

VICTORIANS ON JAP SHOONERS

Vessels From Japan in the Behring Sea Have Local Men on Board.

LARGE JAPANESE FLEET IN SEA

No International Question Expected to Arise as Result of Killing.

The despatch published yesterday in the telegraphic columns regarding the killing of five Japanese sealers and the arrest of twelve others while raiding the northeast point rookery of the Pribilof islands...

The Japanese, owing to the fact that Japan is not a party to the agreement between Britain and the United States regarding pelagic sealing in the Bering Sea...

The Japanese charge, Mr. Niyaoka, called at the state department this morning for information about the killing of the Japanese. He had received despatches from his government concerning the affair...

The Japanese raiders were repulsed by the agents of the lessees of the island, and not by United States authorities. Special Agent Lemby, referred to in Solicitor Sims' despatch...

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The natives guards referred to in the despatch of Solicitor Sims are Indians excavating on the islands...

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A WINNIPEG VISITOR

W. T. Macpherson - Much Impressed With Attractions of Victoria.

William T. Macpherson of the post-office inspector's department, Winnipeg, is paying a holiday visit to Victoria...

PROGRESS OF WORK ON EMPRESS HOTEL

Great Structure is Rapidly Approaching Completion--Some Building Details.

As the C. P. R. Empress Hotel is fast approaching completion, interest in that enterprise increases. The building consists of eight floors, including the basement...

A point of interest is the fact that the roof, the timbers of which are now being put on, is of a new style, so arranged for artistic purposes...

Some Construction Details The ironing of the structure is already completed, all the floors having been reinforced with concrete...

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SECOND VICE-PRES. WHY IN THE CITY

C. P. R. Magnate Reached Victoria Yesterday for a Brief Visit

SHORTAGE OF LABOR BIG PROBLEM Development of Country Being Seriously Retarded Owing To Situation

Amongst the arrivals in Victoria yesterday was Mr. William Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R. who together with Mrs. Whyte is staying at the Delta hotel...

The prosperity of the country, said Mr. Whyte, is retarded because of the shortage of labor. The preference of course being given to practical agriculturists...

Mr. Whyte dwelt at length upon all the points of the labor question which he regards as vitally important to the country...

Beneficial to the Country and he trusted that when this fact was fully grasped by the men their opposition would be voluntarily withdrawn...

Reverting to another subject Mr. Whyte said: "I find the West developing very rapidly, settlers are pouring in from both the Old and the New States..."

Regarding Vancouver Island, Mr. Whyte gave an absolute denial to the reported sale of the company's timber lands...

With regard to the development of the Pacific trade with the Orient, Mr. Whyte considered there was a bright future...

On the Fraser river last night many of the boats did well. The boats averaged from thirty to a hundred fish according to the canneries...

NEW POUND BYLAW

Amending Regulations for Care of Dogs in the City.

The city council will before many weeks be called on to consider the advisability of amending the city pound bylaw by providing for the destruction of dogs suffering from incurable diseases...

The bylaw will also make it lawful for the medical health officer to order any impounded dog suffering from an infectious disease to be destroyed at once...

When Long Breaths Hurt You can know that trouble exists which needs quick attention. Proper action consists in a vigorous rubbing of the chest and side with Ner-viline...

STEADY, ONWARD MARCH OF The Furniture Sale

The chief element of strength in all our Sales has been their GENUINENESS. The facts as told in print have always corresponded in spirit as well as letter with the facts as shown by closest scrutiny of the goods themselves.

BUFFETS TO THE FRONT FOR TODAY

Quarter Cut Oak Buffet; circular glass for china display, two small drawers, oak large. Regular \$45.00. Sale, \$38.00.

Other Sections of the Store that are offering SOME EXTRA INDUCEMENTS Men's Clothing Section Housefurnishings Women's Wearing Apparel

RAILWAY COMMISSION EN ROUTE TO DAWSON

Will Enquire Into Alleged Excessive Freight Rates on White Pass.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 10.—(Special) A body found floating outside the First Narrows this morning was thought at first to be that of a Chehalis victim. The police investigated, however, and concluded that the body was probably that of a Japanese fisherman.

Fire Warden McKay has about 30 men out fighting bush fires in the district. They are today fairly under control; but Connor's logging camp, near Barnet, has been destroyed and about 50,000 feet of timber destroyed.

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