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WHAT THE VANCOUVER CLUB TRIES TO DO FOR THE TOWN

Constitution Adopted Aims at the Development of Civic Enthusiasm, the Expansion of Industries and the Increase of Population.

A copy of the constitution of Vancouver's 100 club has been received by the Star, along with an outline of the methods of organization. The aims of the club are set forth in the constitution as follows:

That the primary objects of this club shall be as follows:
To encourage a spirit of local pride and enthusiasm in the citizens of Vancouver.

By co-operation with kindred and other organizations to attract the attention of investors to the facilities offered by the city of Vancouver for the establishment of additional industries and the investment of capital, and to make the city and its surroundings more attractive and desirable as a place of residence.

To add other similar organizations in making provision for the pleasure and entertainment of visitors to the city.

Generally, by the above and other means, and by giving judicious and intelligent publicity to the advantages of the city, to augment its population to at least 100,000 in 1910.

Membership.—Every man, woman and child in or out of Vancouver is eligible for membership in this club, the membership to be divided into three classes as follows: (a) Ordinary members, paying a fee of \$1.00 per annum; (b) ladies' section, annual fee 50 cents; (c) children's section, annual fee 25 cents.

Officers.—That in addition to a card of membership each member shall be supplied with a name tag bearing the inscription, "Vancouver, B. C., 1904, 1910."

Executive.—The executive of the club shall consist of the officers and an organizing committee of the club into industrial, public, local improvements, attractions, entertainment, etc., and to organize the membership into various sections.

Meetings.—The executive shall be empowered to take necessary steps for the successful working of the club and shall report at each general meeting of the club, each general meeting to be held monthly.

Elections.—The election of officers and council shall take place at the annual general meeting.

The annual meeting of this club shall be held on Vancouver's birthday, April 6th, or on the succeeding day in event of that day falling on a Sunday or holiday.

The monthly general meeting of the club shall be held on the first Tuesday in each month.

Two of the executive committee shall constitute a quorum of the club.

BOYS' DAY IN THE POLICE COURT.

Magistrate Asks What the Town is Coming to.

A Lot of Youngsters Charged With Different Offences—Many Others Reported.

The boy problem was given an airing in the police court this morning, and in dealing with cases in which boys were the principals, the magistrate said he did not know what the city was coming to, for the small boys were to have taken charge of the place.

The prisoners arrested last night were kept in their cells until the boy cases were disposed of, as the magistrate's order is that boys or girls should not be in court when older prisoners are being tried.

THE AIR GUN.
The first case called was against two boys, Hampton and Lasker. The latter owned an air gun, and in company with his brother they were riding in the woods to shoot at a target. Hampton says he was firing in the air, and when on the corner of Park and Mount Pleasant streets he heard a crash and down came the electric light globe. He did not mean to shoot at Lasker, who was allowed to go and Hampton was fined one dollar.

THROWING SNOW BALLS.
The next case was for breaking a plate glass window. A young man named Thorne was charged with throwing a stone which broke a window in the Adams grocery store on St. James street. He was represented in court by Homer Forbes. Thorne and a chum named Howe testified that last Monday while going to their work a crowd of boys threw snow balls at them, and one struck Thorne on the neck. He picked up a stone and threw it to frighten the boys. The stone bounced from the gutter to the window. Howe was discharged and Thorne was told that he was liable to a fine of eight dollars or throwing the stone.

The boys who were reported for throwing the snow balls were John McLaughlin, Edward Storey, George Layhe, George Hains, Daniel Bridges and Percy Storey. The first three did not appear in court. The other two pleaded not guilty and with trembling lips said they did not know who had done it.

George got on the stand he was put through a rigid examination, in which he said that he did not know who had done it, but that he had not been to school for three weeks, but was out loafing about. He was told to take his three square meals a day. He was told by the magistrate to tell the court that he saw other boys throwing snow balls and that he threw two himself, but did not know whether he hit Thorne or not. Doody was then given a seat with Storey, Hains and Bridges. They were all found guilty and sent to the cells in default of paying a one dollar fine. Friends paid the fines, however, and the youngsters were allowed to remain long behind the bars.

BREAKING WINDOWS.
The next case called on was one in which between 20 and 30 panes of glass had been wittily broken in the Howe factory at the east end of Union street. In this case there were charged Charles McLaughlin, Robert Clayton, Herbert Monahan and a boy named Moore, who were charged with breaking the window. Young McLaughlin was the only one of the four in court, and a man present stated that he had seen the boys break the window. McLaughlin said that he did not throw any stones and did not break any windows.

The police were instructed to locate Clayton, Monahan and Moore and have them in court next Tuesday. The case was adjourned until that time.

Police Sergeant Baxter and Policeman Ross informed the court that they had the names of about 40 boys who have been hanging about corners smoking cigarettes and being members of a disorderly crowd.

CITIZEN REPORTS POLICE.
In connection with the case where the Adams grocery window was broken by a stone Joseph W. Doody, who resides at 274 Germain street, took the stand and said that he had made a number of complaints to the police about bad boys, but that the police had taken little or no action. He has found it necessary to close the windows in his house to prevent his family from being compelled to listen to bad language from a gang of cigarette smoking boys.

He called on a policeman to break up the gang, and the officer said it was his duty to do so. The boys are making complaints against the boys, as nothing would be done with them. At this stage the magistrate said he would like to get hold of the policeman who would make such a statement.

Mr. Doody said that he had asked the chief of police for the officer's name, but it was not given. He said he had requested another policeman to break up the gang, and almost got a calling down for making the request. The officer asked for the names of the boys, but as Mr. Doody did not have them the blue coat walked away and

OPPOSING INTERESTS MAKE CUBA'S FUTURE DOUBTFUL

One Party Threaten to Destroy British Property in Hope of Forcing U. S. Protection—Others Object to This and Want the Americans to Clear Out.

RODNEY WHARF IS TAKING A SLIDE
Big Section Shows Signs of Weakness

Streets Flooded by the High Tides Since Gates on the Salmon Pond Were Removed.

Judging from the present indications, the trouble at Union street, W. E., is not yet over. Last evening about 75 feet of Rodney wharf took a slide toward the slip, and it is feared that serious consequences may follow, as a large crack now exists in the wharf opposite Fowler's office.

The railway tracks pass over the wharf just a few feet distant from the crack, and it is feared that with the weight of teams and locomotives passing over it, the entire upper end of the wharf may fall away.

The very high tide of yesterday carried away an unusually large quantity of earth, and it is thought that this weakened the structure. Rodney wharf, at the upper end, is filled in underneath with earth, and when the first slide occurred on Union street, a quantity of this material also fell into the slip. The old wharf, a portion of which remains at the end of Rodney wharf, has also shown signs of falling away.

The water pipes were broken when the slide occurred, and today a crew of men are at work making repairs. The water is spouting up from the earth and is running out into Union street, making walking very unpleasant. At one place, the water is over several hundred native Cubans of high intelligence, representing many millions of capital. Its special form, which will be urged on the Roosevelt administration and upon Congress is most carefully guarded as it is certain of denunciation by the Liberals, who soon may be put in power and would frighten sympathetic Cubans of property from embracing it lest they later lose their all.

THE MARATHON ROAD RACE TAKES PLACE TODAY
Several of Those Who Entered Have Dropped Out but a Lot of Good Runners Remain.

The much-talked of Marathon road race takes place this afternoon. Interest is manifested in this race, as it is the first of the sort which has been held in this city since 1891.

While fourteen runners have entered, it is understood that several will not be able to start. Hay, of Montreal, who was to have arrived this morning was unable to get away, while it is understood that several of the local men have got chilly around the feet during the last day or two.

The favorites for the winners are Atkinson, of Mount Allison, Lord, of the Marathons and McNutt, of the Clippers. "Jerry" Stubbs is also being backed by many friends. Emery, Barbour, Morrow and Sterling are dark horses and are expected to do something.

The race will start at Brookville at three o'clock (sharp) and will finish at Stricker's Corner, King Square. While the roads are not in first-class condition, yet they are much better than would be expected, and it is thought that fast time will be made.

The officials will be Chief Clerk, referee, K. J. Macrae, starter; Aid, McGoldrick, A. O. Skinner and Col. G. West Jones judges; Detective Williams and Frank McCafferty timers. The detective is one of the runners in the race of '91.

The starters and their numbers will probably be as follows: Geo. Emery, 2; J. Barbour, 3; G. A. Stubbs, 4; H. Atkinson, 5; J. S. Lord, 6; T. M. Morrow, 11; A. McNutt, 12; W. Garnett, 14; E. Sterling, 15.

After the race the medals will be presented at the Park Hotel by Frank White. The result of the race will be bulletined in One-Hill window.

SIR THOMAS LIPTON SAILS FOR ENGLAND

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—Sir Thomas Lipton sailed for home today on the steamer *Tharmasia*. Just before sailing Sir Thomas said he would probably challenge for the America's cup this time in 1908. He expressed himself as much pleased with the kindness extended to him by yachtsmen on this side of the water and was satisfied to leave the whole question in their hands, being convinced that he would get fair treatment.

"I favor a wholesome type of boat, and will not come over here again with a freak craft like the *Shamrock II*," said he. "A boat of that style is good only for the scrap heap after the race, but with the *Shamrock IV*, which I shall bring over I expect to carry away the cup."

EIGHT MEN BURIED UNDER A FALLING WALL
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 17.—Eight men were entombed in a large wall by a cave-in at the Indiana Distillery today. Rescuers are working to get them out.

HAS BLOOD POISONING IN BOTH HIS HANDS

And Chum, Gray's Chum, Who Rowed Him to Town Was Was Nearly Swamped.

W. J. Gray, a young Englishman who has been employed at Partridge Island in the installation of the water system, was brought to the city yesterday suffering from blood poisoning, which is in both his hands.

Mr. Gray received several scratches some time ago, but thought nothing of them until yesterday when a sign of blood poisoning was noticed on his hands. Dr. March attended the young man up to yesterday when he came to the city.

He was rowed to the city in a small boat by A. D. Chum, who is also employed at the island. Mr. Chum landed his passenger, and after finding him in a looking place, started off again for the island.

The storm was then at its height, and had Mr. Chum not been an experienced oarsman, he would have surely been swamped.

When he reached the light house on his return the sea was very rough, and more than once did the craft nearly go under.

Mr. Chum knew that the weather would be still rougher further out, so he returned to the city where he remained until this morning.

BOER LEADER TERREIRA HAS BEEN CAPTURED

CAPE TOWN, Nov. 17.—Terreira, leader of the Boer raid from German Southwest Africa into the northern part of Cape Colony and all his followers were captured today by colonial patrols.