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M. QUAD'S SKETCHES.

Cast Away with the Wife of a French Consul—Over the Cliff.

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The bark White Cloud had been on fire for two days before the Captain decided to abandon her. She was bound through the Straits of Sunda and was in midocean when the fire broke out in the lower hold. Nobody could tell how the fire started, but it probably came from spontaneous combustion.

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was about I stepped to the mast, lit and hoisted a lantern, and could do no more. I will tell you here of the fate of the people left behind. They did not take to the boats while the aqua was lasted, and when it had passed it was discovered that the fire had been somewhat subdued by the three or four heavy seas which had poured over the hull.

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coast and 900 miles from it. We landed one morning at 10 o'clock, and I told Mrs. Roquiere that we should remain there until rescued, or at least for several months, even if we contemplated voyaging to the coast in our boat.

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E. M. JOHNSON

37 Government Street, Corner of Broughton. ESTABLISHED 1879.

Real Estate Agent, Conveyancer and Notary Public

Loans Effected, Rents and Income Collected, Deeds Prepared, Etc., Etc.

FOR SALE.

1 1/2 Miles from Vernon, Okanagan Country, 960 ACRES, adjoining the estates of LORD ABERDEEN and the BARNARD BROTHERS. 640 acres ploughable prairie; 320 acres grazing; 400 acres under cultivation. Dwelling House, Frame Granary and Stable. 23 Cows, 12 Horses, Reaper and Binder, Plough Harrows, Sulky Ploughs, etc., etc. Creek of water on the land. First-rate black soil. \$25 PER ACRE, INCLUDING EVERYTHING.

SHEEP FARM.

2,000 acres, more or less 90 acres; 1,000 acres grazing, 8 houses, barns, Orchard of 350 trees, pigsties, poultry houses, 2 horses, 2 oxen, 1 cow, 30 pigs, 250 sheep (about), wagon, cart and farm implements, 21 2 x 1, per acre, including everything; over 3-5 of purchase money can be left on the property for 4 years at 7 per cent per annum.

AN IMPROVED ESTATE—480 acres more or less; 250 acres cleared; 250 acres alluvial deposit, with clay subsoil; 80 acres alder, maple, cedar and balsam, vegetable deposit, clay subsoil; 150 acres level park-like land, some pine woods, etc.; water power Sawmill, in full running order; Houses, Barns, Blacksmith's shop, Poultry Houses, Orchards, etc.

Corner lot on Tramway line, Victoria West, \$1,200. 153-1 151 acres, Alberni, sawmill and water power, dwelling, stables, 20 acres plowed, opposite Anderson & Co's townsite, a fine speculation, \$6,500. 130-4

93 acres, 30 cropped, 25 chopped, log house, 2 barns, stable and outbuildings, half mile from school, near railway, \$3,500. 128-4 House and 2 lots, Pembroke st., easy terms, \$1,000. 110-1 324 acres farm land, about 70 acres in clover and timothy, small house, well, good spring, etc., 135-2

4 building lots, Cedar Hill Road, near the gold mines, \$1,500. 135-2 7-room house, conservatory, out-houses, modern conveniences, etc., 1/2 acre of land; facing the sea; beautiful view of Straits and Olympians, \$6,000—terms. 137-1 6-room house, bath, etc.; corner lot, Henry and Turner streets, \$3,500. 136-4 5,900 acres timber land—22 GRANTS—Estimate, 30 M per acre, principally cedar, with hemlock, spruce and balsam. 144-4

320 acres, Alberni; 100 cleared; house, barn, ditching, etc. Cheap, \$6,600, on terms. 144-3 97 acres, South Saanich; dwelling, barns, stable, out-houses, etc. \$4,200. 142-3 40 acres, South Saanich, \$1,400. 142-4 Building lot, 60 feet by 132 feet, Chatham street, near Blanchard. \$1,650. 141-2 10 acres; house, stables, sheds, etc.; all fenced; near the junction; good orchard land. \$3,000. 140-2 7-room House and double lot; a bargain. \$1,400. 139-1 237 acres, Somerses Lake. 138-5

6-Room House and lot, Spring Ridge.—1,250. 133-3 3-Story House, 12 Rooms, bath room, hot and cold water; all modern improvements, beautifully finished; lot 177 x 102 ft. 8 in.; unsurpassed view of the straits and beautiful scenery; 20 minutes' walk from post office; cars pass the property. 148-1 80 acres, Alberni, 2 1/2 miles from the townsite. \$20 per acre. 147-1 80 acres, Alberni, 2 1/2 miles from the townsite. \$15 per acre. 147-2 4-Room House, and lot, Front street, Victoria West. \$1,250. 146-2 40 acres, Lake District. \$10 per acre. 145-1 3 Building Lots, Sylvia street, each \$1,050. 145-2 20 acres, Alberni; 2-room house, 24 x 16; frame barn and lean-to; 4 acres ploughed and fenced; 15 acres chopped; crop, timothy and clover. \$600. 145-3 Building Lot, Avalon street, close to the Park. \$1,500. 145-4 2 Building Lots, Rihet street, each \$1,000. 143-1 Building Lot, Beacon Hill, 50x150, \$1,000. 143-2 156 acres, Comox, convenient to steamer, post office, church, school, sawmill, Union Mines, etc.; good hunting and fishing, 70 acres cleared and fenced, orchard, well, springs, \$9,000 with coal right. 150 6-Room House and Lot, 44x120, more or less, on Pandora street, \$4,500. 151-2 6-Room House, 1 1/2 story, bath room, etc., junction Yates and Fort street, opposite Dunsmuir's castle. 151-3 Large Building lot, 90x112, corner Niagara and South Turner streets. 151-4 120 acres Farming Land, Alberni, within 2 miles steamboat landing, about 6 acres cleared and fenced, log cabin, sheep pen and shed, water power from creek, first class fruit ranch, \$1,200. 152-1 86 acres first class Farming Land, close to steamboat landing, main road to Nanaimo runs through the property. Good water power, \$1,200. 152-2 320 acres Okanagan District, can be ploughed in an unbroken body, foundation of a fine house, large log house, 18x24, and other buildings, 1 mile from Larkin, S. & O., \$15 an acre. 153 3 Houses, Second street, Work Estate. 153-1 1 2-Story House, 7 rooms, bathroom and pantry. 156-1 1 Cottage, 3 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry and closets. 156-1 1 Cottage, 6 rooms, including kitchen, pantry, etc., \$4,500. 156-1 3388 acres, Sheep Ranch, \$2.25 per acre. 151-1

TO LET.

1 Room, Government street, office, \$7.50 per month. 16 4-Room House, 295 Johnson street, \$7 per month. 1 2-Room House, 3 Edmonston street, \$8 per month. 16 3 Rooms, 125 Blanchard street, \$6 per month. 17 7-Room House, Oak Bay avenue, bath, etc., \$15 per month. 17 5-Room House, 98 Pembroke street, \$10 per month. 18 10-Room House, Garbally Road, hot and cold water, \$25 per month. 21 6-Room House, fully furnished, bath, piano, etc., Cook street, \$30 per month. 23 6 Cottages, Spring Ridge, \$10 and \$12 per month. 23 6-Room House, 44 Second street, \$13 per month. 28 4-Room House, 46 Second street, \$10 per month. 29 3-Room House, Humboldt street, \$7 per month. 31 4-Room House, 123 Douglas street, \$7 per month. 32 5-Room House, 181 Pandora street (corner), \$16 per month. 33

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whoop which could have been heard a mile away he drove the animal straight for the cliff. "Shoot! Shoot his horse!" shouted a dozen men in chorus, but before any man could pull trigger horse and rider had disappeared.

Three hundred men in the camp below saw them come down. The horse turned old and lay in the air, but the young chief clung to his seat. As they struck the ground he was underneath and got the full weight of the horse. Both were killed on the instant. When we got down the body of the boy was stretched all the grass, with almost every bone broken and many of them protruding from the flesh. His face had escaped without a mark, and it wore that grim smile of death which told us as plainly as print that he had outwitted us in yielding up his brave young life.

M. QUAD. VACCINATION. To the Editor.—The inquirer after truth, in studying the above subject, finds, generally to his astonishment, that it is not only more complex and more extensive than he ever imagined, but that no single fact is of any importance to found upon, in coming to a conclusion pro or con.

The figures given by the London Standard are therefore interesting, but no more. And why? Because only the experience of the single year 1892 in Germany is given. Smallpox was evidently not prevalent in 1890, but it by no means follows that the disease will not recur again to an alarming extent. It was "stamped out" in Ireland in 1870, yet there were 3,248 deaths from it in 1872. It was nearly stamped out in Scotland in 1868 (16 deaths) yet there were 2,488 deaths in 1872. Anyone who was rash enough to claim in 1890 that smallpox had been stamped out in Victoria would look rather foolish this year.

If the other side is allowed to choose a single year give me a similar privilege, and let me quote 1874 when there were 69,839 deaths from smallpox in Prussia alone, not to speak of the other German states; and this under a law requiring both primary and secondary vaccination, which had been in operation for 36 years (since 1835)—a law more stringent than the present, for the penalties for non-vaccination were relaxed by the Imperial statute of 1874. Other significant facts are, that the irregular decrease in smallpox of late years, which no one denies, is concurrent with a

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The annual meeting of the Horticultural Society and Fruit Growers' Association of British Columbia will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, Vancouver, on Wednesday, and Thursday, January 22nd and 23rd, 1893, commencing at 2 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday. A. H. B. MACGOWAN, Secretary. Vancouver, B. C., December 24, 1892. dec28 2nd-st-1wtd