

WEARS A NO. 17 BOOT

New York—Geo. Dolling, seven feet and a quarter in height, arrived here today from England. He was met at the pier by his brother-in-law, Ben. Corday, who is a mere strapping 4-foot 6-inch Caribbean.

Dolling wears a number 17 boot, about six inches wide and about six inches long—enough for three ordinary men—and enjoys every mouthful.

It is a grand thing when one goes to the table with a hearty appetite and sound digestion. Many things tend to make us eat less than the body requires.

Constipation, Biliousness, Torpid Liver, Weak Stomach, Impure Blood, Sick Kidneys—all these troubles affect Digestion and the desire for food.

"Fruit-a-tives," made from fruit juices and tonics, is the best appetizer, because "Fruit-a-tives" makes the stomach strong—the liver active—the bowels and kidneys regular—the blood pure and the skin clear. If you want to be well and feel well, take "Fruit-a-tives."

50c a box, 4 for \$2.50, or trial size 25c—can be obtained direct from Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

WESTERN FRUIT A SURPRISE TO THE EAST

The British Columbia Exhibits Made Clean Sweep—Wherever Shown—Some Commendatory References

After showing British Columbia most successfully in the East, W. C. Brander, secretary of the B. C. Fruit Growers' Association, has returned. Mr. Brander acted as assistant commissioner in charge of the fruit exhibit sent to the Ottawa and Toronto exhibitions by the Provincial Government. W. E. Scott was commissioner, A. Macdonald was assistant, and J. E. Scott was secretary. The exhibit was a success in every way. The resident of the east best found the British Columbia exhibit a constant source of interest. The exhibitors proved a splendid advertisement for the province and received many flattering remarks from the Ontario press. The exhibit was awarded two gold medals for excellence of display and for design.

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On Wednesday afternoon Mr. Brander left for Chicago to inspect the fruit which is to form part of a display the British Columbia Government is sending to the Royal Horticultural exhibition to be held in London, England.

After loading the Vancouver fruit car will proceed to Vancouver for more exhibits and from there to Okanagan Landing and Vernon, leaving Vancouver for the display. Last year British Columbia fruit swept everything before it at the London exhibition and no doubt will attain high standing at the coming exhibition.

LIVE NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

Cable Out of Order.

For the past ten days telegraphic communication between Nelson and the Coast has been maintained via Calgary, the short cable line at Arrowhead being temporarily out of order. This was the first time the cable has broken down since it was laid many years ago. The direct service should be resumed shortly.

Crops Not Large.

There is a general reduction of the apple crop, not only of British Columbia, but also in the producing states to the south, is the statement of Ben H. Rice, secretary-manager of the National Apple Show, who has just returned to Spokane from an extensive tour of the large commercial orchards in the two states, as well as British Columbia.

Dr. King, M.P.P., Back.

Dr. J. H. King, M.P.P., and wife returned today from their tour of Europe. The doctor was kept busy during his absence with his work in the principal hospitals in the Old Country, but returns in good health and happy over the fact that he is again back in Cranbrook and East Kootenay. Dr. and Mrs. King will receive a most joyful welcome from their many friends in this city.

Big Land Deal.

What will probably prove to be one of the biggest land deals consummated

in the Kamloops district in years is now nearing completion. The deal involves upwards of 5,000 acres, including the Sunnyside, J. Ross Shurway property and other adjacent lands, and will, if present arrangements eventuate, go through on a cash basis, involving an investment by Montreal capitalists of upwards of a quarter of a million dollars. J. T. Robinson has the deal in hand.

Work for Game Warden.

Complaint is made by a number of persons that Indians are slaughtering deer on the headwaters of the Tulameen. It is also said they use dogs, contrary to the law theretofore provided. Whoever is game warden for the district should get busy and see that our dusky countrymen hunt in accordance with the statute. If the slaughter of deer is not checked it will not be long until the hills will be depleted of these pretty and excellent animals. Warden, save the deer—Similkameen Star.

Surveyors Energetic.

C. P. Hanington, chief of the survey parties for the Canadian Northern railway, has returned from a tour of inspection. An entire new outfit will be secured and the parties will be again taken North and will work throughout the winter. The survey line is now completed to the Yellowhead and the work of permanently locating the line will be commenced by way of Engineer Hanington and his party. When this is completed construction will be rushed as expeditiously as possible.

San Francisco, Oct. 12.—The California State Baseball league, known as an "outlaw" organization, has come into the fold of organized baseball. Frank A. Herman, representing the directors signed articles with Cal. League president of the Pacific Coast league, whereby the State league becomes affiliated with the National league.

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A Record.

Here's a record in apple production. Mrs. A. McGuire last week picked 535 boxes of Wolf River apples from thirteen trees. At \$1.50 per box, a net value of \$802.50. The following seventy-three trees to the acre, the number usually planted, this year produced a net return from one acre of Wolf River apple of \$4,489.50. This almost beats growing spruce in Salmon Arm.

Manager Tramway.

Allan Purvis, for the past eight months superintendent of the Kootenay branch of the C. P. R., has been appointed manager of the Fraser valley branch of the C. P. R. Mr. Purvis will have his office in the new B. C. E. R. depot at New Westminster when it is completed and in the meantime will secure office accommodations elsewhere. He has charge of the selection of his assistants.

Still They Come.

Among the names now mentioned as possible successors of the Hon. James Duffin in the chair of Lieutenant Governor of this province is that of the Hon. Alexander Henderson, commissioner of the Yukon. Mr. Henderson, who has served as member of the provincial government and on the bench since 1894, is now at the post at the earnest solicitation of the Liberal party to enter the field in the coming election. Mr. Henderson is now occupies Mr. Henderson's old seat on the bench, having just retired from the Dawson post—Vancouver World.

Preparing For Battle.

The Conservative Association held its annual meeting at Quesson on the 28th of September last. The Hon. Richard McBride was elected honorary president, John A. Fraser of Quesson was elected president by a large majority. Mr. J. B. Davidson was appointed secretary and Mr. Andrews the former secretary, now of 160 Mile House, was appointed treasurer for the ensuing year. A number of leading Conservatives in the different polling districts were appointed on the committee. It was decided in view of a possible general Provincial election shortly, that the Conservative Association should be organized into a large territorial to be covered by candidates in Cariboo District, to hold a meeting at the end of the year, and on October 28. The preliminary meeting for the appointment of delegates being arranged for October 15.

At the Nickel Plate.

A representative of the Nickel Plate Gazette paid visit to the Nickel Plate last week and was in some of the workings that have not been seen for a considerable time. The changes that have taken place were in many cases surprising, and to stand in some of these chambers and see the huge terranean caverns that have been hewn out, the immensity of the whole thing being a thing to marvel at. The changes that have taken place were in many cases surprising, and to stand in some of these chambers and see the huge terranean caverns that have been hewn out, the immensity of the whole thing being a thing to marvel at.

Visits Old Home.

L. B. VanDusen, of Victoria, formerly proprietor of the Royal Hotel in this city, is registered at the Hotel Cariboo in Cranbrook on a business visit, but will return at once to the Coast, where he has a large estate and a home in Vancouver. The hotel is located on New Westminster avenue, has one hundred and six rooms, electric elevators, baths and every convenience of a modern hotel. Bert and Frank will be assisted by Mr. VanDusen in the management of the new hotel, but Harry will remain on the ranch near Victoria. Mr. VanDusen says he cannot remain out of business and that he has got one of the best hotel houses in the West, and is now modern in every respect and will naturally be headquarters for the people of the interior of British Columbia.

CONDENSED TELEGRAPH

Death of John Stronach.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 12.—Another figure prominent in the pioneer days of Winnipeg stands the Victor. He was killed by death in the Yukon, in the person of John Stronach. Mr. Stronach will be remembered by many as a pioneer through his prominent connection with telegraph work in the latter 70's.

Classy White Plymouth Rocks.

TOPPENISH, Oct. 12.—City Marshal J. E. Cayou is the proud owner of a classy white Plymouth Rock. The Plymouth Rock pulpit which although hatched in April of this year and reared without even the tender comfort of a hot water bottle, is now industriously sitting upon nineteen eggs of her own laying. This local chicken fancier has been the witness of early development of the maternity instinct. It may be partly owing to the fact that

and early 80's. He was for a number of years in charge of Great Northern telegraphic construction in this city and province, and was considered an expert in his particular line of work. Mr. Stronach removed West from Winnipeg about 1887, and engaged in telegraphic construction in many parts of Canada and the western States. Some time ago he went to the Yukon.

U. S. Veteran Officer Dead.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Brigadier General Amos S. Kimball, U.S.A., retired, who saw forty years' service in the army, died at his home here yesterday at the age of 89, heart failure being the cause of his death.

Moose Derrails Engine.

KENORA, Ont., Oct. 12.—The east-bound C. P. R. transcontinental express was delayed five hours yesterday at the age of 89, heart failure being the cause of his death.

Church and Pastor at Odds.

CULFAIX, Oct. 12.—Still another chapter in the controversy between the pastor of the church of Cornwall and the pastor, Rev. Herbert G. Buss, was opened yesterday by the filing of a suit in equity in the superior court by the church corporation, which is trying to regain possession of the church parsonage, now owned by Rev. Buss and family. The complaint alleges that Mr. Buss became pastor of the church January 1, 1908, and that the church corporation, at the request of either the church, society or the pastor at any time after December 15, 1908, refused to vacate the parsonage, although written request was made to do so. The church officials also ask that the defendant be made to pay \$20 per month, \$200 damages and the costs of the action.

Organized Bullfighting.

BILBOA, Spain, Oct. 12.—The proprietors of the bullfights in Northern Spain have formed an association to regulate the bullfighting and to encourage of this national sport. According to the regulations just drawn up, bullfights are to be held in three categories: those that have a capacity of 15,000 spectators or over; those seating 10,000; and those that seat 5,000. Every seven years a gold cup is to be awarded to the bull farm that produces the least number of bulls which are killed in the fight. This prize will be valued at 15,000 pesetas.

Train Saved by Dream.

MONTREAL, Oct. 12.—According to a story of the passengers, the dream of a boy prevented the Vancouver express which arrived here last Thursday six hours late, from meeting with disaster. The train was delayed because of the burned bridge between Winnipeg and Brandon. A little son of the section man dreamed that he saw a train wrecked, and the dream so impressed him that he hurried to the bridge and found it burned down by prairie fires. He flagged the train and it was stopped. He then ran to the So line. Had it not been flagged, the train would have reached the burned bridge at midnight on a pitch dark night.

Opposes Navy Construction.

OTTAWA, Oct. 12.—Mr. A. Magrath, Conservative member for Medicine Hat, will oppose the proposal to begin the construction of a Canadian naval base at Esquimaut. He believes that the construction of a naval base at Esquimaut would be a waste of money, and that the government should concentrate on the improvement of the existing naval base at Esquimaut.

Cook Warmly Welcomed.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 12.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook last night delivered a lecture before a large audience at the Milwaukee Press Club. Dr. Cook left last night for Detroit.

Litigation Ended.

NEWPORT, Oct. 12.—After two years of litigation, during which time the case has been to the supreme court and remanded to the superior court of Stevens county, the Idaho and Washington Northern railroad has purchased the property of H. M. Lund in this case, and the dispute, paying him \$5,000.

New Company Formed.

CULFAIX, Oct. 12.—The firm of Warner & Hunt, implement dealers, which has been in business in Culfax for some time, is now being dissolved, and in its place Warner Implement company, capitalised at \$20,000, fully paid up, the incorporation having already been formed.

Operator Receives Full Voltage.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 12.—With the full voltage of the Fort Thomas, Ky., military reservation, electric plant shooting through his body and helping in his chair at the key, Charles Kingsbury, a member of the second infantry, received injuries yesterday as a result of which his condition is critical. According to information obtained, some person unknown to the authorities at the post had attached an electric wire to one of the steel chairs in the telegraph room.

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this bird is native to that congenial climate which has made the valley of the Yakima a chicken-raiser's paradise.

Mysterious Donor of \$250,000.

NEWPORT, Oct. 12.—Who is the mysterious donor of \$250,000 for a club house for the Newport branch of the Army and Navy Young men's Christian association? The name of the person has been kept secret, but it was announced yesterday that a pile on Washington square had been bought for more than \$80,000 and the deeds will be recorded in a few days. Edward J. Berwind, the "coal baron" and owner of The Elms here, is now believed the anonymous giver of the quarter of a million dollars. His interest in the work of the army and navy is quoted as evidence that he is the man. The first runner of the gift, and later Mrs. Gibbs, widow of Major Theodore K. Gibbs, of New York, was mentioned as the probable donor.

Corrig College.

Beacon Hill Park, VICTORIA, B.C. Select High-Class BOARDING College for BOYS of 8 to 16 years. Refinements of well-appointed gentleman's home in lovely BEACON HILL PARK. Number limited. Out-door sports. Prepared for Business, Life or Professional or University Examinations. Fees inclusive. Strictly moderate. L. D. PHONE, Victoria, B.C. Autumn term, Sept. 1st. Principal, J. W. GEORGE, B.A.

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Dated at Fort St. John, B.C., 16th August, 1909.

D. R. McDONALD, Per F. de C. Davies, Agent.

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F. de C. DAVIES.

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TAKE NOTICE that I, Melvin Hartfield, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Logger, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the S.E. corner of S.E. quarter of Section 17, Township 56 N., Range 12 E., thence east 120 chains, thence north to west bank of salmon river, thence along river bank to the east line of Mr. E. M. Co. Crown Grant, thence south to the place of beginning, containing about 30 acres more or less.

MELVIN HARTFIELD, Dated at Fort St. John, B.C., 17th August, 1909.

COAL PROSPECTING NOTICE.

Rupert District.

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date of this notice I intend to apply to the Assistant Commissioner of Lands for the district hereinafter mentioned for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands, situated in Peace River Land District, District of Cariboo, about sixteen (16) miles southwest of Hudson's Hope, Peace River: Commencing at a post planted at northeast corner of claim marked "E. C. Whitney's N. E. corner," thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to point of commencement, to contain about 640 acres. This claim lies south of C. L. Harvey's and west of F. Mulhern's claim.

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