

NAIVE FISHING VESSELS ORDERED

Big Fleet of Deep-sea Halibut Craft to be Built—Important Impetus to This Industry

Contracts have been placed with shipbuilders on the Humber River in the United Kingdom for the construction of three halibut fishing steamers for the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. and six modern schooner-rigged fishing vessels will also be built, some of them in the United Kingdom and some on this coast, for the company's business in northern British Columbia waters.

A great impetus will be given to the deep-sea fishing industry in British Columbia waters this season, and it is expected that a fleet of large dimensions will soon be in operation in the northern fishing grounds where United States motor-propelled schooners have for some years taken considerable fish, and poaching has not been infrequent.

The Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. has its cold storage plant at Seal Cove, near Prince Rupert, well under way. This plant will have capacity for 1,400,000 pounds of fish curing and for making fertilizer of fish not edible, it being expected to find a large market in Hawaii and Japan for this by-product.

VICTIMS OF U. S. S. MAINE

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WIDOWS OF U. S. S. MAINE

Before the services at the graves a service was held on the south front of the state, war, and navy building.

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CIVIL SERVANTS

Examinations to be Held in B.C. Centres Commencing on May 3

OTTAWA, March 23.—The civil service commission gives notice that general competitive examinations will be held on Monday, May 3, and following days at various points, including Victoria, Vancouver and Victoria for the following inside positions: Seventy clerk-typists for men, subdivision B, of the third division, with an initial salary of

\$500; 25 positions and stenographers and typists for men of the same rank and salary; 25 positions for stenographers and typists for women, the same rank and salary; and 35 clerkships for men, subdivision B of the second division, with an initial salary, \$300. General examinations for messengers, porters, packers and sorters will be held. Applications must be filed by April 25.

MEXICAN REBELLION

Decisive Engagement is Expected at Escalon Tomorrow

CHIHUAHUA, March 23.—General Pascual Orozco, commander in chief of the rebel forces, regards it as highly probable that the first decisive engagement of the insurrection against the Madero government will be fought at Escalon tomorrow.

Escalon is an adobe village situated on a sandy plain midway between Jimenez and Torreon. All available troops have been sent there, leaving only the garrison at Chihuahua, and a mere corporal's guard at Jimenez, which has been the base of recent operations. Escalon is now occupied by 2,500 Liberals, while the Federal force which it is expected will make the attack tomorrow, numbers about 2,000, having been reinforced by a regiment and a platoon of artillery today.

U. S. Ambassador at Paris

PARIS, March 23.—The annual official dinner and reception of the foreign ministers given tonight by M. Poincaré, was in the nature of a farewell to the American ambassador and Mrs. Robert Bacon. A reception to which 4,000 invitations had been issued, followed the dinner. The newly appointed ambassador, Milton T. Herrick and Mrs. Herrick are expected to arrive a few days later. Ambassador Bacon and Mrs. Bacon were the guests of honor at the installation of the headquarters of the European bureau of the Carnegie International Peace foundation today. A cablegram of congratulations was sent to Andrew Carnegie.

Penitentiary Murders

LINCOLN, Neb., March 23.—Conditions at the Nebraska penitentiary have so nearly reached the normal that the company of state militia stationed there the day of the outbreak, left the prison tonight. The departure followed the return of Charles Morley to his cell after he had been brought to the city and given a hearing in the county court on the charge of killing Warden Delahanty and Guard Herman. Morley pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the district court without bail. The same decision was made in the case of Reed who is accused of complicity in the killing by Albert Prince of Deputy Warden Davis.

Admiral of Pacific Fleet

SEATTLE, March 23.—Rear Admiral Alfred Reynolds, until recently governor of the naval home at Philadelphia, arrived here today to assume command of the Pacific reserve fleet stationed at the Puget Sound navy yard. He will raise his flag on the armored cruiser Pennsylvania on Monday.

Sale of Railway

PORTLAND, Ore., March 23.—The sale of the Mount Hood Railway properties to the Portland Railway, Light and Power Co. was completed today and has been approved by the directors of both interested concerns. The Mount Hood road will operate through a rich country between Portland and Mount Hood, a distance of sixty miles. Over twenty miles of the road is in operation. The exact consideration has not been given out.

Smuggling of Chinese

LOS ANGELES, March 23.—A verdict of guilty of having conspired to smuggle alien Chinese into the United States was returned by a jury here today against Wai Wong Chung, Wong Wing and Wang Yee. Woo Wai is one of the most prominent Chinese in the United States. He is secretary of the Six Companies of San Francisco and one of the most prominent Chinese merchants in the country.

Textile Strike Possible

BOSTON, March 23.—While the close of the week found improved conditions in the Lawrence strike situation, most of the mills operating with full crews, labor differences in various other manufacturing centres in Massachusetts, and a strike among the 30,000 operatives in New Bedford was considered tonight a probability of the near future.

Lynching in Arkansas

FORT SMITH, Ark., March 23.—A mob broke into the jail here tonight and seized an unidentified negro who shot and probably fatally wounded Deputy Constable Andrew Carr. The black was dragged through the principal streets in town to the front of a hotel and hanged to a telephone pole. The police did not attempt to interfere with the mob.

Murder on Gunboat

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 23.—U. S. marines from the revenue cutter Yamacraw have charge of the Haytian gunboat Perrier, the crew of which mutinied here today. The men went on strike because they had not been paid for three months and fearing serious trouble, called upon the captain of the Yamacraw for protection. The United States officer sent Lieutenant Brookway and fifteen marines to the gunboat. There was no resistance to the marines taking charge. The Perrier has been here since March 5.

Facing Starvation

HILL CITY, Kas., March 23.—Only the fact that the temperature is mild, prevents acute suffering in the towns along the Lincoln Branch of the Union Pacific. The regular food supply is exhausted, schools have been closed and the coal bins of the churches have been raided. Farmers are burning fence posts. Overcoats are being worn in homes here. Today's storm again blockaded the lines before provisions and fuel reached here.

Winnipeg's Apartment Blocks

WINNIPEG, March 23.—Following the withdrawal by the legislature of the clause of the Public Health Act at last session, which placed very stringent con-

ditions on the erection of apartment blocks in the province, three permits for big blocks were taken out at the city building inspector's office yesterday, and a number more are to follow. The total building permits granted yesterday reached \$197,000.

Blame For Train Wreck

OTTAWA, March 23.—The jury conducting the inquest on the victims of the fatal wreck of the C. P. R. at Hull on March 3, returned a verdict practically exonerating Harvey Boal, the C. P. R. telegraph operator, for whose arrest a warrant has been issued, and placing the blame for the collision on the C. P. R. Company.

Railroadmen's Wages

CINCINNATI, March 23.—A committee representing members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, employed by the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Pacific (Queen and Crescent) railway, presented demands for a new scale of wages and certain changes in working rules to General Manager Horace Baker today. Mr. Baker took the matter under advisement.

Confesses His Crime

MILWAUKEE, March 23.—Arthur Koehler confessed today, upon his arrest, the attempted murder of Miss Anna Miller last Thursday, when the girl was fatally injured by blows from a hatchet, and Koehler, a cousin of Miss Miller, was fatally injured in the attack. Miss Miller's death is expected.

Flee of Not Guilty

CORVALLIS, Oregon, March 23.—George and Charles Humphreys entered pleas of not guilty to the indictment charging them with the murder in the first degree of Mrs. Eliza Griffith near Philomath Junction, June, 1911. The date of trial will be fixed by Judge Harris next Monday. The prisoners showed little interest in the proceedings.

Seventeen Casualties

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., March 23.—At least seventeen persons were injured, five of them seriously, late this afternoon when a passenger train on the Charleston branch of the Burlington railway, left the tracks and turned over at Cosby, Mo., ten miles north of St. Joseph. Most of the injured were women. According to railroad officials a derailed track was loosened owing to a soft roadbed, and was thrown under the train as it passed to take a siding for another passenger train.

Capt. R. Butler Dead

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man., March 23.—Capt. R. Butler, who has been in failing health for some time, died yesterday. He was a graduate of Oxford and had been sheriff of Portage la Prairie for many years.

TAKING LACROSSE INTO THE STATES

Proposition to Introduce Canadian National Game to Sportsmen of Large Eastern American Centres

MONTREAL, March 23.—A new proposition appears in the sporting horizon, by which Montreal and Toronto and several of the big American cities may be represented in a professional lacrosse league. The following letter was received in the morning mail of S. E. Lichtenhan and speaks for itself:

Dear Sir—Are you interested in a proposition to start a professional league, composed of teams from Chicago, New York, Baltimore, Boston, Philadelphia, Montreal and Toronto, to be run in conjunction with professional baseball, one team having the use of the grounds while the other is away? I have already interested several in the scheme and expect to hold a meeting about April 6 or 7, to go more thoroughly into details. Possibly, ice hockey, professional, will also be considered in the proposition.

May Be Senate Vacancy

OTTAWA, March 23.—Another senatorial vacancy is likely to occur at the end of the session. This is the second session that Senator Sullivan of Kingston has missed, and should he not arrive before prorogation the seat automatically will become vacant. The Kingston senator is in poor health.

MEMORIAL TO EDWARD HANLAN

A memorial monument to the late Edward Hanlan, for many years champion oarsman of the world, is proposed. It would be at Hanlan's Point, Toronto, where an unused chimney of the Ferry company stands. This chimney could be covered with concrete and finished in marble dust, so as to make it an imposing monument and the cost would be about \$10,000.

DOMESTIC TRAGEDY

Mother Succumbs to Flames in Tuttle Attempt to Rescue Her Child

SIMCOE, Ont., March 23.—Mrs. Jacob Gould and her child, aged four, residing near Yarns, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their residence this afternoon. Mrs. Gould re-entered the burning building in an attempt to save her child and lost her life. Another child was pretty badly burned, perhaps fatally.

GAMBLING RAID

Vancouver Police Wreck 42 Arrests After Nearly Wrecking Chinese Quarters

VANCOUVER, March 22.—Armed with axes and crowbars a force of police forced their way into a number of Chinese gambling dens tonight and arrested 30 Chinese, 11 Japanese and one Korean. They were charged with playing an illegal game and released on bail of \$25 each. Three hours after the raid, which nearly wrecked the buildings, the Chinese had them repaired and barricaded as before.

Sixteen-Year Prison Term

SALT LAKE CITY, March 22.—George Parry, who was arrested late yesterday, was sentenced today to serve 61 years in the state prison for mistreating Tilda

Man Hunt for Otulvas

HILLSVILLE, Va., March 22.—Another "straggle" was enacted in old Carroll county court house yesterday, duplicating the assassination of a week ago—but this time it was only for the moving pictures. Meanwhile the chase of the real outlaws apparently had not progressed, but Governor Mann and the authorities are planning a coup. The governor declined to discuss his plans. It is known that man-hunters will stay out in the mountains. The country side is lit-up with fear and excitement. Women do not venture out after dark and children are kept from school.

Development of Oil Area

FREDERICKTON, N. B., March 22.—Sir Wm. Mackenzie of Toronto, arrived here yesterday to confer with Premier Fleming of this province, in regard to the terms under which Sir William is to develop the oil shale properties he has optioned. The chief question to be settled, it is understood, is that of the area over which oil development privileges are to be granted by the government. The shale under consideration is in Albert and Westmorland counties.

The Unwritten Law

CHICAGO, March 23.—Frank R. Baker was found guilty today of the murder of his wife and his punishment was fixed at 15 years in the penitentiary. Baker was accused of having visited his

Charge of Homicide

NEW YORK, March 23.—Benjamin Jackson, the wealthy real estate broker, arrested tonight after an altercation in the vestibule of his home with Henry Lavelle over the latter's sister, during which Lavelle was shot fatally, charged with homicide. Jackson furnished bail and was released.

Rehabilitation Charge

SPOKANE, March 23.—The indictment against State Insurance Commissioner J. H. Shively, charging embezzlement, which has hung fire in the courts since April, 1909, was dismissed today by Superior Judge Hinkle on the motion of Prosecuting Attorney John Wiley.

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Lovely New Spring Coats

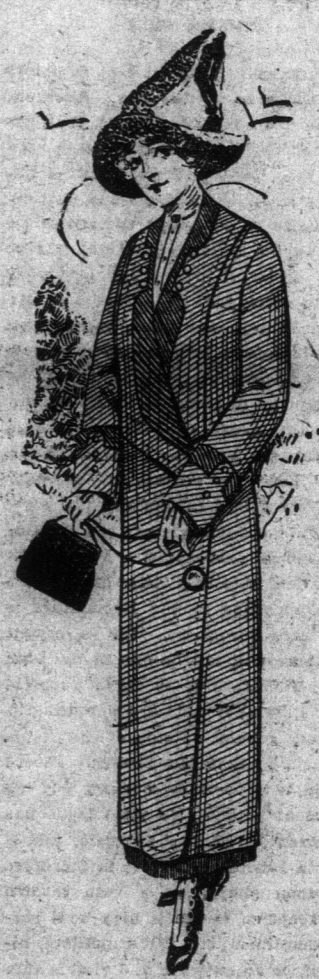


As shown at "Campbell's" represent an interpretation of the prevailing modes, absolutely correct in fabric, line, color and embellishment

In this new shipment, only unpacked yesterday, the variety is indeed wonderful. There is a coat to suit every individual fancy, either in the way of material or style. For instance, there are—

Severely Plain Tweed Coats, Linen Coats, Black and Navy Sicilian Dust Coats, Wool Taffeta Coats, Black Lace Coats, Blue Serges, Silk and Satin Coats, Coats in Broadcloth, Black Voile Coats, Coats in Black and White Check.

Cream Coats were never so pretty and they will be equally as fashionable this season as other garments, and then scores of new styles are represented that can be seen only at "Campbell's." Among the new trimming features you'll notice the shawl and round collars in contrasting colors of satin, as well as the new usage of lace and piping.



Every Garment—Every Style—Is Thoroughly Expressive of a Chic Idea Well Applied. The Reasonableness of Our Charges Will Not be Fully Appreciated Before Women Note How Much Value We Offer at the Various Prices.

CHILDREN'S COATS—In the same shipment came a glorious lot of Children's Coats (ages up to 12 years) in cream, serges, plain and hairline stripes and a number of navy serges and silk coats.

New Suits Arriving Daily

FULL RANGE OF MISSES' SIZES.



There's no time for recess in the Mantle Section for no sooner is the end of the last shipment in sight than along comes (by express) new garments. This is unusually so in Suits. You may drop in in the morning and then decide to come back in the afternoon by which time, much to your surprise, you find yourself looking at more new Suits.

The exquisite grace and perfect lines of our Spring Suits evidence the care we exercise to secure the highest type of tailoring. The materials principally are plain color and two-tone whipcords, wool Bedford cords, corded novelty worsteds, soft serges and many tweed effects, also cream serges.

New Dresses for Women and Misses

Nothing is more convenient or neater than a practical stylish one-piece dress such as may be seen at "Campbell's." Added charms in this season's dresses is the front and side fastening ideas and the Irish and Macramé lace trimmed collars and cuffs.

Materials are principally striped and spotted foulards, silks, plain shot taffetas, serges and panamas.



Trefousse—the best glove values ever offered

Exquisite new lot of Bags in German Silver and Suede.

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