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**GEORGIA WILL HAVE BIG OUTWARD FREIGHT**

Extensive Market for Goods British Columbia Can Supply in Mexico

**GYNERIC ARRIVES WITHOUT COAL**

Has Not Sufficient Fuel to Get Further Than Royal Roads—Spokane Sails for Alaska.

The steamer Georgia of the Canadian-Mexican line will leave for Salina Cruz via ports on July 1st, and if the enquiries are any index she will have a full cargo. The steamer will proceed to Comox for coal, and will go to Vancouver to load cargo offering there before returning to Victoria.

Thomas Adair, who made the round trip on the Georgia in the interest of Canadian manufacturers, expects to have several large shipments ready for the Georgia when she sails at the beginning of next month. He said yesterday the market offered Canadian merchants in Mexico was practically unlimited, the only difficulty being the available supply. Coal is much in demand, but local conditions at present do not allow of large export trade, and there is a market for all the lumber that can be shipped. An order for three million feet was brought up by the Georgia.

In discussing the prospects with a reporter for the Colonist, Mr. Adair said that it was from San Francisco, from where a steamship service was maintained, that the Canadian exporter would meet with the greatest competition, but the field was so great that even in face of this, an immense business could be worked. At present was being cut up by a network of railways, which would bring the whole country within easy access, so that all the important districts could be reached.

Of course, the Elder Dempster line on the east coast, carried a lot of freight from Eastern Canada to Victoria. The territory available to the west was equally as large, if not larger. The Georgia was not nearly so heavily loaded as the other steamer, and the territory available to the west was equally as large, if not larger. The Georgia was not nearly so heavily loaded as the other steamer, and the territory available to the west was equally as large, if not larger.

Mexico would import from Canada, paints, cement, canned goods, grapes, tallow, flour, apples, potatoes, butter, wrapping paper, railway iron, and tin cans, coal oil, gasoline, whisky, cloth, and ammunition, hardware of all descriptions and other wares. For coal and lumber there was a market for all that could be supplied.

Mexico could export to Canada coffee, tortoise shell, cinnamons, linseed, tropical fruits of all kinds, cow hides, deer hides, alligator hides and many other wares. Near Acapulco there was a large mining district, but few of the mines were being worked, although there were many promising prospects. It is probable a large amount of ore would be sent north to the Vancouver Island smelters.

The principal ports of the Mexican Pacific coast were Guaymas, Mazatlan, San Blas, Manzanillo, Acapulco, and Salina Cruz. The Canadian-Mexican steamers call at Victoria and San Blas. At Salina Cruz, the terminus of the line and the Pacific coast port of Tehuantepec railway, a large fortress equipped with modern defence works and heavy guns, was being established by the Mexican government on a headland at the north side of the entrance. At this place a very large sum had been expended in fort works, and a harbor had been dredged from where the town was originally located. Dredging was in progress when the Georgia was there recently. A large breakwater stood out, and large piers had been constructed, where there were electricity, cranes, and other facilities for the rapid handling of freight.

**GYNERIC'S PREDICAMENT**

Reached Royal Roads With Empty Bunkers—Unable to Proceed

The steamer Gymeric, of Andrew Weir & Co., which reached the Royal Roads yesterday, from Manzanillo, Mexico, to which port she carried a cargo of coals for the Mexican Central Railway Company from China, arrived with empty bunkers and was unable to proceed until coal can be brought to her. Less than half a ton of coal lay on the iron floors of the bunkers, and had bad weather occurred the steamer otherwise delayed she would have to burn what woodwork she had to enable her to reach port, and falling that would have been a hopeless derelict on the coast.

**SETTLERS POURING INTO THE INTERIOR**

Agricultural Resources Are Being Developed By Farmers From Prairies

"Business is exceedingly bright all throughout the interior," remarked Smith Curtis, formerly attorney-general, who was in the city yesterday. This was particularly the case in that country extending along the banks of the Columbia from the boundary to Rossland. There the farmers were irrigating large areas of land most successfully, bringing many hundreds of acres, hitherto of comparatively little value, under cultivation.

Mr. Curtis says that the settlers are coming from the middle west in large numbers. They are taking up land throughout the agricultural districts. Asked whether there was anything new to record in connection with British Columbia politics, Mr. Curtis became somewhat reticent. He intimated that he was not troubling very much about public affairs at the present time.

"Don't you think that Premier McBride has scored a triumph in his representations before the Imperial authorities on the question of better terms?" asked the reporter. Mr. Curtis said in reply that, though he did not care to discuss the phase of the situation opened by the query, he was of the opinion that British Columbia has not secured a larger subsidy than at present received.

Mr. Curtis was pleased to note the prosperity apparent in Victoria. He remarked that a wonderful improvement had been seen, and the expressed hope that the same would be made in the past year would be continued.

Ask for Amherst solid leather foot-wear.

**VICTORIA TIDE TABLE**

(based by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

Date	Time High	Time Low	Time High	Time Low
1	8:20	8:15	9:02	8:54
2	2:47	1:48	7:13	6:18
3	8:50	8:45	9:27	9:18
4	3:20	2:20	8:24	7:29
5	9:05	9:00	9:39	9:30
6	4:00	3:00	8:37	7:42
7	9:20	9:15	9:54	9:45
8	4:35	3:35	8:45	7:50
9	9:35	9:30	10:02	9:53
10	5:10	4:10	8:56	8:01
11	9:50	9:45	10:17	10:08
12	5:45	4:45	9:07	8:12
13	10:05	10:00	10:26	10:17
14	6:20	5:20	9:18	8:23
15	10:20	10:15	10:39	10:30
16	6:55	5:55	9:29	8:34
17	10:35	10:30	10:46	10:37
18	7:30	6:30	9:40	8:45
19	10:50	10:45	10:57	10:48
20	8:05	7:05	9:51	8:56
21	11:05	11:00	11:02	10:53
22	8:40	7:40	10:02	9:07
23	11:20	11:15	11:17	11:08
24	9:15	8:15	10:13	9:18
25	11:35	11:30	11:32	11:23
26	9:50	8:50	10:24	9:29
27	11:50	11:45	11:47	11:38
28	10:25	9:25	10:30	9:35
29	12:05	12:00	12:02	11:53
30	10:40	9:40	10:46	9:51

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 1907. High water from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to compare the tide with high water. The height is measured from the level of the lowest water spring tides. This level corresponds with the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are given as closely as can now be ascertained.

**ARE YOU SUBJECT TO HEADACHE?**

If you are, and have investigated Burdock Blood Bitters it will pay you to profit by the experience of others and give it a trial. A healthy stomach, right acting liver and bowels that properly perform their important duties, will render anyone free from headache. If these organs are not in perfect condition, headaches must follow. The proper course is obvious—restore the stomach, liver and bowels, to health, and headaches cannot exist. For this purpose use Burdock Blood Bitters.

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**CONSERVATIVES ARE GRATIFIED**

Members of Party in Victoria Are Pleas'd With Premier McBride's Success

MUST KEEP UP THE FIGHT

H. Dallas Helmcken Says British Columbia Must Continue Struggle for Better Terms

The announcement that Iron Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia, has succeeded in having the words "final and unalterable" struck out of the amendments to the Imperial North America Act, now before the Imperial parliament ratifying the re-arrangement of the financial subsidies to be paid to the respective provinces by the Dominion, as agreed to by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, has met with marked gratification by the Conservatives of Victoria. Although no official action has yet been taken by the Liberal-Conservative association, a number of members have taken occasion to forward their congratulations by cable to the premier. It is stated that a resolution of commendation will be introduced at the next meeting of the organization mentioned. One of those who lost no time in congratulating Premier McBride on his success was H. Dallas Helmcken, K.C. Last night Mr. Helmcken stated that he considered that the outcome of the representations made in behalf of British Columbia to the Colonial office could fairly be termed a signal of triumph. The words "final and unalterable" included in the amendments presented by Sir Wilfrid Laurier doubtless would have been accepted by the home government in the ordinary course of events, but the provincial administration taken prompt action. In view of that fact he could not understand the Premier's attitude. It was argued that the efforts of the premier had been fruitless.

It was now open to the province to continue the fight for better terms. The situation, he said, reminded him of the case of the man who had inadvertently become incarcerated in a can of milk. The one abandoned himself to what appeared to be a hopeless fate but the other continued "kicking." Ultimately the churning formed a pat of butter and the man was enabled eventually to escape. That was the position of the province. It is not kicking, it is trying to keep on "kicking," and although it might appear a hopeless task, British Columbia would obtain some measure of justice. There was no question that the claims of Premier McBride and his colleagues were well founded. Therefore, some action they would have to be recommended.

**LOCAL MARKETS**

Royal household Flour	\$1.75
Local "do" "do"	1.75
Calgary, a bag	1.75
Snowflake, a bag	1.75
Drifted Snow, per 100	1.75
Three Star, per 100	1.75
Footstuffs	
Cracked corn, per ton	\$30.00
Barley, per ton	27.00
Oats, per ton	27.00
American wheat, per ton	\$30.00
Manitoba, per ton	\$25.00
Barley, Manitoba, per ton	\$23.00
Hay, Fraser river, per ton	\$18.00
Hay, Island, per ton	\$18.00
Chop feed, best, per ton	\$27.00
Chop feed, fair, per ton	\$25.00
Middlings, per ton	\$30.00
Vegetables	
Lettuce, two heads	5
Cabbages, per dozen	\$1.25
Carrots, per bushel	27
Onions (Australian), per lb.	12
Apples, per bushel	27
Apples (local), per bushel	27
Cucumbers, (not home) per dozen	12
Potatoes (local), per ton	\$10 to \$15
Peas (California), per lb.	8
Beans	
Fresh Island, per dozen	20
Chickens, per lb.	20
Canadian, per lb.	20
Neufchatel, each	5
Butter	
Manitoba, per lb.	25
Best Dairy, per lb.	25
Victoria Creamery, per lb.	25
Cowichan Creamery, per lb.	25
Delta Creamery, per lb.	25
Challivack Creamery, per lb.	25
Fruit	
Oranges (Grove), per dozen	50, 60, 75
Lemons, per dozen	25
Pine Apples, per lb.	5 to 10
Pine Apples, 2 lbs for	25
Apples, 2 lbs for	25
Strawberries (Island) basket	20
Gooseberries, per lb.	10
Walnuts, per lb.	20
Almonds (California) per lb.	20
Almonds (Gordon) per lb.	20
Pecans, per lb.	20
Finan Haddies, per lb.	25
Polchanna, salted, per lb.	\$1.00 to \$1.25
Polchanna, smoked, per lb.	19
Polchanna, fresh, per lb.	10 to 15
Cod, salted, per lb.	10 to 15
Haddock, smoked, per lb.	15
Haddock, fresh, per lb.	15
Flourishers, fresh, per lb.	15
Salmon, fresh, per lb.	20 to 25
Salmon, smoked, per lb.	25
Clams, per lb.	5
Clams, per lb.	5
Oysters, Tokelau Point, doz.	20
Shrimps, per lb.	20
Herding, shipped, per lb.	25
Mutton, per lb.	15 to 22
Lamb, per quarter	\$1.25 to \$2.00
Turkey, Eastern, per lb.	25 to 30
Turkey, local, per lb.	25 to 30
Ducks, dressed, per lb.	20 to 25
Chickens, per lb. live weight	15 to 20
Chickens, dressed, each	15 to 20
Chickens, dressed, each	15 to 20
Geese, dressed, each	25 to 30
Beacon, per lb.	25 to 30
Beef, per lb.	5 to 10
Pork, dressed, per lb.	5 to 10

**APPROVED THE SENDING OF AN EXHIBIT EAST**

Fruit Growers Endorse Idea of Display in Prairie Cities

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the executive of the Fruit Growers' association held yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Victoria Development and Tourist association. President Brydon occupied the chair.

A communication from the committee having charge of the arrangements for the exhibit of fruit, flowers, and bulbs grown on the southern part of the island, to be shown at the Winnipeg and other exhibitions, was read. It outlined the preparations under way, stating that the intention was to make a display not only at the central fair to be held in Winnipeg, but to have it entered at Brandon and Regina exhibitions. The proposed route of the exhibit was discussed. Suggestions were thrown out as to the best means of bringing the product to a successful issue, and of making the exhibit so attractive as to prove the best possible advertisement of the district of the prairie provinces.

It was agreed, finally, that everything in the power of the association would be done to assist those in charge of the preparations. In accordance with this policy, a resolution was moved and carried endorsing the proposal. Other business relating to the fruit crop and the condition of the market was debated. As this, however, was of a private character, no information was given for publication.

**MANAGER OF GUGGENHEIMS, O. B. Perry Visiting the Province and Enquiring on an Inspection Tour.**

Vancouver, June 13.—(That the Guggenheims have unfolded faith in the mineral wealth of Western Canada, is evinced by the extensive shipment of machinery, material for shales and trams, with other supplies into the Yukon, which is taking place this season. The sphere of the operations of the Messrs. Guggenheims touches Yukon, Atlin and Cariboo, the extensive hydraulic diggings at the latter place being under the expert management of the well known expert Mr. J. B. Hobson. Public confidence should be strengthened by the resources of the country by the vast expenditures being made in the Yukon, taking the form of tram construction, building power lines and the lengthening and enlarging of the flumes necessary to the carrying out of the large hydraulic operations of the firm there. The work is being pushed, owing to the shortness of the season, and good progress is reported.

So said Mr. O. B. Perry, general executive head of the Guggenheims, who is reported on the Pacific coast, and the Northwest, who is in Vancouver, and busy with extensive business transactions. Mr. Perry's head office is in New York and he is awaiting the arrival of Mr. J. B. Hobson, secretary of the western interests of the firm. Together these two officials will try to Bullion, Carlisle, where inspection and report of the progress of their work will be made. After this they will return to

**Vancover and all for the North**

visiting Dawson, the Yukon, and Atlin before their return. Asked if the rumored deadlock between the principal and the provincial government on the question of titles to the placer claims and water rights in Cariboo had been adjusted, Mr. Perry said that the executive of the firm had never regarded the matter seriously, and the government had granted under the terms of the placer mining laws of the province. It is now a dead issue. While Mr. Perry refused to disclose any information as to the future prospects of his firm respecting extended operations in British Columbia, it is significant that he is accompanied this year by Professor Newcomb of the Leland Stanford university of California, and the professor will make examinations and tests for us said Mr. Perry. "Our operations in British Columbia are only beginning, but as far as we have gone everything we have done has been in accordance with our expectations and our expenditures." It is not unreasonable to assume, therefore, that the capital of the American millionaire is freely being expended in the harvesting of the yellow metal of the Yukon, and the channels and the creeks and which is too costly of recovery to prove a temptation to the operator with limited capital.

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**FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF MR. HENDERSON**

Is Now Commissioner—Steamship Service With Australia is Considered

**SAANICH COMMISSIONERS**

The Saanich board of licensing commissioners met at the municipal offices on Wednesday, June 13. Reeve Brydon presided with Commissioners Moore, Quick and Strachan present. Some reports that an unobtrusive class of people were frequenting the Victoria Gardens were laid before the municipal council to pass a by-law to close up all saloons in the municipality on election day the meeting adjourned.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1907."

I hereby certify that the British American Mining Company Limited has been registered as an Extra-Provincial Company under the Companies Act, 1907, to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the Legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situated at Fargo, North Dakota, U. S. A. The amount of capital of the Company is one million dollars, divided into one million shares of one dollar each.

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The time of the existence of the Company is twenty-five years from the 4th day of December, 1906. The Company is Limited.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this Seventeenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seven.

S. C. WOOTTON,  
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

**PATENTS GRANTED**

A. M. Bullock of Vancouver, recently received a United States patent on his improved clothes drier.

The contract for the Canadian-Australian steamship service expires in Victoria on Wednesday, June 13, 1907, and will be renewed for a year nearly ten months ago. The Australian government has now approached Canada regarding the renewal of the service, but it is understood that the Dominion government in view of the fact that the British Columbia government has been challenged before the Dominion government by the Florence Mining Company, if the act of the provincial legislature is disallowed there will be interminable litigation over the property.

"All-Red" line before the colonial conference, will not be disposed to enter into any lengthy arrangement.

Col. Steele was banqueting tonight by old comrades of the Strathcona Horse. Guests were received from all parts of Canada.

The title to mining rights under Cobalt lake, for which Ottawans paid \$1,087,000, has been challenged before the Dominion government by the Florence Mining Company. If the act of the provincial legislature is disallowed there will be interminable litigation over the property.

"We are employing between thirty and thirty-five Hindoos at our cement works at Sidney," remarked the local representative of the Vancouver Portland Cement Works company yesterday. "Hitherto," he added, "we have found them to give us every satisfaction. They have been good and faithful employees."

Information from other sources established the fact that the hundreds of East Indians who poured into British Columbia at such an alarming rate some months ago are gradually settling and becoming settled, having at last found their level. In different parts of the province they have been given situations and are earning a livelihood and from what can be learned are satisfied with their condition.

It is predicted by several of those familiar with the Hindoo language who have kept in close touch with those who have made their homes here that the remarkably satisfactory manner in which they have got along may lead to further immigration next year. It is stated that many are sending money back to their families in India at regular intervals. Accompanying these remittances, in many instances, are letters telling their relatives and friends of their experiences in British Columbia, of having obtained situations in which they have got along very well, but it is stated that a difference of belief will induce others to come to the hitherto at present. The Occidental was purchased by J. Chappell about three years ago for \$10,000. It con-

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MR. M'BRIDE SUCCEEDS.

A London despatch to the Colonist announces that the objectionable words, "final and unalterable," have been struck out of the proposal for the settlement of the financial relations between the Dominion and the provinces. This is a great triumph for Mr. McBride.

cultural periodicals as may be available, we will be glad to give information upon any points that may be suggested. It is saying this we are conscious of one very important fact, namely, that the climate of British Columbia is unlike that of almost any country in the world and is so different in different localities that great care will have to be exercised in order that the department of the paper inaugurated today will not be mislead-

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THE GOOD DIE

The good die your saying has been quoted paths when God has self unfinished lives sweetest beauty. May little innocent interpreted words than the one us.

PASSING OF THE STOCK RANCH.

The Colonist has a letter from Mr. H. A. Mullins, in which he says: "I have closed today (13 inst) the entire herd of cattle belonging to the New Waldron Ranch company, one of the best established ranches in Alberta. They are driven out on account of the great influx of settlers."

THE TIMBERMAN RESERVE.

It will be recalled that at the time of the meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, the Provincial Government was given out to the press to the effect that the Grand Trunk Pacific had obtained 22,000 acres including Kasten Island and a part of the Timpanean Reservation, with the approval of the Provincial Government.

AN EXPERIMENTAL FARM.

Professor William Saunders of the Dominion Agricultural Department is in the city, and elsewhere will be found an interview with him. Saunders is a gentleman who has done much for Canada. His labors have chiefly been in connection with the experimental farms which establishments have been of great value to the Dominion.

MR. M'BRIDE'S POSITION.

The result of Mr. McBrilde's mission to London cannot be belittled by his opponents with any hope of creating an impression on the public mind that he accomplished nothing. He has accomplished a very great deal. Let us examine the matter a little further than we were able to do yesterday.

THE W. C. T. U. REST TENT.

We regret to dissent from the decision of the Women's Christian Temperance Union not to maintain a "rest tent" this year at the Fall Exhibition. The reason advanced for such action is that the protest of that body against the sale of intoxicating liquor on the grounds has "been utterly ignored by the management and other officials connected with the exhibition."

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White enamel lined, weight 385 lbs., width 46 in., depth 23 in., height 52 1/2 in., ice required 100 lbs., shelf space 13 sq. ft. Price \$65.00.



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THE SIMPLE LIFE.

"The Simple Life" has been chosen as the caption of a page which will form a regular feature of Sunday's Colonist and will deal with matters relating to the simple life. The title has been chosen not because the subjects dealt with are simple, but because they are of that phase of life which brings us nearest to nature.

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AN HOUR WITH THE EDITOR

"THE GOOD DIE YOUNG"

(N. de Bertrand Lugin.)
"The good die young." This old saying has been quoted with infinite pathos when God has taken to himself unfinished lives that began in sweetest beauty.

and is embodied in all joy of living. The long thoughts of early youth are invariably tinged with melancholy and pessimism.

live under conditions, which are to some extent now existing in the most favored islands of the Pacific Ocean.

Anjou and Maine, which the prowess of Henry V. had won for the English crown. The marriage took place in 1445, when Margaret was sixteen years of age.

of the land was rededicated with the blood of its finest sons. It is said that the old nobility was practically exterminated; and it is certain that the foundations of parliament were reduced to the registration of the views of some dominant leader, who tolerated no interference.

found the strain too much for their delicate nerves. "The ordinary rattle and din of motor cars has increased tenfold since they began to deteriorate owing to usage, but the worst offenders with their iron shoe wheels, sometimes three or four groaning wagons behind them, and those that do not only deafening, but unnerve to a degree.

Current Verse

A panoramic June scene
For Summer now is near her noon:
In sunlight glow or moonlight sheen
The world is in the month of June.

The Old Home.

An old home, an old gate, an old house
An old wood, a wild brook—they will
Not let me be:
In boyhood I knew them and they still
Call to me.

One on Bangs

The perennial humorist, with
A heavy yearly output of stories,
Rimes, and books can
Hardly be blamed for occasionally
Repeating himself, such less can
He avoid the temptation of ringing
The changes on an old theme.

The Story Teller

"The child poet" Lewis Lewis, who
Died last February in Kent on the eve
Of his eleventh birthday, is the subject
Of memorial verses in the Spectator,
And some of his own verses, written
At seven, are set to long since they
Were by a reader who fancied "a gleam
Of precocious genius in the following
Very faulty but spontaneous lines:

There They Were.

"Not in a thousand years will blood
Forget blood: even in this great nation
Stream."
The column had been winding
All morning through open country.
Now it approached close woods and
High grass. The captain of the
Company, getting on an advance guard,

Man and Wife

"The snow was falling. The day was
Still grey and cold. Dr. Parkhurst,
Walking in the white flakes from his
Shoulders said:
'I have just witnessed an instructive
 happening—a happening that may
teach us why some marriages do not
succeed.

The Motor Driver.

Under a crimson touring car
The motor driver was
A very mighty man in
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"Twos Ever Thus.

The youth made eyes at the farmer maid,
She blushed with glance cast down,
He thought that he came from town,
And all the way he rode alone.

Some of us can remember the
stories that used to be popular twenty
or thirty years ago. Long stories
they were, most of them very long.
They began usually with the hero
or heroine as little more than children,
carried them through a brief but vivid
period called youth, and finally
brought them together at the end of
the story amid the pealing of wedding
bells and we closed the book quite
satisfied.

The world is growing younger as it
grows older, and the reason of this
is because it is growing happier, or
reverse the idea and say the world is
growing happier because it is growing
younger. What can make such a fact
possible unless the world is
growing better? Many claim that it
is not, but the vast majority of us
believe the latter.

As we come down through history
we notice the enduring eminence of
him to be mighty in the eyes of his
contemporaries. It was the first duty
of all men to be ready
to fight. Today when we speak of
having the few simple of our land, we
preserve a memorial of the fact that
in all countries, which we call
civilized, the tenure of land was based
upon the readiness of its occupier
to fight for the common defense.

Evolution of Peace.
Yesterday the second Peace Conference
assembled at the Hague. It has
taken many centuries to persuade men
that there may be some time or other
an era of universal peace, and the
thought of the long age during which
war has seemed to form the governing
factor in national existence, suggests
an inquiry into the origin of such a
condition of things. It must necessarily
be an evolutionary inquiry, for it is
impossible to do with things of which
we have only very fragmentary
records, and some of these have
been written in characters that none of
us are able to read with certainty.

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whatever avocations he may hold in
the councils of state, is of comparatively
minor importance in his own household.
It has been unkindly remarked that
his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Joseph's Programs
The mistress of the house is a cultivated
Bostonian of much musical
taste, and the whistling of the foot-
man, who believed himself alone in
the house, fretted her artistic soul.

Evolution of Peace.
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Wood-Wind.

Hither, Wood-Wind, lend thy lips
Where this mountain brooklet slips
O'er the rocks and o'er the ferns
Oaken bough and willow spray;
Lend thy lips, and let the tone
Of the fairy organ blow.

Wood-Wind.

Hither, Wood-Wind, open thy tongue
To the flute of a garden song;
There are notes that only thou
That sweetest form the wood and bough,
Notes that sing with piping sweet
Or the softest of the wood that dwell
Deep in Orpheus' golden shell.

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HOME GARDEN FRUIT CULTURE

THE FARM AND POULTRY YARD

IN THE POULTRY YARD

Cleanliness and Tidiness

The following excellent article is taken from Poultry, and the conditions and suggestions it contains are well worthy the serious consideration of Colonist readers who are interested in poultry raising and fruit culture.

"Something like a thousand times a year we come across the statement in some circular or the writings of some beginner in poultry literature, that some particular variety 'when seen on a green lawn' is the prettiest sight imaginable. We would probably be well within the facts if we were to say that this suggestion has been made of every variety in the Standard, and has become more badly worn than the place that makes it have been a green lawn in the average poultry yard.

"A strict regard for the actual truth impels us to say that the average poultry yard is unattractive. So in any place where living animals or birds are closely confined or even kept in this way, it is one of the facts we must contend with. It is a condition that we must overcome by direct means, and then not always succeed.

"Two few poultrymen give any thought to the neatness of their yards, take the evidence of our senses as a criterion by which to form our judgment. In many cases, the yards are allowed to become the rubbish heaps of the farm. Too many are mere bare enclosures, and even those which have no sense of beauty or the fitness of their surroundings.

"The man or woman who thinks neatness, orderliness and attention to her appearance does not come from a false pride, but from a mistaken perception of the basis of values.

THE FARM AND FIELD

The Holstein Friesian

The following official report from G. W. Clemons, secretary of the Holstein-Friesian Association of Canada, will be of interest to British Columbia dairymen who are interested in this remarkable breed of cattle.

Since my last report fourteen cows and heifers have made official records which entitled them to a place in the Record of Merit. These tests are vouchered for by Prof. Dean of the Ontario Agricultural College, and unless otherwise stated are for a period of seven days. The amounts of milk and butter fat are actual, and the amount of butter is estimated by adding one-sixth to the amount of fat.

1. Rose Rattler (740) at 5 y. 8 m. 7 d.; milk 462 lbs.; butter fat 18.80, equivalent to 21.94 lbs. butter.

2. Daisy Monarch (3,967) at 4 y. 10 m. 14 d.; milk 463.56 lbs.; butter fat 13.83 lbs. equivalent to 16.13 lbs. butter.

3. Abbecker Trynke DeKok (4,241) at 4 y. 8 m. 20 d.; milk 479.7 lbs.; butter fat 12.23 lbs. equivalent to 14.23 lbs. butter.

4. Corinne Albino DeKok (6552) at 3 y. 2 m. 19 d.; milk 330.2 lbs.; butter fat 12.23 lbs. equivalent to 14.23 lbs. butter.

IN THE GARDEN

This is the time of year when the amateur gardener feels that he is entitled to swing in the hammock under his vine or fig tree and enjoy the fruits of his more or less laborious exertions during the spring and early summer months.

Nothing is more distressing than to have a choice rose bush covered with rare and beautiful bloom suddenly begin to wilt, and upon examination to find that the tender young shoots are covered with the green aphid; or to discover that the bush is being ruined by mildew.

These things are very annoying, and cannot always be altogether prevented, but, by exercising a little care and discretion, one can to a very large extent remedy existing evils.

"The spraying should be done on a calm, bright day after the dew has disappeared, as the work is more effective if the solution is put on in the warm sunlight. When rain follows the spraying within a few hours, the extermination of the mustard will not be complete.

"The green fields should be sprayed when the mustard plants are in the third leaf, or before the plants are in blossom. In order to have the spray do the most effective work, the following the spraying, the tips of the blades of the grass may be somewhat blackened, but no detrimental effects can be noticed, either to the crop or grasses seeded with it, two weeks after spraying.

"Daisies, cockspur, bird weed, rag weed, chickory, sheep sorrel, yellow dock, wild lettuce, and many other weeds were partially or wholly eradicated from the fields where tests were made from the extermination of the mustard.

"Iron sulphate can be purchased for about seven dollars per ton in small quantities and is sold for considerably less. One hundred pounds of iron sulphate will make sufficient solution for the proper strength to spray approximately one acre. From twenty to twenty-five acres of land can be covered in a day where the spraying is continued.

"The iron sulphate solution is not poisonous and can be readily handled without injury. White clothing coming in contact with it will be discolored, but not burned.

THE USE OF THE HOE

It's easy, very easy, to save doctor's bills, green grocers' bills and achieve success at one and the same time by simple and very inexpensive means.

Our forefathers' garden plot stand-by, the hoe, will serve the purpose admirably. This long handled implement of simple form will do wonders to human nature as well as for plant growth, and a few minutes' exercise with it daily for even ten days will be most convincing of its great value.

"For plant life the hoe is a wonderful soil conditioner and benefactor. It need not be plunged deeply into the soil, but should be drawn just below the surface. This requires but trifling strength or energy and accomplishes much.

"The crust on the earth is thus broken and air, light and warmth penetrate, sweeten and convey to the roots what the plant needs. Hoisting the hoe lightly done, checks the loss of moisture from the earth by breaking up the channels of its escape; and rainfall, which is so necessary, is not absorbed and holds not only rainfall, but dew as well.—Ex.

How to Kill Root Maggots

If you do not object to an evil odor there is a remarkable insecticide which will rid your vegetable garden of all kinds of plant maggots. It is made by passing sulphur fumes over red-hot charcoal, and liquefying the vapor by condensation. It is a clear, white, heavy liquid, which when it evaporates very rapidly and is inflammable.

"If the earth is packed too tight the fumes will be unable to circulate through the soil. For small plants, such as cabbages, begin to drop their leaves you may suspect the maggot. Scrape a little soil from the stem for a few inches down and, if present, they will be found clustering around the plant. Take a stick and bore a hole, commencing three or four inches from the plant, and extend it down to the roots in an oblique direction, being taken not to come in direct contact with them. Then pour the carbon bisulphide into the hole, and the earth packed firmly on top to keep the fumes below the surface of the ground. For small plants, a teaspoonful will be sufficient, but a large plant will require a tablespoonful of soda. A teaspoonful or tablespoonful of these put into a gallon of water will act like magic on the poor wretched maggots.

"If you have window boxes this food should be given once a month all summer long. The boxes hold so little earth that the plants very soon use all the food there is and must then live on what they get from air and water. Hanging baskets require the same care.

"Manure water is as good as any of the fertilizers, and is undoubtedly the favorite, but they take longer to mature than some extra early varieties, such as golden bantam and first of all. As the last named little fellows stand cold weather better, they should be selected for late planting, and while it means taking chances it pays to do so nine times in ten.—Ex.

Pansies and Sweet Peas

Don't forget to go over the pansies and sweet peas every day and remove all withered flowers. Don't let them rot, but wash with water as any part of their bloom.

IN THE APIARY

Facts About Bees

The young bee, as an insect from her cell, is a babylike creature, but a few days she is at the height of her strength and usefulness. She stays at home, as a rule, for about a week, and helps to do the housework of the hive, removing dead bees and foreign matter, attending the queen and tending her, secreting wax, building comb, caring for the larvae and ventilating the hive.

When first hatched the bee appears to have no desire to collect honey; she must first see how the entrance of the hive before the desire awakens, and go forth to the honey fields. When order, she returns to the field, where she collects honey, or is detailed to do sentinal duty at the entrance of the hive, for bees have a habit of placing a guard at the entrance of other colonies.

"When they desire to dispense with a royal personage they politely, but fatally chatter about her so closely that she is smothered to death. When a swarm is put into a new hive, they leave their old home each bearing her honey sack so as to provide for the journey.

"The habits of the workers account for the cleanliness in the hive, for the exquisite purity of the honey-comb. During winter bees are almost dormant, eating comparatively little.—Ex.

The Best Style of Hives

It is an erroneous idea that a hive must be expensive or complicated in order to give the best results. The simpler it can be made, the more requirements are necessary. No patent hives are necessary. The original Langstroth frame was patented, but that patent expired years ago.

"I used to think that a hive needed some kind of a box cap or roof to shed rain, but I have since learned that now think a plain loose board cover one that can be raised and used for a cover to the hive. This is the best possible arrangement.

"The bottom board should also be as simple as possible. Don't want any combined winter and summer arrangement. Why? They are too expensive. They must not get too much honey tied up in the winter, and that add nothing to the income.—Ex.

A Story of Real Life

At the Illinois agricultural experiment station are two cows, the story of whose work is well worth telling. They were purchased on a farm near Elgin, Ill., and obtained their early education in the same herd of one hundred cows, and their surroundings and their progress has been in opposite directions. It is not a difference of kind or breed, but a difference in the way they have earned for the owner.

The Brides of

Just now the June bride interested in the world, for her trousseau in the minds of professional sewers.

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Feminine Fancies and Home Circle Chat

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Household Recipes

Cabbage and Pepper Salad... Cabbage and Pepper Salad—Use a crisp, tender, white cabbage; remove the wilted leaves, divide into quarters and cut off most of the core...

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## COMPLAIN ABOUT POWDER WORKS

South Saanich Deals With Inquiry About Telegraph Bay Plant

## SOLICITOR TO LOOK INTO MATTER

Will Advise Council as to Powers—Many Other Matters Before Last Night's Council Meeting.

The powder works at Telegraph Bay came up for discussion at the session of the South Saanich council last evening. A communication from the General Agencies Corporation (R. Ward & Co.) was received asking the council what were the regulations governing the operations of the works there and whether or not all precautions for the safety of the residents of the district had been taken. Further it was asked upon whom devolved the duty of inspecting the works and seeing that the law and regulations governing them were complied with.

Discussing the matter, Councillor Quick stated that the council should seriously consider its responsibility in the matter. To his knowledge there were very large quantities of powder stored there, it was true that the magazines were placed at some distance apart, but the terrific force of the explosion of one would be almost certain to effect the others. As an example, there had been an explosion arising from some waste products a few years ago in which two men had been killed and windows at a distance of nearly three miles broken. He believed that in the event of an explosion of any of the magazines themselves, the entire settlement at Telegraph Bay would be wiped out.

Councillor Moore also spoke on the same subject, and instanced the precautions which were taken at Esquimalt when admiralty explosives were stored there. He thought the council should ascertain what inspection was made and which kept.

In further discussing the question, Councillor Quick referred to the fumes which were given off from the works. Nitric acid and glycerine were mixed in the making of nitroglycerine, and there was no attempt made to carry the noxious fumes arising from the process into the air. They were a source of discomfort to the entire neighborhood.

It was finally resolved on the motion of Councillor Quick, seconded by Councillor Moore, that the municipality's sollicitors should be consulted with a view to finding out the status of the council in the matter. It was further directed that the General Agencies Corporation be notified in writing informing them that the council was giving the matter their attention.

Another question to which considerable interest is attached was brought to the surface when a letter was read from the secretary of the Victoria Creamery, who moreover was present in person to confirm his written communication. At a former meeting of the council the clerk was directed to write the company informing them that they must arrange for a different system of sewerage disposal. The complaints of a stench arising from the open drain which carries off the waste, etc., from the factory's septic tank were numerous. The letter received last evening stated that the creamery company was considering moving its establishment from its present site outside the bounds of the municipality. While they remained in their present position they would endeavor to modify the cause of the

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being prepared, and will be issued shortly. The days of arrival and departure have not yet been determined, but it is known that trains will reach Vancouver at 4:30 o'clock in the morning and departures will be at 4:40 o'clock in the afternoon.

## GEYSER IS FOUND ON SALT SPRING ISLAND

Prospectors By Boring For Minerals Start Unusual Flow of Water

A geyser has broken out on the summit of Mount Bodwell, Salt Spring Island. The residents of that vicinity did not know of its existence until a short time ago, when a volume of water of considerable amount commenced flowing down the mountain side through the adjacent agricultural districts.

The phenomenon aroused the curiosity of several of the farmers and they proceeded to investigate. Following up the stream they were led to the top of the mountain, and there found water spouting from the rocks to a height of between ten and twelve feet. In the endeavor to ascertain the cause of this unusual occurrence the fact that some time ago a number of prospectors had bored into the rock at that point in the search for certain deposits of mineral was disclosed. The geyser, therefore, is not purely the result of natural influences, but might be more correctly termed an artesian well of exceptional proportions.

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## \$5.75 Tomorrow Buys Ladies' Silk Underskirts

Regular Value \$8.75  
 We offer tomorrow a number of Ladies' Silk Underskirts in colors, pink, red, green, navy and black, made very full with the new French ripple. The regular and sale prices are as follows:

Sale Price Tomorrow	Regular Values	Sale Price Tomorrow
<b>\$5.75</b>	12 at \$7.50	<b>\$5.75</b>
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## Third Week of Old Time Whitewear Sale Opens With Important Sale of High Class Waists

On Special Sale Tomorrow, \$1.90  
 Regular Values \$2.50 and \$3.50

LADIES' FINE MULL BLOUSE, front of fine pin tucks and sprays of hand embroidery, back with rows of fine pin tucks to form yoke, sleeve finished with tucked cuff edged with valenciennes lace, collar to match. Price. **\$1.90**

LADIES' FINE MULL BLOUSE, entire front made of tucked mull embroidery insertion and valenciennes, six rows of tucking down back, 3-4 sleeve finished with embroidery cuff, tucked collar. Price **\$1.90**



On Special Sale Tomorrow, \$1.90  
 Regular Values \$2.50 and \$3.50

LADIES' FINE LAWN BLOUSE with long pointed yoke made of valenciennes insertion, lower part of blouse made with large embroidered panel edged on either side with valenciennes insertion, six rows of hemstitched tucks down back, 3-4 sleeve finished with a cuff of insertion and lace, collar to match. Price **\$1.90**

## House Furnishings Dept. Offer Splendid Bargain Chances Tomorrow

Rugs at Half Price Tomorrow--25 Choice Axminster Rugs Offered

We offer these choice Axminster Rugs, size 30x60 and 36x72. They are aristocrats of "Rugdom" and stand for the highest quality, will last a lifetime. Regular values range up to \$6.75. Monday morning, each **\$3.35**

Swiss Point Curtains at Sacrificed Prices--75 Pairs Offered Tomorrow

House Furnishings Department

We will dispose of 75 pairs of finest quality Swiss Point Curtains, size 3 1/4 yds. by 45 inches. Worth regular up to \$4.75 per pair. Monday's sale price per pair **\$2.75**

Choice Carpet Samples at Clearance Prices Tomorrow

Fifty Carpet Samples are placed on sale tomorrow, representing the choicest productions and are the best yet offered. They are certainly bewitching and are the best yet offered. They are in one and a half and two yard lengths. We can assure our customers of a very serviceable buy at the prices quoted:

Brussels Samples \$1.00 and **75c**  
 Axminster Samples at \$2.50 and **\$1.25**  
 Wilton Samples at \$2.50 and **\$1.50**

## Particulars of New Goods Just Received--Moderate Prices Govern the Best Grade

**Ladies' New Silk Jumper Suits**

We have received a particularly fine variety of these popular suits that are distinctly well tailored and finished. Considering their high grade qualities, they are particularly low priced.

**LADIES' BLUE AND WHITE CHECK SILK JUMPER SUIT,** skirt seven gore with cluster of pleats at each seam, jumper trimmed with straps of blue silk and stitching. Price **\$25.00**

**LADIES' SILK JUMPER SUITS,** in small check, colors blue and white, and brown and white, full pleated skirt, jumper tucked and trimmed with straps of plain color, new kimona sleeve, exceedingly stylish. Price **\$25.00**

**LADIES' JUMPER SUIT** in extra good quality of black silk taffeta, box pleated skirt, jumper with kimona na sleeve and girdle, trimmings of silk braid. Price **\$30.00**

**LADIES' SHIRT WAIST SUIT** in taffeta silk, colors light grey and black, skirt made with clusters of pleats, blouse with tucked yoke and trimmed with lace, elbow sleeve. Price **\$30.00**

**The New Fancy Ribbons Arrived**

We are showing new fancy Ribbons in floral and stripe effects, special per yard 25c, 20c and **10c**

**CHOICE NEW DRESSEN RIBBONS** in all colors, special per yard 85c, 65c, 50c and **35c**

**Men's Low Priced Footwear**

**\$4.00** per pair for Men's Patent Colt Blucher Oxford, welt.

**\$3.50** per pair for Men's Tan Vici Kid Oxfords, Blucher cut, welt sole.

**\$3.00** per pair for Men's Dongola Lace Boots, welt sole.

**\$3.50** per pair for Men's Tan Vici Blucher Bals, welt sole.

**\$3.50** per pair for Men's Velour Calf Blucher Oxfords, welt sole.

**\$2.50** per pair for Men's Dongola Kid Oxfords, heavy sole.

**\$1.75** and **\$2.50** per pair for Men's White Canvas Oxfords.

**New Arrivals in Wallpaper Dept.**

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 The Queen of the County by Charlotte Braeme.  
 The Count's Secret by Emile Gaboriau  
 Love's Warfare by Charlotte Braeme.  
 Her Second Choice by Charlotte Stanley.  
 A Wasted Love by Charles Garvice.  
 The Best Policy by K. Wynne.  
 The Earl's Atonement by Charlotte Braeme.  
 May Blossom by Margaret Lee.  
 A Study in Scarlet by Conan Doyle.  
 Dora Deane by Mrs. Holmes.  
 The Type-Writer Girl by Olive Rayner  
 Little Romp Edda by Laura Jean Libbey.  
 Wedded and Parted by Charlotte Braeme.  
 Lena Rivers by Mrs. Holmes.  
 A Great Mistake by Charlotte Braeme.  
 A Golden Dawn by Charlotte Braeme.  
 The White Witch by Charlotte Braeme  
 Lady Diana's Pride by Charlotte Braeme.  
 A Struggle for the Right by Charlotte Braeme.  
 Little Goldie by Mrs. Hayden.  
 A Charity Girl by Effie Rowlands.  
 The Master of Ettersberg by E. Werner.  
 The Bank Robbers by Arthur Griffiths.  
 My Lady Pride by Charles Garvice.

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## PEACE CONFERENCE BEHIND CLOSED DOORS

Committees Are Appointed General Organization Work Done

## ARMAMENT QUESTION

Brazil Inclined to Fight for Doctrine—Efforts Friction.

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**Mrs. Potter Pa.**  
 London, June 18.—The Mrs. Potter Pa. who was engaged to marry the Duke of Devonshire, is reported to have been completely unwell. She has been in bed for several days. Her condition is reported to be improving.

**Mr. Chamberlain**  
 London, June 18.—Mr. Chamberlain is reported to have been in bed for several days. His condition is reported to be improving.

**Australia's Move**  
 London, June 18.—The Australian government is reported to have decided to move the capital from Melbourne to Sydney.

**His Cutter Sunk**  
 Fired at  
 Sebastopol, June 17.—A cutter was reported to have been sunk by a torpedo from a Russian submarine. The cutter was carrying a large quantity of supplies.

**Whitehead Fired at**  
 Whitehead, June 15.—The Whitehead was fired at by a Russian submarine. The ship was carrying a large quantity of supplies. The submarine was fired at by the Whitehead's guns.