

THREE IMPORTANT MEASURES ARE PASSED

Amendments to Railway Act, Including Level Crossings Clause, Carried—Post Office Bill Discussed

Ottawa, May 13.—Three important government bills passed through the House...

Among bills passed yesterday were those amending the railway act, including the level crossings question...

The afternoon was spent on the bill to amend the post office act, which increases the salaries of letter carriers...

Mr. Cothens got after the civil service, which he considered underworked and overpaid...

Mr. Fisher's bill providing for a commission to study the conservation of natural resources was passed...

SUES FOR DIVORCE AFTER 40 YEARS LAPSE

Ordered From House Man Never Returns and Now Asks Divorce

Dayton, O., May 13.—After a lapse of more than forty years, Paris W. Burnham brought suit for divorce from Abigail Burnham...

BODY OF WOMAN FOUND IN WOODS

Mystery Was Unearthed in Burnaby Yesterday—Police Have No Clue to Identity

New Westminster, May 13.—A mystery was unearthed in Burnaby near this city yesterday, when the body of an unknown woman was found...

Bad Times for Shah

London, May 13.—A despatch to the Times from Tehran says that the Shah has been weakened by the action of the powers...

Will Erect Grand Church

New York, May 13.—The Fifth Baptist church, which is being erected as John D. Rockefeller's church, will be razed and a new \$500,000 structure erected on the site...

Appointed Agent

Edwin Orrett, for several years traffic manager for the Pacific Mail Steamship company at San Francisco, has been appointed the American traffic manager for the Osaka Shosen Kaisha (Osaka Mercantile company, Limited)...

Monkeys Burned

Jeffersonville, Ind., May 13.—A boy yesterday threw a lighted match into a cage of seven trained monkeys at tall end of the parade of the circus...

REBROWS CAN NOT LIVE IN NORTH AFRICA

Lack of Water in Cyrenaica Makes It Inadvisable for Jewish Settlement to Locate There

London, May 13.—The report of the expedition which the Jewish territorial organization (the Ito) sent to Cyrenaica in North Africa last August to examine that territory with a view to a Jewish settlement has just been published...

Among the possibilities still open in other territories, the council of the Ito has decided that no further action be taken in regard to Cyrenaica...

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GIVES DECISION FOR THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT

Mr. Justice Cassels Decides for Ottawa in the Lillooet River Water Case—Injunction Granted

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Rossland, May 13.—The twentieth annual session of the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias opened in Oddfellows Hall at 10 o'clock yesterday, with an attendance of over one hundred, including grand officers, past grand officers and delegates from nearly every lodge in British Columbia.

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TWO MAGISTRATES TEST ZAM-BUK

Cure effected in both cases. Mr. F. Rasmussen, of 211, Marquette Street, Montreal, who is a Justice of the Peace, and a man not inclined to give praise except where it is well due, says:—

Mr. C. E. Sanford, J.P. of Weston, King's Co., N.S., says:—I had a patch of eczema on my ankle, which had been there for over twenty years. Sometimes, also, the itching would break out on my shoulders. I had taken solution of Fowler's solution and various ointments, and tried all sorts of things to obtain a cure, but in vain. Zam-Buk, on the other hand, proved highly satisfactory, and cured the ailment.

I have also used Zam-Buk for itching on the chest, and it has cured me. I take comfort in helping my brethren, and if the publication of my testimonial should lead to the relief of suffering caused by piles or skin diseases, it is without equal.

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A LITTLE REFLEXION

The fact has long been apparent that one of the most important and profitable industries capable of development in British Columbia is that of the manufacture of Wood Pulp and Paper.

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LIQUOR LICENCE ACT. I, Joseph Ball, hereby give notice that one month from date hereof I will apply to the Superintendent of Provincial Police, at Victoria, for a renewal of my licence to sell intoxicating liquors at the premises known as the Howards Hotel, situated at Esquimalt in the district of Victoria.

KILLS WIFE, THEN GIVES HIMSELF UP. Seattle, May 13.—"I've killed my wife," announced William G. Laborer, as he walked into a station this afternoon and had a thirty-eight calibre pistol thrust at his feet by a police officer.

SUGGEST ARMY RESERVE FOR CANADA. Imperial South African Service Association. Toronto, May 13.—Delegates from the various branches of the Imperial South African Service Association met in Toronto yesterday for the purpose of deciding on ways and means of pressing the Dominion government to form an army reserve for Canada, composed of members of the Association, service to be for ten years.

MUSIC IN THE HOME. Whether it be a Chopin nocturne, a delicate waltz, or a grand symphony, the music of the home is the music of the heart. It is the music that makes life a joy, and that makes the home a home.

For \$150. A "Bell" Upright Piano. Tremendously reduced price. Not only a fine instrument, but in excellent condition as to tonal quality, fine, yielding elastic touch.

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For \$280. A \$500 Piano. A "Krell" Upright Grand slightly used and not worn, a fine instrument, clear singing tone. A lous bargain at \$280.

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