

### TAR MACADAM MUNK ROADS

#### RECOMMENDATION FROM THE CITY ENGINEER

Mr. Smith to Submit an Important Report at To-morrow's Meeting of Streets Committee

(From Wednesday's Daily.)  
At to-morrow evening's meeting of the streets committee of the city council Angus Smith will submit a report, outlining a policy to be followed for the improvement of a number of the trunk roads of the city. He will recommend that only a few of the main arteries of the city be dealt with this season, leaving the larger scheme for a future period. It had been understood from previous reports on the same subject by Mr. Smith that asphalt would be the material to be used on those portions of the roads lying within the city limits, but this intention has, it is understood, been abandoned.

The city engineer has been studying the question very carefully and has decided to recommend that bituminous macadam, or tar-macadam, as this material is sometimes called. This class of pavement has been used very extensively in Seattle and other cities on the coast, and found to give every satisfaction.

Mr. Smith has been in communication with J. Thompson, city engineer of Seattle, and has obtained voluminous reports on this class of material. One of the pamphlets forwarded by Mr. Thompson shows that tar macadam is largely used on the roadways in the Old Country. The bituminous mixture is laid on the surface of the roadway by means of carts with a sprinkler attachment.

Mr. Smith will proceed to Seattle next week to confer with Mr. Thompson and inspect the samples of streets paved with that class of material in the Sound metropolis.

The roads which Mr. Smith will recommend shall be treated this year: Belleville street and connecting streets leading to the outer wharf; Douglas street to the city limits; a portion of the Gorge road; Bay street connecting with the Esquimalt road; and Fort street and Oak Bay avenue.

### STRIKERS FIRE ON STATE MILITIA

Commanding Officers Have Wired for Reinforcements—Further Trouble Feared

Ilasco, Mo., May 18.—Weary from their 24-hour vigil, the two companies of the Missouri state militia trying to hold in check 2,100 striking employees of the Atlas Portland Cement Company, must be reinforced to-day or further trouble may result. Since their arrival yesterday morning the guardsmen have been unable to sleep. One of the companies was fired upon by men hidden in a dense patch of brush. The guardsmen returned the fire and charged into the brush. None of the soldiers was hurt.

Lieuts. Clemens and Robinson, leading a platoon which had arrested two liquor dealers, had great difficulty in getting their prisoners through the lines of the strikers. They were jeered and hooted by hundreds of men, and many threats were made against them. The commanding officers of the companies here last evening wired to Jefferson City for more troops. It was expected that companies at Columbia, Trenton and Unionville would be here before night.

### WATTS CONVICTED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Verdict of Jury Which Heard Case at Spring Assizes at Nanaimo

Nanaimo, May 18.—The spring assizes opened here yesterday, Mr. Justice Gregory presiding.

The case of Rex vs. Watts was proceeded with. The prisoner, who pleaded not guilty, Crown Prosecutor McLean outlined the case, first explaining that the accused, up to August 13th had resided in a cabin at Baynes sound. On the afternoon of August 13th, prisoner and Hogberg, the man who was killed, were at an hotel, where each of them had a couple of drinks, and each took a bottle of liquor away with him. That was about noon, and that was the last seen of Hogberg, better known as Anderson, alive. Next morning the prisoner was seen by some girls who were seeking cows. Watts told them that there was a man lying dead beside his cabin, and that it was Hogberg. The prisoner talked with the girls, asking them if he was dirty. One girl replied that his face was clean, but his hands were dirty, and when he showed them to her they were smeared with blood. Later the prisoner turned up at the Palmer hotel, where he told a similar story, and Hogberg, when a search was made, was found lying with blood around him and wounds in his head. Watts' cabin, when examined, presented a disordered appearance, and they found in it a hat and a cane belonging to the dead man and a double-bit axe. Bloodstains were also found subsequently on the prisoner's clothing.

The case was concluded last evening, the jury returning a verdict of manslaughter after a half hour's deliberation.

No bill was found in the case of Rex vs. Hannay, charged with assault.

### TO BUILD PLANT,

Hamilton, Ont., May 18.—It is announced that the Oliver Chilled Plough Co., of South Bend, Ind., will build a branch here. The company will spend \$200,000 on a plant that will cover 90 acres and employ 2,000 hands.

INTERVIEWS MINISTER.  
Ottawa, May 18.—Capt. Thompson, of Vancouver, has been in Ottawa for the past few days interviewing members of the government relative to the subsidy requirements of the proposed Vancouver drydock under conditions of the new act passed last session. Owing to a change in the act a second approval will have to be presented. Plans and location of the drydock, but it is expected that this will be satisfactorily arranged. Owing to the absence of the minister of public works from the capital at present, nothing definite has yet been decided on.

### RECEIVED BY KING.

Former President Roosevelt Pays Another Visit to New Sovereign.

(By a staff correspondent of the United Press.)  
London, May 18.—For the second time upon King George. To-day the former American president was accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, who was presented to the new monarch for the first time. The Roosevelts later called upon King Frederick of Denmark, at Buckingham palace. In the course of the day a number of persons visited the chesler house to see the Roosevelts.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE.  
Port Arthur, Ont., May 18.—After being whirled with lightning rapidity through a sixteen-inch space between belting and ceiling, over some machinery in a mill at Greer's camp, Mack's Siding, until every particle of clothing was torn from him, Daniel McCullough now lies in St. Joseph's hospital with his left leg and one of his shoulders badly shattered, fortunate in having escaped with his life.

### MADE HOMELESS BY FIRE.

(Special to the Times.)  
Wakefield, Que., May 18.—Fire destroyed the picking rooms, the woolen mills, the Old Country. The loss amounts to \$200,000. Four dwellings and the grist mill also were destroyed and several families rendered homeless.

### NEW TIDAL COMMISSIONER.

(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, May 18.—W. A. Beidon, the newly appointed Canadian trade commissioner to New Zealand, will make a tour of the Dominion before sailing for Auckland, New Zealand, Australia, New Zealand and other countries. This decrease is particularly noticeable in view of the large increase in the manufacture and use of explosives.

### TWO MEN DROWNED.

Hull, May 18.—The third fatal boating accident within a week took place in the harbor here, when John Douglas and Bert Heilmann lost their lives while returning from McNab's island in a sail boat. They were going full sail when the boat struck a breaker and capsized.

### ALBERTA WHEAT.

Calgary, May 18.—The Canadian Pacific Railway's crop report for the province shows very satisfactory conditions at Central Alberta points. Fall wheat is reported as being 15 inches high and spring seeding is practically completed.

### FOOD PRICES.

(Special to the Times.)  
London, May 18.—The Daily News directs the attention of tariff reformers to the high prices of food in protectionist Canada, which are far beyond anything experienced so far in England.

### BALLINGER MUST PRODUCE LETTERS

Investigation in Which U. S. Secretary of Interior Figures, Continues at Washington

Washington, D. C., May 17.—Attorney Brandeis yesterday asked the Ballinger investigating committee to demand the department of the interior to produce all correspondence between Secretary Ballinger and J. W. Perkins, of the Morgan-Guggenheim combination. The request followed a statement made on the stand by Frederick M. Kerby, former stenographer in the interior department, that Perkins had asked Ballinger personally to recommend an engineer for work in Alaska and that considerable correspondence on the matter had been exchanged.

Attorney Vertrees, representing Ballinger, told the committee he was not "afraid" to have the letters produced. The committee voted that the interior department be compelled to furnish them.

Vertrees protested after this action was taken, declaring he thought it "time to stop calling for personal correspondence."

Kerby said that the Lawler memorandum was the only document he ever gave out. He admitted that he was friendly with Former Secretary of the Interior Garfield, but denied having received any communication from Garfield regarding his recently issued statement.

The witness said he told Garfield when he met him in February that he would testify, if necessary, but did not want to do so because he would lose his job.

"By" asked Representative Denby of the committee, "Well, I know what happened to Glavis," replied Kerby.

Then he said Garfield had told him too many had been sacrificed already and he appreciated Kerby's "delicate position."

### INSTANTLY KILLED IN ELEVATOR SHAFT

San Francisco, Cal., May 18.—Joseph Griffin, 45, of Vancouver, B. C., was crushed to death in an elevator in the Palace hotel to-day, when he attempted to leave the car while it was in motion. The car had started up from the second floor and Griffin was caught between the top shaft door and the floor of the elevator.

J. T. Griffin, of Vancouver, was notified of the accident.

During the Middle Ages, red, not black, was the color of mourning.

### SAFEGUARD EXPLOSIVES

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT WILL HAVE INSPECTION

Hon. Wm. Templeman is Having Legislation Prepared to Provide for That

(Special Correspondence.)

Ottawa, May 11.—The appalling loss of life in the explosion on the outskirts of Hull last Sunday, following similar disasters in mines and railway construction work during the last few years in Canada, has forced home a realization of the fact that steps should be taken toward the prevention of accidents of this character by government examination and regulation.

It is gratifying to note that the Federal department of mines has under consideration legislation to include among the functions of the department the examination and testing of explosives.

Your correspondent yesterday called upon the Hon. Wm. Templeman, minister of mines, and obtained from him an explanation of the measure which he hopes will be ratified by parliament next session.

"The need of some such step as this," said Mr. Templeman, "will be understood when one considers the number of lives that have been lost in Canada during the last few years in explosions of various kinds. One occurred at Vaudreuil, near Montreal, a little more than two years ago, in which nine persons were killed and many injured. Thirty-two lives were lost in the explosion at the coal mines at Extension, E. C., and in the last three years one hundred and forty lives have been lost in the use of explosives in the construction of the National Transcontinental Railway.

"In Great Britain experience showed a marked decrease in the number of accidents, fatal or otherwise, immediately following the passage of the Explosives Act in 1875, which with amendments has since been adopted by Australia, New Zealand and other countries. This decrease is particularly noticeable in view of the large increase in the manufacture and use of explosives.

"In the legislation which we have in view, it is proposed to extend the activities of the department so as to include examination and testing of explosives. At the present time mine managers or other consumers of explosives have no way of determining what are safe or unsafe explosives to use, and whether those which are up to the standard required in the country from which they are exported. This investigation should enable us to determine what explosives are fit and what are unfit for use, and to make work, and the conditions under which they might be used. This would ensure a better grade of explosives, and would greatly lessen the danger of accidents. It is also proposed to confer upon the minister of mines the power to regulate the manufacture of explosives, and all trafficking thereon. Compulsory underground and surface work in a way that it is hoped will not only reduce the great mortality due to the misuse of explosives, but will also prevent accidents. 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