entitled to use "Her Excellency."

WATER COMMITTEE TO MAKE REPORT

HOPE TO PRESENT IT AT MONDAY'S MEETING. City Unlikely to Appeal From Decision of City of Paid Before Mayor.

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A YOUNG WOMAN FATALLY BURNED

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT IN COOK STREET HOME. Miss Ida McKay Found in Distressing Condition--Died at Jubilee Hospital.

Miss Ida McKay, aged about twenty years, a daughter of C. McKay, a carpenter, living at 222 Cook street, was terribly burned yesterday afternoon, and, as a result of her injuries, died at the Jubilee hospital at 8.30 o'clock last evening.

MUTUAL RESERVE LIFE.

Company Discontinues All Efforts to Secure New Business in England. London, May 25.—The head office of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company in London and all the country agencies did not open for business to-day.

GREAT ACTIVITY AT KAIEN ISLAND

SURVEY PARTIES HAVE COMMENCED OPERATIONS. Mr. Dodge Has Estimated His Camp Near the Mouth of Tuck's Inlet.

Metlakahla, May 20.—The new city of Northwestern British Columbia has indeed begun. The camps of the surveyors, both those of the Dominion and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Company, are pitched on and near the future city's foundation.

Mr. Dodge, superintendent of the government survey, has his camp stationed near the mouth of Tuck's Inlet, just opposite Yenn's Passage, in view of historic Metlakahla.

HON. J. DUNSMUIR ASSUMES OFFICE

HAS BEEN SWORN IN LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR. Sir Henri Joly de Lotbiniere Expects to Leave For the East Next Week.

James Dunsmuir has assumed the responsibilities of Lieut.-Governor, being sworn in this morning at 11 o'clock by J. J. McGee, the clerk of the Privy Council at Ottawa.

PRINCESS ENA OF BATTENBERG.

Future Queen of Spain Received Enthusiastic Welcome to Capital. Madrid, May 25.—The arrival of the future queen of Spain at the Pardo palace to-night was the occasion of a magnificent ovation.

EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH.

Abandonment of Inspection of Garrison Causes Comment. Vienna, May 26.—Emperor Francis Joseph's abandonment of the inspection of the garrison at Breeck, which he had not missed for 38 years, continues to be the subject of comment and rumors in political circles.

VERDICT OF SUICIDE.

Jury Completes Investigation Into the Death of C. L. Spier. New York, May 24.—A verdict of suicide was returned last night by the jury in the inquest into the death by a pistol shot wound of Charles L. Spier at his home at St. George's Station, Island, on the morning of Monday, May 7th.

WILL SUPPLY THE WORLD WITH PULP

Vancouver Island Forests are the Greatest Available Areas of Spruce and Hemlock--Vast Market Open.

Canada. The first was the land of the early paper plant; the second is the country of the latest paper tree. As far as present knowledge extends the banks of the Nile were the early source of the paper supply.

THE MARKETS TRIBUTORY

Table listing various countries and their contributions to the pulp market, including British Empire, Foreign Countries, and Imports into Great Britain.

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