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### PRESIDENT MOYER GIVES EVIDENCE

### WITNESS FOR DEFENCE IN HAYWOOD CASE

### Denies Paying Money to Harry Orchard After the Vindicator Mine Explosion.

Boise, Ida., July 11.—Charles H. Moyer, the prisoner president of the Western Federation of Miners, will take the stand again to-day for cross-examination by the state in the Haywood trial. It is not likely that this feature of the case will occupy much time, as counsel for the prosecution states that their examination will be brief.

Moyer has told a straight story, and the impression he created was favorable in the extreme. The position of the prosecution, however, is that Moyer has made an impression sufficient to show that their claim of the intimacy between Orchard and Haywood is well founded.

It is probable that Fred Miller will go on the stand after Moyer, but the defence may again pass him until Haywood has been heard. Haywood's direct and cross-examination may take the remainder of the week, though it is now possible that the defence may close by Friday night.

Adams May Be Called. Boise, Idaho, July 11.—It was rumored to-day that the repudiated confession of Steve Adams will be brought in the course of the rebuttal. Counsel on both sides are non-committal, the defence declining to say positively that they will put him on the stand. Should they do so, counsel for the state will be able to introduce the confession.

Another rumor is that Adams has withdrawn his repudiation of a certain portion of the confession, and that he will permit a part of it to stand. The original of the alleged confession is in the hands of counsel for the state. It is said to contain much sensational matter, and should it be brought out it is believed the criminal record charged by Orchard will in certain respects be eclipsed by the story Adams is said to have told and then withdrawn as untrue.

Yesterday's Evidence. Boise, July 10.—Charles H. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners and fellow defendant of Wm. D. Haywood in the indictment charging them with complicity in the murder of Frank Steuenberg, was sworn to-day as a witness in behalf of his comrade. He was called by the defence at 10:15 and was escorted into court by a deputy sheriff.

During the review of the Coeur d'Alene strike in his testimony said he was in sympathy with the strikers in their struggle. He never had any personal hostility for Frank Steuenberg. In describing his duties, Moyer declared that he was called by the absent from Denver—plotting ground of the conspiracy alleged by the state—more than half the time. The witness entered upon a lengthy but swinging testimony to the Cripple Creek strike of 1903-04.

When the trial opened this morning, Senator Borah asked the cross-examination in the deposition of W. A. Abernathy, a contractor and former miner in the Coeur d'Alene, who declared he had been re-elected annually since that time. Moyer said he had been a miner ever since 1888. He joined the Western Federation of Miners in 1897, and was first elected president in June, 1902, having been re-elected annually since that time. Moyer said he had worked in a smelter for three and a half years of his life. He first met Wm. D. Haywood at the 1900 convention in Denver.

"Now, Mr. Moyer, during your term as president what has been the custom of the organization as to defending members who have been charged with crime growing out of their connection with the union where the federation has been involved?" asked Darrow.

### RUMORS ABOUT NAVAL STATION

### REPORT THAT FORCES ARE TO BE INCREASED

### Commander Allgood of H. M. S. Shearwater Has No Notice of Any Contemplated Change

(From Thursday's Daily.) For a few days past there have been rumors to the effect that the British government were about to take steps to re-establish the naval station at Esquimalt upon somewhat the same basis as it was formerly. It was even reported that the first draft of men for the station were now on their way from England and would reach Victoria in a few days.

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### VANCOUVER TO HAVE WIRELESS

### GOVERNMENT EXPERT SELECTED STATION

### Sixth Site Will Be Chosen at Cape Scott When Others Are Built.

(From Thursday's Daily.) The site of the second wireless station to be established by the Dominion government on the coast of British Columbia was selected yesterday and will be situated at Point Gray, near Vancouver. The wireless plant for the first station at Cape Lazo has arrived in the city and will be forwarded to-day and the construction work will commence immediately.

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### B. C. SALMON FOR BRITISH FLEET

### LARGE PURCHASES WILL LIKELY BE MADE

### The Admiralty Desires to Enter Into Negotiations With Agents of Cannery.

(From Thursday's Daily.) It is highly likely that in the near future British Columbia canned salmon will be used on board all the war vessels of His Majesty's fleet. J. H. Turner, agent general for British Columbia in London, has received a communication from the Admiralty, stating a desire to enter into negotiations with the British agents of British Columbia canners with the idea of purchasing canned salmon from the province to be used aboard His Majesty's ships.

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### BURGLARS STOLE THREE THOUSAND

### Enter Bank in Quebec Town, Blew Open Safe and Escaped With Booty.

### St. Croix, Que., July 11.—Burglars gained entrance to the Provincial Bank and succeeded in carrying off the sum of \$2,200.

Entrance was gained by way of the front door of the bank, which the burglars managed to break open and then proceeded to operate on the safe which was heavily bolted and subsequently secured the money. No one sleeps on the premises, but a noise, now supposed to have been made by the dynamite, was heard by the sleepers next door, but nothing was thought of it at the time, and it was not until 4 o'clock that the burglary was discovered. At that hour some people were passing the bank and noticed the door had been forced open. They gave the alarm and the local manager was informed of what had taken place.

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# JAPAN AND THE UNITED STATES

## RELATIONS DECLARED TO BE STRAINED

While Situation is Serious, Nothing Has Occurred to Preclude Pacific Settlement.

London, Eng., July 10.—The correspondence of the Daily Telegraph at The Hague sends a column dispatch which purports to reflect the views there on the Japanese-American situation, which he declares to be more absorbing than the domestic issue.

The correspondent says that as a result of his inquiries he learns that the situation is really strained, although both governments are trying to conceal the fact. He asserts that since June 20th the question has entered upon an acute phase.

In an editorial article the Telegraph says it does not identify itself with the statements of its correspondent at The Hague, believing them to be charged with undue despondency.

In conclusion, after a full discussion of the points of difference, the Telegraph declares it is not a color question, but fundamentally an economic question.

# PREMIER MCBRIDE ON WAY TO COAST

Wants to Be of All Service He Can to Conservative Party of Canada.

Toronto, July 9.—Premier McBride, of British Columbia, reached Toronto this morning en route to the West and after a short stay here, will leave for home.

Interviewed regarding the story that he was to oppose Hon. Mr. Templeman, Premier McBride said: "I have denied that, of course, with this modification, that I am not to be bound for the future."

# MYSTERIOUS ASSAULT

Man's Throat Cut While He Was Asleep.

Bellingham, July 9.—A mysterious stabbing attack occurred here last night when the news became known that Joe Carlson, a roamer at the Great Northern hotel, at Dock and Chestnut streets, was stabbed in his sleep yesterday morning.

# RIDING MASTER KILLED.

Thrown From Horse and Sustained Injuries Which Caused Almost Instant Death.

New York, July 10.—Vincent Dimarico, a riding master with the central park academy, who taught the equestrian art to many of the society women of the younger set in New York, was almost instantly killed on the bridge path in park last night.

# TRADE WITH AUSTRALIA.

Ottawa, July 10.—A report from Trade Agent Larke, Australia, says New Zealand's population is 908,726, an increase from 714,182 in 1906.

# SCHMITZ WAS REFUSED BAIL

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Other Cases Laid Over for a Week—Supervisors Select Acting Mayor.

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# GIRL'S CONFESSION

Admits Firing Shot But Did Not Intend to Kill Man—Is Charged With Manslaughter.

Worcester, Mass., July 10.—The state police, at the end of a 12 hours investigation into the death of Charles L. Burnup, an employee of the Edgemere hotel, Shrewsbury, who was shot and killed at an early hour on Tuesday morning near his place of employment, arrested Mary Brennan, of Worcester, aged 21, on a charge of manslaughter early this morning.

# RUSSIA'S NEW NAVY

Annual Expenditure of \$15,500,000 From 1909 to 1911 for Warships and Armaments.

# MAY PLEAD INSANITY.

Likely to Be Defence in Case of Teller Charged with Stealing \$96,000.

New York, July 10.—That a plea of insanity may be the defence of Chester B. Runyan, the paying teller of the Windsor Trust Company, charged with stealing \$96,000 of the trust company's funds, was indicated by his counsel when Runyan was arraigned. His counsel entered a plea of not guilty to the charge of grand larceny and asked for an adjournment until Monday.

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Leaving Hazelton at 9 a. m. sharp on the 6th inst., and with the waving of hands and handkerchiefs to the people ashore, the steamer went about with the swift current into an eddy where she made a turn, and in a few minutes we were in the forks of the Skeena and Bulkley rivers on a first class and powerful steamer, commanded by an excellent captain, cool and calculating. All were well. There was very little freight on board, and it was of considerable value. Time as usual went too quickly.

About 11 o'clock we stopped to take on fuel and this took considerable time. Lunch was served and the majority of us did justice to the same, and I fancy now I see Purser O'Keefe with my side smiling all over and Mate Lewis with his eyes closed, while a powerful blast of the whistle told us we were close to Meamskinit, known to most travelers as the "Holy City" and in charge Rev. R. Tomlinson, a worthy and, needless to say, general Irishman, who not only ministers to the souls spiritually but medicinally. Here we let off two prospectors who took on Miss A. L. Tomlinson, who is making her first trip outside in nineteen years.

The captain gave the order "Let Go" and once more we glided down the river, occasionally backing to make some big bend in the river or to avoid a rock. We had possibly forty miles to go before reaching the canyon, so many of the crew were taking in the scenery, grander to my mind, than anything I have ever seen.

About 2 p. m. we passed Lorne Creek pier grounds, and at 3 p. m. we were on a long blast of the whistle announced we were going through the canyon. O'Keefe remarking to me they had not touched a rock since leaving Hazelton. At 3 p. m. by my watch we entered the head and O'Keefe said "Hold on tight boys," for a gust of wind had caught her bow and no one on board could prevent the craft from pitching her bow up at least three feet. The gang plank was run out and a heavy cable fastened to a tree. The captain stood at her wheel, knowing the staunchness of his craft, and could hear him talking to his engineer, "Is she making water?" "No, sir," came the answer.

He then ordered the mate to make fast to the cleats fore and aft to prevent, if possible, her swinging across the current. Still no immediate danger was anticipated, but to us on shore it seemed impossible for her to stand the strain.

Other passengers got off, and I gave them a hand. The boat's crew were venturing back and got their belongings. My own were probably of more value than any, but life was too dear to take any such risks.

The water was now swashing her down. Still she stood the strain and came back and the captain was still at the wheel. Learning that water was coming to the bottom, he ordered all hands ashore. Hardly had he done so when she turned over almost instantly.

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As the once splendid steamer floated down, bottom up, her poor skipper dropped prostrate and wept like a child for his brave men, for, allow me to state, I never saw finer discipline or a finer lot of men.

Our eyes were now peering to see who were climbing through the wreckage on to the bottom, and I could see four men, and another trying, who proved to be Madigan, who had faithfully stuck to his engines to the very last.

It is miraculous how Good, the second engineer, got ashore on the other island from her engine room and also the skipper from her pilot house, but only shows the splendid stuff they were made of.

O'Keefe and Frayne could have been saved, as they were on shore at one time helping the passengers, but went back aboard to help with the lines and consequently never returned. Strange to relate, the men we expected to learn were drowned were saved, and others vice versa.

The survivors were picked up stranded on a sandbar by Indians and others at the lower end of the canyon, and the Indian deck hands, who were the grip for me and Jones, fireman, were in turn rescued. The grip not only contained valuable papers for me from J. L. Schofield & Co., but also a letter to the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

The next important step in the terrible calamity was to rescue the survivors who were lodged on the island. We had not been on the island for two hours when we espied a canoe creeping up which made a portage and went along by degrees to what is known as Canoe Pass. There we left the rest of the same, but espied another canoe much larger coming up. This also made the portage. This canal was now up and five passengers at a time allowed to get in. In the meantime the little canoe had made the passage through Canoe Pass and had crept up to the bank until able to cross the river above the canyon. Here they tied the canoe.

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Wreck of Mount Royal Due to Combination of Circumstances Entirely Unforeseen.

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Drowned—W. Lewis, first officer; James O'Keefe, purser; Archie Willis, steward; S. B. Frayne, fireman; Frank Aneata, deck boy; J. Morispama, carpenter.

(Signed) EDWARD POTTS. In dealing with the victims in yesterday's issue an omission was made in speaking of the fireman, Bert Frayne, who met his death in the waters of Kitsalas canyon. It might be mentioned that his parents live at Alert Bay and as far as can be gathered they have as yet heard of the fate which has overtaken their son. It is unlikely that they can receive the news until such time as either the Camoum or the Queen City, both of which vessels leave this port this evening, can reach Alert Bay. Alert Bay is not in communication with either Victoria or the Mainland other than by steamers.

Accompanying this is a sketch showing the Kitsalas canyon with the exact scene of the Mount Royal disaster.

ALLEGED TO BE COUNTERFEITER

MAN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY AT LINDSAY

Another Arrest at Montreal—Canoe Swamped and One of Occupants Drowned.

Lindsay, July 9.—Charles Burke, a resident of this town many years, was arrested yesterday by Detective Parkinson, of Ottawa, on a charge of being the head of a gang which for some time has been flooding the country with counterfeit \$5 bills of the Montreal, Dominion and Traders' Banks. The first hint came from Montreal where one of Burke's pals had been working. When arrested he gave the whole game away. Two Canadians named R. Winn and A. Boyeau were arrested at Sault Ste. Marie on a charge of attempting to pass counterfeit fives of the Traders' bank.

Canoe Fatality. Toronto, July 8.—S. M. Chapman, of Haslemere, was drowned by the swamping of his canoe while crossing Temagami with a party of boys yesterday.

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Off for Dublin. Calgary, July 8.—To the cheers of hundreds of well-wishers, the "Horse Band" left last night for the Dublin Express. It will play in many cities en route. Forty-five men are in the band.

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STEAM SHOVEL AT WORK ON TAR FLATS

Notes from Discovery—Closing Exercises at Schools—The Celebration of Dominion Day

Discovery, July 2.—The company operating the steam shovel on Tar Flats is making an excellent showing. A record surpassing any of last year was made on June 29th, and more yellow dirt was dumped into the sluice boxes than heretofore.

The public schools of both Atlin and Discovery held their closing examinations on Friday. At Discovery prizes were given by the trustees and residents interested in the education of the children. Mrs. (Dr.) Young's prize for proficiency was won by Master Robert Roxborough.

Yesterday afternoon all business was suspended and managers, employees and other residents of Discovery, as well as many visitors from Atlin, attended the first of July sports. About 2 o'clock a baseball game was played between Atlin and Discovery, the latter winning by a score of eleven points to eight. The races and tug-of-war were very exciting and the afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed by all. In the evening a grand ball was held at the Gold House. A large number attended and until 2 o'clock did the merry party break up.

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Dr. Boyd, a resident, was quickly on the spot and found a Japanese, Kondo, lying on the floor of the bunkhouse, being attended by one of the others. He seemed in a bad way, having received three wounds, one in the left side of the neck, one in the abdomen and the one in the leg.

His assailant, Y. Mikami, was immediately arrested by Mr. Loveridge, mine foreman. He refused to say anything about the shooting and little information could be gleaned from the others, except that Mikami fired three shots with a forty-four caliber revolver, but dog type with the muzzle of the gun almost touching his victim.

Kondo was unconscious when first tended by the doctor, but recovered somewhat later though not sufficiently to make any statement of the cause of the assault. He gradually relapsed into unconsciousness and died at 12:30 yesterday morning.

No motive has yet been discovered for the crime and it is made all the more unaccountable by the fact that as a rule the Japanese are friendly and have always in the past been most peaceable and contented among themselves.

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The large steel hull was receiving the last plates, and will be knocked down ready for shipment in the course of a week or two. The engines, boiler and machinery are all practically completed. The boiler was to have been eleven feet in diameter, but has been made about ten feet to permit of the carrying of passing through the tunnels on the C. P. R.

The machinery is exceptionally strong and of the latest design. The dipper is not of the largest size, having a capacity of five yards, but it is strong and quick in its operation.

Hon. Mr. Templeman was informed that the dredge, in a semi-ready condition, would be shipped during the present month and that during the month of August the work of putting it together would be in progress at New Westminster, where the King Edward was "erected" in the same way. The freight bill will be about \$10,000.

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AUTO ACCIDENT

Aeronaut and Two Women Companions Injured in Collisions. New York, July 8.—Dr. Julian Thomas, the aeronaut, lies in a serious condition at Fordham hospital to-day, suffering from a compound fracture of the leg and internal injuries received in an automobile accident last night when the machine, carrying the aeronaut and two women companions, crashed into a trolley pole in the Bronx.

Physicians said to-day that Dr. Thomas might have to suffer the amputation of his leg. Miss Florence Haas, an actress, who, with Miss Grace Rogers, was with Dr. Thomas when the accident occurred, was so seriously injured that physicians amputated her left leg to-day. Miss Rogers was injured internally, but probably will recover.

Dr. Thomas and his friends were traveling at a high rate of speed down Jerome avenue last night. Near the entrance of Woodlawn Cemetery the road makes a sharp turn which the aeronaut evidently did not see in the darkness. His machine crashed into a heavy trolley pole and Dr. Thomas and his two companions were flung out of the machine as if from a catapult.

UMBRELLAS CONFISCATED

Port Townsend, Wn., July 8.—Ah Moon, a Chinese passenger on the steamship Tremont, who attempted to smuggle a bundle of Chinese umbrellas into the United States, was detained by the customs officers who confiscated the property. Ah Moon has been released pending an order from the department at Washington.

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One of the aldermen remarked that if this was the case the majority of the illicit saloons in the city would be lost at half yearly meeting of the license commissioners next week. The Mayor pointed out that it was possible for the board to grant a temporary license and adjourn its meeting for thirty days. If it wished to do this, it was allowed for the alterations to be made.

The resolution to inspect the saloons was then put to the vote and passed unanimously.

DEATHS FROM THE HEAT

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"Because I like the council to be cognizant and in favor of all that I do," was the Mayor's rejoinder. Later in the discussion the Mayor said that out of seventy licensed premises in the city, only one had up to the middle of last week, complied with the provisions of the by-law. It was quite necessary that the second round of inspection be made.

One of the aldermen remarked that if this was the case the majority of the illicit saloons in the city would be lost at half yearly meeting of the license commissioners next week. The Mayor pointed out that it was possible for the board to grant a temporary license and adjourn its meeting for thirty days. If it wished to do this, it was allowed for the alterations to be made.

The resolution to inspect the saloons was then put to the vote and passed unanimously.

DEATHS FROM THE HEAT

Five Persons Died in Chicago on Monday. Chicago, Ill., July 9.—Five people died in Chicago yesterday from the heat. Ten more were stricken and three of these may die.

FOR ONE DOLLAR ONLY

This is what Mr. Munroe of Six-Mile Brook, N. S., got when he discovered "Catarhobone" cured asthma. It gave him health, cured him perfectly, and now he rejoices in the fact that others too can be cured in the same way.

JAPANESE ARE NOT ALARMED

BY TRANSFER OF UNITED STATES SHIPS

Tokio Paper Says it is Result of Growing Strategic Importance of Pacific.

Tokio, July 9.—The Anaki publishes an interview with a Japanese naval expert who says: "It would be improper to infer a demonstration in the transfer of the American fleet to the Pacific. This movement is part of a pre-arranged growth of the American navy and the increasing importance of the Pacific from a strategic point of view. No significant move is attached until at least thirty ships have been transferred to the Pacific."

The Anaki also published an article setting forth the same views. It regrets the American fleet cannot visit Japan to reassert her sincerity and to reciprocate the naval hospitality extended to the visiting Japanese warships at Jiamstown. The paper also urges the abrogation of article 2 of the existing commercial treaty in order to put an end to the cause of the anti-Japanese feeling at San Francisco.

Almost all the papers treat the matter with calmness, finding it natural for the United States to redistribute its naval forces as a result of its imperial policy. They generally express regret that it will be impossible for Japan to extend hospitality to American officers in return to that shown the Japanese officers at Jiamstown.

London, July 9.—The Daily Mail, in an article on the Japanese-American situation, says: "Around the immense arena of the Pacific Ocean the embattled nations of the world are gathering as the nations gathered around the Mediterranean two thousand years ago. A careful observation will cause the universal agreement that the great events of the 20th century probably will be around the rim of this vast saucer. War between Japan and America is almost unthinkable. We believe the intentions of the States, of both countries, are profoundly pacific, and that the incident at San Francisco are not responsible for the movement of the American fleet."

"Japan commenced the war with Russia without previous declaration by destroying half of the Russian fleet. Such a move was very effective the first time it was performed, and henceforth no nation will wait for the formal observation of relations between nations to strike while there are yet no signs of a diplomatic rupture. The cautious and wise statesmen directing the American policy are not violating prudence in deciding to concentrate their forces around the region where they can detect the menace on the obscure horizon."

To Strengthen Positions. New York, July 9.—According to a Washington dispatch to the World Secretary of the Navy Metcalf will sail for the Hawaiian on July 27th to inspect the naval base and fortifications there with a view to making plans to congress for strengthening the position.

Secretary of Commerce Strauss will sail on the same steamer to look into the immigration system of the island and inquire into the reports that Japanese are flocking to the

"BOOSTING" A PREMIER.

There is an old and somewhat worn legend about the state of mind to which the gods reduce those whom they would destroy. A determined movement is on foot to get rid of Premier McBride as a provincial politician. There is nothing to indicate that Mr. R. L. Borden, the leader of the federal Conservative party, has intimated to Mr. McBride that his services as a lieutenant would be welcomed; but the premier's corps of flatterers in this province will tell him that Mr. Borden is jealous because his (Mr. McBride's) name has been mentioned as Dominion leader in the event of another failure at a general election.

There is no question whatever about the fact that the Conservative party in the country at large is disorganized, rent by internecine strife and heart-burnings. It has practically no standing as a party in Nova Scotia, Quebec, Saskatchewan, Alberta or British Columbia. In Ontario the fact is conceded that as a result of the conduct of the Tory Whitney government, which has redeemed none of its election pledges and thereby given offence to the great body of independent voters, the Laurier government will again be taken to the constituencies.

This situation, coupled with the remarkable prosperity Canada has enjoyed for the past ten years, is generally admitted to be predatory to the Laurier government when in course of time an appeal to the constituencies at large is taken.

Mr. McBride's corps of adulators is now industriously pouring into his open ear the flattering unctuous words which he uses as his pet words, "boosted" himself into a position of imperial prominence and can no longer be regarded as a mere provincial politician, he may if he will become the great savior of the great Conservative party. "It is up to him to redeem British Columbia and to inspire the party in all other sections of Canada with confidence and hope."

This movement is being engineered in this province, and there is no question that there is a definite purpose behind it. Mr. Bower is ambitious. He also aims at becoming a great and inspiring figure in public life. As the eloquent gentleman from Vancouver has explained the situation, he has been asked to take a portfolio in the cabinet of Premier McBride; but in justice to himself and his position he could not think of living in Victoria unless the conditions were made worth while. Possibly the conditions would be satisfactory if he were given the position of Premier.

Now Premier McBride, with all his vanity—which has not been lessened by the well-organized "boosting" programme which will be completed by his grand reception in Victoria—is a fairly astute gentleman. He will doubtless cut a not inconsiderable figure in British Columbia until he is found out. He has, we may be sure, told himself, that in this province he is the king pin of the political situation. Also, we may be no less sure, he has asked himself whether he would be any kind of a pin at all if he were elected to sit upon the opposition benches at Ottawa.

The Colonist, one of the chief in his retinue of flatterers, intimates that he would do so and so, and more also, to Mr. Templeman if selected to oppose the minister in Victoria. But, we do not suppose Mr. McBride's head has been swollen to such proportions that he is incapable of dissecting the situation in this constituency. Putting aside for the moment the issues of fundamental importance in a federal election, such as the success with which the Dominion government has administered the affairs of Canada, resulting in a period of the greatest prosperity that has attended the country at large and the generous share Victoria has had in that prosperity, would it be judicious for Mr. McBride by entering the federal field to invite a comparison between the treatment this city has received from the federal government as a result of the efforts of its representative and that which has been accomplished on our behalf by the administration of which Premier McBride has for four years been the head?

We hope we shall not be understood as attempting to dissuade the Premier or his advisers from pursuing whatever course they may deem advisable in their own interests or in the interests of the party with which they are allied. We are quite sure that whoever the nominee of the Liberal party may be in the next Dominion contest, he could wish for no more vulnerable opponent than Premier McBride.

CONSERVATIVE "UNITY."

The McBride organ speaks of "waning Liberalism," while the premier himself, out of the fulness of his knowledge of the political situation in the West, meaning the prairies, predicts a great victory at the next federal elections for the party led by Mr. Borden. Read the words of the secretary of the Saskatchewan Conservative Association: "Party loyalty can make no claim on a man to follow a leader with only a negative issue, and in the interests of the party and the country a Dominion convention should have been held to construct a policy. Ignoring this, however, and worshipping at the Quebec shrine, how can Saskatchewan Conservatives be expected to line up at the crack of the party whip? It looks as if they won't do it."

The Conservative Standard quotes

Mr. Laird, ex-mayor of Regina, and Conservative candidate at the last provincial election, and others on the same subject. It says: "The first declaration along the lines of a desire for a more far-reaching platform came on the occasion of a gathering of Orangemen at Vancouver last week, where a bitter attack was made upon Mr. Borden for his alleged catering to Quebec, and the second came this week when the local Conservative organ, the West, editorially stated that the attitude of a certain faction of the party in Eastern Canada in making nominations before a reorganization and regeneration took place might 'result in the Conservatives in this province being forced to take an independent stand in the forth-coming elections.'"

WORK OF AN "INFORMATION BUREAU."

We gather from the tenor of certain dispatches periodically appearing in the Tory press of Eastern and Western Canada, that the McBride advertising agency, established in London previous to the late provincial election, and doubtless maintained out of the provincial revenue, is still in active operation. Mr. R. E. Gosnell, late editor of the Colonist, is understood to be at the head of this enterprising bureau of "mis-information." During the sojourn of the premier in London in connection with the mission we are now told had for its object the elimination of the words "final and unalterable" from the resolutions passed by the inter-provincial conference, this veracious agency sent broadcast throughout Canada the "news" that Sir Wilfrid Laurier appeared before the Colonial Secretary and opposed the case presented by the Premier of British Columbia, although Premier McBride himself has been forced to admit that in the conference which met at Ottawa and passed the resolutions upon which the necessary Imperial legislation is founded, Sir Wilfrid upheld the contents of the representative of British Columbia. The latest dispatch from the aforesaid bureau says that the Premier of Canada was absent on the continent at the time Premier McBride was conducting the negotiations which have borne such good fruit. This admission of falsification of facts is not made in consequence of a repentant or remorseful spirit, but as a preliminary to the publication of a statement equally untrue and malicious. It is admitted that Sir Wilfrid did not appear before the Colonial Secretary for the purpose of opposing the request of Premier McBride, but that he has just learned of the success which attended the mission of that great man, that he is very wroth, and has asked that the words "final and unalterable" be restored to the Imperial bill, which is now before the House of Lords. A very credible story, truly. It implies that the Premier of Canada has been living in seclusion during all the time he has been on the other side of the Atlantic, taking no interest whatever in the fate of a measure of great importance to the federal government, and of every provincial administration in Canada. But this unique bureau was established, at the public expense, for the express purpose of advertising our wonderful premier. It must do something to justify its existence. Doubtless we shall hear from it regularly.

NOT ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT THE ALL-RED LINE.

Lord Strathcona is not so sanguine of the success of the all-red-line steamship and railway scheme as he ought to be, considering the importance of the matter to the people of Great Britain. The Canadian High Commissioner has no doubts about the active co-operation of Canada and Australia and New Zealand in the great enterprise. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the originator of the scheme, has already given his assurance that there is no doubt whatever as to the attitude of the Canadian government. The governments of Australia and New Zealand are equally enthusiastic. Some of the leading men in the British government have also committed themselves to the work—among them Messrs. Burrell and Lloyd George, uncommitted wine-merchants, whose attitude in the first instance was regarded as extremely doubtful. They attended the sessions of the late Imperial Conference, and doubtless a measure of the Imperial enthusiasm there manifested was inculcated into their mental make-up. But this enthusiasm has not yet been communicated to their supporters in the House of Commons. Many of the leading free traders and radicals in that chamber profess to be unable to see the force of the arguments in favor of the establishment of lines of communication which would be so heavily endowed with taxes taken from the pockets of the working classes; while, on the other hand, the protectionists who profess to be free traders while supporting every measure that is protective in its principles, ask to be informed why the government should grant heavy subsidies to a line of steamships which would bring the agricultural and other products of Canada and Australia into more effective competition with the products of the farmers of Great Britain and Ireland. Lord Strathcona asks why if the policy of encouraging faster means of communication with foreign nations, such as the United States, is good from a business point of view, it becomes bad from any point of view when applied to steamship lines running to British countries. The great

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new Cunarders which will soon be placed in commission will be heavily sent by the British government. In fact, the government guarantees the enormous interest charges upon the cost of their construction. The point appears to us to be well taken. Whether it will appeal with force to the people to whom it is addressed, is another question. It is certain the all-red line proposition is not being received in Great Britain with any marked degree of favor. If it is adopted, it will only be after the most strenuous efforts on the part of the governments interested in the Britains beyond the seas and on the part of Lord Strathcona, who, fortunately, is one of the most influential men prominently before the British public to-day.

A professor of aeronautics sees no reason why human beings should not fly with the facility characteristic of birds. There is no reason that we know of except that humanity has not been fitted by nature for the business. The birds have been at it a long time, and nature, with her usual generosity, has provided them with all the requirements for flying. Their bones are specially constructed, and in substitution for human hair and nails, they have been given feathers. Humans and birds may have had a common starting point, but we have developed along one line, they along another and different one. We can only become as the birds are by reverting to original conditions and taking advantage of the laws of nature. That is something we cannot do, and we are content to be what we are. We possess many advantages as we are which we would not willingly surrender for the somewhat doubtful advantage of flight. A considerable number of our natural disadvantages we have already overcome, and we are gradually relying upon others. We can now travel in railway trains and auto cars as fast as the swiftest of winged creatures. We can go up in balloons if we desire a bird's eye view of physical nature and are willing to run a certain amount of risk for the sake of the accompanying thrills. A man of great scientific renown says we shall within a few years be able to fly through space in addition to rising up in it. Consequently we cannot see that it would be worth while to attempt to revert to the condition of birds for the sake of securing a few winged advantages. Why try to fly we not not in the face of nature, which has decreed that we shall have dominion over all things on the earth or in the air just as we are on the point of vindicating the judgment of the director of our destinies?

The Haywood trial has been in progress for a goodly number of weeks, and the end of it is not yet in sight. The procedure in United States courts is beginning to assume all the characteristics of a Chinese play, which runs in some cases until the principal actors die of old age. If the ratio of development continues a line of professional jurors must be one of the results. One of these days a case will arise in which the jurors will be so long engaged that they will lose their connection with the trial of human affairs, such as business and politics. The only method we can see of meeting such a contingency is to furnish jurors with permanent employment.

The spirit of unity which prevails among the members of the Federal Conservative party is well illustrated by this paragraph from the Toronto World: "The Conservatives are holding conferences and are re-nominating their present members of Parliament with great rapidity. These conventions must be summoned by messengers with rubber shoes and dark lanterns. There is no effort at least to procure publicity." How these Tories do love one another.

Some years ago when Hon. J. H. Turner, then Premier of British Columbia, a member of the Legislature immortalized his name in history by declaring "that he would stay with Mr. Turner till the cows came home." Premier McBride has varied the figure of speech and has quite eclipsed the record by saying "I will quit that kind of thing from breakfast to bedtime." Thus reads the press dispatch in this morning's Colonist of his interview in Toronto.

THE COBALT STRIKE.

No Sign of Settlement and a Large Number of Miners Have Left the Camp.

Ottawa, July 11.—The strike is still on at Cobalt mines, although the operators say they will be able to get all the hands they want. They refuse to recognize the Western Federation, and this afternoon the parties coming together. A large number of miners have left the camp to go to work elsewhere.

Man Killed—Six Persons, Including a Woman, Are in Custody.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., July 11.—As the result of a bar room brawl Edna Little, more familiarly known as "Big Ed," is dead, and Harry Daly, Patrick Mosler, George Hillman, Thomas Donoh and three negroes, one a waiter and the others women, are under arrest. Daly is directly charged with the murder of Little, and the others are held as accessories or witnesses.

RALPH'S PLAN GIVES TROUBLE

DIFFICULTY ARISES IN VICTORIA WEST

Property Owners Complain That They Are Not Being Fairly Treated By City.

Victoria West seems doomed to have a street trouble. For years the Creg-flower road was a disturbing question, and at times civil war was almost threatened. That difficulty has been passed and now a new one arises. The latest disturbance comes from the adoption of Ralph's plan as the official one of that district, and the appointment of an arbitrator to settle the disputes arising out of it.

The trouble in connection with this is only beginning, the persons affected only now raising what is meant by the action decided upon by the council. E. M. Johnson, acting for some of the owners in the affected district, is very much exercised over what he contends is a gross violation of the rights of equity which the council are apparently practising in this instance. There is apparently an attempt being made to connect the violation of the rights of equity which the council are apparently practising in this instance. There is apparently an attempt being made to connect the violation of the rights of equity which the council are apparently practising in this instance.

According to Mr. Johnson there is room for serious doubt as to whether the Ralph plans are really being used, and doubt exists as to whether the city really proposed the plans. The marks which they make use of as belonging to the Ralph survey may belong to some other survey, or may have been moved. No attempt has been made to connect the violation of the rights of equity which the council are apparently practising in this instance.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

District Deputy Grand Master Performing Ceremony for Local Lodges L. O. O. F.

Joseph York, D. D. G. M., assisted by a select staff of grand lodge officers, duly installed the officers of the Victoria, Columbia and Dominion lodges L. O. O. F. The following officers were installed: Nelson, N. G.; J. H. McConnell, V. G.; F. Davey, secretary; T. M. Brayshaw, treasurer; W. Paddison, warden; W. J. Gower, conductor; W. H. Huxtable, O. G.; A. F. Adams, I. G.; J. C. Kelly, R. S. N. G.; W. McKay, N. S. N. G.; J. H. McCabe, R. S. V. G.; F. Devoe, R. S. S. T. S. Hubbard, L. S. S.

Victoria lodge—F. Nelson, N. G.; J. H. McConnell, V. G.; R. W. Fawcett, recording secretary; W. Jackson, financial secretary; H. A. Porter, treasurer; H. Gray, warden; D. Dewar, conductor; H. Waller, R. S. N. G.; Jas. Wilby, L. S. N. G.; W. Huxtable, O. G.; W. Somerville, I. G.; E. Dempster, R. S. V. G.; R. S. Miller, chaplain.

Dominion lodge—James Richmond, N. G.; G. E. Powell, V. G.; T. Bamford, secretary; P. A. Babinston, treasurer; R. Gannon, warden; J. Askland, conductor; W. H. Craik, V. G.; R. A. Anderson, R. S. N. G.; A. A. Milligan, L. S. N. G.; T. W. J. Eick, R. S. P. A. Dalabough, L. S. S.; R. S. Miller, chaplain.

An installation of officers will take place at the Victoria Encampment No. 1 next Tuesday evening.

DYING FROM INJURIES.

Vancouver, July 11.—John Williams, a brewer, who was thrown from a buggy some time ago and seriously injured, is dying. His case is a most complicated one, although apparently there is no concussion of the brain, the accident left Williams in an almost unconscious condition, and he died a few days ago.

BRAWL IN BAR ROOM.

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THE LIBEL CASE IN SUPREME COURT

Further Evidence Given To-day in the Action Brought by Major MacFarlane.

The libel action brought by Major MacFarlane against F. W. Garnett is still proceeding in the Supreme court before Chief Justice Hunter. The plaintiff alleges that he was libelled by the defendant in some letters written by the latter to the press following a charge of shooting bulls near Duncan's without excuse.

Yesterday afternoon the prosecution closed its case and Mr. Bodwell, for the defence, made his opening address to the jury. The defence, he said, would show that the letters written by Mr. Garnett were not directed at the plaintiff in particular, but that they referred only in a general way to the matter of the shooting of bulls, a matter that was of interest to the whole community. Major MacFarlane had said, Mr. Bodwell, taken the onus of the shooting upon himself by applying the remarks of the defendant in his communications to the papers to himself. The defence would show that two bulls were shot and that the animals were not vicious.

Mr. Mills objected to this, arguing that the defence was practically undertaking to retry the plaintiff on a charge of shooting bulls. The objection was overruled.

Arthur William Clayton was called. He said that he took several photographs at the request of the defendant. The photographs were produced. They were posed by Mr. Garnett and Willie Hawkins to show the position occupied by Hawkins and the major at the time one of the bulls was shot.

Mr. Mills objected to the production of the photographs, but after hearing his argument the Chief Justice overruled it.

In cross-examining the witness Mr. Mills met with a decided hostility. "When did you take the photographs?" he asked. "Some time last winter," "When?" asked Mr. Mills. "I don't remember," said the witness, and he would vouchsafe no other reply, although counsel endeavored to draw one from him. Witness was asked if he had seen the letter in the press which had caused the action by the major. He refused to tell, and when he left the box Mr. Mills had learned nothing from him.

Willie Hawkins was put into the box and he gave evidence to the effect that he posed the photographs which had been used as exhibits in order to show the respective positions of the major and himself on the 11th of July last year, when the former shot at a bull.

There were several warm discussions between counsel, and the argument took an amusing turn. Mr. Mills objected to nearly the whole of the evidence offered by the defence on the grounds that it was practically retrying the former action, but was overruled.

Frank Walter Garnett, the defendant, was called and the last letter to the newspapers which was written by him was read over. He affirmed it, saying that it was practically a resume of the history of the trouble at Duncan's, which dated back to 1905, when two of his cows were shot with buckshot. This was the beginning of the bull shooting in the district.

The examination of the defendant, Mr. W. W. Garnett, was continued by Mr. Bodwell this morning. Several additional photographs, which taken at the instigation of the defendant to show the location of the alleged shooting, were produced and identified by him.

Cross-examined by Mr. Mills witness said that he asked for an extension of time in which to file his statement of claim to allow of enquiries being made in Ireland and the Northwest regarding the plaintiff's character. He also made enquiries from the military authorities with the intention of discovering whether the plaintiff had ever been in the army. Witness, however, refused to say anything concerning the results of his investigations. Witness said that he had never suggested that the plaintiff shot any of his bulls, although he had stated in a letter to the Victoria Times that a bull had been wounded on Major MacFarlane's grounds. Pressed on this point, he said he did not think that, at the time of writing the letter, he meant any harm, but that he really only intended to press the witness as to his intention when he pointed out that "animals had been shot on Major MacFarlane's grounds, and Mr. Bodwell, who petitioned for a divorce from his wife, Sarah Ellen Portery. The case was tried at the civil sitting of the Supreme court which opened to-day. W. Moresby appeared for the petitioner. No defence was offered.

No other cases were taken this morning, the counsel being excused until this afternoon. In the meantime the swearing in of the jury to try the case of MacFarlane vs. Garnett was accomplished. This case is one in which a divorce from his wife, Sarah Ellen Helmsken, K. C. and F. Peters, K. C., are appearing for the prosecution and S. Perry Mills and E. V. Bodwell, K. C., for the defence.

MARRIED AT NOON.

This morning at Christ Church cathedral the wedding took place of Mr. Richard Halsey Ley, son of the late Col. Ley, of Trebarwith, Reading, to Miss Jessie Marcia Blakemore, daughter of Mr. William Blakemore, of this city. In consequence of the recent death of the bridegroom's father, the wedding was a very quiet one, only relatives and a few intimate friends of the family being present.

The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Canon Beadlands. Miss Gladys Blakemore was the bridesmaid and Mr. A. Wilby acted as best man. After the wedding the party drove to "The Bungalow," Cook street, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Langton, where the wedding breakfast was served, and the happy party left by the one o'clock boat on route for the Kootenays, where the honeymoon will be spent.

Those present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Blakemore, of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood, Miss Clara Blakemore, Miss Barbara Blakemore, Mr. A. R. Wilby, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Langton.

The case may be concluded this afternoon. The plaintiff is represented

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HONGKONG'S NEW GOVERNOR HERE

Sir Frederick and Lady Lugard en route for Orient—Drives Through City.

On board the Empress of Japan, which passed out from this port this morning, was an interesting personality in the person of Sir Frederick J. D. Lugard, who is on his way to China, where he will take up the position of governor of Hongkong. He was accompanied by his wife, who is quite as interesting as her husband.

Before her marriage she was the famous Miss Flora Shaw, of the colonial staff of the London Times.

In 1898 Miss Shaw spent some time in this city pursuing her duties as a correspondent, and during that time she visited the Yukon.

Wm. Thompson, local manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, on invitation, met him on his arrival at Victoria. Mr. Thompson, accompanied by James McDougall, ex-chief factor of the Hudson's Bay Company, and Harry Simpson, who has been in the employ of the company for the past 45 years, met the governor of Hongkong at the wharf. Sir Frederick received the party and thanked them as representing the Hudson's Bay Company for the courtesies extended to his wife in years gone by. Both Sir Frederick and Lady Lugard expressed their great satisfaction at meeting officers of the Hudson's Bay Company.

Subsequently Sir Frederick and Lady Lugard were taken for a drive through the city by A. W. McCurdy, representing the Canadian Club in this city. It was the intention of the Canadian Club to hold a luncheon at which the distinguished visitor should have been the guest. This idea had to be abandoned owing to the brief stay of the C. P. R. liner at this port.

The preliminary hearing will be held on Wednesday of next week at the residence of Northern Nigeria. He is not yet 50 years of age, and has had a distinguished career in Afghanistan, the Sudan, Uganda, Nyassa and West Africa. His last post was marked as one of the most successful colonial administrations in Nigeria, where he consolidated British power among the native kingdoms in the hinterland.

LULU ISLAND CAR FATALITY.

Instructions Issued to Lay Information Against Motorman and Conductor.

C. M. Woodworth, of Vancouver, representing the provincial government, on Saturday received instructions from the attorney-general to lay information and issue a summons for the preliminary trial on Wednesday of Conductor Edward Manning and Motorman E. N. Stevens, of the ill-fated Lulu Island train, on a charge of manslaughter.

The preliminary hearing will be opened before Magistrate Alexander at the court house.

GOING TO ATLIN.

Mr. Hedley Will Leave for the North Shorely.

Mr. Hedley who, acting under the minister of mines at Ottawa, Hon. W. Templeman, is making an inspection of and report on the mines of the province, is in the city. He will leave shortly for Atlin and carry out his work in that camp. Returning he will visit the Portland Canal before proceeding to the interior of the province. Mr. Hedley is using all dispatch to complete his survey and get his report in this season.

He has already covered considerable of the coast.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYDNEY

Victoria Meteorological Office. During the early part of the week the welcome rain fell throughout the peninsula and the adjoining states of Oregon and Washington, and received from all quarters indications of a considerable decrease in the various districts. Much benefited and that in a much better harvest condition expected than was anticipated. The weather during the week was generally cool, with a few showers, and a high barometer area quickly over the southern part of the coast. The weather during the week was generally cool, with a few showers, and a high barometer area quickly over the southern part of the coast. The weather during the week was generally cool, with a few showers, and a high barometer area quickly over the southern part of the coast.

LOCAL NEWS

We pay men of 22 years a good wage and at the same time they are allowed to work at the Stove Works, Pembroke St.

Harty, a Saanich Indian, morning fined \$20, or in default of payment, 10 days imprisonment, for possession of intoxicating liquor on Tuesday, contrary to provisions of the Indian Act.

The members of Baxter's T. M. who assembled at the Mrs. Kirk, Esquimalt, Wednesday, had a most enjoyable evening which was passed in games. The evening concluded leaving for the North and the war for the purpose of visiting.

The bank clearings after a record at the end of June for responding months of June are \$5th bare witness to a continuing increase in the commercial in this city. The bank clear the week ending July 6th are which is an increase of \$276,150 bank clearings a month ago on June 18th.

On Sunday the death of Mr. Bridges, Ont. of Mrs. W. W. Rev. L. W. 3rd, occurred. The deceased was well known for some time. She was a Major A. W. Currie, of this city, who has been in the army for some time. Her many friends will learn with regret of her death.

The annual celebration of the Orange Association on Tuesday year at Sidney on June 11th, Duncan will act as master of ceremonies. A musical program arranged and some excellent will be given by the Rev. T. Stone, S. B. Netherby, and S. J. Thompson. The train will leave at 8:15 a. m. and return at 6 p. m. will be provided by the Methodist church at Sidney.

The civic court of review included its labors on Tuesday the city's appeal against the Company's overhead gear was the subject of a decision rendered to the assessor's estimate of the of the track and raised the amount from 80 cents to 80 cents per original value. The estimate increased to \$84,000, the total in assessment being \$18,000. Goward and A. E. McPhillips are the assessors for the city, and Hector Mann for the city's assessor.

The Agricultural Association, drawing to completion, the arrangements for the big fair of the year. The last copies of the are now in the hands of the and will be ready for distribution shortly. Work has already been the new race and exhibition of the fair grounds and these, in addition to the grand stand, rushed to completion with all haste. Secretary Smart is in receipt of communications from other British Columbia and the Northwest inquiring about the present conditions and the most successful year with a breaking attendance.

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—SOLD BY— DRUGGISTS, GROCERS AND GENERAL STORES, 10c. per packet, or 3 packets for 25c. will last a whole season.

WEEKLY WEATHER SYNOPSIS.

Victoria Meteorological Office, July 3rd to 9th, 1907. During the early part of the week most welcome rain fell throughout British Columbia and the adjoining states of Washington and Oregon...

likely protest against this action on the part of the union as his men were receiving \$1.50 an hour for one hour daily, whereas the union rate only calls for \$7.50 for six hours playing. In regard to the Victoria Day engagement Mr. Rumsby says that he had the sanction of the remainder of the band to accept the concert. The trouble is said to have been caused by a discontented player, who is discharged from the organization.

At a recent scale competition held among Mrs. Hamilton's musical pupils at her residence on Craigflower road, the following were adjudged the winners: First, Miss Lillian McKenzie, 97 marks; Miss L. McCarter, 97 marks; First in theory, Miss Hazel Tait, 93 marks; second, Miss K. Pomeroy, 80 marks. First, junior class, Stuart Lowry, 90 marks.

FRUITS SUFFER FROM DROUGHT RASPBERRY SEASON WILL SOON BE OVER

New potatoes are coming in and the prices are dropping. Asparagus have been in the market through the winter. The raspberries are coming in and the prices are dropping. Asparagus have been in the market through the winter.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Apples (Cal), Oranges, Lemons, Raisins, etc.

NOTICE RE JOHNSTON FISHERIES COMPANY LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive by the undersigned to noon on the 15th day of July, 1907, for the purchase of the assets of the late John Johnston Fisheries Company Limited...

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special license to clear the timber from the following described lands...

LOCAL NEWS

At Victoria there were registered 78 hours and 30 minutes of bright sunshine; highest temperature, 74 on 7th; lowest, 47 on 8th; rain, 0.38 inch.

WE PAY MEN OF 22 YEARS AND UNDER GOOD WAGES AND AT THE SAME TIME TEACH THEM A GOOD TRADE—ALBION STOVE WORKS, PEMBROKE ST.

Mr. George R. Sheppard and Miss Sarah Beatrice Somers were yesterday united in marriage by Rev. Dr. Campbell at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. A. McKinnon, at 164 Regent street.

THE BULKY AND BELLA COOLA VALLEYS ARE ATTRACTING LARGE NUMBERS OF PROSPECTORS AND AGRICULTURALISTS.

The Department of public works at Ottawa is inviting tenders for the construction of an electric elevator at the Calgary, Alta., public building. Further details will be found in the advertisement columns.

THE FISHERY COMMISSION APPOINTED BY THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT TO INQUIRE INTO THE CONDITIONS AFFECTING THE FISHERIES THROUGHOUT BRITISH COLUMBIA MET WEDNESDAY AT THE BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS.

The death occurred Monday at the Royal Jubilee hospital, of Charles Morrow, an old timer in this city. He was 70 years of age and a native of Three Rivers, Quebec.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE W. C. T. U. HOME HELD TUESDAY.

The annual clearing after showing a record at the end of June for the corresponding months of June since 1902. The bank clearings for the week ending July 9th are \$1,366,667, which is an increase of \$70,155 over the bank clearings a month ago, namely, on June 18th.

AT WOOD BROTHERS GARAGE MAY BE SEEN THE VERY LATEST TYPES OF THE WINTON AUTOMOBILES AS THEY HAVE NOW ON HAND SOME VERY FINE SPECIMENS OF THE 1907 MODEL CAR.

The provincial deputy minister of agriculture has received a quantity of wheat which is known as Remie seed and will be pleased to supply it to those who desire to use it. Remie is a plant which is characterized by silky fibres and when used as a decorative growth is most beautiful in appearance. Samples may be obtained from J. A. Anderson, provincial deputy minister of agriculture, government buildings.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AT OTTAWA IS INVITING TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF AN ELECTRIC ELEVATOR AT THE CALGARY, ALTA., PUBLIC BUILDING.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. Home held Tuesday: President, Mrs. Spencer; vice-president, Mrs. Humber; secretary, Mrs. Frank; treasurer, Mrs. W. Grant.

THE CIVIC COURT OF REVISION CONCLUDED ITS LABORS ON TUESDAY WHEN THE CITY'S APPEAL AGAINST THE ASSESSMENT ON THE B. C. ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY'S OVERHEAD GEAR WAS ALLOWED.

The British Columbia Electric Railway on Monday next will commence to run a ten-minute service of cars on the Oak Bay line from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. The traffic on this route has increased to such an extent through the influx of tourists into the city as well as through the district of Oak Bay having become more densely populated.

THE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN BAND-MASTERS OF THE BAY AND THE MEMBERS OF THE FIFTH REGIMENT BAND HAVE BEEN SETTLED.

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ATTEMPTING TO PROVE CONSPIRACY

ANOTHER MOVE BY HAYWOOD'S COUNSEL

Claim That McFarland Tried to Manufacture Testimony Against Accused--The Frisco Explosion

Boise, July 9.—The defence in the Steenberg murder case to-day charged that Detective James McFarland has been guilty of an attempt to manufacture testimony against Wm. D. Haywood, but was unsuccessful in getting the basis and details of the charge before the court and jury.

Alva A. Swain, a newspaper correspondent, who represents the Pueblo Chieftain at Denver, was called to the stand and questioned as to a conversation he had with Detective McFarland last fall. Senator Borah, for the state, objected to the conversation on the ground that no foundation had been laid for it.

Clarence Darrow, for the defence, explained that the testimony was offered for the purpose of showing that there existed a conspiracy between the mine owners and the Pinkertons to secure the conviction and execution of the prisoner. "McFarland approached this witness in an attempt to manufacture testimony," he declared, "and I believe we have a right to hear it."

Judge Wood said there was nothing in the evidence that furnished proper foundation for the introduction of such testimony, and sustained the state's objection.

The defence took an exception, and said they would later make another attempt to secure the admission of the testimony. Counsel for the defence evidently count on reaching the matter through McFarland's testimony, but it is quite probable that the state will not call McFarland as a witness.

It is claimed by the defence that McFarland told Swain that he had a letter from Harry Orchard saying that when Haywood paid him for the Vinclor job he took him to one of the Denver banks to draw the money and that when they came out of the bank Swain was standing at the door and saw them. It is said further that Swain told McFarland that he could not remember the incident, whereupon McFarland impressed him with its importance as evidence and significantly urged him to recall it and become a witness in the case.

Swain in the case. Detective McFarland said he never suggested anything improper to Swain. He said he got the letter as described by Orchard, who wrote that Swain was at the door of the bank when he believed Swain might remember seeing him. He says that when he went to see Swain the latter said that he did not recall whether he remembered the incident or not, and asked for another interview. Mr. McFarland declares that he there dropped the matter and did not again see Swain.

Alben F. Gill, formerly a coal miner and later city engineer of Spokane, and his wife, were also witnesses for the defence to-day. They jointly testified that Orchard attempted to sell them his interest in the Hercules mine in February and March, 1899, which was just prior to his departure from Coeur d'Alene, and that Gill, who saw Orchard in Spokane a month before he killed Steenberg, testified that Orchard said that he lost his interest.

Other than for the interest and the relief afforded by the introduction of the witnesses named the entire time was given over to the reading of the rest of the San Francisco depositions. The man who built the Lindforth Flats, the plumbers who put in the lighting system, the firemen who came after the explosion and the men who repaired the same all deposed at great length and detail. The weight of their tales seems to favor the gas explosion theory, and none of the testimony was conclusive, and the whole question will be fought before and decided by the jury. The last of the depositions was that of Orchard and from him heard the story of the Hercules mine, with the usual threat that he was going to "fix Steenberg for driving him out of the country."

Charles J. Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners, will be brought from the county jail to-morrow to give testimony in behalf of his co-defendant. It is expected that he will be called shortly after that it will take about all of the rest of the day for both sides to complete their examination of him. He may finish in time to permit the calling of Haywood, but the chances are that the defence will so shape its arrangements as to call him on Thursday morning rather than at the close of a trying day.

BLACK DIAMOND TRAGEDY. Joe Mrozek, Who Killed Diego and Wounded Frankie, Is In Custody. Franklin, Wash., July 9.—Joe Mrozek, who shot and instantly killed Banassi Diego and wounded Joe Frankie, at Black Diamond, was captured last night by Deputy Sheriff Walter Warnock.

Joe Mrozek's home is in Franklin. He has a wife and two small children. He was arrested at Black Diamond before attempting to leave the state he would try to see his family. The house has been closely guarded ever since the tragedy at Black Diamond Saturday in anticipation of his arrival.

Deputy Sheriff Robert Hodge has arrived from Black Diamond with two prisoners, Steve Yarak and Mike Costello, who are held as witnesses in the Banassi Diego murder case. The men were companions of Joe Mrozek last Saturday when Banassi Diego was shot through the heart and Joe Frankie was wounded in the leg.

The Russian verb is much shorter than the English one. It is only three words. Sweden has a mile of 11,703 yards.

THE COBALT STRIKE.

Miners Warn Members Against Acts of Violence—Confident of Success.

Cobalt, July 9.—The city miners' Union held a meeting yesterday afternoon at which 250 members were present. It was announced that the purpose of the meeting was to consider the action regarding the schedule of wages adopted by some 30 mines in the district. After considerable discussion a schedule of wages to apply to all mines in the district was adopted. The miners asked that not more than 55 cents a day be charged for board.

At the evening meeting over four hundred members were present. The minutes of the afternoon meeting were read and adopted. It was unanimously decided to declare a strike upon all mining companies having adopted the schedule of the managers. A committee was appointed to wait on the managers of the other mines in the district and ask them to endorse the union schedule of wages and conditions. A motion was put and carried to impress upon all the members the necessity of conducting the strike in a thoroughly peaceable and lawful manner, that no violence or misconduct would be countenanced by the union.

Another motion by Robert Roadhouse, a prominent labor man of Toronto, that the miners avoid intoxication and particularly with strangers who might be employed for the purpose of inciting the miners into doing deplorable acts, was carried amidst applause.

Six hundred new members have been initiated this past week. Although the members are not prepared for a struggle, they are confident of success.

THE STRIKE OF TELEGRAPHERS

Men Will Probably Be Called Out at Chicago and Other Eastern Cities.

Oakland, July 9.—Following the refusal of Assistant General Superintendent Miller, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, to meet a committee of the striking telegraph operators, President Small, of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, will leave to-morrow for the east, where he will call a strike, evidently at Chicago and other eastern cities.

Mr. Miller refused to let the committee enter his office, but set a note stating that he would meet them as individuals if they sought re-instatement, but would meet no union man under any circumstances.

President Small, of the Telegraphers' Union of America, much disappointed at the failure of a peace conference, issued the following statement: "I feel absolved from further responsibility, inasmuch as I have made every effort, both before and after the strike occurred, to bring about a conference. In the future we will have to pay less attention to the feelings of the public and carry on our fight with more determination and with the one object in view of enforcing the enemy until they are willing to meet us in a peace conference. Future movements will be forcible and decisive."

Meeting on Sunday. Chicago, July 9.—The indications tonight are that the controversy between the commercial telegraphers and the companies will be fought out in Chicago. A message to-night from President Small to the president of the Chicago local, Stanley, called for a meeting for Sunday to vote on the strike proposition. The message stated that President Small would be present at the meeting.

Announcement was made to-night, it was the general understanding that three members of the executive committee of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union of America, who left for San Francisco with Labor Commissioner Neff last night, would be ordered to return to Chicago.

WOMAN'S CONFESSION.

Burned Husband to Death in Order to Marry Her Lover.

A Scranton Pennsylvania dispatch says: Mrs. Kindra Howrto, aged 35 years, of Dunmore, is in the county jail charged with having burned her husband to death, that she might be free to marry her former lover, Ignatz Hutro, who is also in jail charged with being an accessory. The police officials say that Mrs. Howrto has confessed and given all the details of the crime.

According to Mrs. Howrto's confession, Hutro came to the Howrto home and suggested that she do away with her husband so that they could be married. Following Hutro's suggestion the woman got her husband drunk, and when he was stupified in bed, she went to the room with the kerosene lamp. She poured oil from the lamp on the bed and the setting in a fire.

At the sight of her husband roaring and squirming in the flaming bed, she became horror-stricken and rushed from the house crying, "Fire." Neighbors extinguished the flames, and Howrto sent to a hospital, where he died without regaining consciousness. Hutro denied all knowledge of the crime.

LAUNCH DESTROYED.

Pleasure Party Had a Narrow Escape From Death.

Everett, July 8.—A pleasure party consisting of four Everett families had a narrow escape from death yesterday on the Snohomish river when the Nautlius, a new gasoline launch, caught fire and was destroyed. They barely got away from the boat in time to save their lives, part of them using the life boat, and the others being rescued by fishermen who happened to be near.

There was no explosion. There was a sudden flash and the entire boat was on fire. It is believed that the accident was caused by a leakage of gasoline. Peter G. Gowan was the driver of the boat. His loss is about \$1,000.

THE POLICE AND HOTEL KEEPERS

ALDERMEN AND COMMISSIONERS MEET

Lively Scene at Session Held to Discuss Appointment of Assistant Inspector

There was a rather stormy scene at the meeting of the aldermen and the license commissioners at the conclusion of the regular council meeting on Monday evening, says the Vancouver News-Advertiser. Ald. Brydson-Jack presided, and the discussion hinged on the proposed appointment of an assistant inspector to detect infractions of the law, and also the proposal to increase licenses by \$50 to pay his salary.

The mayor explained that at a previous meeting the chief of police had said that there was a strong objection to having the police do the work of the hotel-keepers, because they found it more profitable to keep hotels-keepers, who from their position were often able to give them useful hints that helped in the detection of criminals, more particularly those coming from the other side.

Ald. Calland said this was the most extraordinary thing he had ever heard of. Everyone seemed to be afraid of everyone else. It certainly seemed very strange that the chief of police should be afraid to antagonize the hotel men.

Ald. Bird followed, saying that if this sort of thing was to go on, he would resign. He said that the chief of police should be given the authority to enforce the law, and that if the police commissioners and the chief of police ought to resign, this explained the laxity in the enforcement of the law, and the request for the appointment of some one else to do the work. The sooner they changed it all the better.

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The Mayor said he was surprised to hear such attacks as had been made by the aldermen who had just been elected. They had met to talk over this matter in a friendly manner and for an outburst was quite unbecoming. Mr. Bird said he had expressed his views to them in a private meeting, he had at the same time made it quite plain that he was perfectly willing to carry out any by-laws or any resolutions that might be given.

Ald. Heaps said he could not have agreed with the chief of police in his opinion as to the desirability of cultivating the hotel-keepers. He said that he was of the opinion of the other commissioners, it was not his. He had not been present at the meeting of the aldermen and license commissioners when it was discussed, and would certainly have disapproved of the notion.

The Mayor explained that these things had only been discussed in a loose and informal way, and there was no necessity for any heat. They were quite willing to listen to suggestions from any one who had a word to say. After some further discussion, the meeting adjourned without any definite action being taken.

STANDARD OIL OF INDIANA.

Sentence Will Be Pronounced on August 3rd.

Chicago, July 9.—The attorneys for the Standard Oil Company yesterday declined to submit any further evidence in the investigation held on Saturday by Judge Landis in the United States District court. Judge Landis then announced that the case would be passed on August 3rd upon the Standard Oil Company, of Indiana, which was convicted of accepting bribes to reduce rates on August 3rd. The oil company, which faces a fine of possibly \$2,000,000, has been asked by Chicago Salvation Army ladies to give them the money to be used for the relief of the poor.

John S. Miller, their attorney, told District Judge Landis that he thought the witnesses did not care about the \$150 a day they had earned and the \$100 a day in mileage and that they would not even claim it.

Rockefeller left his \$1,500 in the hands of Marshall Hoy, enough money to send forty babies to the country—perhaps save their lives in this hot weather. After a hurried consultation among the officers of the Salvation Army they dispatched a personal telegram to Rockefeller, and asked him to direct his attorney to get the money for the poor. They pledged themselves to give an accounting and devote the money to the use of the poor.

MINING IN SASKATCHEWAN

Government May Undertake the Development of Coal Property.

Saskatoon, July 9.—A. McLeod has returned from Regina, where he interviewed Premier Scott on the possibility of the government operating a coal mine at Eagle Lake next fall for the convenience of settlers. Hon. Mr. Scott said he was opposed to the principle of the government operating a coal mine, but under the circumstances would develop the mine, if it proved a good one.

NEW PRESIDENT.

London, July 9.—Mrs. Annie Besant, has been elected president of the Theosophical Society in succession to the late Col. Henry Steele Scott, who died in India last February. She will visit America and other countries before returning to the headquarters of the society in India.

THREE SAILORS DROWNED.

Small Yawl Was Capsized by One of the Occupants Who Rocked the Boat.

New York, July 9.—Three members of the crew of a steam yacht Yacona, belonging to Henry Clay Pierce, of St. Louis, were drowned in the Hudson river early to-day, when a small yawl carrying six of the Yacona's crew and a dockman was capsized by a seiler who rocked the boat. Four of the party were picked up by a passing tug. No traces have been discovered of the three missing men, and the police are convinced they are drowned. They are Rudolph Johnson, Frederickson and Herman Vonberson.

The Yacona came into port yesterday after a week's cruise, and Captain McDonough gave several of the crew shore leave. Six of the Yacona's crew came down to the landing at 86th street today and had the Yacona for a launch. There was no answer from the Yacona. In their anxiety to get aboard, the sailors induced Gus Appleman, a dockman, to take them to the Yacona. The dockman was told to divide the party and make two trips, but against his warnings, six piled into the yawl and started for the steam yacht. Several times during the trip Appleman warned his boisterous passengers to remain quiet as their movements threatened to overturn the craft. Within a dozen boat lengths of the Yacona one of the crew threw the yawl overboard and the yawl capsized, throwing all seven into the water. Appleman not only succeeded in clinging to the keel, but assisted the sailors. All four were finally picked up by the tug which was attracted by the shouts of the men. Those on board the Yacona, hearing the shouts, threw the searchlight and sent a boat to search. No trace of the missing men could be discovered. Henry Clay Pierce, owner of the Yacona, is chairman of the board of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, of Missouri.

BOY CUT IN TWO BY ELECTRIC CAR

Victim Was on a Bicycle and Did Not Hear Gong Because of Band.

Frank Miller, a messenger boy, was run over and killed by the interurban car New Westminster at 7:30 o'clock Monday night, while he was attempting to cross the track on Hastings street, Vancouver. The boy was thirteen years old, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller, of North Vancouver, and had been employed by the Hasty Messenger Service Company more than six months.

He had just delivered a message to Granville street and was starting out to go to another message to the eastern part of the city when the accident occurred. The street was crowded at the time and hundreds crowded round the spot immediately after.

D. Hyndman, who was an eye witness to the accident, tells the story in the following words: "I had gone to the front door of my establishment to hear a band which was marching to the west. A car was coming from the east on Hastings street, and was going in the same direction as the band. I noticed the boy following behind the band on a bicycle, and saw the car strike him. The car was going to the west, and the boy was going to the east. The car struck him from behind, and he was killed."

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TRADE PROSPECTS WITH MEXICO

RETURNED TRAVELLER SPEAKS GLOWINGLY

Canadian Mexican Steamship Line is Subject of Conversation in Southern Republic.

J. W. Morris, who is connected with the Mexican Trades and Fruit Growers' Association, has just returned to the city after an extensive business trip through the different towns lying along the west coast of Mexico. All along the route he heard the enterprise known as the Canadian-Mexican steamship line which is linking up with commercial bonds the Dominion with the southern republic, spoken of in glowing terms.

An interesting feature of Mr. Morris' tour was that on the return journey he took passage from Salina Cruz as far as Guaymas on board the steamer Lonsdale. He states that between these ports the vessel carried a full passenger list, amounting in all to 120. She is, he says, a larger vessel than the Georgia, and has better passenger and freight accommodation. Capt. Shadforth, who is in command, did everything in his power to make the passengers comfortable, and they were all highly pleased with the voyage.

Mr. Morris left here on June 1st, and during his tour has been in Mazatlan, Manzanillo, Salina Cruz, Acapulco, Chilpancingo, Guaymas and many other small towns. He states that at present there are five different steamship lines connecting with the western coast of Mexico, and that there is a large amount of traffic for them all to handle. The lines are the Pacific Coast steamship line, with a weekly service between San Francisco, Mexico, and Panama, the Kosmos line, a German company, which plies all round the world, and includes Mexico en route; the National line, which is purely a Mexican concern, connecting up with the different ports, and the Canadian-Mexican Steamship Company, with headquarters at Victoria, and plying between British Columbia and the principal ports on the west coast of Mexico.

Attending to the prospects of trade between Canada and Mexico, Mr. Morris says that Mexico can give to this country, and undoubtedly will send, ore, various kinds of fruit, coffee, and rice. In exchange for these she requires paper, machinery, and other goods. The latter of which is exempt from duty up to the beginning of July, from the time when the shortage sets in.

In the matter of recent timber supplies, Mr. Morris says that Mexico requires bridge timber, railroad ties and telegraph poles, in large quantities, as there is a considerable amount of construction work being done. The timber companies are ordered to testify before the referee as to the existence of the alleged combination.

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ALLEGED COMBINE.

Attorney General of United States Makes Complaint Against Western Union and Postal.

New York, July 9.—Attorney General Jackson yesterday made application to Justice Platzke, of the New York State Supreme court, for the appointment of a referee to take testimony on the attorney general's allegations that the Postal Telegraph and Cable Company, and the Western Union Telegraph Company have formed a combination to increase the rates of telegraph service in this and other states. He declared that he was about to begin action to restrain this alleged combination, and asked that George O. Kind, Jacob Schiff, M. K. Jessop, E. H. Harriman, Clarence MacKay, Robt. C. Glover and many other officials of the telegraph companies be ordered to testify before the referee as to the existence of the alleged combination.

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THE RAID BY BURGLARS.

Visited Twenty-Three Places in Up-Town Buildings in Vancouver.

As briefly announced in a dispatch in the Times from Vancouver, a gang of expert crackmen visited the Terminal City on Sunday night and entered and ransacked some two dozen offices. But though the work was skillfully done, the returns were small. It was a question whether their total takings would amount to more than \$50 in cash altogether. The buildings visited were the Old Safe Block, with entrances on Hastings and Seymour streets; the Williams Block, corner of Hastings and Granville streets; the Crowe and Wilson Block on Seymour street and the Imperial Block, on the corner of Seymour and Pender streets. It was evident that the work was done during the night time, as at least in four of the offices, members of the staff had been on Sunday afternoon, and at that time everything was all right.

The offices were evidently neatly opened with a jimmy, and the same instrument had apparently been used to pry open the safe doors. The work was so well done that the locks of the doors were comparatively unimpaired, and all were working again Monday. The combination of keys used had been hammered off, and set forth by pushing in the inner plate. In all cases, however, this did not work, and some safes remained closed.

The heaviest losses in cash appear to have been Messrs. McCrossan, Schultz & Harper, in the Imperial Block. Their vault was opened and \$29 and a large number of valuable stock certificates were stolen. The safe was broken by pushing in the inner plate, and the office of Gatewood & Spencer about \$50 worth of scrap gold used in dentistry was removed. The safe in the office of F. G. T. Lucas, barrister, in the Old

CHICAGO OUTRAGE.

Attempt to Blow Up Home of John Condon, Race Track Owner.

Chicago, July 9.—An attempt was made to-day to blow up the home of John Condon, race track owner, leader in the recent fight with the Western Jockey Club, and American Turf Association. Some powerful explosive was placed in the front yard, and an attempt was made to set it off. The explosion did not harm the owner and family. The occupants suffered no injury.

CHILLIWACK PIONEER DEAD.

The death occurred at Chilliwack, Friday morning of Mrs. Matthew Hall, aged 80 years at the residence of her son, Wm. Stumpe, who is now an invalid for the last four or five years. The funeral took place Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Hall was one of the oldest settlers of the valley, and is survived by her husband.

Gold can be drawn to wire so fine that 500 feet weigh only one grain.

Safe Block, was also opened and \$10 taken. Smaller safes were taken from other offices, but it looked as if the burglars must have grown tired of their unremunerative task.

Two suspicious looking men were seen by policemen in the lane at the rear of the Williams Block about day-break Monday, and in view of the fact that they broke into a run and got away with great speed, it is quite probable that they belonged to the gang. The police so far have been able to find no clue to the burglars. Their theory is that they are a gang from the American side who came in by boat out as soon as their work was done.

CROW'S NEST COAL COMPANY.

Report That Controlling Interest Has Been Secured by James J. Hill.

Spokane, July 9.—Control of the Crow's Nest Pass Coal Company, in British Columbia, worth \$6,000,000, has been secured by James J. Hill, through the assistance of Jay P. Graves, of Spokane, president of the Inland Empire system. Mr. Hill has owned 45 per cent of the company's stock for several years, but until recently has been unable to secure control. His efforts have at last been successful through the purchase of Mr. Graves, who is friendly to the Great Northern interests. Mr. Graves' reasons for acquiring an interest in the property is to secure a supply of coke for the Granby smelters and steam coal for the Spokane and Inland. In the purchase Mr. Graves is supposed to be representing the Granby stockholders. There is approximately \$8,000,000 involved in the deal, as 8,000 shares were bought. George A. Cox, a banker and politician of Canada, is the principal stockholder in the Crow's Nest Company. The company is capitalized at \$14,000,000. It is believed that the Crow's Nest Company will be reorganized, with Mr. Graves as one of the directors.

The Granby smelter uses between 500 and 600 tons of coke a day. The coke capacity of the Crow's Nest is 1,300 tons daily.

AN ADDRESS ON HINDU MISSIONS

Interesting Information Given by Rev. H. F. Laflamme in Calvary Baptist Church.

A very interesting meeting, at which the subject of missions was dealt with, was held Tuesday evening in Calvary Baptist church. The pastor, Rev. J. T. Tapscott, acted as chairman. Occupying seats on the platform were: A. Pennington, president of Immanuel Baptist Young People's Society, and Rev. Coleman, president of Calvary Union.

Previous to the address of the evening by Rev. Laflamme, A. B. Fox, of Victoria, and New Zealand, spoke on mission work in the South Pacific Islands. The subject of the address by Rev. H. F. Laflamme was India, and the difficulties of missionary work owing to caste prejudice and social customs, as well as the sub-divisions of sects among the native people.

The congested state of the population of the Indian empire formed an interesting comparison. Although about two fifths of the size of the United States, the population of India is as large as that of the United States. The following countries replaced the present population of India. That is to say, \$2,000,000,000, the population of Mexico and every man, woman and child of the South American continent. Caste lines and prejudices existing in India are mentioned as presenting almost insurmountable difficulties to the missionaries in India. Hindus, Mohammedans and Buddhists, the different sects were sub-divided into 47 races, speaking 400 different languages. These constituted caste barriers in many cases so intricate as to be almost impossible of conception to the white speaker. In the present instance, if the shadow of a European passing along fell upon the food which a high caste Hindu was eating he would be fined and "go hungry" because the shadow of a "meat eater" had polluted his food.

KING AND QUEEN VISIT IRELAND

Kingstown Crowded With People Who Arrived From All Parts to Welcome Them.

Associated Press. Kingstown, Ireland, July 10.—The Royal yacht Victoria and Albert, with King Edward and Queen Alexandra, on board, anchored in the harbor here before daylight. The weather was fine. The town was completely bedecked with flags and bunting and triumphal arches. All the vessels were dressed with bunting and thousands of people poured into Kingstown from the country in order to witness the landing of their Majesties.

The speaker referred to the fact that the increase in missionary work fell far short of the increase in population which under British rule had increased from 150,000,000 to 350,000,000. The supply of Bibles in 60 different languages were necessary to increase the efficiency of missionary work to bring the teachings of Jesus Christ to the millions of India who still after 200 years of missionary work in the country were completely ignorant of Christianity and had never heard of Jesus Christ.

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TROUBLE NOT YET OVER.

Situation in the South of France is Again Growing Serious, Troops in Readiness.

Paris, July 9.—Dispatches from the south of France report the situation again growing serious. The dissatisfaction with the new wine fraud law and the supplementary measure now under consideration, together with the arrest of thirty people suspected of complicity in the burning of the prefecture of Narbonne, have rekindled the people. The mayors and other municipal officials are holding meetings, and have resolved to resign their offices unless the troops are withdrawn and the wine frauds are modified.

General Salloum, commander of the 16th army corps, has issued instructions to preserve order, and all the troops in the disturbed region have been confined to barracks.

GVERNOR ASSASSINATED.

Chinese Official Killed by Revolutionist—His Murderer Beheaded.



ROUTINE WORK BEFORE COUNCIL

OAK BAY'S NEEDS IN STREETS AND SEWERS

Beeve and Councilors Discussed Various Matters at Regular Meeting Last Night.

The regular meeting of the Oak Bay Council was held last evening in the Foul Bay road school house.

The business which occupied most of the council's time was the consideration, or rather the reconsideration, of the plumbing and sewers connections.

A communication from C. R. Steward, secretary of the school board, was laid before the meeting.

Several owners of property on Wilmut place petitioned to have a street graded through their property.

It was decided to grant the request of F. B. Pemberton, who wrote asking that the sidewalk on his property on Mount Baker avenue be moved to the road.

A letter was read from the city clerk announcing that the city council had decided to lay a sewer on Foul Bay road, from Leighton road to Oak Bay avenue.

This was agreeable to the Oak Bay council provided a branch sewer was also laid on Leighton road.

A report from the bridges and sewers committee recommending the engagement of Mr. Shade as plumbing and sewers inspector for the municipality was adopted.

The city clerk wrote asking the assistance of the Oak Bay council in preventing the duplicating of names in the city and the municipality.

A list of temporary recommendations from the engineer, including an extension of the sewer on Hampshire road, H. flex south, as well as a plan for the sewerage disposal in the district north of Oak Bay avenue and east of Foul Bay road, was referred to the sewers committee.

This report also embodied a plan of sewerage system to empty into Boker's creek, and from thence to the sea; and also plans for a septic tank north of St. George's avenue.

Accounts from the finance committee, amounting to \$640 were ordered paid, and the council adjourned for the evening.

PIONEERS DEAD.

Two Well Known Residents of New Westminster Pass Away.

Two pioneers of New Westminster passed away Monday within a few hours of each other, death claiming E. Ewen, the well known canneryman, early in the afternoon, while about 10 o'clock in the evening Frederick Elchoff passed away at his residence, Carnarvon street, says the New Westminster News.

Frederick Elchoff was in his seventy-fifth year at the time of his death, and had been a resident of this province for over half a century, coming here when only a young man of about twenty, and casting his lot with the then hamlet on the banks of the Fraser.

After working around here for some time, he opened a small business in Douglas, and remained there for some time, but later returned to this city, where he opened a general merchandise establishment on Front street, where he remained until burnt out by the disastrous fire of 1898, when he lost heavily, his store, dwelling house, and several other buildings owned by him being destroyed.

Mr. Elchoff was a man of high character, and was well known in the city. He was married to Mrs. J. Leshman and Mrs. H. Lennie are two married daughters, the other girls being Misses Sophie, Irene, Hilda and Florence. The boys are Walter and Ernie, compose the remainder of the family.

Alexander Ewen who passed to the great beyond Monday afternoon, was one of the best known men on the coast, having been a resident of New Westminster for about forty-five years, coming from Scotland. For a time he fished on the Fraser river, and later

DOMESTIC HELP REPORTED SCARCE

Local Council of Women Discussed the Question at its Last Meeting.

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STOVE EXPLODED.

Woman Burned to Death in Her Home in Winnipeg.

Anna Krick, of 308 Alfred avenue, Winnipeg, died on Tuesday evening in a terrible agony, the result of burns sustained by the explosion of a kerosene stove.

The explosion occurred shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon in her home. The woman and her family had just finished lunch, and Mrs. Krick was in the act of lighting the stove to heat some dishwater when escaping oil, not noticed by her, became ignited.

Instantly she grabbed the stove, with the evident intention of throwing it out of doors, but before she had lifted it from its resting place, the oil in the tank exploded. Almost before she was aware of what had occurred the woman's clothing was a mass of flames.

Her screams brought assistance from the adjoining room, but not in time. Her dress was burned almost entirely off, and portions of her flesh about the face and shoulders were charred almost to a cinder. She lived only a few hours. She was conscious almost up to the last minute.

Several owners of property on Wilmut place petitioned to have a street graded through their property. This matter, as well as two tenders for work out in opening up various roads in the municipality, was referred to the roads and bridges committee, with power to act.

It was decided to grant the request of F. B. Pemberton, who wrote asking that the sidewalk on his property on Mount Baker avenue be moved to the road.

A letter was read from the city clerk announcing that the city council had decided to lay a sewer on Foul Bay road, from Leighton road to Oak Bay avenue, on the condition that the municipal council pay half the costs.

This was agreeable to the Oak Bay council provided a branch sewer was also laid on Leighton road.

A report from the bridges and sewers committee recommending the engagement of Mr. Shade as plumbing and sewers inspector for the municipality was adopted.

The city clerk wrote asking the assistance of the Oak Bay council in preventing the duplicating of names in the city and the municipality.

A list of temporary recommendations from the engineer, including an extension of the sewer on Hampshire road, H. flex south, as well as a plan for the sewerage disposal in the district north of Oak Bay avenue and east of Foul Bay road, was referred to the sewers committee.

This report also embodied a plan of sewerage system to empty into Boker's creek, and from thence to the sea; and also plans for a septic tank north of St. George's avenue.

Accounts from the finance committee, amounting to \$640 were ordered paid, and the council adjourned for the evening.

GRIEF CAUSED SUICIDE.

Son Despondent Over Mother's Death, Takes His Own Life.

Bellingham, July 7.—John T. Walker committed suicide this morning at the home of his brother-in-law, William O'Neill, about one mile from Lynden. He arose and washed himself for breakfast and then passed out of the house.

Nothing, his absence when the family sat down to breakfast, his sister went in search of him, fearing he had fallen in a fainting spell, to which he was subject. She found him in the barn lying in a pool of blood which flowed from an ugly wound in the mouth, caused by a bullet from a 38-caliber revolver, which was still in his hand.

Since the death of his mother Walker had been despondent and had threatened suicide a number of times. He was unmarried and had resided in this county about twenty years.

Dr. C. E. Martin, acting coroner, was called, and after investigating, pronounced it a case of suicide.

RUSHING WORK.

Argon, Ohio, July 9.—The Sterling Company at Braberton is in receipt of an urgent request from Washington to rush to completion as rapidly as possible the boiler and piping for the navy. The plant will be run day and night until the boilers are completed.

STATES WOULD TRIUMPH.

Des Moines, Ia., July 8.—"Neither Japan nor the United States war a just at this time," said Congressman J. A. T. Hull to-day. Mr. Hull is chairman of the house committee on military affairs.

"There is a big element in Japan who would welcome war, but the ruling classes are too wise to pick a quarrel with the United States.

"If there is war, we will first lose the Philippines and the Hawaiian Islands, but we would triumph in the end, for the United States would build warships and fight out a victory. We are the only nation which can build and get rich at the same time."

FRASER VALLEY CROPS.

Harvest Will Be Better Than Last Year.

Reports received from all parts of the Fraser valley say that the recent rains have been a great boon to the crops throughout the various districts, and in consequence the harvest will be considerably better than was expected a few weeks ago.

Although only a few days have passed since the heavy downpour, considerable improvement can be seen in grain and root fields already sown. It is rather late to be of much benefit to the hay yield.

Haying will be in full swing in a few days, and some fields have already been cut. The yield throughout the valley will be lighter this year than usual, but should the fall be late and good pasturage be the rule until late in the season, no shortage will result. However should the winter be unusually severe, hay will be more scarce this year than for many years past.

COMPLAINT WITHDRAWN.

Oldfield's Statement Regarding Portland Auto Race Proves Satisfactory.

Portland, Ore., July 9.—The complaint filed against Barney Oldfield, the automobile driver, charging him with swindling the public by means of an alleged fake automobile meet, has been withdrawn, Oldfield having made a written statement of his connection with the affair which was satisfactory to the complainant. Oldfield was blamed for the failure of the race meet.

SLOOP CAPSIZED.

Bangor, Me., July 8.—Six Bangor boys recently went to Hersey retreat at Sandy Point, to spend the summer. To-day they were invited to take a sail. The sloop was struck by a fierce and sudden squall and was capsized. Laurence D. Hill, of Bangor, one of the party, was rescued by a tug. The others sank and none of the bodies have been recovered. The victims were members of prominent families.

WAS COMMITTED FOR TRIAL TO-DAY

Samuel Jackson Charged With Attempting to Murder Mother-in-Law Sent to Higher Court

Samuel Jackson was this morning committed for trial on a charge of attempting to murder his mother-in-law, Jemima Hunt, at his residence, 8 James street, on Saturday last.

The accused came up on remand from yesterday, his counsel, George Jay, having failed to secure bail for him. Harold Robertson prosecuted. Only two witnesses were called for the prosecution and none for the defence.

Mrs. Jemima Hunt, mother-in-law of the accused, said that on Saturday evening last she visited her daughter, Mrs. Jackson, to help the latter with her four children, all of them being sick with measles. She stayed with her daughter for an hour or two when the accused came home. He asked her whether the children were suffering from the disease and she said they were. This was all the conversation she had with the accused. He went into the dining room to write a letter, and afterwards came out and struck the witness. He seized her by the throat and threw her to the floor and then kicked her. Her daughter interferred, but he again caught hold of the witness and pounded her head against the wall. Then he took a meat saw from a table near by and said: "I'll kill you, go home, or I'll kill you." When he tried to strike her with the saw his wife stayed his hand and witness asked the accused to let her get up. She promised to go home, but he replied: "I'll not let you go home now, I'll kill you first." While Jackson was struggling to free his wife's hands from his grasp, she saw the witness crawl under the table and managed to get away from the room. Just as she reached the front door the accused ran after her and forced her down the steps at the front of the house, repeating his threats.

The witness was in a very weak condition, and frequently paused to regain her breath. Continuing, she said that when she reached the sidewalk in front of the house she met some men and asked them to go into the accused's house as she was afraid he would murder his wife. She reached home in a state of collapse, and her husband telephoned for the police. During her testimony the witness produced some of the clothing worn by her when the accused assaulted her. It was almost torn to ribbons, and was put in by the prosecution as an exhibit, together with a number of hair pins which had been bent through the accused dragging her by the hair. The meat saw was also filed as an exhibit.

Witness said that she had no quarrel with Jackson, and she had never interfered in his domestic affairs, except upon two occasions, when she remonstrated with him for beating her daughter. During the eight years that the accused had been married to her daughter she had never had any serious trouble with him. On Saturday last, the day the assault took place, witness, the day the assault took place with the accused and his wife and there was no quarrel of any kind.

Florence Jackson, wife of the accused, and daughter of the previous witness, corroborated her mother's story of the assault. As far as she knew there had never been any serious trouble between the accused and her mother.

Jackson did not go into the witness-box, but made a statement in which he alleged that Mrs. Hunt had frequently interfered in his domestic affairs. On one occasion he had taken some quinine and liquor to cure an ailment, and his mother-in-law had tried to cause a quarrel between him and his wife in consequence. She had even gone so far as to press her daughter to leave him. In his statement Jackson related various domestic happenings which had taken place during his residence in the Northwest, in support of his claim that Mrs. Hunt had endeavored to estrange him from his wife.

TROUT FOR PROSPECT LAKE.

Fry Brought From Dominion Hatchery To-Day.

A consignment of young brook trout, in number about 20,000, arrived by the Dominion government steamer Georgia this afternoon from the Bon Accord hatchery on the Fraser River, four miles from Westminster. Wm. Roxburgh, who is running the hatchery, has in two fishery tanks by Prospect Lake, on the journey to Prospect lake. On the journey to Prospect lake the Georgia's water was changed from time to time from a stock of hatchery water carried for the purpose. The temperature of the water was kept down by means of ice to about 47 degrees.

On the journey to Prospect lake the trout were most carefully shaded such a way as to give them plenty of light, but at the same time guarding them from any undue rise of temperature. The trout vary from about an inch to perhaps an inch and a quarter in size. From the egg state to the present time taken in the development process has occupied about four or five months. They are quite strong and the transplanting of them is generally

A PEACH CENTRE.

Splendid Fruit Taken to Winnipeg From This District.

Before leaving for Winnipeg with the district exhibit of fruit, J. Martindale, who has had charge of the collection of it, gave local citizens a surprise by exhibiting a basket of peaches grown within a few miles of the city, which were at this early season almost ripe. The fruit has been grown in the open and was well matured and of excellent quality.

These peaches were grown on the farm of L. W. Toms, of Gordon Head, and were of the Alexander variety. The fruit was exhibited at the room of the Women's Art Association, are other notable delegates. The latter is bringing out an exhibition of lacework made by Irish and Dutch laborers.

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PAID-UP CAPITAL AND RESERVE \$9,674,596 The Merchants Bank OF CANADA HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT DEPOSITS RECEIVED OF ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARDS. INTEREST COMPOUNDED FOUR TIMES EACH YEAR. NO DELAY IN WITHDRAWING. PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL ENQUIRIES FROM OUT-OF-TOWN POINTS. VICTORIA BRANCH, 76 DOUGLAS STREET. R. F. TAYLOR, Manager

WAS COMMITTED FOR TRIAL TO-DAY Samuel Jackson Charged With Attempting to Murder Mother-in-Law Sent to Higher Court. POLICE UNIFORMS. Canadian Club Appointment Committee—Protest Against Using Flag For Commercial Advertising. The Canadian Club of this city held a luncheon Wednesday at noon at the Poodle Dog restaurant for the purpose of disposing of business urgently needing attention. A. W. McCurdy, president, presided. After the luncheon had been partaken of those present turned their attention to the business of the session. F. Napier Denison introduced a resolution to the effect that the police commissioners should be urged to adopt a uniform in compliance with that used by the British police in use at the pattern of those in use in the United States. In support of it he said: "As some residents of Victoria are not in the habit of wearing uniforms, not on British lines I have procured from the Toronto police authorities photographs of their police uniforms and a cut of the well known and universally respected Toronto police uniform. The Toronto helmet bears the Canadian emblems of the Maple Leaf and the Beaver, while the remainder of the uniform is in perfect accordance with the London type. The other Ontario cities have adopted the same dress as Toronto, while Montreal has a slightly modified uniform. The French population of that city, the Dominion police, under Col. Sherwood, wear also the British form of dress. In passing westward from Ontario we find the American uniform in use at Winnipeg, Calgary, Vancouver and Victoria. Why these western cities should have departed from the adoption of the British form of uniform is difficult to understand." Joseph Pearson recorded the resolutions supporting the proposition heartily. Mr. Frost Robertson had an objection to the proposition. He thought the Canadian Club had more important business than that to attend to. He proposed that the resolution be given the three months' notice. Dr. Lewis Hall thought the subject might be inquired into. Superintendent Hussey, of the provincial police, expressed his opinion on the subject. He said that speaking for himself alone he felt that the time had come when Canada should either adopt a distinctive uniform for the police or follow the American uniform in use at present. He pointed out that without regular drill, a uniform seemed out of place. The men who wore it should be made to set a good example to the public. He had been informed that the new chief in Vancouver was going to use the Toronto type of uniform and have regular drill. A. C. Flumerfelt advised the appointment of a committee to get information and wait upon the police commissioners and report at next meeting. This carried and F. Napier Denison, Supt. Hussey and John Nelson were appointed. E. Jacobs introduced the subject of the use of the national flag in advertising and strongly deprecated it. B. C. Mess thought it was allowable under certain circumstances. A resolution was finally passed deprecating strongly the use of the flag in commercial advertising. A PEACH CENTRE. Splendid Fruit Taken to Winnipeg From This District. Before leaving for Winnipeg with the district exhibit of fruit, J. Martindale, who has had charge of the collection of it, gave local citizens a surprise by exhibiting a basket of peaches grown within a few miles of the city, which were at this early season almost ripe. The fruit has been grown in the open and was well matured and of excellent quality. These peaches were grown on the farm of L. W. Toms, of Gordon Head, and were of the Alexander variety. The fruit was exhibited at the room of the Women's Art Association, are other notable delegates. The latter is bringing out an exhibition of lacework made by Irish and Dutch laborers. This will be exhibited at the room of the Women's Art Association, are other notable delegates. The latter is bringing out an exhibition of lacework made by Irish and Dutch laborers.

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Bathing Caps AND Water Wings IN LARGE ASSORTMENT TEACH THE CHILDREN HOW TO SWIM. BOWES' DRUG STORE 98 Gov't. St., Near Yates St. VICTORIA, B. C. FINCH & FINCH SPECIAL CLEARANCE Men's Hand-Tailored Suits. Will Continue Throughout the Week. Sack suits in the very latest styles—Single and double breasted, made of English worsteds, fancy Scotch tweed and serges; suits that are worth \$15 for \$10. \$20 for \$15. \$25 for \$20. \$30 for \$22. \$35 for \$23. These are strictly reliable values and prove conclusively our superiority in the value-giving field. FINCH & FINCH HATTERS, 67 GOV. ST.

I. S. F. Hulbert, with Mrs. Hulbert, are staying at the Dominion hotel. Mr. Hulbert has come here on a visit with an idea of resting from his hard work at his ranch at Fontanelle, Iowa. He has every year about 2,000 head of cattle and about double this amount of hogs which he fattens up for market. Mr. Hulbert is charmed with the freshness of the air of Victoria and considers it an ideal place for a holiday. Gordon Halkett has been attached to the staff of the B. C. agency of the marine and fisheries department as engineer in charge of gas buoys and beacons along this coast line. Up to the present there are about 21 gas buoys and beacons in operation.



Since the tailored shirtwaist, its plain lines and lack of cravat rings, has regained its old-time popularity, has sprung up a pronounced interest in the proper accessories of such attire, undoubtedly the most popular in the makeup of the tailored girl the correct treatment of neck and line means just the difference between the well and badly dressed woman. While there is a certain regard to neckwear, and the soft or embroidered stocks are being worn more than they were in the past, the neckwear of the modern girl for the tailored shirtwaist is turnover embroidered collar, worn a small silk, linen or lingerie longer tie. Linen belts and girdles have no for wearing with the summer mode. Not only are they more in vogue with a plain linen skirt and waist than a ribbon or silk girdle they have a decided tendency to be cheaper. Every woman knows the faculty of keeping up a fresh supply of ribbons without frequent buying of new; therefore, every woman who turns to them to use with dressier gowns confine one's self for morning to linen belts, which can be easily turned. Moreover, the linen belt with the gown does not break the line as a colored one, therefore is much more coming. It is quite the thing just now to collar, and belt matter, of a handsome touch to an absolutely suit; in fact, lends quite the air of simple embroidered gown. To be set of this kind in hand embroidered with the most delicate and costly work. A collar alone will cost from \$2 to the simplest tab is at least \$10 or more; while a girdle as elaborated the one shown today could scarcely be made for less than \$10. Fortunately, such considerations little weight with the woman who broods. A quarter of a yard of linen and some mercerized cotton presents the most delicate and costly complete such a set. Not even perhaps, as there are few women have not odd strips of linen and of cotton left over from some earlier work. The work on this set is quite disproportionate to its showiness. The flared out of the simplest possible form, and out a big surface to cover, and with the scalloped edge, which is easily worked. Moreover, there are new or intricate stitches; the petals leaves are done in satin stitch, the stems of the flowers and daisy, the eye of the scallop, the cording, and the edge is buttonholed. Pad the scallop with chain stitch preferred, each edge may be padded with cotton. This is a matter which can be padded, the entire surface. The leaves, petals, being so small, are most quickly padded by using lengthwise stitching. The padding is done in eye embroidery. One must be very experienced to avoid pulling, and working catch as little of the material as will hold. 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# PRACTICAL AIDS FOR ARTISTIC NEEDLEWOMEN

## A Combination Girdle, Collar and Tie

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While there is a certain latitude in regard to neckwear, and the soft plain or embroidered stocks are being much more worn than they were in the winter, undoubtedly the most popular collar for the tailored shirtwaist is the turnover embroidered collar, worn with a small silk, linen or lingerie tab or longer tie.

Linon belts and girdles have no rival for wearing with the summer morning gown. Not only are they more in keeping with a plain linen skirt and shirtwaist than a ribbon or silk girdle, but they have the decided merit of being cheaper. Every woman knows the difficulty of keeping up a fresh supply of ribbons without frequent buying of new ones; therefore it is well to reserve them to use with dressier gowns, and confine one's self for morning to the linen belts, which can be easily tubbed. Moreover, the linen belt with the white gown does not break the line as does a colored one, therefore is much more becoming.

It is quite the thing just now to have collar, tie and belt match. This gives a handsome touch to an absolutely plain suit; in fact, lends quite the air of a simple embroidered gown. To buy a set of this kind in hand embroidery is quite beyond the power of most women. A collar alone will cost from \$2 to \$4; the simplest tab is at least \$1 or \$1.50 more; while a girdle as elaborate as the one shown today could scarcely be bought for \$5.

Fortunately, such considerations have little weight with the woman who embroiders. A quarter of a yard of heavy linen and some mercerized cotton represents all the money outlay required to complete such a set. Not even this, perhaps, as there are a few women who have not odd strips of linen and skeins of cotton left over from some more elaborate piece of work.

The work on this set is quite disproportionate to its showiness. The flowers are of the simplest possible form, without a big surface to cover, and the graceful buttonholed edge can also be easily worked. Moreover, there are no new or intricate stitches; the petals and leaves are done in satin stitch, the centers of the flowers and dots in eyelet, the stars in outline or cording stitch and the edge is buttonholed.

each side of the front, so it can be attached to the shirtwaist by means of collar buttons.

The tab tie may be made up in several different ways. The motif may be stamped on two separate pieces of linen, the plain ends of which are then pleated to a narrow bit of crinoline and the joining covered by a fold of the linen. To the back is attached a tape or elastic to fasten it to the collar button. It is the work of but a few minutes to take such a tie apart for laundering. The design can be also done in three pieces, two arranged horizontally as a bow and the other coming down in the middle as a single end, as is shown in the picture. When made up on lawn it would be quite pretty to embroider four ends, making the two under ones slightly longer than those on top and arranging them into a stiff double bow effect. The ends can also be put on a straight lawn tie which goes round the neck and ties in a small bow in front.

White mercerized cotton of a rather fine number does the best work. If the tie is worked in lawn, a finer cotton should be used than on the linen. A pleasing variation would be to embroider the set in a color. Two shades of dull blue is attractive, also several tones of brown.

### POINTS IN STAMPING AT HOME

VERY often it is much more convenient as well as economical for women who embroider to do their own stamping. This may be accomplished either by transfer paper and tracing the outline with a hard pencil, or by using perforated patterns.

Neither method is difficult if a few necessary points are observed, though, of course, by using the perforations the design can be applied much more quickly. The chief thing, however, in both is to have the material absolutely smooth. If it is even slightly wrinkled, it should be carefully pressed and laid on a flat surface right side up. Otherwise there is sure to be imperfections in the stamping.

After the pattern is laid on the material both should be firmly fastened to the table. This can be done by placing heavy irons at the corners. If the article to be stamped, however, is fairly small, these irons get in the way of the hands, so it is better, on the whole, to use thumb tacks or push pins. The glass-headed variety of the latter makes a hole little larger than a needle point, so cannot injure the woodwork. If many designs are stamped, however, it is well to keep an old drawing board for the purpose.

In transferring patterns slip the impression paper between the material and the design, placing the shiny side down. If but half a design is given and one wishes to do both sides at once, double over the material, right side to right side, slip between it two pieces of carbon paper (the ordinary typewriters' carbon sheets, if large enough, will do in default of anything better) back to back and with the shiny side of each resting on the right side of the fabric.

ments. The design is placed on the material smooth side up and the perforated parts are gone over with a small felt pad dipped first in kerosene and then rubbed over a cake of specially prepared stamping paste. This method is so rapid and easy that no one who has tried it ever cares to attempt the more laborious ways of doing their own stamping.

Sometimes a marked design can be transferred by putting it face down on the right side of the new material and rubbing back of the pattern with a silver spoon.

Lace Embroidered in Color

THE woman who likes to turn her embroidery to account for her personal adornment can do so very simply and quickly by embroidering lace for a blouse. It is very popular just now to have these lace waists with part of the design accentuated in colored embroidery.

Sometimes this is done on an all-over lace, but more often the color is put into narrow insertions and used as a trimming. For instance, a blouse of all-over Valenciennes in some scroll-like patterns is trimmed in strips of "point-de-Paris" or Valenciennes lace about an inch wide. Its pattern should be a very regular conventional one, say big dots or a single well-marked flower. These are embroidered over in satin stitch, being first lightly padded if the figure is not prominent enough to give the desired raised effect. The work is done either in a rather coarse-colored linen floss or in mercerized cotton. The work is mechanical, but, fortunately, rapid, since many yards are necessary.

One of the handsomest of these embroidered lace blouses had numerous vertical strips of insertion, each one ending in a point a little above the waist, forming a line to simulate the new pointed bolero shape. The strips were edged with a narrow lace ruffle. The lace for these ruffles is usually of narrow cheap Valenciennes, but if one wishes to be very ultra, a tiny Irish edge could be used. Occasionally the lace as well as the insertion has a touch of the colored embroidery. A pretty way is to run the outer scallop with a line of color.



A Detail of the Belt



One Treatment of the Tie



The Tie Motif



### A Bureau Set in Eyelet and Kensington Embroidery

DAINTY bureau set may be made of white linen, embroidered in a combination of eyelet-work, buttonholing, outlining and the shaded Kensington stitch. The edge should be finished in long, loose scallops, slightly padded and closely buttonholed. The design is a border formed by a combination of a conventionalized flower, arranged in oval eyelets around a larger central eyelet and connected by a series of scrolls and foliage with large, round medallions. The scrolls are done in outlining, and the tiny leaves may either be pierced and worked over and over, as are the flowers, or can be done in satin stitch.

The medallions are formed by a circle of outlining, with round eyelets piercing it at intervals of a half inch. In the center of each of these is an open rose, with a few leaves, shaded in natural colors. Use floss silk in four shades of pink and three of soft greens.

This design is very charming when carried out in bureau scarf, pincushion, handkerchief and glove cases. The pincushion cover is made removable, by having an under part cut exactly the same size as the top, but merely embroidered with scallops and oval eyelets, through which pink satin ribbon laces it to the top over the cushion.

### Work With a Short Thread

HALF the vexation of embroiderers comes from using too long a thread. If it does not tangle hopelessly at the most critical minute, it is sure to rough up, or grow thin and break in the most maddening fashion.

It is really very little more trouble to work with a thread or silk of correct length. Of course, it necessitates more frequent threading of needles, but if one's eyes are too bad to perform this operation quickly they are not in a condition to do fine embroidery. If loss of time is the bugbear, infinitely more time is lost, as a rule, with knots and breaks and tangles than in threading an extra needle or two.

If a skein of silk or cotton is cut at both ends, the thread is about the right length.

Attention to this simple precaution will give better results in the work, as well as save one's temper.

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"THE YELLOW PATH"

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CHAPTER I.

It was the same day that Big Bill Barnes, Long Jim, George Smith and I had made up our minds to quit Tin Cup and strike for the Limestone hills...

As we were about to start, I saw the stranger's lip twitch as he fumbled the paper. "Why, yes," he said, "that would seem pretty good for me, at any rate..."

Then he gave us a flying look. "You gentlemen are plunger miners, I suppose," he asked. "Bill, as the leader of the company, answered yes, that we were a little in that line, to which George added: 'Damn little, just at present.'"

"Ah!" said Upton, "played out here, eh?" "Yep—that's about the size of it," answered Bill. "Come up and take a seat, partner."

The other hesitated as though he feared a trap, but seemed to think better of it. "Thank you, thank you," he said with a bow. "I will, if you don't mind."

For it must be understood that all gold countries have their little lies, and full-grown legends. "Lost Cabin Claims" exist in every country that has a claim on the surface...

My eye travelled from him to the other boys and marked the contrast. Next him, on the same log, sat Big Bill, with his great head covered with a mane of yellow hair and beard, his fine blue eyes turned steadily on the stranger...

George seconded Bill's offer hospitably. "Why, yes; join the gang, my friend," he said. "Bring along your waneigan. We start to-morrow."

Upton seemed confused. Again he uttered his thanks, but said he had a friend with him, that was—really, he didn't think he would put us to such trouble, and if we didn't mind, he and his friend would follow on our trail, a mile or so behind.

Nothing would suit George but we must make it alone for a pet, and I was a good deal of the same mind; we descended upon the nest. Out ran the little rats into the brush, quicker than lightning, and the old cat began to squall like a fury, making signs of coming down to see us.

There was a sneaky way in his manner of speaking that didn't please me a cent's worth, so I put in my little say, saying him sharply in my own way. "This is a free country, partner," said I, "and you can spread yourself out wherever you like, but it seems to me we might as well travel in a bunch."

At last, however, I got my hands on one and managed to hold onto him while he would roll him up the mountain, and after a few more words, he gave us good-bay and limped along back the way he came; leaving me, for one, with a very poor idea of him.

"There's my legacy from Henry," he said. "It's a kind of map he made of a piece of country he struck on one of his expeditions. It was made in the gold days by the bushels in that place—see where the creek (that's that line) makes the turn? I can't make out his writing there—'cracked' reads the stranger, 'Let me see' cried the stranger, snatching the paper. 'Why, yes, it says: 'The gold is on the left hand bar, where is so much iron stone'—what is iron stone?"

Who cared, anyhow? There wasn't a soul to see us, and it was a fine June now. Last winter had been pretty rough, but last winter was over. That night we rolled in early, but I couldn't sleep. There was a sort of fidgety when there's a move over, and this particular move meant a whole lot to all of us, for we were flat-busted and fat. There was just a dust, the old man's face. It translated, "Is that what you mean?"

As a pluckfast that he wasn't hunting for the truth. He might have been handy enough with his tongue when he was well fed, but salt horse and flapjacks and fifteen miles of hard travelling under a pack had taken the shine all out of him.

"I'll have to stand you on your head, Jimmy, if you see that unpleasant tone to me," said Bill. "Yes, I know," retorted Jim, with a superior smile. "You're always going to do things like that, Bill, only sometimes they don't come out as you figure 'em."

Upton gave a little cry, but Bill turned to the boy and thanked him courteously. "Now," continued Bill, "we don't wish to harm either one of you, nor to poke our noses into what is not our business, but I don't believe you have any notion of what kind of a country you're going into, and as I do know, and don't care to have it on my mind that you two are wandering around somewhere starving to death, I've got to lay down the law first, that you keep close behind me. Make your own camp, if you want to, but keep within reach so if anything happens to you, we can lend you a hand—otherwise, back you go. There isn't any sense nor decency in the way you're acting."

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