

LOCAL NEWS

The bank clearings for the week ending October 1st were \$1,382,889. The business of the city is keeping well up to the average.

Interest is growing in the production of a Trip Through Happyland, which is to be put on here under the auspices of the Development and Tourist Association in about a fortnight.

The death took place at Ladysmith yesterday morning of Joseph Hathorn, aged 45 years. The deceased who is a wealthy merchant of San Soule, Mont.

The next rehearsal of the Victoria Musical Society will be held at the Carnegie library on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Under the auspices of the women's committee of the Tourist Association, the presentation of "A Trip Through Happyland" will be undertaken in the Victoria theatre.

The regular fall meetings of the Victoria Farmers' Institute will be held at Sidney on Monday, Oct. 7th, at Cedar Hill on Tuesday, Oct. 8th, and at Royal Oak on Wednesday, Oct. 9th.

The annual Halloween concert by the First Presbyterian church choir will be given on or about the 15th of the month.

You are owing to purchasing... You are owing to purchasing... You are owing to purchasing...

THOUSANDS OF WOMEN TORTURED WHO COULD BE WELL AND HAPPY AND FREE OF PAIN. Headaches, dizziness, nervousness, etc.

"Irresistibly Delicious" - IS THE OPINION OF ALL WH HAVE ONCE TASTED. CARriages, Huggers, Carts, etc. B.C. HARDWARE CO.

LARGE WOLF SHOT ON BALD MOUNTAIN The Animal Weighed Seventy-Five Pounds Dressed--Other Hunting News of District

(From Monday's Daily). Victoria is the centre for all kinds of royal sport. The pheasant which no one in England but members of the aristocracy can ever think of killing, is shot by anyone and everyone in Victoria.

John Minto on Severe His Connection With Times Remembered by Company and Staff. (From Monday's Daily).

South Saanich is Making Ends Meet Council Has Cut Down the Appropriations So as to Avoid Any Deficit. (From Monday's Daily).

LUNCHEON TO FAMOUS AUTHOR RUDYARD KIPLING COMING TO-MORROW He Will Be Entertained by Canadian Club in A. O. U. W. Hall on Wednesday.

MONTREAL MEN DROWNED. Montreal, Oct. 7.—Three men, whose identity is not known, were drowned at St. Therese yesterday.

DIAMOND DYES Enable Mothers to Keep Their Children Well Dressed. "I save money year after year by using your never-fading Diamond Dyes.

SWAN'S WEIGHT. Hundreds of expectant ladies have been waiting with high hope for the announcement of the weight of the swans which were in the pond at Pent-

Steedman's SOOTHING Powders. Relieve FEVERISH HEAT. Prevent FITS, CONVULSIONS, etc. CHILDREN.

FINCH'S THE EXCLUSIVE STYLES SHOP. Initial Display OF THE New Fall English Fancy Vests English Shirts.

ACCIDENT ON CAR LINE. Driver of Wagon Which was Run Into Escaped With Little Injury. An accident which might have had serious, and perhaps fatal results, occurred on the Oak Bay car line shortly after 11 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

Dated 17th day of September, 1907. No. 1. Commencing at a post planted at the S. E. corner, on the north side of Deans Channel, and about 1/4 mile east of the entrance of Cascade Inlet on the south shore of Deans Channel, thence following shore line 160 chains more or less to post of commencement. Containing 640 acres more or less.

IN SMITH MINE

ED Y FALLING ROCK

Match in Island Thick and Miss tie Wedded

4.—A miner named S. in an accident in No. yesterday, which terminated fatally...

Practice. ers are now practicing. On Sunday last...

Country showed a form, and the game was more than exciting...

There will be a city in the Hearts, captain, will meet the Tom O'Connell, and...

Wedding. He, well known and in Ladysmith social...

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WHERE THE WHITECAPS FOAM. Mrs. Thorts—How wild the sea appears. It seems clamoring for something. Thorts—Let her clamor, it won't get anything as long as I can hold onto it.

He is Safe

"I see," said the anxious looking man to his fellow passenger of the placid countenance, "that the Government is going for the Trusts pretty heavily?"

"Yes, I see that." "And it is getting decisions in its favor right along."

"Do you think the government will keep it up?" "Bound to, sir—bound to. The people demand it."

"Then it will eventually be good-by to the Trusts?" "It surely will. If you are in a Trust, sir, you'd better get out from under before it is too late. There will be a big tumble before another year is over."

"Um. Well, I've got a little Trust of my own, and I've been wondering if the Government will interfere with it."

"What is it?" "I am making corn-husk mattresses. There are only seven of us manufacturers in the country, while I am the only one of the seven who puts in the cobs along with the husks and have my own little Trust."

"What the devil do you put the cobs in for?" asked the other as he remembered his boyhood days down on the old farm. "To massage the back while you sleep," replied the other. "Biggest success of the decade. Orders ahead for a year. Can't get half cobs enough and have to put in the butts of cornstalks and cabbage shanks. Do you think the Government will consider me a Trust or a Sanitarium?"

JOE KERR.



THE SUMMER POST. I cannot go in search of sir, I have my duties to pursue. So consequently hurt my swear Upon those folks that can and do. I exorcise their foolish ways, Their picnics, moonlight rides and fetes And much prefer, myself, these days To turn out verse at liberal rates.

You Take Your Choice

President Roosevelt says there will be no war with Japan. Senator Dewey says he dunno. Secretary Loeb says there won't be a gun fired.

Tom Platt says maybe not. Admiral Yamato says it's absurd to think of it.

The Raines Law Raines says they can't fool him. The Mikado has assured the president of his friendship.

The mayor of Podunk says look out for the Mike. All the English dailies say that war is inevitable.

Murphy of Tammany says the English. All the French dailies are greatly excited.

The advice of Corporal O'Toole is to take another drink and keep cool. They are mounting guns a mile long at Manila.

But Senator Foraker is working among his cabbages. The American fleet is to go by way of the Suez Canal.

But the Japs are sawing wood and saying nothing. The American fleet is to go by way of Magellan.

But the Mikado continues to trade at the same grocery. Senator Tillman says he doesn't see how we can escape it.

But Smith says we can lick 'em in two hours. And amidst all the growlings and rumbles and mutterings and shakings the paper collar has come back, and this time it is to stay.

JOE KERR.



WILD WAVES. "It seems strange, but heat comes in waves, does it not?" "It certainly does." "And yet a man wants to get in the waves to get out of the heat."



Maggie Mulligan—"Oo-oh! Jimmie, M M stands for my name don't it?" Jimmie Smith—"Nix, dat stan' for Mildred Montmorency. My goils gott'er have a high toned name!"

The Tortoise and the Sloth

Once upon a time as the Tortoise was wandering through the forest in search of a can of oxtail soup he came upon the Sloth, who had a grape-shot in his jaws and was trying to crack it for a hickory nut.

"Say, you are a good deal of a scrub," observed the Tortoise after watching operations for awhile. "Oh, there are others," airily replied the Sloth.

"How many years does it take you to climb up a hickory handle?" "About a year less than it takes you to crawl ten feet."

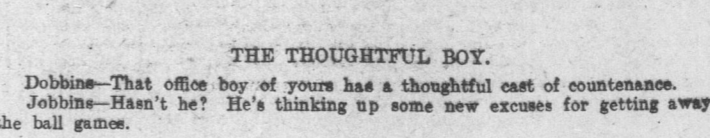
"Don't give me any of your sass." "And I don't want any from you."

"Look here, Mister Sloth, you have seen fit to throw out hints that I was not the speediest thing on legs in this forest. You must put up or shut up."

"How do you mean?" "You know where the red school house is, five miles away? I'll run you a race to the spot to prove that you ain't within a mile of being in it."

"Done," replied the Sloth, and they separated to prepare for the contest. The Tortoise knew his gait, and he humped himself for the depot and caught a freight train just as it was pulling out.

MORAL: Which goes to prove, and in fact does prove, that the race is not always to the strong—not when the liar is about. JOE KERR.



THE THOUGHTFUL BOY. Dobbins—That office boy of yours has a thoughtful cast of countenance. Jobbins—Hasn't he? He's thinking up some new excuses for getting away to the ball games.



"Has she ever shown any sign as to whether she cares for you or not?" "She's making it now, I think."

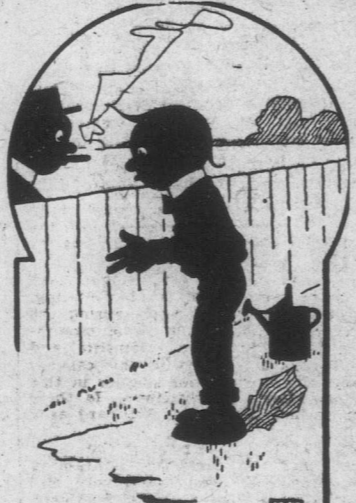


The Lazy Man's Wish. I wish I owned a mountain brook One richly stocked with trout. Who'd rush with joy to sieze my hook And let me pull them out.

He Did Things

He was a cynic, and when a young man with the country sunburn on his cheek and a dress suit case in his hand boarded the car at the depot the other town."

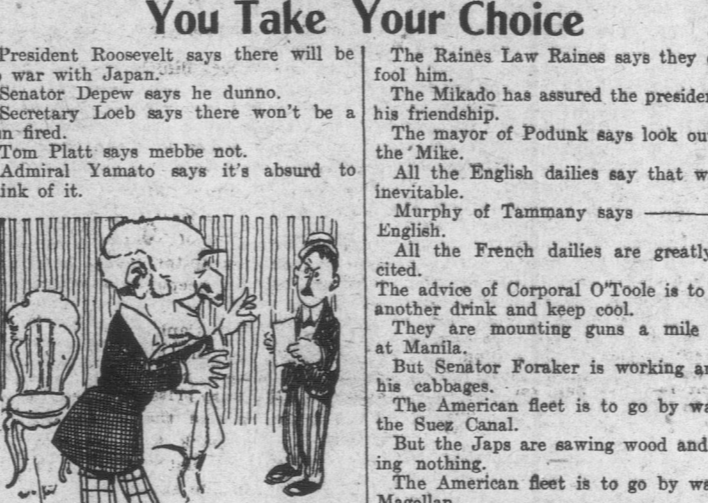
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LAZY MAN'S TRIUMPH. De Quis—That grass seed you planted in the spring didn't pan out well, did it? De Witt—Sh-sh! That was only a bluff. Now I haven't any lawn to mow and my wife thinks its the seed dealer's fault.



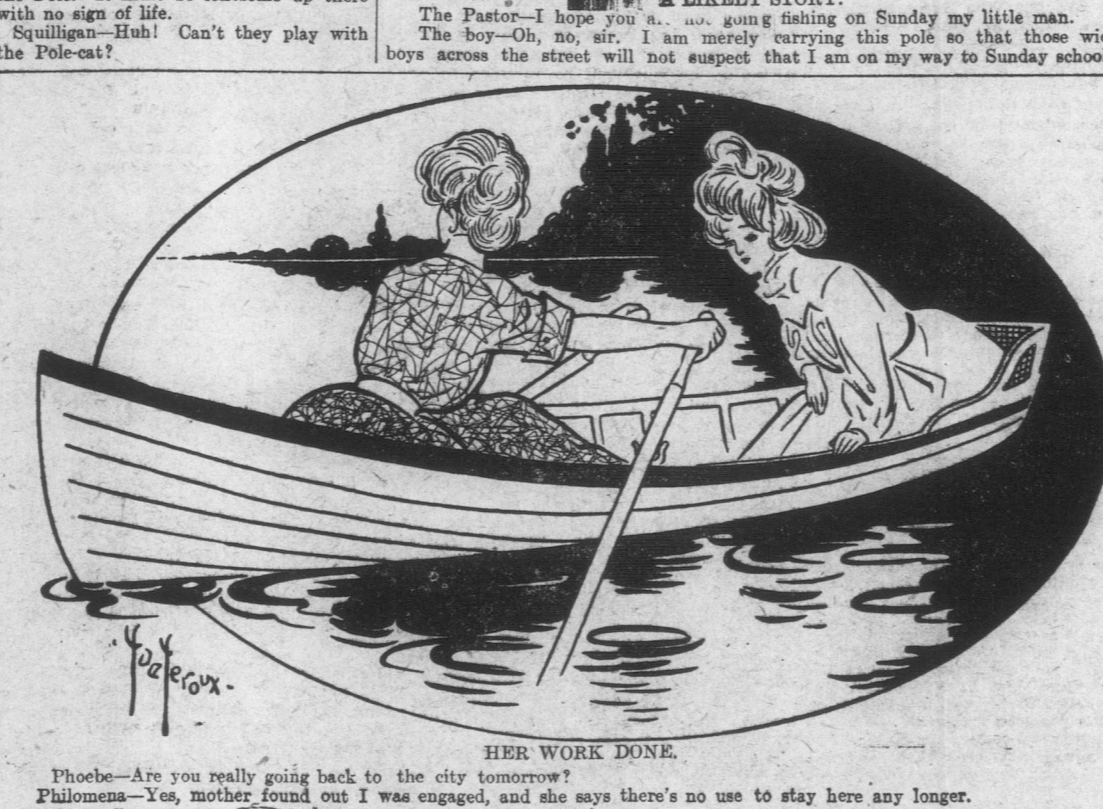
HIS HABITAT. Squillbob—So Wellman has started for the Pole. It must be lonesome up there with no sign of life. Squilligan—Huh! Can't they play with the Pole-cat?



Depeew says he dunno. The Hometown Weekly Banner says it must come. Captain Kondo says Japan is our best friend. The Rev. Dr. Parkhurst says that some one is a liar. The Marquis Ito says that Japan is grateful for what we did. JOE KERR.



A LIKELY STORY. The Pastor—I hope you are going fishing on Sunday my little man. The boy—Oh, no, sir. I am merely carrying this pole so that those wicked boys across the street will not suspect that I am on my way to Sunday school.



HER WORK DONE. Phoebe—Are you really going back to the city tomorrow? Philomena—Yes, mother found out I was engaged, and she says there's no use to stay here any longer.

Merely Some Which Has Not Been Advertised REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

ROBERTSON & GRIFFITH. 106 GOVERNMENT ST. PHONE 1485. 5 LOTS—On Lionel street, only.....\$1,500

A. B. McNEILL. REALTY, MONEY TO LOAN. FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE. PHONE 64. 11 TROUNCE AVE.

PARSONS, LOVE & CO. REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, LOANS. & GENERAL FINANCIAL AGENTS. NO. 74 DOUGLAS STREET.

LEE & FRASER, REAL ESTATE AGENTS. 11 TROUNCE AVE., VICTORIA, B. C.

A. WILLIAMS & CO. REAL ESTATE AGENTS. 204 YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C. PHONE 189A.

R. S. DAY AND B. BOGGS. Established 1850. 42 PORT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

SWINERTON & ODDY. 102 GOVERNMENT ST. Est. 1882.

HEISTERMAN & CO. REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE. 75 GOVERNMENT STREET.

PERMBERTON & SON. 48 FORT ST.

OSWEGOE STREET. 6-ROOMED HOUSE. With Full Sided Lot. In Good Condition.

HILL STREET. 6-ROOMED HOUSE. On Half Lot. Rents For \$15 Per Month.

NEAR WILLOWS. 5 ACRES. \$5,000.

OAK BAY. 2 ACRES. \$2,500 Per Acre. Good Terms.

DALLAS ROAD. East of Moss Street. TWO LOTS. \$3,500.

WILMER STREET. LOT. \$300.

FOUL BAY ROAD. HALF ACRE. \$1,250.

DUNDEN STREET, GARIBALDI ROAD. TWO LOTS. \$750 Each.

GLANDFORD AVENUE. NEARLY 1/2 ACRES. With New House and Barn. All Planted in the Finest Kinds of Fruits.

CLOVERDALE AVENUE. ACRES LOTS AT \$1,000 Per Acre.

MOSS STREET. 6-ROOMED COTTAGE AND THREE LOTS. Half Cash and the Balance in One and Two Years at 6 Per Cent.

PERMBERTON & SON. 525 FORT STREET. CITY.

ARTHUR BELL. PHONE 189A. 114 ACRES—On Oak street, half cash, only.....\$1,600

NEW 8 ROOM HOUSE—With 4 lots, on car line, good location, immediate possession, good terms.

MODERN COTTAGE—Centrally located, gas, etc. Immediate possession, built recently, \$1,000 cash, \$2,500.

OAK BAY LOTS—1/2 acre, \$500, and up splendid terms.

SEAVIEW LOTS—At a snap.

FOR OTHER MONEY MAKING PROPOSITIONS THIS WEEK, call and see us. We have a list of lots in different localities that will pay you to look over.

LOTS—On Edmondson road, for only per lot.....\$1,600

LOTS—Adjoining Park. Is exceptionally good buying at.....\$100

GOOD CORNER—On Fort street, close in.....\$2,000

2 LOTS—On Edmondson road, near Jubilee Hospital, each.....\$250

2 LOTS—On Elliott street.....\$18,000

1 LARGE LOT—On Oak Bay Ave. near Clara.....\$1,000

2 LOTS—End Oak Bay car.....\$1,700

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1 ROOMS, 3 STORY—James Bay, Menzies.....\$3,300

6 ROOMS, 2 STORY—Elizabeth St., \$1,900

6 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Work Estate, \$2,500

6 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Good, Rock Bay, \$2,500

6 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Pembroke, \$2,500

6 ROOMS, COTTAGE—Bodwell, \$1,600

8 ROOMS, 3 STORY—Stanley Ave., \$3,500

7 ROOMS, 1 1/2 STORY—Chestnut Ave., \$3,000

7 ROOMS, 2 STORY—Johnston, \$3,500

4 ROOMS, COTTAGE—2 lots, corner, \$1,800

A large selection of LOTS and NEW HOUSES to choose from.

WANTED—Detectives; shrewd, reliable men for profitable secret service to act under orders; no experience necessary. Write H. C. Webster, Indianapolis, Ind.

ROOM AND BOARD REQUIRED for young business woman; situation central. Box 50, Times.

WANTED—Good second-hand tent. Apply Box 48, this office.

WANTED—To rent, for 6 months, furnished house, with furnace. Apply Box 43, Times.

WANTED—By single gentleman, room and board, with private family. Apply, stating terms, Box 51, Times Office.

WANTED—A 15 ft. Petencora canoe and a small wall tent. Apply P. O. Box 126, city.

WANTED—Buttermaker, for Salt Spring Island Creamery Association. Address Secretary, Ganges, B. C.

WANTED—To exchange, 100 acres choice farm land in best part of Alberta, one mile from town and school, as part payment on house and lot in Victoria. P. O. Box 238, city.

GASOLINE ENGINE (SECOND-HAND) WANTED—For boat, about 3 h. p. or less, must be in good working order and cheap for cash. Address Box 222 Times Office.

WANTED—Old cotton rags; must be clean. Times Office.

WANTED—To purchase, about 3 acres of land suitable for poultry, few miles from city; must be reasonable. Apply E. P. 146 Johnson street.

WANTED—Old coats and vests, pants, boots and shoes, trunks, valises, shot-gun, revolvers, overcoats, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 45 Johnson street, two doors below Government street.

WANTED—Scrap brass, copper, zinc, lead, cast iron, sockets and all kinds of bottles and rubbers, high and low. We pay highest prices. Phone 102 Store street. Phone 102.

MISCELLANEOUS Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

MAN AND WIFE, English, seek positions together as cook and handy man. Address Box 48, this office.

APPLICATIONS for teacher at Tolmie school will be received on or before Oct. 14th. Wm. W. Moore, secretary, Mount Tolmie.

\$1,000 READY TO LEND on mortgage. Apply Box 23, Times.

JAMES M'K. WILSON. Garbage removed and hauling done. Phone 662.

WANTED—Either lady or gentleman to represent us and handle our perfect fitting, tailor-made-to-order suits. Write immediately for territory in your own town. His salary to capable representatives. Write Dominion Garment Company, Limited, Box 205, Guelph, Ont.

THE JAPANESE GENERAL CONTRACT CO., LTD., 21 Store street, telephone No. 1562. Lists supplied of any number or description, on short notice.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL—Having purchased the blacksmith and carriage shop of W. A. Robertson & Son, 52 Discovery street, between Douglas and Government streets, I am now prepared to do all kinds of carriage, blacksmith, painting and horse shoeing, etc. I make a specialty of shoeing horses with correct quarter crooks, etc. Attention is called to my change of address, and all customers and new ones are cordially invited to give me a call. J. J. J. Fisher, 54 Discovery street.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL OR BUY anything, give us a call. C. B. Stephens, 13 Store street.

TEB LATEST sheet metal electric signs. J. Market, maker Victoria, B. C. Phone 5187.

SUSSEX (PRIVATE) HOTEL, 62 Sinclair road, Kensington, London, W., England. A road station, 5 minutes' walk, Shepherd's Bush tube station, 5 minutes. Terms. Box 26, Victoria, B. C.

TO LET. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

TO LET—Small furnished cottage. Apply E. P. 24, this office.

TO LET—Three unfurnished rooms, with sink and water, and electric light. Apply 21 Fort street.

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom, suitable for two young men, with board, close in, modern conveniences, and reasonable terms. Address Box 12, Times.

TO LET—Furnished, modern, up-to-date, furnished 5 roomed house, Work Estate, corner King's road and Second street. For other particulars see Grant & Lineham, real estate brokers, No. 2 View street.

LOST AND FOUND. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

LOST—Long service medal. Finder please return to this office.

LOST—On Esquimalt road, brass cap of young business man. Finder will oblige by returning to Douglas street, opposite City Hall.

LOST—A horse, on Michigan street. Found—A 24 Fourth street.

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ER MINES.

As of the Prospects Canal District. Member for local House, came inland this morning. Duncan to-day, recently returned where the Portland Development Commission is interested, are being back a most. He says he believes this district body of ore in the tests that a lively looked for in the. The whole miner-istric has been al-

Mr. Dickie is in about five miles the Portland canal. The ore are a of carrying gold, silver pany have eight or and a sample ship-ns of ore will be near future. one-quarter mile truction across the head of the canal, pvement, and this duct of mining atric. Mr. Dickie says, that gin on the Portland next spring. The was secured at the legislature, and the t tap the mineral River country.

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Victoria, B. C.

A Serious Question. A persistent bad cold will run into consumption unless it is relieved in time. So be it with the little daily warts of the people that they grow warts if not promptly filled. You can afford, for instance, to have that house tenant for a little while, but when it continues tenanted month after month it becomes a serious matter. The timely "want" ad ends the trouble.

HAGUE SHOULD CONSIDER PEACE NOTEWORTHY SPEECH BY GERMAN EOVVY

Animated Discussion Leads to Approval of Principle of Obligatory Arbitration.

The Hague, Oct. 5.—The sitting today of the committee on arbitration was the most important and animated since the beginning of the peace conference, and led to the approval of the principle of obligatory arbitration by 30 votes to 6.

Baron Marshall von Bieberstein delivered a noteworthy speech before the committee during which he announced himself to be in favor of obligatory arbitration, but opposed to a treaty including all the nations of the world.

Joseph H. Choate, of the American delegation, made a speech, Mr. Choate began by saying he did not know why the projects under discussion were generally called "obligatory arbitration."

The speaker voiced his profound respect for the countries represented at the conference by Baron Marshall von Bieberstein and his admiration personally for the first German delegate, but continued Mr. Choate, "there are in Baron Marshall von Bieberstein two delegates, speaking two different languages."

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BROTHERS EIGHT FOR MOROCCO

HAIFI CAPTURES WAR MUNITIONS

Conveys Imperial Commander in Chains to Headquarters—May Be Proclaimed Sultan.

Tangier, Oct. 5.—Advices received here from Mazagan give details of the recent imperial success of Mulai Hafid, brother of Abul Aziz, who, at the head of two armies, is contesting for the sultanate.

The Sultan, it appears, sent a number of machine guns, three thousand rifles and one million cartridges to Mazagan for the use of the imperial troops which were destined to operate against Hafid's forces.

Abel Aziz in the meantime is apparently hemmed in at Rabat. His preparations to entertain the French and Spanish are regarded as mainly intended to further his efforts to obtain a loan of two million dollars, which it is said instead of being used to pay the troops would be devoted to carrying on his campaign against Hafid.

WIFE AND THE WINGS OF LOVE

Messages Flashing Over the Atlantic to Recall Elopement— "All Forgiven."

New York, Oct. 5.—Every mite of the North Atlantic, as far as the wireless waves will reach, is being searched today for a trace of Samuel Clark, a young Englishman, and his bride, who was Miss Helen Maloney, the daughter of Martin Maloney, the millionaire oil man.

The father of the missing girl arrived today from St. Louis, and immediately sent an agent to Europe to find the missing couple and assure them that they had no ill-will towards either of them.

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\$1.00 VOL. 89 POLITICS CAUSE OF WAR OKUMA DISCUSSES EMIGRATION Says That Americans Must Understand the Japanese--Emperors Titles on Heroes of Tokio, Oct. 14.—Count In the first stage of the troubles in America had the government's pacific sentiment believes that the practicality of both sides is prompted by politics.