

AUTUMN MEETING OF CONGREGATIONALISTS

Sixth Annual Convention to Be Held Here the Coming Week

(From Saturday's Daily.) The Canadian Northwest Association of Congregational Churches and Ministers, in federation with the Reformed Episcopal Church of British Columbia, will hold the sixth autumn meeting in the Reformed church of this city next week.

Wednesday, October 26. 3:30 p.m.—Devotional leader, Jas. Rankin, Vancouver. 3:30-3:45—Registration. 3:45-4:00—Separate business session. 4:00-4:15—Federated business session.

Thursday, October 27. 10:10-10:30 a.m.—Morning prayer, leader, Rev. T. W. Gladstone. 10:30-11—Communion service, Rev. J. Reid and Rev. Merton Smith. 11-12—Adjourned business sessions.

The officers of the federation are: President, Rev. John De B. Owen, Victoria; vice-president, Rev. John Simpson, Vancouver; secretary, Rev. Herman A. Carson, Victoria; treasurer, Thomas Duke, Vancouver.

WILL ESTABLISH AN AGENCY IN VICTORIA

Superintendent of Canadian Express Company Due To-day to Make Arrangements

With the intention of establishing a local branch of the Canadian Express Company, the headquarters of which concern are now at Winnipeg, N. J. Ross, superintendent of the company, is expected in the city to-day.

Advertisement for Steedman's Soothing Powders, featuring an illustration of a child and text describing the product's benefits for various ailments.

SUGGESTS LICENSES FOR AUTO DRIVERS

Vancouver Grand Jury Makes Recommendation—Streets in a Disgraceful Condition

Vancouver, Oct. 21.—The grand jury of the fall term, after making their presentation to the court. The presentation in part follows: "Our grand jury, having, according to your instructions, visited the various public buildings and institutions of the city, beg leave to present as follows:

"Our tour has impressed us, on the whole, very favorably, the institutions in question being, according to our observations, conducted on correct and businesslike principles, and doing in an efficient manner the work that is expected of them.

"We visited the Provincial Industrial school, the General Hospital and the Children's Aid Society's home, in Hastings Townsite. "On our visit to the police station we were so impressed with the fact that a splendid system prevails there and that the place is excellently managed in every respect. The city is, however, so far reaching in extent, and growing so rapidly, that the police and police commissioners should give their earnest attention without delay to the establishing of at least three stations, to properly care for the public safety.

"In the course of our tour of the city certain matters have come under our observation, which, although they may not be strictly within our province, we have deemed it advisable to call to the attention of this court. "The reckless driving of motor vehicles on the streets of this city appears to be a constant menace, not alone to the public safety, but to that of automobile drivers themselves. Owing to the exceedingly great number of these vehicles now in use, it seems, in our opinion, that the strictest precautions should be taken with regard to their regulation. We would respectfully suggest that a system of licensing drivers be introduced, such licenses to be granted only after searching personal examination, and that the driving of motor vehicles by juveniles be strictly prohibited.

"In this regard we would further draw attention to the undue speed often maintained by public vehicles when not in actual service, such as automobile fire apparatus returning from calls, police patrol wagons, etc., in our opinion, these vehicles at present constitute a wholly unnecessary menace to human life. "Our grand jury has been impressed with the increase in drunkenness on the streets of the city, a state of affairs to be accounted for largely by the serving of liquor to men who are already in an intoxicated condition. In the interests of law and order, as well as for the good name of the city generally, the section of the statute covering this matter cannot be too strongly enforced.

"Our attention has been directed to the disgraceful condition of many of the streets, due to opening them up and undertaking repair work too late in the season. Some of the principal thoroughfares, such as Davie and Robson streets, have in this way been rendered extremely difficult for traffic, while the condition of more outlying streets is infinitely worse. In our opinion this work should have been commenced earlier in the year, and brought to completion before the wet season set in."

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS PLAY BASKETBALL

Lieut-Governor Sees Game Between Shield Winners and Team From Other Classes

The High School inter-class basketball championships preliminary C, met defeat yesterday at the hands of a picked team from the other classes. The game was played on the lawn at the school in the presence of the Lieut-Governor and others and at the close of the match the shield presented by Percy McCreddie was handed over to Robert Steele, captain of the preliminary C team.

NANAIMO HAS THREE TEAM RUGBY UNION

Hornets Disbanded, But Men Will Play With Other Clubs—Fourth Team Expected

Nanaimo promises a Rugby union, not only a Rugby team, this year. The union will have three teams for certain and perhaps four. Last night the Rugby men held a meeting at the Coal City and the three entities were handed in. These are: Hornets, The Titans and Aspatrias. They say it is almost certain that Brechin Rugby team will enter, making the fourth. All the rate receipts will go to providing medals for the winning team of the league and if there is any money over at the end of the series it will be put forward to pay expenses of the McClelland Cup competition team which is to play against Victoria champions and Vancouver.

It was decided at the meeting that the Hornets players would be allowed to sign on with any of the teams entered in the union. Rev. W. A. Kerr, the newly-appointed minister of the Harlequin, Ep. Congregational church, collected during his ministry at Nottingham \$2,000 new-hat-egg for the sick and poor of his parish.

LOCAL MARKETS

Table listing various market goods and their prices, including items like Pratt's Coal, Bacon, Flour, and various oils.

WHOLESALE MARKETS

Table listing wholesale market prices for various commodities such as Wheat, Barley, Corn, and other grains.

McCREDIE'S REMARKS PASSED UNCHALLENGED

Coast League Officials Astonished Ball Fans at San Francisco by Lack of Action

San Francisco, Oct. 22.—Just what hold the McCredies of Portland have over the directors of the Pacific coast league is a matter of much discussion to-day among followers of the national game in San Francisco. The action of the directors in forgiving and forgetting statements accredited to Walter McCredie and derogative to President Graham came as a surprise, but the permission granted the McCredies to run two teams in Portland next year, on their simple promise that the schedules would not conflict, was a greater one. Why the offer of a bonus to Sacramento if it beats Oakland four games this week was not investigated also is a source of much wonder. At their meeting last night, the directors beside adjusting the McCredies to run two teams, adopted a schedule for next year at the regular meeting Nov. 3. The Coast League met to investigate McCredie's charges that the officials of the league were "rotten." No investigation of the charge made by Walter McCredie was taken up, and the statement was allowed to pass unheeded by Judge Graham.

JAPANESE FINED

Nanaimo, Oct. 21.—The Dominion government fisheries cruiser Alcedo has been during the month roundly up Japanese violators of the fishery laws. The squad of nine captured a couple of weeks ago off Chemaluis west of before E. Shakespeare, J.P., and each fined \$10 and \$25, a total of \$108, and on Monday another Japanese was caught off Qualicum and fined \$60 and \$25, making total fines collected during the past three weeks \$320.

OBITUARY RECORD

(From Friday's Daily.) Mr. and Mrs. H. A. English, 463 Kingston street, mourn the loss of their infant son, John Scott English, whose death occurred last evening at the family residence after a short illness. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral Company's parlors. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

Leaving the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Company at 2:50 o'clock this afternoon, the cortege of the late Henry P. Bell, the pioneer surveyor and miner of Western British Columbia, conducted the services, which were very impressive. There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends, many of the remaining old-timers of this city being present. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful, which testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. The following gentlemen acted pallbearers: R. V. Harvey, Arthur Harvey, Major Dupont, C. E. Pooley, J. A. Mara, and Fred B. Pemberton. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery.

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The remains of the late John Scott, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Scott, 463 Kingston street, were laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery this afternoon. The funeral took place at 2:30 o'clock from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Company, where Rev. A. N. Miller conducted services. There was a large number of friends present and the H.C.asket was covered with floral offerings.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Knowles, 622 Moss street, will regret the death of their only daughter, Elsa Gertrude Knowles, who passed away last evening at the family residence. Deceased had been ill but a short time, and the end was wholly unexpected. She was 15 years of age and was born in Kent, Eng. For many years she had attended the public schools of this city and was a general favorite among the children of the classes of which she was enrolled. The funeral has been arranged to take place on Monday afternoon. The cortege will leave the residence at 2:10 o'clock and proceed to Christ Church cathedral, where services will be conducted by Dean Doull at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

At the Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon the death occurred of John A. Campbell, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Cheltenham, Ont. Deceased was a student at the university in the science class of 1905. Shortly afterwards he left for Cuba to fulfil a position there as civil engineer. Later he moved to Mexico, where he spent some time. After returning to Canada he was employed as a contracting typhoid fever in the south he came to this city a little less than a year ago and was married shortly afterwards. He was 35 years of age. He had been a member of the Masonic order. The remains of the deceased will be interred at the funeral home of the late Hanna parlors, will be removed to the residence of his sister, Mrs. James Waitts, 1016 Fairfield road, on Monday morning, from where the funeral will take place at the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. J. B. Warnicker will officiate.

Through the death of Henry Purdon Bess, the funeral campaign has been day afternoon, not only British Columbia, but the Dominion of Canada lost one of the eminent civil engineers of the continent. He was an interesting character, whose accomplished some of the greatest engineering feats undertaken in Canada. When 22 years of age he went to Spain, where he was employed as an assistant engineer on important irrigation work for the Compania Iberica de Riego. He was in charge of the construction of a heavy weir across the Tenebrillo river and a tunnel of about a half mile in length. In the year 1888 he came to Canada and was employed on surveys for the Intercolonial Railway and later on construction, designing some of the bridges and acting as government engineer on construction. Later he was employed on the original surveys of the C. P. R. in the Colorado and British Columbia and leading lines along the Fraser river and in the Cariboo country. After the C. P. R. syndicate was formed he located part of the line through Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, and also the line of the G. W. Central, now a part of the C. P. R. Later again he built, as contractor, part of the main line of the C. P. R. in the Rockies, and later again, in partnership with Mr. Purdon, he took part in the construction of the new (now Lieut-Governor) and Mr. Thomas Earle, a section of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway. He then went to Chile and built part of the government railway until work was stopped by the outbreak of the Balmeaceda revolution. He then returned to Canada and practiced his profession in this city, but when surveys were commenced on the Georgian Bay canal he took employment from the Dominion government and designed many of the locks.

NELSON STREET CARS

Nelson, Oct. 21.—The cars for the tramway service are now on the way here from Victoria, general freight agent of the C. P. R., has given the assurance that everything would be done to bring the cars through with dispatch. He estimates that with fair luck they should be here by evening. Everything in connection with the wiring of the extension, which will be completed in a couple of days, is being hurried to go into operation at a moment's notice. There will accordingly be no delay in starting the service once the cars are here. Gibraltar is the smallest British possession, and measures less than two square miles. Canada is the largest, with 3,745,000 square miles.

PROPOSED WELSH MEMORIAL TO KING

Sum of \$300,000 to Be Raised for Establishment of Anti-Tuberculosis Campaign

The Lord Mayor of Cardiff (Alderman John Chappell) presided at a conference of representatives from the whole of Wales and Monmouthshire, held at Shrewsbury recently, to receive and consider proposals for a Welsh national memorial to their late King, Edward. The only proposal submitted was one by Mr. David Davies, M. P., Llandnam, who moved: "That this conference of representatives from the whole of Wales and Monmouthshire approve of the principle of a national campaign against tuberculosis, with a view of completely stamping out this disease, as the most appropriate form of a national memorial to the late King, and pledge itself to do everything in its power to ensure the success of such a project."

Mr. Davies said that the first desire was a memorial in which the whole of Wales could unite. He could conceive of nothing which achieved this desire better than the object put forward in the resolution. Tuberculosis was the worst enemy the country was faced with. When they remembered that it was responsible every year for more deaths than cholera, which in the South African war they would realize was a terrible scourge tuberculosis was. If they could stamp out and destroy tuberculosis, surely there could be no more fitting memorial to their late King. He reminded them that King Edward took an enormous interest in the efforts made for the care and prevention of tuberculosis. His Majesty was chairman of the first meeting of the National Association for the Prevention and Cure of Consumption; he established one of the largest sanatoria in the world at Medlar, and he took a keen interest in the development of sanatoria throughout the country. A second consideration was that consumption in Wales was very common indeed, and that in North Wales it was over 19 per cent. higher. These were melancholy statistics. Another point in favor of this scheme was already there were promises to the extent of \$140,000, which was a good beginning. He thought they should at least aim at something like \$300,000, and he did not for a moment think that the country would not readily respond to an appeal of this kind. They were told that even that sum would not be sufficient to carry on the campaign successfully, but he would express upon them that the great thing was to make a start. Mr. Geary, high sheriff of Carmarthen, seconded the motion, which was supported by the Earl of Powis, and carried. A special committee was appointed. Mr. David Davies, M.P., being elected treasurer. Mr. Davies, it may be mentioned, has promised to give the site for the sanatorium.

FERNIE ELECTION BEING HELD TO-DAY

Return of Minister of Lands by Increased Majority is Look-ed For

Fernie, B. C., Oct. 22.—The election campaign of a week's duration closed last night with a big meeting in the hall of the Socialists. The Socialist candidate in the Grand theatre, which was crowded to the doors, J. H. Hawthornthwaite and Bennett were the speakers. Both candidates were regularly nominated yesterday. No meetings have been held by Mr. Ross and his friends go into the battle of ballots feeling certain of a decided majority for the new minister of lands. The campaign of the Socialists has been very quiet, but it is thought that little effect will come out of the many meetings held in the mining camps of the district. The short and comparatively uneventful by-election campaign has been remarkable for the activity of the Socialists, as much as for the fact that numerous stalwarts of the Liberal party have been found, for the first time in their life history, lined up with the Conservatives in urging the return of Hon. Mr. Ross as a cabinet as well as an electoral representative. The majority of the Liberal voters of the district, it is believed, will vote for Mr. Ross, and this should have the effect of considerably increasing the substantial majority with which he was returned at the general election.

REVISING CENSUS RETURNS.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 22.—Following the report of Special Agent McKenzie, who has been revising the census returns of Spokane, Wash., Director of the Census Bureau stated that the population of Spokane would be announced probably next week. "While there was some padding at Spokane," said Durand, "evidence tends to indicate that it was not done intentionally and the few names that were stricken from the rolls will not make any appreciable difference." The population of Boise, Idaho, will be made public in a few days. Mrs. Gordon Grant, 3044 Douglas street, secretary of the Children's Aid Society, would be glad to hear of a place in the country where a strong boy, fifteen years of age, is required for general work.

EVAN MOORE, OF THIS CITY, WAS THE THIRD SUCCESSFUL STUDENT IN THE PHARMACY EXAMINATIONS AT VANCOUVER THIS WEEK.

Mr. Moore, of this city, was the third successful student in the pharmacy examinations at Vancouver this week. There were three who went from this city and all were successful. Mr. Moore qualified in his junior year. He is connected with the Empire Drug Store.

Advertisement for ELLIMAN'S EMBROICATION, featuring an illustration of a man on a horse and text describing the product's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for Pain arising from various conditions, listing ailments like Rheumatism, Chronic Bronchitis, and others, and describing the relief provided by ELLIMAN'S.

Advertisement for Animals, stating that ailments may in many instances be relieved or cured by following the instructions (illustrated) given in the ELLIMAN'S F. Booklet.

Advertisement for IRONCLAD OVERALLS, highlighting twenty-one years of experience and the quality of the garments produced.

Advertisement for Pauline & Company, Wholesale Dry Goods, located in Victoria, B. C.

Advertisement for A Good Complexion! featuring Turkish Bath at Home and a Thermal Bath Cabinet, with contact information for Cyrus H. Bowes.

Advertisement for VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT, DISTRICT OF RENEWAL, providing details on land parcels and renewal procedures.

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Advertisement for LAND NOTICE, DISTRICT OF COAST RANGE HILL, providing information on land parcels and renewal procedures.

Advertisement for ROACH-TISDALE BITTER SWEET, mentioning the G.B.O. A. FRASE brand.

Advertisement for HEARST ONE MILLION WORTH, featuring an illustration of a man and text about property value.

Advertisement for Spencer's, Young Sisters' Block Building, mentioning property value and location.

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