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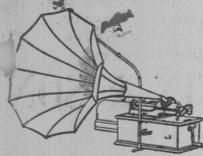
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Town Council in Special Session

Mayor McGee Announces That Manufacturing Concern That Will Employ One Hundred Men, are Favorably Impressed with St. George as Location for Large Plant. The Council Appoint Committee to Meet Representative of the Company

There was a very interesting meeting of the Town Council Monday evening, when matters of considerable moment to the residents were dealt with.

The mayor stated that he had been in communication with a concern engaged in the manufacture of edge tools, who were favorably impressed with St. George as a location for a large manufacturing plant for the production of their goods.

The members of the council were all anxious to have an industry come here that would add to the prosperity of the town.

Alderman Meeting spoke at some length on the industries of the town, and hoped that the move now on these industries would be to the benefit of the town.

The Execution of Sir Walter Raleigh

No more pathetic ending to a noble career is set forth in historic records than that of Sir Walter Raleigh, the brilliant courtier and accomplished statesman and soldier who was the darling of queen and people during Elizabeth's reign.

In 1616 he was released from prison expressly to make preparation for an expedition to the Orinoco in search of a gold mine which he maintained was situated there.

He arrived at Plymouth on the 21st of June, 1618, in his ship, the Destiny, and alone and utterly cast down, he was brought up to London by order of James to be examined by a commission.

Most solemnly and with convincing eloquence, he set forth the facts of his story, calling God to witness, with his dying breath, that he was a loyal Englishman, and had made no treaties with the French; that he had had no hand in the death of Essex; and that his hand in the Guinea expedition had been through-out honest and sincere, and the ill results due only to disadvantageous circumstances.

Fortunately one was present with police experience in the person of Mr. Pearce, and he took charge of operations for the recovery of the bodies.

While anxious eyes were watching for returning signs of vitality, a C. P. R. work train came along, and the crew who had seen something of searches stopped it, found what was amiss and went on to Port Moody to bring Dr. Robert Robinson, the divisional coroner, and took the body back to the scene where the doctor declared an inquest unnecessary, and permitted the removal of the remains from Port Moody to this city in Murchie's undertaking wagon, which had already been sent for.

GIRLS LOSE LIVES IN EFFORT TO SAVE ANOTHER

Accident in Which Annie and May Murphy Lose Their Lives

(New Westminster News) A sad accident has marred the picnic season in the drowning yesterday of Miss Gertrude Ankers, aged 22, and four other local girls at Aliceville, near Port Moody on Burrard Inlet.

Miss Ankers, a daughter of John Ankers, in charge of the city pipe line in Coquitlam lake, has taught school for some time at the Brownville school, and it was on her way to her young charges which took the party yesterday to the resort. There were fifteen in the merry group which met at the Fraser bridge yesterday, being driven out by L. T. Brown.

It was about half past twelve when the girls entered the water, Alfrid Paulsen, aged 11, going first. She had not gone far when she gave a cry for help, and Miss Ankers, anxious for her charge went to her assistance. She was provided with a pair of swimming wings, but got out of her depth, and May Murphy, aged 14, followed. She too could not do any good, none of them being able to swim, and her sister aged 19 rushed to her assistance. Four were now in the water struggling, and Lyle Buck, aged 15, from the bank, pushed through the weeds to the others. A young sister of the Murphy's came next but she had the good sense to go back.

A cry of horror called the boys to the rescue, but the crying children on the bank could not give the older ones much idea of what had happened. However, Tom Murphy, a brother of the girls, and another, put out in a boat, and saw Miss Ankers' head above water. They dragged her aboard, still breathing, and pulled her to shore.

August time, tells on the nerves. But that spiritless, no ambition feeling can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Within 48 hours after beginning to use the Restorative, improvement will be noticed. Of course, full health will not immediately return. The gain, however, will surely follow. And best of all, you will realize and feel your strength and ambition as it is returning. Outside influences depress first the "nerves," then the stomach, Heart and Kidneys will usually fail. Strengthen these failing nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative and see how quickly health will be yours again. Sold by All Dealers.

"PROGRESS" WRITES ON INCORPORATION

Lack of Interest on Part of Citizens the Sole Trouble

Some Features of the Act That Should be Amended

In your last issue you attack incorporation and give the disadvantages we labor under, you also cite, in a somewhat sarcastic manner, some of the "advantages." Is it fair to blame incorporation for all our evils, real and imaginary? The gravel train for instance, and it is all very fine to make fun of our kerosene lamps. In the summer time, we grant you, they are open to criticism, what of the dark long nights of the late fall winter and early spring? They are mighty beneficial, and the wait that goes up the nights they are not lighted is proof positive of their usefulness. The cost of running a small town, the cost of everything has increased, living is high, probably under the old system the cost would have been greater. It is a progressive age and the sole trouble with incorporation is lack of interest on the part of the citizens of St. George. The opponents of the act are "running things," and it seems their policy to make everything as bad as possible. Do you suppose for a minute, that a town hall would have been located where it is if the progressive people had had a word to say? Do you not think, that a move on the part of the citizens to reduce the qualifications of mayor and aldermen would result in more interest being taken by the voters, in town affairs? Why was the town cut up into wards? The result has been to reduce the small number of available men. You have practically no choice, you must buy some one to act as alderman. Incorporation is not to blame, it is the manner of carrying it out. The schools, for years the cry has been, "let us have better schools." The trustees have made a move in that direction. Grant that last year teachers were good, next years will be paid more and will no doubt give a good account of themselves; give them a chance; give the trustees a chance. There may perhaps be narrow minded individuals in different positions in our town government that is the fault of the voters, who must be educated to realize that a two cent office in St. George has little or no effect in the transaction of affairs at Ottawa.

The families are well known that the accident has cast a gloom over the city and neighborhood. Miss Ankers had been teaching for the last three or four years, and had passed her pupils with honors. She was engaged to be married and the wedding was to have occurred this vacation. Much sympathy will be felt for Mr. and Mrs. Ankers, who are left with only a son living.

The funeral of Miss Annie and May Murphy, who were drowned at Aliceville, on Wednesday, took place this morning at 9 o'clock and was largely attended. Solemn requiem mass was celebrated at St. Peter's Cathedral by Rev. Father Maillard assisted by Rev. Father Lambert and Rev. Father Wagner. Beautiful music was rendered by the choir under the direction of M. Filigiano. The pall bearers were I. Hoyle, T. Kear, C. Archeinbault, L. Gregory, L. Reid, L. Colloll, E. Goulet, D. Sullivan, H. Heston and W. Martin.

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POLICE ON SCENE

Provincial Police Constables Wilkie and Gammon had arrived with expedition, and started to drag for the bodies, but lacked proper grappling irons. Row boats belonging to oileries at Port Moody, and Robert Abernethy's gasoline launch The White Heather, were pressed into the service, and the search continued with energy all afternoon. Ultimately the body of Miss Buck was found and removed to Fales' undertaking parlors. J. Wise, who had worked assiduously caught the bathing dress in the grappling hooks, and the place was marked for further examination today.

Every device which could suggest itself to the searchers was tried. A loaf of bread was thrown out in the hope it would sink over the bodies according to the time honored superstition, but the eager watchers never saw it sink. Others suggested using dynamite, but Provincial Constable Wilkie was adverse to it at the present stage as it would ruin the bodies, which are believed to be held in the weeds. It was not till 7.30 that Miss Buck's body could be found. With the ebb tide the searchers are content of finding the remainder.

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The young people held a dance in the club room Monday evening that was well attended and much enjoyed.

An excursion party from St. Andrews arrived here Monday evening. A beautiful moonlight night made the sail very pleasant.

A brush fire near the cemetery Sunday caused some alarm, as it threatened to spread to some of the houses nearby. The town fire apparatus and some volunteer firemen soon had the blaze under control.

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Harry King left on Saturday's train for St. John and other points. Before he returns he will consult some capitalists in reference to amalgamation of the granite business of this town.

The Campobello picnic will be held August 12th. A big crowd is expected.