

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, 23rd to 29th April, 1902. The weather during the week has been more springlike, but temperatures in most sections west of the range have been somewhat below normal.

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The fire returns for April are as follows: April 2nd, box 9, Chinese laundry on Simcoe street, behind the Dallas hotel, caused by overturned lamp; loss, \$150.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE. Mr. Justice Irving holds That Railway Engine Drivers Are Liable For Income Tax. Mr. Justice Irving presided in Chambers this morning, and disposed of the following applications:



It has been only within the last ten years or so that spraying has been regarded as an important part of successful fruit culture. Recognizing the value of anything that would prevent injury to trees and fruit, spraying has received considerable attention at the Central Experimental Farm, and many fungicides and insecticides have been tested to prove their relative merits.

SCHEDULE OF GAMES. Engagements Made By Victoria Cricket Club For Season's Matches. At a meeting of the Victoria Cricket Club, held the other evening, a letter was received from the Alberici Cricket Club asking for a game with Victoria.

A CHINESE OFFER. Benevolent Society Prepared to Remove All Dead Bodies of Paupers. The Chinese Benevolent Society has applied to the city council for leave to remove all remains of Chinese paupers now interred in the Ross Bay cemetery.

LOUIS DUFFERIN'S GHOST STORY. London Times. Lord Dufferin used to tell a ghost story which he declared to be absolutely true. Some twenty years ago he was on a visit to the Emerald Isle, and stayed with friends at their country house.

Local News. CLEANINGS OF CITY AND PROVINCIAL NEWS IN A CONDENSED FORM.

At Victoria 43 hours and 48 minutes of bright sunshine, rainfall, 0.5 inch; highest temperature, 55.6 on 23rd; lowest, 37.8 on 24th. New Westminster-Rain, .28 inch; highest temperature, 60 on 23rd; lowest, 34 on 24th.

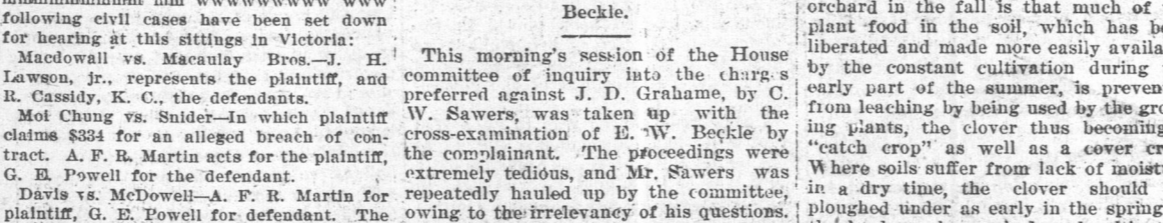
The death occurred at Portland yesterday morning of G. E. Withington, who, in pioneer days when the island of San Juan was disputed territory, frequently came to Victoria.

Andrew Carnegie left New York yesterday on the American line steamship St. Louis for his estate in Scotland. With him were Mrs. Carnegie, Miss Carnegie and James Bertram his private secretary.

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Next Sunday is the 17th anniversary of the Sunday school of the Centennial Methodist church, and the services will be particularly for the children. A handsome platform will be erected in their position during the week, until the receipt of the gift in a few fitting remarks.

The British Columbia Agricultural Association will hold a meeting on Tuesday evening for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the forthcoming fair.

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Twice-a-Week Times

This Edition for the Rest of the Year for 75 Cents. In order to still further extend the wide circulation of the twice-a-week Times, the publishers have decided to reduce the subscription price for new cash subscribers from now until the close of the year, nine months, to 75 cents.

A SPECIAL OFFER

Daily Times for Nine Months for \$3. The publishers of the Times are aware that a large number of residents of the districts and of other cities and towns than Victoria would like to become subscribers to the daily edition, but are unwilling to pay the regular rate of subscription, owing to the fact that the paper cannot reach them for from six to seven hours, to three days after publication.

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