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the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title to Section Sixteen (16), Township Three (3), Rupert District.

notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date hereof to issue a duplicate of the Certificate of Title to the above land, issued to Donald William Ross on the 22nd day of December, 1897, and numbered 4382c.

S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar General.

and Registry Office, Victoria, B. C., 15th June, 1901.

Striking Trackmen

Reports Read at Montreal Committee Meeting That Men Are Holding Out.

Bluejackets and Marines for the Pacific Coast - Schooner Struck by a Whale.

Montreal, July 4.-A meeting of the grievance committee of the Brotherhood of Trackmen was held this morning at the Grand Union hotel, President Wilson in the chair. A large number of reports were read from different representatives of the association along the C. P. R., all claiming the men were holding out in a very satisfactory manner. A printed circular was read, a copy of which will be sent to all members of the association. In it the men were expected to stand firm on the great struggle for liberty and justice, claiming if they would only do so they would surely be victorious. As the strike might be prolonged for a while longer, the men were advised to take employment outside if they were able to get it, and they might rest assured that when a settlement was reached they would be reinstated in their old positions.

Struck by a Whale. Schooner Selig, Capt. Blais, just arrived from Labrador, reports having been struck by a whale and almost thrown on beam ends while coming up the Gulf. The vessel, however, sustained no damage.

Obituary. Hon. G. C. V. Buchanan, a former member of the Superior court bench, died yesterday. He was on the bench from 1881 to 1887.

Drowned Himself. The Bishop of Algona, died at Lachine this morning aged 80.

Brookville, July 4.-James Downey committed suicide at Cardinal to-day by drowning in the canal.

Customs Returns. Customs returns show Montreal collects 75 per cent more revenue than is collected at the next largest port of the country, and nearly one-third of the total customs revenue of Canada.

Too Hot. Hamilton, July 4.-A number of men confined in the city jail for minor offences refused to work this morning, saying it was too hot. Capt. Ogilvie threatened the prisoners with severe punishment, and ordered Ed. Murphy, a leader, confined in the black hole for a few hours. Thereupon the other prisoners came to Murphy's aid. The police were notified, and sent down a dozen officers, who overpowered the mutineers.

Increase in Revenue. Quebec, July 4.-The revenue of the land, forest and fisheries department, province of Quebec, for the year ended June 30th was \$1,465,000, compared with \$1,209,500 for the same period last year.

Plains of Abraham. Sir Wilfrid Laurier signed the deed of sale of the historical plains of Abraham from the nuns of the Ursuline Convent to the Dominion Government this morning.

The Duke's Visit. Ottawa, July 4.-Lieut. Governor Jette and Premier Parent of Quebec, arrived to-night to consult with Lord Minto tomorrow on the programme of entertainment of the Duke of Cornwall in Quebec.

Fighting Fires. Lumbermen in the Kippewa district have sent a posse of men to assist in fighting bush fires, which are raging in that section and destroying much valuable pine timber.

Mills Destroyed. Exeter, Ont., July 4.-Dyer & Howard's planing mills were destroyed by fire yesterday. The loss is about \$7,000; no insurance.

Proposed Canal Route. North Bay, Ont., July 4.-Hon. J. I. Tarte arrived here yesterday from Algona Mills, having made the trip through the French river and then taking the steamer for Algona, thence here via the C. P. R. He is much impressed with the proposed canal route through French river, which will shorten the grain route between the west and sea board via the Canadian Pacific railway.

Interfering With Workmen. Sudbury, Ont., July 4.-Four additional men have been arrested here for interfering with workmen on the C. P. R. track. Three have been sentenced to fifteen days in jail and one to six months.

Farmer's Suicide. North Augusta, Ont., July 4.-Robt. McCoy, aged 50, a prosperous farmer who lived about six miles north of here, in Grenville county, committed suicide this morning by hanging. The deed was due to a deranged mind.

Anglican Council. Port Arthur, Ont., July 4.-The sixth triennial council of the division of Algona (Anglican) met at 10 a. m. to-day. The proceedings opened with a celebration, communion. Bishop Thornloe was the celebrant. The bishop then read the

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HEAT WAVE CONTINUES.

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Philadelphia, Pa., July 6.-Although the oppressive heat continues to-day, at 11 o'clock only one death and half a dozen prostrations were reported, a large decrease from yesterday at the same hour. The minimum temperature during the night was 81.

At 11 o'clock the mercury had jumped to 90, three degrees hotter than yesterday. The humidity registered 35 per cent.

Victory For Leanders

Pennsylvania Crew Defeated in Final Heat For the Grand Challenge Cup.

The Winners Crossed the Finishing Line Leading By a Boat's Length

Henley, July 5.-To the disappointment of all the Americans at Henley the Leander Rowing Club crew this morning defeated the crew of the University of Pennsylvania in the final heat for the Grand Challenge Cup.

There was bright sunshine and puffy cross winds blew from the Buckle shore, slightly favoring the Leanders. The followers of the British crew evinced the greatest confidence and Leander money was everywhere available, but this confidence never exceeded anything beyond even money. A Philadelphia occupant of a boat in the race had invested \$500 in favor of his crew.

The following are the names of the two crews: Leander-C. A. Wills, bow; H. J. Duvalon, W. Dudley Ward, G. Maitland, C. D. Burnell, J. E. Payne, C. J. D. Goldie, R. Betington, stroke; C. S. Maclean, coxswain.

Pennsylvania-R. R. Sene, bow; R. H. Eisenbar, F. L. Davenport, N. Crowther, Jr., A. H. Flicker, G. S. Allyn, W. G. Gardner, J. P. Gardner, stroke; L. J. Smith, coxswain.

The Pennsylvania crew in their boat house at 11 o'clock, apparently as fit as possible, while many of the followers of the red and blue showed marks of the intense strain of the final minutes. The crew stripped, chatted and laughed as coolly as though going out for practice. Ellis Ward, the American cox, placed a miniature American flag upon the rudder of his boat as the coxswain came to the boathouse, and said to Smith: "Keep that as far ahead of my boat as you can."

Both crews at the start showed no trace of nervousness, and were sent away in capital style, the Pennsylvanians rowing 43 to the minute to the Leanders' 42.

At the end of the Temple island the Americans led by three men. At Freely the time was 3 minutes 22-5 seconds, with the Leanders three feet ahead. From there it was ding-dong, a splendid struggle, out of which the Leanders gained inch by inch. The mile was reached in 3 minutes 15 seconds. With the Leanders half a length ahead, which they increased to three-quarters of a length at the Isthmian. The Pennsylvanians made a desperate spurt but it was no good, and two men weakened perceptibly opposite the grand stand.

The Leanders won by a length. Time, 7 minutes 4-5 seconds. "It was a grand race," said coach Ward, as the Leanders crossed the finish line. "We were simply outrowed and have no other explanation to make."

It certainly was the best and most exciting contest ever seen at Henley. There was scarcely the advantage of three feet in the Leanders' station. The cheering for the contestants as they struggled for the lead was terrific. Even while the United States government was sweeping them from the sea if they should begin operations against the commerce of any nation.

Not Treated Seriously. Washington, July 6.-The report from Brussels that former President Kruger was being urged to notify the powers that unless they intervene in South Africa he will commission privateers, is not treated seriously here. It is well understood, as one outcome of the war with South Africa, that the United States government will never again, except in the most extraordinary emergency, issue letters of marque, and the reasons that impel the government to this course undoubtedly would be to prevent the United States government from recognizing any such warrants issued by any other nation, even were that nation in full standing.

The threat to send out privateers without President Kruger's consent is idle. It is pointed out here that such craft would be pirates, pure and simple, and the civilized world would combine to sweep them from the sea if they should begin operations against the commerce of any nation.

Mrs. Ronalds Honored. London, July 6.-Mrs. Ronalds, one of the American ladies who raised the fund with which the hospital ship Maine was bought and equipped for the use of the British in the Boer war, has been gazetted as an honorary lady of grace of the order of St. John of Jerusalem.

Will Not Visit States. The Hague, July 6.-Mr. Kruger has definitely abandoned his American visit on account of travelling fatigue, as well as the clearly expressed attitude of the government of the United States government.

GOT FOUR YEARS. London, July 4.-George Howard, who was arrested at St. Vincent, Morgan's house, where he pretended to be repairing electric wires, was sentenced to-day to four years' penal servitude.

Northern Telegraphs

Citizens of Port Simpson Thank Mr. Charleson and His Staff

For the Excellent Work in Connection With Building of the Line

Port Simpson, B. C., July 5.-At a meeting convened at the Great Northern hotel on June 20th, a most hearty vote of thanks was proposed by J. M. Lindsay Alexander and seconded by the Rev. Wm. Hogan to J. B. Charleson, the superintendent of the public works in the Yukon district.

"For the very able way in which he had carried out the construction of the telegraph line from Port Simpson to Hazelton within the prescribed time, and for so doing has placed us in communication with the outside world."

"The community at large feel deeply grateful to the government, Mr. J. B. Charleson and his splendid staff, from the highest in command to the lowest, who have nobly done their duty to Canada and the Empire, and at the same time won the respect of the northern coast by their obliging disposition, friendly bearing and good conduct."

"We know the almost unsurmountable obstacles that beset their path, deep snow, heavy timber and the turbid waters of the fast flowing Skeena river, yet they have carried their work out to a successful issue. Canada may well be proud of such sons, and Sir Wilfrid Laurier's government of such faithful servants. May they long be spared to work faithfully for this country."

"Signed for the citizens of Fort Simpson: J. M. Lindsay Alexander, William Hogan, Geo. Rudge and D. O. Robertson."

Mr. Charleson replied to the vote of thanks as follows: "Gentlemen-When I came out here my instructions were to build the Yukon line and to shove it through as quickly as possible. My instructions also were after that as near as possible a commercial, but at no time was it to be a political line. When I came here I knew very little about the country, but the government wanted connections made as quickly as possible, and I went to work, and we rushed it. I am glad that I have met with the appreciation of the citizens of Fort Simpson."

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Ottawa, July 5.-Three months' leave of absence has been granted Judge Craig, of Dawson City, who is coming out to undergo treatment for ailment he has contracted in the Yukon.

Woodstock, Ont., July 5.-At the High school exercises yesterday, Hon. James Sutherland in his address, said he favored schools being equipped with boxing gloves for the use of boys.

St. John, July 5.-The Dominion convention of King's Daughters opened here yesterday with good attendance of delegates, including Miss Thorne, representing British Columbia. Reports were received from New Brunswick, Ontario, Quebec and the North-west. New Brunswick and Quebec reported decreases in membership.

PRINCE HOHENLOHE DEAD. Former German Imperial Chancellor Passed Away Last Evening.

Berlin, July 6.-Prince von Hohenlohe, formerly German Imperial chancellor, died at Ragatz, Switzerland, last evening.

Prince von Hohenlohe's death was generally unexpected here, as he left Berlin weeks ago apparently in good health, although his increasing weakness was evident. The Prince arrived at Ragatz extremely exhausted. His death is attributed to the weakness of old age.

The arrangements for the transportation of the body to Germany and for the obsequies are not yet definitely determined; but it is expected that the remains will be conveyed to the Hohenlohe ancestral home, at Schillings-Peintr, Bavaria, where the family vault is situated, and where the body of Prince von Hohenlohe's wife is interred.

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Scenes of Bloodshed

Two Persons Instantly Killed and Three Seriously Injured By Italians.

Colored Soldiers Used Their Guns and Two Men Were Wounded.

St. Eubenville, Ohio, July 5.-One of the bloodiest affrays in the history of West Virginia Panhandle occurred at Wheeling Junction last night, and three Italians left a trail of blood behind their knives, almost wiping out an entire family.

The dead are: Jacob Eidenour, aged 80 years, stabbed in the heart; William Eidenour, son, left jugular vein cut and stabbed in the heart. The injured are: Philip Eidenour, a son, stabbed over the eyes, in the breast and on the leg, may die; Mrs. Jacob Eidenour, aged 80, stabbed in the left side, may die; and Robert Eidenour, a son, cut on both arms.

According to Mrs. Philip Eidenour, of St. Eubenville, herself and husband, with their baby, were visiting Mr. Eidenour's parents, and as they were leaving the home of Mr. Eidenour's parents, the father's family went up on the main road to see them off. Three Italians, part of a gang working on the railroad, came along and one of them said something to Robert Eidenour, who called them a vulgar name. The three Italians then flashed stilettes, killed the father and William almost instantly, cut Philip frightfully, and after stabbing Mrs. Philip Eidenour and Robert, fled.

Police on The Scene

There Have Been Several Encounters Between White Fishermen and Japs.

Patrol Boats Tried to Prevent Orientals From Fishing in Fraser.

Vancouver, July 8.—The first clash between the white union fishermen and the Japanese on the Fraser river occurred last night.

Right opposite Steveston a Japanese boat started to fish. A patrol boat bore down and asked the Japs to haul in their nets.

Almost exactly the same thing occurred at the mouth of the North Arm, where the numbers on both sides were larger.

At MacPherson's cannery on Dinmore island the union men cut open the heads of a couple of Japs, and for a time blood flowed quite freely.

Chief Hussey is on the scene with a number of provincial policemen. The Japs are carrying shotguns and ammunition.

New Westminster, July 8.—The latest offer of the cannery to fishermen, submitted to a meeting of the Fishermen's Grand Lodge in New Westminster on Saturday afternoon, was rejected.

The Dead Ex-Chancellor

A Summary of the Late Prince von Hohenlohe's Estimate of Emperor William.

He Was Amazed at the Kaiser's Knowledge of Current Events.

London, July 8.—By far the most interesting comments upon the career of Prince von Hohenlohe, many columns of which appear in the London morning papers, are those of the Times, whose Paris correspondent, M. de Blowitz, makes important revelations regarding the dead statesman.

Regarding Emperor William's famous telegram to Mr. Kruger at the time of the Jameson raid, Prince von Hohenlohe said: "If the Emperor had known that Jameson had so many sons of respectable English families with him he would not have sent the telegram."

On his appointment to the Imperial Chancellery he wrote as follows: "I know what a burden I am taking upon my old shoulders. I hope for nothing and am resigned to everything."

FOUR MEN DROWNED. Their Boat Capsized While Occupants Were Returning to Lumber Camp.

Erromanga Falls, Que., July 8.—Four men, named respectively P. Thompson, Jos. Lebarre (married), Thos. Dougherty and Geo. Wardell, the last named a former member of first Canadian contingent to South Africa, all of East Angus, Que., were drowned here on Saturday night by the capsizing of a boat in which they, with others, were returning to camp from work.

KILLED BY A TRAIN. St. Louis, Mo., July 8.—While sketching on the track of the Burlington railway near Louisiana, Mo., Miss Eva M. Reed, assistant librarian of the Missouri Botanical Garden, and a well known writer on botany and geological subjects, was run over and instantly killed by a passenger train yesterday.

SUNDAY OBSERVANCE.

Attitude of Anglican Clergy and Party Denounced by Methodist Minister.

Nanaimo, July 8.—At the request of local (Anglican) Bishop Perrin, Victoria, a special sermon to them, yesterday in St. Paul's church.

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Members of the Beguny Willingly Consent to Being Put to Death.

Women Confess to Having Smothered Victims With Pillows—Peasants Arrested.

New York, July 8.—The World today contains a St. Petersburg Russia, dispatch which says:

"Twenty peasants, twelve of them women, have been arrested and imprisoned in the province of Rasanania and Ekhorson for having been implicated in a new outbreak of Beguny atrocities.

"In the cases just discovered the victims were given a more merciful death, by consenting to the sacrifice. The favorite method is to bury alive those selected for the sacrifice."

The Beguny has existed for nearly thirty years. Though its followers are religious fanatics, the Beguny was originally a political and economical organization.

AT WORK ON CLAIMS. Men Busy on Klondike Properties—Gold Cargo Reaches Seattle.

Seattle, July 8.—The steamer City of Seattle has arrived from Lynn Canal with a Klondike cargo of \$200,000, all, save \$100,000, consigned by the Canadian Bank of Commerce to the United States assay office in this city.

Shooting at Bisley. Forty-second Annual Meeting of National Rifle Association Opened To-day.

London, July 8.—The forty-second annual meeting of the National Rifle Association opened at Bisley to-day in brilliant weather. The entries generally are satisfactory, but there is a notable absence of coloniala, Canada alone furnishing a full team.

BOERS AT MURRAYSBURG. Enemy Entered the Town, Burning Public Buildings and Residences.

London, July 8.—A special dispatch from Capetown, dated to-day, says: Scheepers's Boer commando has entered Murraysburg, Cape Colony, and burned the public buildings and residences. The town was not garrisoned.

ELECTION AT TRAIL. Trail, July 8.—Trail municipal election was held on Saturday. Col. Topping was elected mayor by acclamation.

Pain Over The Eyes. HEADACHE AND CATARRH Relieved in 10 Minutes.

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St. Louis, Mo., July 8.—While sketching on the track of the Burlington railway near Louisiana, Mo., Miss Eva M. Reed, assistant librarian of the Missouri Botanical Garden, and a well known writer on botany and geological subjects, was run over and instantly killed by a passenger train yesterday.

Increasing The Navy

The Admiralty Programme For Year Includes Building of Three Battleships.

Two of Them Will Be Called Dominion and Commonwealth—New Cruisers.

London, July 5.—Arnold Foster, the secretary of the Admiralty, in the House of Commons today announced that the year's shipbuilding programme includes three battleships of a new improved class, six cruisers of the Monmouth class, and ten improved torpedo boat destroyers.

The battleships will be of 16,500 tons and twenty feet longer than those of the formidable class. They indicated horsepower will be 18,000, and their speed 18 1/2 knots.

The new ships will be named King Edward, Dominion and Commonwealth, to commemorate the great support rendered to King and country by the two great branches of the kindred race.

Several Applications Were Made on Saturday, But Without Satisfactory Results.

Montreal, July 8.—The third week of the strike of C. P. R. trackmen has ended with results very much in favor of the company.

RUSSIA AND STATES. Washington, July 5.—Mr. de Wollant, the charge of the Russian embassy here, today called at the state department in behalf of his government and formally acknowledged the receipt of Secretary Hay's note respecting the imposition of Russian retaliatory tariff duties.

THE LAW. Of health has no uniform guardians of its peace. If it had there would be arrests innumerable in every restaurant every day of the year.

STRIKERS FINED. Chapleau, Ont., July 8.—A number of strikers boarded the C. P. R. train on the north shore of Lake Superior one day last week and endeavored to interfere with the workmen that the railway company had employed to fill their places.

Winnipeg, July 8.—At a meeting of the different railway organizations to consider the request of the striking trackmen to take action on their behalf, no decision was reached.

NEW WESTMINSTER, July 8.—George Hatch, deputy C. P. R. detective, was fined \$20 and costs at Ashcroft on Friday for intimidating a squad of deputy trackmen by pointing a gun at them.

ABRAMS E. SMITH, United States consul, is paying a short visit to the sound.

BRIDGES DESTROYED.

Cloud Bursts in Montana and Michigan Railway Traffic Interrupted.

Helena, Mont., July 5.—Traffic on the Northern Pacific railway has been stopped, and probably will not be resumed inside of 24 hours owing to the cloud burst which destroyed the bridge at night.

Damages in Michigan. Grand Rapids, Mich., July 5.—Western Michigan was visited by a disastrous cloud burst early to-day and the resultant damage will amount to thousands of dollars.

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HORSES FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

Col. Dent, Purchasing Agent for the Imperial Government, Coming West.

Col. Dent, who has charge of the purchase of horses in Canada for the British government, will visit British Columbia. The purchasing agent is anxious to secure horses suitable for South Africa.

Col. Dent will be at Kamloops on July 22nd and at Vernon on the 25th. The advertising in connection with the purchasing agent's visit to different points is through upon local organizations.

Charles N. Peterson, of Regina, secretary of the Horse Breeders' Association in the Northwest Territories, has written the Deputy Minister of Agriculture of the province, and also to Capt. Nash, Dominion land agent at Kamloops, urging upon them the necessity for advertising the visit of Col. Dent, so that horses may be offered for sale.

TO CELEBRATE THE TWELFTH. Orangermen Are Making Great Preparations For the Approaching Festivities—Elaborate Programme Has Been Arranged.

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The excursion from British Columbia will be in charge of Rev. W. H. Barralough, B. A., of Centennial Methodist church, of this city, and president of the British Columbia conference. So far the following have signified their intention of going: Rev. W. H. Barralough, B. A., Rev. Elliott S. Rowe, of Metropolitan Methodist church; Rev. Mr. Osterhout, and Mrs. Osterhout, of Port Simpson; Rev. W. W. Baer, of Nanaimo; Rev. A. M. Miller, of Esquimalt; H. J. Knott and Mrs. Knott, of Victoria; Miss C. E. Jones, of Victoria; Rev. E. R. Mead, of Vancouver; C. S. Kent, of New Westminster; Mrs. Mitchell and Miss Wilcox, of Chilliwack; and Mrs. McGilvary and Mrs. McGillivray, of Sumas. Of course there is a possibility of some of the foregoing being unable to go, but this is the list to date.

Many of the Eastern Canadian delegates will come this way, going from here both by way of steamer and overland. Rev. A. B. Osterhout, B. A., of Butte, Mont., brother of Rev. Mr. Osterhout, of Port Simpson, will arrive next week. Those who are overland will join the Seattle party at the Sound city. A splendid rate is being offered by some of the railroad companies. For instance, \$71 will take a delegate around by way of the Southern States, up through California to Frisco, thence home by way of this province, and over the C. P. R. The Southern Pacific is giving a round-trip rate to Los Angeles from San Francisco for \$10, while the side trips to the various points of interest in the interior of the Golden State or to the coast may be negotiated for \$18.50.

Of the approaching convention the San Francisco Argonaut says: The fifth International Epworth League convention, representing over two and a quarter millions of young people of the Methodist Episcopal church, will be held in San Francisco, July 18th to 21st. Delegates are expected not only from all quarters of the United States and Canada, but from the mission fields in over twenty different foreign countries. The Mechanics' Pavilion, with a floor space of about one hundred and twenty-five thousand square feet, has been secured for convention headquarters, and comfortable conversation rooms, transportation, information and entertainment booths, an emergency hospital, telegraph and telephone conveniences will be provided. During the convention the post office department will have a branch office in the building. Mail for this office should be addressed to "Epworth League Convention," Rooms 100 and 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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Hard Tussle—Fortune, However, Did Not Smile on Lacrosse Team.

THE Victoria baseball nine turned the trick once more by winning from the Tacoma Greys on Saturday at Oak Bay, and it was no easy victory by any means.

The Greys are really the strongest team that the locals have come against this season, and it was very nearly a very hitting that the boys won the game. The batting of the entire team has improved wonderfully, they having made safe hits in the last three games, and quite a few of the hits have been two and three baggers, and one a home run. Good stick work is what wins games, and if the boys can keep up their present pace with the bat, they will not lose many games this season. The heaviest batter on Saturday was "Doc" Greaves, securing a three-bagger, a double and a single. Schwengers came close at all, with two doubles and a single. Widdowson landed a double, Harrison, Holness and Copeland each got two singles. Barnes and McConnell got a single each, and Rourke failed to get his hit, but got two bases on balls. In the field, the old reliable Widdowson played the star game of the day. Barnes was the only outfielder that had any work to do, and he accepted both his chances. Barnes played first very well.

The battery work of Holness and Schwengers was, as usual, first class. Schwengers had his first base hit, and he hit it into a time when it did not make very much difference. Holness hit the visitors down well, in which they scored all their runs. For the visitors Hallwell pitched a neat game, and was well backed by Holness, his catcher, who caught an all-out perfect game. Holness was what is called a "pitcher's pitcher," and what is inclined to dispute Umpire Smith's decision on balls and strikes, and showed a nasty temper, when, after being struck out the first time at bat, he threw his bat away with considerable force. The only man on the team to get anything more than a single off Holness was Williamson, the short stop, who got one two-bagger and also a single. Connelly, Hallwell, Egan and Lindstrom got two singles each.

The Greys were called promptly at 4:15, and the boys at the bat. Connelly got a safe hit, Taft struck out, Holness got his base on balls, Carey and Hallwell struck out. Victoria went out in six, two and three in order in short field hits. Neither side managed to score in the second.

In the third, the first three Tacoma men up went out on infield hits to Widdowson and Holness. In the last half of the inning the Greys scored their first two runs on two-baggers by Haynes and Widdowson, and singles by Copeland and Harrison. The visitors again failed to score in the fourth, although Williamson made one two-base hit, his team mates could not bat him in.

The visitors scored another run in this inning. Schwengers starting with a double. Holness hit to the pitcher and was put out at first. Barnes hit towards short stop, who muffed it, and Schwengers went to home, coming in a second later on the left fielder's error. Second, Barnes getting to second on two second's throw to the plate. The rest was badgers went out. The fifth inning saw Schwengers striking out. Connelly got a single, Taft and Hodges struck out. For the locals Copeland and McConnell hit to home on a double. Rourke got a base on balls, while Harrison hit first and was put out. In the sixth three Greys crossed the plate. Holness, Williamson, Egan and Lindstrom singled, scoring the first three baggers. Shawa and Connelly struck out. The locals scored one man in their half of the inning on hits by Schwengers and Holness. In the seventh Hodges reached first on an error by Haynes. He stole both second and third, but was covered by third and home on Hallwell's sacrifice hit, and put out at third. Corey hit to McConnell, who threw him out at first. Williamson hit to first, going out. Victoria scored four more runs in their turn at the bat. Copeland singled, McConnell followed suit, Rourke struck out, Harrison hit the ball for two bases, scoring Copeland and McConnell. Schwengers also hit for two bags, and scored a run. Schwengers stole third and came home on a single by Holness. Barnes hit to home on a throw to second, putting Holness second, and scored a run. Barnes hit to home, completing a neat double play. The Tacoma boys did not score in the eighth. Egan started with a single. Lindstrom struck out, Shave hit to Widdowson, who threw to Barnes. Connelly struck out. Haynes opened for Victoria with a base runner. Widdowson sent up a fly to go fly to third, who missed it. Holness got first on balls. This left the men on bases and no one out. McConnell hit to the pitcher, forcing Barnes out at home, and Widdowson, instead of running to third, remained on second and was forced out by Copeland, who was compelled to run. McConnell being allowed to reach first. Rourke struck out. The boys had a fine chance in this inning, but missed it. The ninth opening rally for Victoria. The visitors commenced to find Holness out at first, and stole second. Hodges hit to short stop, Taft home, Barnes singled, and Hallwell home. Hallwell started

however, which sent the rubber well into the field, where Herman got it, and passed to Chase, who shot successfully. Time, 2 minutes. Things began to go with a rush. From the face off the ball sped toward the visitors' goal, was caught by Herman and put through on a long shot. Time, 1 minute.

A rush, a few passes, and Wicks again scored. Time, 1/2 minute. Another rush. A mix-up in front of the Victoria flags, and Herman sent the ball through on a short drive. Time, 1/2 minute. Victoria shook themselves and rallied slightly. McConnell got the ball well in on Vancouver's goal, and was chocked of a score by a chance kick by Matheson, who ran from the flag to receive him. The contest waged around Vancouver's goal, and Allan and York had opportunities which they took advantage of to show that they could play lacrosse. Reynolds got the ball and went down with it, trying a long shot from near centre, which failed. In pressing this advantage Wicks got a chance and scored again. Time, 7 minutes.

In the second half Dinsmore, for Victoria, made a good try, which was cleverly stopped by Matheson. McConnell did some good work, marred somewhat by erratic passing. The local goal was threatened for a few seconds, when Wicks carried the ball nearly the field's length, and passed to Marshall, who banged the net. Time, 5 minutes. The visitors manfully maintained the fight, and once again forced the ball past.

Table with columns: Tacoma, a.b.r.h.s.p.o.a.e. and Victoria, a.b.r.h.s.p.o.a.e. listing player statistics for both teams.

LACROSSE

VANCOUVER V. M. C. A. WON.

The Victoria lacrosse team was certainly "not in it" on Saturday at Vancouver, The Terminal City V. M. C. A. players defeated them by a score of 11 to 0, and in its very able report of the match the News-Advertiser says:

At the call of time, in the lacrosse match, Y. M. C. A. vs. Victoria on Saturday, the superior skill was a matter of fact. The local team, although the knowing ones were expecting a win for the team which kept the Westminsters thinking, a week ago, the extent of the superiority which was "posted" against the "Victoria" side, was a matter of considerable surprise. The strong field which attaches to the Y. M. C. A.'s as the coming champions of the province, was a good deal stimulated by the result, and the availability of the boys downing the Westminsters, when the two teams meet again, received considerable assurance. Although the score bespeaks overwhelming superiority for the visitors, there was a sufficient demonstration of good lacrosse by the visitors to make the win a creditable one, and to somewhat lessen the sting of defeat to the losers. The Victoria played a plucky game throughout, and in fact, the play was fast and well-contested. There was, however, an apparent weakness in their work on the part of the visitors, and they repeatedly lost advantages gained by bright individual play, through poor combination. Quite frequently during the game the ball would find its way into close proximity to the Vancouver's goal, only to be forced, slowly but surely, backward by the more disciplined and experienced local team. The Victoria team, too, was not playing according to its usual composition. Sam Norman, the goal-keeper, and Cullin, who played point in previous matches, were not in their places, and Tye, Smith and Lotzner, whom they might have called upon to play home-field, were also absent. This according to spokesmen for the visitors, weakened the team to some extent; but the difference in the difference between which the changes in the team may have caused, it was quite palpable that they were simply not in it with the Vancouver players. Every credit is due to the defeated team on the other hand for the plucky manner in which they maintained a losing contest, and the good-natured manner in which they accepted their beating. Throughout, and the whole game there was not a suggestion of loss of temper, or unsportsmanlike conduct.

The ball was faced at 3:12, and went with a rush into the visitors' territory, around the goal, before it was captured by the Victoria defence, and sent back. There was some little prancing around Vancouver's citadel, where Matheson, York and Allen did some fancy juggling. The ball was then sent to Tye, Smith and Alf Foreman, who put it through with a quick, vigorous stroke. Time, 0/2 minutes. From this on Vancouver commenced to reduce the intrusions between the teams. Although the Victoria did their utmost to hold them down and even started some guessing for a time as to which way the ball was destined, the cool, well-aimed play of the local team and its effect, and once more the contest was carried against the home defence. A quick pass by Chase, a clever put by Foreman, and another score was made in Vancouver's favor. Some rapid and brilliant play began at the commencement of the second quarter, and just for a bit there was promise of a score for the visitors, who got past the local defence, but were stopped by Tye, Smith and Alf Foreman. Some rapid and brilliant play began at the commencement of the second quarter, and just for a bit there was promise of a score for the visitors, who got past the local defence, but were stopped by Tye, Smith and Alf Foreman. Some rapid and brilliant play began at the commencement of the second quarter, and just for a bit there was promise of a score for the visitors, who got past the local defence, but were stopped by Tye, Smith and Alf Foreman.

Members of the Westminster lacrosse team watched the game, to get a line on the coming champions. Friends of the Y. M. C. A.'s were more than pleased with the manner in which the boys handled themselves. Al Larwill's face wore a happy smile. The Victoria played a gentlemanly game throughout. It was a good game. Those who thought it a little one-sided should remember that the Y. M. C. A.'s are cuckoos, and hard to beat.

The Victoria College school went to Nanaimo on Saturday last and contested a game with the Nanaimo church lads. The College school boys, after an exciting game, succumbed to the superior play of the Nanaimo aggregation. The score was 52 to 14, in favor of the home team. Rowbottom, of Nanaimo, made thirty runs, got out. Hanington took six wickets and Janion four for the College, and for Nanaimo Tongue took seven, Ball, two, and Sheppard one each.

THE CANADIAN CRICKET TEAM. The Canadian cricket team caded its tour here to-day with a sensational victory against the Philadelphia Cricket Club, thus giving them a record of one victory, one defeat, and two drawn games.

When play was resumed this morning the Canadians had a lead of 88 runs on their first innings. Starting their second innings they scored 196 for the loss of seven wickets, when they declared their innings closed. Symons and Counsel were the principal contributors, their partnership adding 85 runs.

This gave the Quakers a task of 224 runs. This was impossible, as only two hours remained to play. The start was made by the Victoria boys, who were downing the Westminsters, when the two teams meet again, received considerable assurance. Although the score bespeaks overwhelming superiority for the visitors, there was a sufficient demonstration of good lacrosse by the visitors to make the win a creditable one, and to somewhat lessen the sting of defeat to the losers.

THE RIFLE

LEAGUE SHOOT SCORES.

Table showing scores for the five teams in the league shoot. First League: First team 757, Second team 767, Third team 767, Fourth team 773, Fifth team 226. Second League: First team 734, Second team 644, Third team 384, Fourth team 353, Fifth team 222.

LAWN TENNIS.

NEARING THE FINALE. The play in the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club tournament is now drawing to the finish, and the excitement is consequently on the increase. The match between R. B. Powell and A. R. Martin yesterday was the star game of the tourney will be played at 5 o'clock between R. B. Powell, one 153, and R. Schwengers, one 151. Both players are in splendid form and a fine fight is anticipated. Yesterday's play resulted as follows: A. T. Goward and Mrs. Crow Baker beat R. Bell and Miss Hilde, 5/7, 6/6, 6/3. A. T. Goward beat J. D. Hunter, 6/4, 6/2. S. Powell and Miss V. Powell beat J. E. Pemberton and Miss Bell, 6/4, 6/2. R. H. P. Martin and Miss Goward beat F. Pinder and Miss Pinder, 6/4, 6/0. B. G. Prior beat J. E. Cornwall, 6/0, 6/4. A. T. Goward and Mrs. Crow Baker beat R. Bell and Miss Hilde, 5/7, 6/6, 6/3. Capt. Bowdler and Mrs. Burton beat S. Powell and Miss V. Powell, 7/5, 6/1.

Northwest International Yachtsmen's Association the following officers were elected: President, F. S. Barnard, of Victoria; vice-president, C. S. Bakes, of Tacoma; secretary, A. C. Tweedie, of Port Townsend; treasurer, W. H. Abbott, of Fairhaven; admiral, Fred S. Stinson, of Seattle; vice-admiral, W. H. Largie, of Victoria; commodore, Edgar A. Sims, of Port Townsend; vice commodore, F. Newman, of Seattle; fleet captain, R. G. Cook, of Seattle; executive committee, George E. Thompson, of Elliott, Bay Yacht Club; Russell Wainwright, of Queen City Yacht Club; A. Wainwright, of Victoria Yacht Club.

THE OAR. DESCRIPTION OF LEANDER'S VICTORY. Henley, July 5.—Theodore Cook, the Oxford sculler, wrote the following dispatch for the Associated Press. The morning dawned with splendid weather. There was a slight breeze off the bushes, but the wind fell towards noon, and there was very little difference indeed in the stamina. As the Pennsylvanians paddled down to the start, all of them were in huge straw hats. The crowd gave them a rousing reception, and they paddled rapidly through the crowd towards Temple Island. A few minutes after the Leanders came out. The cheering grew louder still, for there was an enormous crowd present, as after the Pennsylvanians' two victories the excitement was intense, for the Americans were confident, and though the Leanders had said nothing, their beautiful form, together with suppleness and elasticity, spoke volumes for their determination to win. Also they did with precisely the result I have indicated predicted ever since I saw them at their first work at Henley. Umpire Williams was coach, with H. Hart, the Pennsylvanian manager.

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CHAMPION JUNIOR FOOTBALL TEAM



The above is a cut of the South Park School Association football team, which won the Junior League cup last season, and is therefore the champion Junior team of British Columbia. The honor of holding the championship has never fallen to the lot of any school team in the province for two consecutive years. The South Park School team made a record score last year, obtaining 14 points out of a possible 16. The names of those in the picture, from left to right, are: Top row—F. Cullin, Miss A. D. Cameron (principal of the South Park School), J. Fawcett, W. Laing; second row—W. McAfee, T. Peden, Finlison (captain), R. Roscamp, W. Scott; third row—F. Fox, V. Callin, J. Thompson, V. Ireland.

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Do Not Feel Responsible

Statement of the Protestant Missionaries in China Explaining Their Position.

Contention That Recent Uprising Was Anti-Foreign Rather Than Anti-Christian.

The following statement, published in Chinese papers, received by R.M.S. Empress of China and drawn up by a representative committee, has been circulated throughout China and has received the assent of so large a number of missionaries of all churches and nationalities that it may be taken as representing the views of fully nine-tenths of the whole body of Protestant missionaries in China.

In view of the importance of the present crisis in the history of Christian in China, and of the fact that our position has been seriously misunderstood and our opinions and utterances subjected to adverse criticism, it has seemed to us advisable to make the following statement:

The points in the recent criticisms which most concern us are: 1. That missionaries are chiefly responsible for the recent uprising and (2) that they have manifested an un-Christian spirit in suggesting the punishment of those who were guilty of the massacre of foreigners and native Christians.

I. With reference to the first of these charges we would remark:

1. That when the facts concerning this uprising are rightly understood, it will be found that its causes are deep-rooted and manifold. The history of foreign relations with China has all along been that of a predatory prejudice on the one hand and force on the other. The government of China has never given a friendly reception to foreigners. It has resented their presence and yield grudgingly a few rights obtained from it by treaty. This old standing ill-will was deeply intensified by the political humiliation and loss of territory which followed the war with Japan.

The rise of the Boxer movement in Shanghai and its rapid growth there and in the adjacent province of Chi li, will be found to have amongst its immediate causes: (a) the shortness of food, almost amounting to famine, which prevailed in those regions; (b) the irritation caused by the industrial and economic changes caused by railway construction and other foreign enterprises; (c) the seizures of Kiaochau, Port Arthur, and Wei-hai-wei, which were bitterly resented as unavailing aggressions; and (d) the projection and forcible surveying of a railway route through the province of Shantung, which produced intense local exasperation.

2. The recent uprising was anti-foreign rather than anti-Christian. Native Christians have suffered mainly because they have been reckoned as "secondary citizens" in the eyes of the foreigners. Moreover, the destruction of railways and the attacks on railway engineers preceded the destruction of mission compounds and the slaughter of missionaries. Nor should it be forgotten that among the facts of the outbreak are the seizure of the legations, the destruction of the property of the Imperial customs, and the indiscriminate massacre of foreigners and of Chinese found in possession of foreign arms and articles. Missionaries were residing in the interior, and were without the means to defend themselves, entirely accounts for the large numbers who perished. Had they been foreigners but not missionaries, the result would have been the same.

3. The charge also includes the statement that missionaries have brought the present disaster upon themselves; on the one hand, by a lack of appreciation of the fact that the Chinese people are, and on the other, by disregard of Chinese prejudice and etiquette. It is conceivable that isolated statements and actions may thus be construed, but for the missionary body as a whole, we can assert that this statement is without foundation.

Believing as we do that the gospel's God's message of salvation to mankind, and that, in a sense in which the wisdom of no sage can ever be, we must, as faithful servants of our Lord, reiterate both the great affirmations and the gracious invitations of the gospel, and where the claims of the Gospel are brought face to face with such superstition and idolatry as prevail among the masses of China, a certain measure of opposition and resentment is sure to be excited. For this we do not feel called upon to apologize. But the amount of opposition thus excited has been greatly exaggerated. The conciliating effect of the work done by their hospitals, colleges, schools, and famine relief has far more counterbalanced any prejudice raised by the preaching of the Gospel. In spite of all that has recently taken place, it remains true that our position in China has not been secured so much by treaty rights as by the goodwill of the people themselves. And it is worthy of remark that those missionaries in the interior who did reach the coast, saw their escape in large measure to the friendliness of officials and people.

4. To the charge that missionaries have excited hostility by interfering in native litigation in the interests of their converts in courts of justice, we need only say that their duty as the Chinese officials themselves this charge is rarely preferred against the Protestant section of the missionary body. In flagrant cases of persecution, missionaries have felt it their duty to support members of their churches, and it cannot be denied that occasionally natives have secured the influence of the foreigner in an unworthy manner. But interference in native litigation as such receives no support from the principles and practice of the general body.

II. With reference to the second point—that we have manifested an un-Christian spirit in suggesting the punishment

tian spirit in suggesting the punishment of foreigners and native Christians—we understand that criticism applies chiefly to the message sent by the public meeting held in Shanghai in September last.

1. It should, in the first place, be borne in mind that the resolutions passed at that meeting were called for by the proposal of the allies to evacuate Peking immediately after the relief of the legations. It was felt, not only by missionaries but by the whole of the foreign residents in China, that such a course would be fraught with the greatest disaster, inasmuch as it would give sanction to further lawlessness.

2. Further, it must be remembered that whilst suggesting that a satisfactory settlement "should include the adequate punishment of all who were guilty of the recent murders of foreigners and native Christians," it was left to the powers to decide what that "adequate punishment" should be. Moreover, when taking such measures as were necessary they were urged to "make every effort to avoid all needless and indiscriminate slaughter of Chinese and destruction of their property."

3. By strange misunderstanding we find that this suggestion has been interpreted as though it were animated by an un-Christian spirit of revenge. With the loss of scores of friends and colleagues still fresh upon us, and with stories of cruel massacres reaching day by day, it would not have been surprising had we been betrayed into intemperate expressions, but we entirely repudiate the idea which has been read into our words. If governments are the ministers of God's righteousness, then surely it is the duty of every Christian government not only to uphold the right but to put down the wrong, and equally the duty of all Christian subjects to support them in so doing. For China as for Western nations, anarchy is the only

we would appeal to all who own the authority of Jesus Christ to aid us in bringing about a better understanding of the true position of affairs, and our relation to them. At the same time we would reaffirm our entire faith in the Christian Gospel as the one great agency for the mental, moral, and spiritual elevation of this people, and we would place ourselves fresh on the altar of service, praying that with greater humility and with more complete consecration we may exercise the ministry to which we are called.

WORK NOT COMPLETED.

In Consequence of Strike Polalloch's Overhaul Will Be Finished at Portland.

As a result of the strike on the Polalloch on the Esquimalt Marine railway yesterday morning the vessel, instead of being launched to-night, will not be given the water before next week. She will then be not wholly in shape for service, for the work above the water line will be left to be completed at Portland. The management of the yard state that this would not be the case if the men had remained at work. The management also claim they pay 10 cents an hour more for the same class of work than is paid in San Francisco. The next vessel on the ways will be the Low Wood.

Steamer Trader arrived in from the Fraser to-day with a big cargo of hay. Steamer Clayopot left for Clayopot this afternoon with a scow in tow.

Steamer Inoquois will be here from Sidney this evening for 15 tons of freight to be loaded at Porter's wharf.

The United States lighthouse tender Manzanita arrived in from the Sound this morning.

Prize List Published

For Annual Meet of the Provincial Rifle Association, Commencing July 25th.

Splendid Array of Premiums and Trophies—Exciting Competitions Anticipated.

The prize list of the twenty-eighth annual meeting of the British Columbia Rifle Association, which will be held this year at Clover Point range, commencing Thursday, July 25th, has just been published.

A splendid array of prizes will be offered, and some splendid competitions may therefore be anticipated. This meet always constitutes an epoch in the history of rifle shooting in this province, and should prove most interesting to participants and spectators alike.

The patron, vice-patron, representatives in council of D. R. A., and executive are as follows:

Patron—His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of the province. Vice-Patrons—The Premier of the province, the Mayor of Victoria, the Mayor of Vancouver, the Mayor of New Westminster, and the Mayor of Nanaimo.

Representatives on Council of D. R. A.—Hon. Sir L. H. Davies, K. C. M. G., M. P.; Lieut-Col. Hon. E. G. Prior, M. P.; Lieut-Col. J. Hood, R. O.; G.

VICTORIA LACROSSE TEAM



The accompanying cut represents the Victoria Lacrosse team who have so far this year achieved a very creditable record. They have only been defeated once this season, their colors having been lowered by the redoubtable New Westminsterers a few weeks ago. They are playing the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. team at Vancouver this afternoon. The above players are: S. Norman, goal; C. Cullin, point; E. Milne, cover point; T. Spain, — Dewar and F. Smith, — McDonnell and B. Tilo, home field; — Dinsmore, outside home; W. Lorimer, inside home; W. E. Ditchburn, field captain; W. H. Cullin, referee. Among the group are: President H. D. Helmecken, M.P.P.; D. Patterson, treasurer; H. Wilson, an ardent votary; and player and trainer Densy. The little fellow in the front is one of the coming stars.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

Gratifying Reports Received at Annual Meeting of the Congregation.

On Thursday evening the annual meeting of the Calvary Baptist church was held. The various reports were of a very gratifying character.

The financial report, which was received, showed an improved condition respecting the finances. It has been found unnecessary to make personal appeals to the congregation as frequently as formerly. The summary of the finances for the year showed a total of receipts and expenditure amounting to \$3,750. The missionary contribution amounted to \$220 for the year. The membership has increased 26 during the year, and the church has now a total of 235 members.

The following officers were elected for the year: Deacons, Mrs. Helen Grant, and Messrs. D. G. Walker, C. R. King, Reid, A. J. Clyde, A. B. McNeill and A. Stewart; clerk, Miss Walker; financial secretary, Mr. Reid; envelope clerk, C. R. King; treasurer, A. B. McNeill; financial committee, Messrs. Reid, O. E. King, A. B. McNeill, H. Northcott and C. L. Brown.

The report from the Sunday school showed that excellent work was being done. The attendance was good, showing an enrollment of 221 during the year. The following were elected superintendents of the Sunday school for the ensuing year: A. B. McNeill, W. Russell and J. Cassie.

R. Maxwell, M. P.; Anlay Morrison, M. P., and Capt. H. H. Gray, R. O.

President—Major Bennett.

Vice-Presidents—The District Officer Commanding (ex-officio), Lt.-Col. F. B. Gregory and Major J. C. Whyte.

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Secretary, Capt. J. Reynolds. Tite, assistant secretary. Capt. E. H. Fletcher, treasurer, Capt. J. Duff Stuart.

The prize list is as follows:

No. 1—Tiro Match.

Prizes value \$10 presented by the Lieutenant-Governor of the province of British Columbia, Hon. Sir Henry Joly de Lotbiniere, K. C. M. G., for the encouragement of rifle shooting, and \$34 added by the B. C. R. A. Restricted to efficient members of the active militia of No. 11 military district who have not at any previous meeting of the B. C. R. A. won a prize of \$3 or more, exclusive of extra series or nursery prizes, and who have not won a prize at any other provincial, Dominion or national meeting. 500 yards; 7 shots. Entrance fee, 60 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$5; 3rd prize, \$3; 4th prize, \$2; 5th prize, \$1.

No. 2—Westminster Match.

500 yards; 10 shots. Entrance fee, 60 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$5; 3rd prize, \$3; 4th prize, \$2; 5th prize, \$1.

No. 3—Nanaimo Match.

200 (kneeling) and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range. Entrance fee, 70 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$7; 3rd prize, \$5; 4th prize, \$3; 5th prize, \$2; 6th prize, \$1.

No. 4—Victoria Corporation Match.

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No. 5—Helmecken Match.

200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range. Entrance fee, 80 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$7; 3rd prize, \$5; 4th prize, \$3; 5th prize, \$2; 6th prize, \$1.

No. 6—Electric Railway Cup.

Presented by the British Columbia Electric Railway Co. in 1900. To be won twice in three successive competitions to become permanent property. Winner in 1899, New Westminster; in 1900, Vancouver. Open to teams of ten previously named members, each representing any one of the cities of British Columbia, the aggregate of whose scores in match No. 5 (Helmecken) shall be the highest. Entrance fee, \$2.50.—1st prize, the cup and \$10; 2nd prize, \$5; 3rd prize, \$3; 4th prize, \$2; 5th prize, \$1.

No. 7—Vancouver Corporation Match.

800 yards; 10 shots. Entrance fee, 60 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$5; 3rd prize, \$3; 4th prize, \$2; 5th prize, \$1.

No. 8—Vancouver Bankers' Match.

\$50 donated by the bankers of Vancouver, with \$60 added by the association. 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at

In the Nursery.



Every mother of young children should be able to treat the minor ailments of her little ones. Prompt action may prevent serious illness—perhaps save baby's life. Domestic remedies in the nursery are, therefore, an absolute necessity, and the mother should see that they are pure, safe and efficient.

Baby's Own Tablets,

(REGISTERED)

will promptly and effectively cure all the ailments that commonly trouble little ones. They gently move the bowels and sweeten the stomach, and thus make little ones healthy and cheerful.

Guaranteed to contain no opiate or poisonous "sleepy" stuff.

SAVED BABY'S LIFE.

Mrs. Sadie Nichols, Brockville, Ont., says—When my baby was six weeks old she was very sick. We had the doctor, but she did get any better. All day Christmas we watched for her to die. Acting on a friend's advice I got some Baby's Own Tablets and gave them to poor sick baby, and they relieved her wonderfully. They saved my baby's life. All the time she was teething I gave the Tablets whenever necessary, and they kept her just right. She is now a big, healthy child, thanks to the Tablets, and she gets them whenever out of sorts.

The genuine package looks just like the cut below.



Sold by druggists or sent post paid on receipt of price (25 cents a box) by addressing

THE DR. WILLIAMS MEDICINE CO., BROCKVILLE, ONT.

\$2, restricted to tyros; ten prizes of \$1, restricted to tyros.

The cup presented by the corporation of New Westminster in 1897, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice. Winners: In 1897, Gunner R. Wilson; in 1898, Capt. J. Duff Stuart; 1899, Corpl. Fred Richardson; 1900, Pte. T. D. Dickard, R. M. R.

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200 (kneeling) and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range. Entrance fee, 70 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$7; 3rd prize, \$5; 4th prize, \$3; 5th prize, \$2; 6th prize, \$1.

The cup, presented by the mayor and council of Nanaimo, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice in succession. Winner in 1900, Mr. W. H. Forrest, Vancouver.

No. 4—Victoria Corporation Match.

500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at each range. Entrance fee, 70 cents, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$10; 2nd prize, \$7; 3rd prize, \$5; 4th prize, \$3; 5th prize, \$2; 6th prize, \$1.

The cup, presented by the corporation of Victoria in 1897, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice in succession. Winner in 1897, Gr. T. Cunningham; in 1898, Serat, W. H. Lettice; in 1899, Gr. S. C. Mortimore; in 1900, Corpl. T. Cunningham, finally. New cup applied for this year.

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The cup, presented by the corporation of Vancouver in 1896, to become the property of any competitor winning it twice in succession. Winner in 1896, Gunner Geo. Turnbull; 1898, Gunner R. Wilson; 1899, Gunner W. Miller; 1900, Lieut-Col. S. Pele.

No. 8—Vancouver Bankers' Match.

\$50 donated by the bankers of Vancouver, with \$60 added by the association. 200, 500 and 600 yards; 7 shots at

each range. Open to all comers. Entrance fee, \$1, including sighting shot.—1st prize, \$8; 2nd prize, \$7; two prizes of \$6; three prizes of \$5, four prizes of \$4, six prizes of \$3, seven prizes of \$2, five prizes of \$1 (restricted to tyros), ten prizes of \$1 (restricted to tyros).

The aggregate of the whole series, including grand militia and tyro, \$1.

No. 9—Grand Aggregate.

For the aggregate of scores of matches Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8.—1st prize, B. C. R. A., gold badge and \$5; 2nd prize, B. C. R. A., silver badge and \$4; four prizes of \$3, ten prizes of \$2.

No. 10—Militia Aggregate.

For the aggregate of scores of 500 and 600 yards ranges of matches included in the grand aggregate, restricted to "efficient" members of the active militia of No. 11 district.—1st prize, D. R. A., silver medal and \$5; 2nd prize, D.R.A. bronze medal and \$4; 3rd prize, \$3; three prizes of \$2, three prizes of \$1.

No. 11—Tyro Aggregate.

Restricted to competitors entered in the tyro match for the aggregate of scores of matches, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7 and 8.—1st prize, \$4; four prizes of \$3, six prizes of \$2, seven prizes of \$1.

No. 12—Laurie Bugle Match.

Open to one team of ten "efficient" men from each regiment of the active militia of No. 11 district. For the aggregate of scores in matches included in the grand aggregate. Entrance fee, per team, \$2.50. To be held on the day before the commencement of firing in match No. 2. The names of the members constituting the team must be handed in before 1.30 p.m. of the second day of the prize meeting. One prize, the Laurie bugle and \$10.

The bugle, presented by Lieutenant-General Laurie, formerly D.A.G. of this district, to be competed for between the companies of the winning regiment, and one team of five efficient members from each company contesting, before the 31st December, 1901, and to be held by the successful company until the next ensuing prize meeting of the B. C. R. A. In the event of failure to hold a company competition, the bugle shall be held by such company of the regiment interested as the council of the B. C. R. A. may determine.

No. 13—Ottawa Team.

Restricted to the thirty-two competitors being eligible for the Ottawa team, whose scores in the grand aggregate match shall be the highest; 800 and 900 yards, 10 shots. Entrance fee, \$1, including sighting shot.

The team to represent the province of British Columbia at Ottawa at the prize meeting of the Dominion Rifle Association for 1901 shall be selected by the council, the members chosen to be called upon in the order of their aggregate and their scores in the grand aggregate, all places but one shall be reserved for efficient members of the active militia; and one place shall be open to a civilian resident at Nanaimo whose score would entitle him to be called upon were he a member of the active militia.

First prize, Governor-General's silver medal and \$6; 2nd prize, Governor-General's bronze medal and \$5; 2nd prize, \$4; 4th prize, \$3; three prizes of \$2 each.

Extra Series and Pool.

Arrangements will be made, if possible, for extra series firing and for pool shooting on occasion of the prize meeting.

The regulations governing the meet are as follows:

Memberships—All competitors included in the grand aggregate, except bankers, No. 7 (which is open to all comers), are

restricted to members of the British Columbia Rifle Association, who have paid the membership fee of \$2 for 1901; with the exception that competitors from the navy and H. M. other Imperial forces may enter without payment of membership fee. Extra series matches and pool shooting are open to all comers.

Rifles—The rifles used in all competitions shall be Lee-Enfield or Lee-Metford, of government pattern. Pull of trigger, minimum, 6 lbs. Competitors who have made 25, 22 or 45 points, or over in a 5, 7 or 10 shot match must submit their rifles to the test in the presence of the range officer on duty before leaving the firing point, or at any time when required by the range officer.

Ammunition—The ammunition used must be that provided by the British Columbia Rifle Association.

Tyros—Except in this tyro match, which is restricted to militiamen, a "tyro" is defined as any member of the association who has not won a prize of \$3 at any previous prize meeting of the B. C. R. A. or of any provincial association, the D. R. A. or the N. R. A., exclusive of extra series or tyro prizes.

Orthoptics—The field of vision must not be limited except by the orthoptie disc. Opaque goggles, or side flaps will not be allowed. The eye not used in aiming must not be artificially obscured, unless with a glass which must not be known to opponents, and must not be known to officials.

The annual general meeting of the members of the Association will be held on the second day of the prize meeting, at 8 a.m., at the drill hall, Victoria. A meeting of the council for such business as may come on, will be held on the first day of the prize meeting.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

The Papers Upon Education and English Grammar Expected to Be Puckling Ones.

The examinations for teachers' certificates have been in progress in the South West since Wednesday morning. The candidates are under the watchful eye of the principals of the North Ward and the South Park schools, A. B. McNeill and Miss Cameron.

The third class candidates finished their examination yesterday morning. The second B's finished this morning.

On Monday morning the second A's will have completed their examination, while on Tuesday afternoon the first class candidates will be through with their ordeal.

So far in the examination the papers on Education and on English Grammar are looked upon as the pucking ones. It is believed that more of the candidates will fall upon these subjects than on any other subjects upon which they have yet been examined.

A. Robinson, M. A., superintendent of education, and J. Church, M. A., of Victoria College, compose the board of examiners, and have commenced upon their duties.

SURGERY FOR ANIMALS.

St. James's Gazette.

The animal world has to-day a surgical science quite its own. There are dogs with artificial teeth, pigeons and cows with wooden legs, dogs with glass eyes, and other animals with false hair, false tails, and false limbs of all kinds. There is, indeed, hardly a limit to the possibilities of animal surgery.

ROCKEFELLER'S HUMOR.

New York World.

Some of Mr. Rockefeller's humor is exceedingly subtle. Take, for instance, his claim that paying wages is "the best form of giving," when wages are so graduated as to leave 48 per cent. dividends.

consulted a physician and he told me that I had a form of dyspepsia and treated me for about six months with but little benefit. I still kept getting so weak I could scarcely walk. I then tried another physician and he told me my liver was out of order and that I had dyspepsia. He gave me a treatment and I got some better but only for a short time. Then I tried another one who said I had chronic indigestion, ulceration of the lining of the stomach, torpid liver and kidney affection. He gave me a better treatment than a year and I felt much better but it did not last. I then took to using several widely advertised patent medicines, but received no more than temporary relief while using them. I then tried Dr. Pierce's medicine, using his "Golden Medical Discovery," "Favorite Prescription" and the "Pleasant Pellets," and in three months' time I was feeling better than I had for years before. I can truthfully say Dr. Pierce's medicines did me more good than any I had ever taken."

Common Sense Cures.

The logic of the cure effected by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is easy to understand. Physical life is sustained by food. The strength of the body is derived from the nutrition in food. It is a natural conclusion that when the body and its organs grow weak it is because of failure to assimilate the nutrition contained in food. This is exactly what occurs when there is disease of the stomach and its associated organs of digestion and nutrition. There is a loss of nutrition with a corresponding loss of strength and vigor of vitality.

Physical weakness therefore points to disease of the stomach and digestive and nutritive tract. When this disease is cured by "Golden Medical Discovery" perfect digestion and nutrition are re-established and the weak body becomes strong again.

"When commencing to take your 'Golden Medical Discovery,'" writes Mrs. Virginia P. Griffith, of Flatport, Mo., "the doctor said I had chronic inflammation of the liver, stomach and bowels, also some kind of female trouble. My neighbors told me after I got better that they thought I had consumption, and no one thought I could get well. This was my condition when I first wrote to you. After being sick over a year and taking doctors' medicine and all kinds of patent medicine recommended, my stomach and bowels were in a bad condition, so that the lining of my stomach and bowels peeled off, leaving them as sore and raw as ever a sore could be on the surface of the body. Everything I ate hurt me so I could eat nothing but a little rice or an egg. My chest was so sore all through that when I would draw my breath it seemed like a thorn pricking me. Expectoration was almost constant. There seemed to be a large lump in my left side. It is impossible to describe all the aches and pains, as it seemed every organ of my body was more or less involved. I have taken nine dollars' worth in all of your medicine, and consider myself a well woman."

Sick people, especially those suffering from chronic disease, are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free, and so obtain, without charge, the opinion of a specialist on their ailments. All correspondence strictly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Best Medical Book Free.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, containing more than a thousand large pages and over 700 illustrations, is sent free on receipt of stamps totaling five cents, or on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps for the cloth bound volume or only 21 stamps for the book in paper cover. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

7:30 p.m.—Report of future policy committee.

8:15 a.m.—Symposium: "How to extend the mission work of our convention." (a) By the Sunday school, Pastor J. G. Hastings, M.A.; (b) By the Lay Preacher, Wm. Mitchell; (c) By the Mission Board, Pastor J. F. Vichert, M. A.; (d) By Church Edifice Work, C. S. Stevens.

7:30 p.m.—Devotional, Rev. S. C. Moore.

8:00 p.m.—Report of Sunday school committee.

8:10 p.m.—"Training for S. S. Teachers," Mrs. Templar.

7:30 p.m.—"Evangelical Work in S. S.," Mrs. Templar.

Local News

CLEANING UP OUR AND PROVINCIAL NEWS IN A CONDENSED FORM. (From Friday's Daily.)

A very happy event took place at Princess Street Methodist church, Vancouver on Monday morning when Rev. John Robson, B.A., joined in bonds of matrimony Mr. George W. Strickland, of Victoria, and Miss Hannah J. Lister, of Albion, Ont.

A very enjoyable strawberry social was held at the Cedar Hill school house on Wednesday evening last under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Alden's Presbyterian church.

Rev. Dr. Campbell on the 3rd inst. solemnized the marriage of Ralph Burnett and Kate Miles, both of Vancouver. They intend making Victoria their home.

Sound fishermen are looking for the opening of the sockeye salmon run in a few days. Fish, it is said, have been coming in on the Salish banks and indications are that a run is near at hand.

AH. Cameron has given notice that at the next meeting of the council he will move that a special committee with the city solicitor be appointed to bring in a by-law for the altering of the names of streets, that have similar or duplicate names.

On Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. William Sexton, 505 Bernard street, Vancouver, Miss Edith B. Cathey was united in marriage to Mr. A. W. Wood, of Victoria. The interesting ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. M. Smith.

The funeral of the late William Lee took place this afternoon from the parlors of W. J. Hanna at 2:30. Rev. Dr. Campbell conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. A. W. Smith, M. P. P. Alex. Duncan, A. R. Blyth and W. Gilchrist.

At the next meeting of the city council the mayor will recommend the introduction of the following resolution: "That the purchasing agent be requested to call for tenders for supplying the materials required for the substructure at Point Ellice and for the construction of James Bay causeway."

A meeting of the Tailors' Union will be held in the hall above Salmon's cigar store on Monday, this 9th. The business will be of unusual importance as the half year ends at that date. Any member who finds it impossible to attend will please send his dues, otherwise there will be a fine of \$1 against him.

The creditors of the Green-Worlock estate will meet on Tuesday afternoon. Several matters in connection with the estate are likely to come up for discussion. The question of the mortgage on the Trounce Alley property, which has been repaid from \$70,000 to \$40,000, and which is due this year, will have to be dealt with.

During the beginning of the week various committees of the Agricultural Association are to meet. On Monday afternoon the transportation committee will meet at 3:30 and the band committee at 4:30. On Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the price list committee will meet on Wednesday at the same hour. The board of management will discuss different matters connected with the exhibition arrangements.

The Strike Situation

Bridge Carpenters From Portland Return on Finding Condition of Affairs

Relations of the Railway Company With the Attorney-General's Department.

The extent of the strike on the C. P. R., which has been minimized by the officers of the road, is becoming more widely known, and the conditions of affairs is being learned. These show the position to be much more serious and acute than has been supposed.

On Saturday evening last the St. William Wallace Society held a meeting when W. C. Kerr, the newly elected chief, occupied the chair. An excellent number of entertainers were rendered, all members of the society doing something in the way of entertaining.

D. G. S. Quadra, Capt. Walbran, returned from Lawyer Islands and Rivers-Inlet yesterday. At the former place the contractor, his laborers and material for the construction of a lighthouse for that group were landed. Work commenced at once, and in the course of a month or two a most valuable aid to the navigation of these waters will be in operation.

A HEARTY NONGENAIAN. Sir Henry Kippel Celebrates His Ninety-Second Birthday.

The Naval and Military Record of the 20th ult. has the following regarding the birthday of Sir Henry Kippel. The veteran officer is the father of Capt. Kippel, now on this station.

HOT IN DAWSON. Thermometer Goes Up—High Rates for Sodas.

A private letter received from Dawson to-day, dated the 23rd, states that the thermometer there is 32 degrees. The stores have their fronts removed, and a booth-like appearance to the streets.

ACCIDENT ON GREAT LAKES. Donald McLean, While a Passenger on the Athabasca, Has His Arm Dislocated.

Donald McLean, of the Customs department, who has just returned from that in Ontario, met with a serious accident while on route from Owen Sound to Fort William. During a storm, the Athabasca, upon which he was a passenger, had to rescue the crew of a lumber laden ship which was in distress.

CANCER CURED. No knife, no plaster, no pain. Send 6 cents in stamps or by bank note to the department of the attorney-general, under which the provincial police are operated, for the posting of special constables along the railway to protect

Prominent Politicians

Leaders of U. S. Democratic Party Visitors to This City on Saturday.

Truth of Situation in Philippines Never Made Known, Says Senator Pettigrew.

Want of space in Saturday's issue prohibited an extended notice of the arrival in this city of Senator Jones and party, the personnel of which has already been given.

There are few more prominent men in United States politics than Senator John P. Jones, of Senator R. F. Pettigrew, of South Dakota, another of the party, whose opposition to the policy of imperialism has been very pronounced.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR STOMACH AND BOWEL TROUBLES. I have been in the drug business for twenty years and have sold most of all the proprietary medicines of any kind.

LABOR DAY. Rough Draft of Programme Drawn Up at Last Meeting of Council.

Preparations have already commenced for the annual Labor Day celebration. At a meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council held on Saturday, the matter was brought up and discussed.

CANADIAN HONORED. Son-in-Law of Lieut-Governor Joly Promoted to Be Assistant Lt.-Col. Girouard.

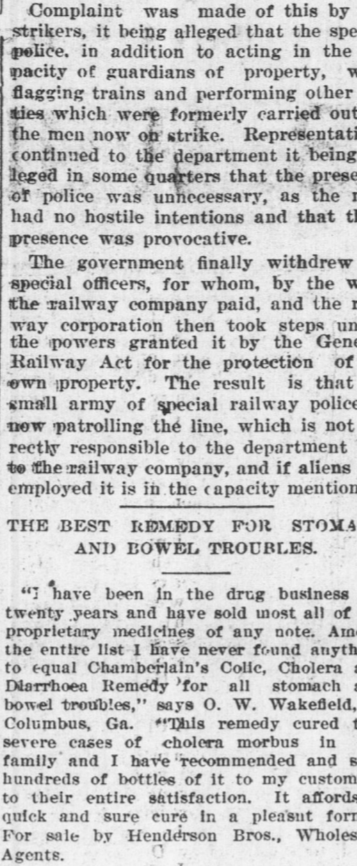
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The Victoria Baseball Team



The accompanying cut represents the Victoria baseball nine which defeated the Wenatchee team so easily yesterday afternoon.

The team is as follows: Pitcher, J. Holmes; catcher, B. Schwengers; 1st base, J. Barnswell; 2nd base, F. W. Idowson; 3rd base, A. E. Haynes; short stop, F. McConnell; (captain); left field, Harrison; center field, Copeland; right field, Bourke.

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Strike on Potalloch

Twenty Laborers Employed Chipping Vessel Quit Work This Morning.

They Ask Forty Cents an Hour Reported Combine of Steamship Companies.

Because of disappointment in a demand for increased pay upwards of twenty laborers employed in chipping sides of the ship Potalloch, on Esquimalt marine railway, knock work this morning.

Merchants handling the new Victoria creamery butter report that it is selling all other brands in the city. The new butter is meeting with very strong demand and, needless to say, is enjoying every satisfaction.

Current quotations are as follows: Delta's Hungarian, per bbl. \$5.50; Lake of the Woods, per bbl. \$5.50; Calgary Hungarian, per bbl. \$5.50; Premier, per bbl. \$5.50; Snowflake, per bbl. \$5.50; XXX Dederby, per bbl. \$5.50; Grain: Wheat, per ton \$28.00; Corn (whole), per ton \$2.00; Corn (cracked), per ton \$2.00; Oats, per ton \$2.00; Outmeal, per 10 lbs. \$4.00; Rolled oats (B. & K.), \$4.00.

WOMEN OF THE WORLD. Dedication and Unveiling Ceremonies Held at Ross Bay Cemetery Yesterday Afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon the Women of the World marched to the cemetery to dedicate and unveil the monuments erected by Victoria camp No. 32 to the memory of Sovereigns Thomas Philip, Durham, William Bucket and F. F. Raltt.

BIRTHS. SUTHERLAND—At Revelstoke, on July 2nd, the wife of J. P. Sutherland, of a daughter.

MARRIED. IREBOTTSON-CLARK—At Nelson, on July 1st, by J. H. White, Robert A. Irebottson and Annie A. Clark.

DIED. STRACHAN—At Revelstoke, on June 30th, David Strachan, aged 83 years.

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WHOLESALE FRUIT AND PROVISION MERCHANTS. 40 YATES ST., VICTORIA.

WHEAT MARKET. The following quotations are Victoria wholesale prices paid for farm produce this week:

Potatoes (Island), per ton \$35.00; Onions, per lb. \$1.00; Carrots, per box \$1.25; Cabbage, per 100 lbs. \$1.25; Butter (creamery), per lb. \$25; Butter (dairy), per lb. \$20; Eggs (ranch), per doz. \$20; Chickens, per doz. \$0.00; Ducks, per doz. \$0.00; Strawberries, per lb. \$2.00; Raspberries, per lb. \$2.00; Apples, per box \$0.00; Cherries, per lb. \$0.00; Hay, per ton \$0.00; Peas (field), per ton \$22.00; Barley, per ton \$20.00; Beef, per lb. \$0.00; Pork, per lb. \$0.00; Veal, per lb. \$0.00.

THE RETAIL MARKETS. Victoria Creamery Butter Meets With Better Demand Than All Other Varieties.

Merchants handling the new Victoria creamery butter report that it is selling all other brands in the city. The new butter is meeting with very strong demand and, needless to say, is enjoying every satisfaction.

Current quotations are as follows: Delta's Hungarian, per bbl. \$5.50; Lake of the Woods, per bbl. \$5.50; Calgary Hungarian, per bbl. \$5.50; Premier, per bbl. \$5.50; Snowflake, per bbl. \$5.50; XXX Dederby, per bbl. \$5.50; Grain: Wheat, per ton \$28.00; Corn (whole), per ton \$2.00; Corn (cracked), per ton \$2.00; Oats, per ton \$2.00; Outmeal, per 10 lbs. \$4.00; Rolled oats (B. & K.), \$4.00.

WOMEN OF THE WORLD. Dedication and Unveiling Ceremonies Held at Ross Bay Cemetery Yesterday Afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon the Women of the World marched to the cemetery to dedicate and unveil the monuments erected by Victoria camp No. 32 to the memory of Sovereigns Thomas Philip, Durham, William Bucket and F. F. Raltt.

BIRTHS. SUTHERLAND—At Revelstoke, on July 2nd, the wife of J. P. Sutherland, of a daughter.

MARRIED. IREBOTTSON-CLARK—At Nelson, on July 1st, by J. H. White, Robert A. Irebottson and Annie A. Clark.

DIED. STRACHAN—At Revelstoke, on June 30th, David Strachan, aged 83 years.

RECEIVED. Received at the Post-Intelligencer office, on July 7th, a copy of the book "The Story of the Northern Pacific," by George Dodwell, the chief of the company.

We Must Raise \$2,000,000 by August 1st

STRAW HATS, FLANNEL SUITS, BUSINESS SUITS, SUMMER UNDERWEAR, TOP SHIRTS. All reduced to SALE PRICES FOR CASH

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Strike on Potalloch

Twenty Laborers Employed in Chipping Vessel Quit Work This Morning.

They Ask Forty Cents an Hour—Reported Combine of Steamship Companies.

Because of disappointment in a demand for increased pay upwards of twenty laborers employed in chipping the sides of the ship Potalloch, on the Esquimalt marine railway, knock off work this morning.

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Miners' Union is said to be rapidly spreading.

The resolutions adopted by all lodges of the union declare in favor of a lien law.

NEW OFFICERS APPOINTED.

The crew of the steamship Empress of China were paid off yesterday, their six months' articles having expired.

THE DUKES VISIT.

The committee appointed to make arrangements for the reception of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York met yesterday afternoon in the city hall.

HEB TROUBLES ENDED.

After many vicissitudes the repair work to the steamer Garonne is to be completed at Seattle this week.

INDIANS ARE OBSTINATE.

Conditions between the Victoria Sealing Company and the Indians along the West Coast of the island are narrowing down to an acute point.

THE COAL MARKET.

J. W. Harrison's report on the San Francisco coal market for the week ending July 29th is as follows:

QUEEN FROM ALASKA.

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Some Incidents of the Adventurous Voyage—Shooting Five Fingers Rapids.

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Inspected By Col. Holmes

Fifth Regiment Parade Before the D.O.C. at Beacon Hill Park.

Officers and Men Complimented Upon Their Efficiency in Infantry Drill.

The Fifth Regiment, C.A., were on Saturday afternoon inspected by Lt. Col. Holmes, D.O.C. of military district No. 11.

The regiment assembled at the drill hall at 2 o'clock, the regimental band marched out to the park headed by their band.

At the conclusion the regiment marched back to the drill hall, where the D.O.C. inspected the drill.

Major Jones, district paymaster, arrived about 4 o'clock, the regimental band and were afterwards put through various movements, after which they took an open order and Col. Holmes passed down the ranks, inspecting the arms and accoutrements of the men.

He complimented the officers and men on their appearance and the high standard of their high standard.

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The List Published

Officers and Men Entitled to Privileges Under Canadian Contingent Exemption Act.

Quite a Number of Appointments Gazetted—Companies Incorporated—Other Notices.

The Official Gazette published last evening contains the announcement of the following appointments:

Thomas J. Whiteside, of Claxton, to be a justice of the peace in and for the province of British Columbia.

Thomas A. Wilson, of Trout Lake, M. D. C. M., to be resident physician at Port Essington.

Walter A. Wilkins, of Bullion, M.D., to be resident physician at Quesnel Forks.

George R. McDermott, of Golden, to be a license commissioner for the Golden license district, vice E. A. Haagen, resigned.

A court of assize, nisi prius, over and terminer and general jail delivery, will be held at Atlin on Friday, July 13th.

The county courts of Westminster and Vancouver will have a vacation from August 1st to October 1st.

The following list of sheriffs and their jurisdictions is published:

The County of Victoria: Sheriff James Elphinstone McMillan; post office address, Victoria.

Limits of County—As defined by the Counties Definition Act.

The County of Nanaimo: Sheriff Samuel Drake; post office address, Nanaimo.

Limits of County—As defined by the Counties Definition Act Amendment Act, 1890.

The County of Vancouver: Sheriff Jas. Deacon Hall; post office address, Vancouver.

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The County of Westminister: Sheriff Joseph Armstrong; post office address, New Westminster.

Limits of County—As defined by the Counties Definition Act.

The County of Yale: Sheriff Oliver John Stevenson; post office address, Barkerville.

Limits of County—As defined by the Counties Definition Act.

The County of Kootenay: Sheriff Stephen Redgrave; post office address, Donah.

Limits of County—As defined by the Counties Definition Act, excepting that portion of the county within the jurisdiction of the sheriff of South Kootenay.

The County of Kootenay: Sheriff, South Kootenay, Samuel Parker Truck; post office address, Nelson.

Limits of Jurisdiction—The Sloca and Nelson Ridings of West Kootenay Electoral District, north of the boundary of the Rossland Riding of West Kootenay Electoral District which is within the County of Kootenay, and the South Riding of East Kootenay Electoral District, as defined by the Redistribution Act, 1891.

Tenders are invited for an addition to the public school house at Duncan. Information furnished on application to J. Mathland-Douglass, government agent, Duncan.

The following list of those entitled to the privileges given by the Canadian Contingent Exemption Act, 1901, has been transmitted for record by all mining recorders, as required by section 3 of the said Amending Act. All those who were holders of mining rights at the time of leaving for South Africa are required to communicate with Hon. Richard McBride, minister of mines:

FIRST CONTINGENT.

List of Officers.

H. G. Blanchard, captain, Fifth Regiment, Canadian Artillery, Victoria, B. C., died of wounds received in action, April 18th, 1900; left Canada at end of October, 1899, for South Africa.

A. E. Hodgins, captain, Nelson Rifle Co., Nelson, B. C., left Canada at end of October, 1899, for South Africa.

T. E. Pooley, captain, Fifth Regiment, Canadian Artillery, Victoria, B. C., left Canada for South Africa, March 17th, 1900.

List of Men.

H. J. Allen, Vancouver; J. H. P. Anderson, Victoria; H. Andrews, Victoria; A. S. Battison, New Westminster; A. C. Beech, Victoria; P. W. Bell, Vancouver; N. T. Bolton, Vernon; H. M. Bonner, Vancouver; G. A. Bowers, Revelstoke; W. H. Brethorn, Victoria; W. H. Brooking, New Westminster; E. B. Campbell, Kamloops; E. V. Cancellor, Vancouver, died November 12th, 1900, next of kin, brother, H. Cancellor, Atlin; A. Carter, Victoria; G. B. Corbould, New Westminster; F. T. Cornwall, Victoria; S. C. Court, Victoria; M. Crooke, Rossland; H. M. Daly, Nelson; J. H. Dixon, Victoria; J. W. Donnan, Prince Albert; C. S. Fall, Victoria; H. Q. W. Fraser, Victoria; W. D. Fraser, Victoria; F. Finch-Smiles, Victoria; C. W. Gamble, Victoria; W. F. Graham, Kamloops; J. E. Graves, Revelstoke; P. Graves, Vancouver; T. Gregory, Winnipeg; C. B. Harris, Kamloops; C. C. Harris, Revelstoke; S. S. Harrison, Vancouver; H. P. Hicks, Kamloops; G. Hutchings, Vancouver; W. H. Ingram, Kamloops; G. B. Jones, December 23rd, 1900; W. E. Jackson, Vancouver, killed February 18th, 1900, next of kin, Juliette Jackson, London, England; J. W. Jones and S. L. Jones, Victoria; J. L. Leamy, New Westminster; A. S. Lee, Nelson; R. W. J. Letman, Victoria; L. B. Letroy, Vancouver; G. P. Lewis, Nelson; A. T. Lewis, Calgary; J. H. Livingston, Vancouver; A. O. Lohman, New Westminster; A. Mackie, Vancouver; L. A. Martin, Calgary; A. Mandrell, Victoria, killed, February 18th, 1900, next of kin, father, G. H. Mandrell; W. H. Moorhead, Kamloops; J. Moscor, New Westminster; E. J. McCalmont, Vancouver; W. H. McFarlane, Rossland; J. Mackintosh, Calgary, died January 28th, 1901, next of kin, father, C. H. Mackintosh, Rossland; J. J. McNeill, Calgary; H. E. Niebergall, Vancouver; G. Nell, Victoria; J. E. Northcott, Victoria; H. W. Newry, Victoria; A. J. Nye, Vancouver; S. W. O'Brien, Vancouver; S. H. O'Dell, Victoria; W. O. Patterson, Nelson; E. G. J. FINDER, Nelson; J. R. Rea, Rossland; C.

M. Roberts, Victoria; J. S. Robson, Calgary; W. I. Scott, Victoria, killed, February 18th, 1900, next of kin, Alex. W. Scott; J. J. Sinclair, Vancouver; W. A. Sharples, Edmonton; J. G. Skene, Revelstoke; H. Smethurst, Victoria; J. Smith New Westminster; J. H. Somers, New Westminster, killed, February 18th, 1900, next of kin, I. Somers, Kamloops; W. J. Stebbins, Victoria; J. Stewart, Victoria; B. A. St. George, died, next of kin, Mrs. St. George, Cowichan; A. Swinburn, Revelstoke; D. C. Thompson, Vancouver; J. T. Tupper, killed, February 18th, 1900, next of kin, brother, Chas. Todd; A. A. Vernon, Ottawa; J. C. Walker, Edmonton; G. Wallace, Vancouver; W. D. Wallace, New Westminster; H. P. Warren, Vancouver; W. F. Whittier, Vancouver, died June 19th, 1900, next of kin, Rachel Sheppard, Victoria; O. J. J. Wilkie, Vancouver; G. H. Wilkins, Kaslo; W. C. Winkler, Victoria; A. M. Wood, Victoria.

STRATHCONA HORSE.

Major A. M. Jarvis (Northwest Mounted Police).

Lieut. M. H. Waite-Fraser, (ex-inspector, Northwest Mounted Police).

Lieut. J. E. Leckie, (reserve of officers).

Squadron A—R. S. M. Elliott, Frank; Q. M. S. Crafter, A. G.; Private Arnold, F. G.; Private Bullough, J.; Pte. McNaught, J. Y. Squadron B—Pte. Bessford, W. P.; Pte. Crony, E. S.; Pte. Dickinson, D.; Pte. Porter, A.; Pte. Hart, C. A.; Pte. McIlroy, B. J.; Pte. James, T. R. A.; Pte. Wragge, E. C. Squadron C—Privates J. Abbott, G. S. Agar, J. K. Allan, J. W. Armstrong, L. A. Bommer, J. Bousfield, W. Brent, J. B. Brown, E. Broadbent, E. Burns, O. J. Cameron, L. Castellaine, H. C. Childers, R. L. Cochrane, W. Cook, C. W. O'Neil, A. H. Cree, E. F. E. Curtis, T. E. M. Cuzance, W. H. Dawson, R. S. Davis, R. Deering, C. J. Duncan, P. J. Dunn, T. Dunn, W. Edwards, J. Elliott, F. W. Ellis, G. Eyre, G. J. Fader, W. Fanning, E. R. Fandler, L. Forde, M. Forrie, J. G. Frasing, M. Foster, J. A. Fraser, J. W. Fuller, Jas. Fuller, A. J. Halero, G. Hamblly, S. Howe, E. B. C. Hammond, W. H. Harner, H. H. Hawes, W. F. Hayes, George Hibel, H. J. Hicks, John Hirsch, T. Hiltbert, W. H. Humphrey, E. T. Hunter, Albert R. Gee, John Griffin, B. M. Grogan, C. F. Jackson, A. W. Johnson, H. R. Johnson, A. Jones, E. Jones, J. Kearney, S. A. J. Kelly, J. E. Kennedy, P. Kerr, G. W. Ledingham, B. H. Lee, W. B. Lindsay, P. C. Lockhart, A. E. H. Logan, J. McMillan, D. McAllister, A. McDonald, G. A. McDonald, C. B. McDonald, J. McDuff, A. W. MacKenzie, J. H. McMullen, D. J. McRae, B. J. McQuillan, E. J. Melton, W. E. Monteith, H. E. Morgan, E. Murray, J. Murray, J. F. P. Nash, J. L. Nesbitt, C. J. Nicholson, F. North, C. Norton, A. O. O'Brien, W. L. Ogilvy, W. O'Hearn, P. O'Hanlon, E. A. Orcher, R. H. Palmer, F. C. Parkes, A. C. Pearson, C. Peterson, H. J. Parham, J. Pettigrew, T. A. Pinkerton, C. J. Powell, T. M. L. Ryan, A. Sandwell, C. Tennie, W. Robson, P. Routh, J. R. Seymour, R. Shaw, A. J. M. Shaw, H. C. Silligoeff, A. B. J. Simons, P. E. Simpson, C. S. Strickland, T. Swift, F. Switzer, H. S. Thompson, W. D. Thorne, W. West, H. J. Wiggins, J. H. Wilkie, R. A. Winears, S. Wright.

SECOND BATTALION C. M. R.

Corporal Brown Thomas, Privates R. E. Eaton, Lester B. Forbes, T. P. Hughes, B. W. Huchell, H. L. Holliday, J. M. Hovly, W. J. Harris, E. Leach, J. R. Northway, F. E. Parker, A. I. Robertson, C. F. W. Rochford, John Spence, C. J. Slack, A. G. Ubiacke, H. Winfield.

"C" Field Battery—Gunner Holbrook, G. "E" Field Battery—Gunner Squires, J. Imperial Trencher—Trooper Stanford, A. E. "A" Page's Horse—Trooper Steward, C. A. C.

The following companies have been incorporated: Anderson-Smith Co. Ltd., capital \$30,000; Canadian Pacific Fuel Oil & Guano Co. Ltd., capital \$100,000; Cassin Doves & Industrial Co. Ltd., capital \$25,000; Duncanson & Okanagan Mining Co. Ltd., capital \$150,000; Gopher Mines, Ltd., capital \$100,000; Laura Lake Lumber Co., capital \$100,000; Pine Creek Power Co., Ltd., capital \$200,000; Vancouver Mercantile Co., Ltd., capital \$10,000.

A Keene has been issued to the Vancouver Engineers Works, Ltd.

George T. Williams, dry goods merchant, of the city of Greenwood, has been assigned to John F. Hellivell, for the benefit of his creditors.

Henry Mansell, boot and shoe dealer, Victoria, has assigned to R. S. Day, for the benefit of his creditors.

FROM STEWART RIVER.

Wm. Bowes Returns After Spending Several Years in the North.

Wm. Bowes, who has spent two or three years in the North, arrived in the city yesterday and registered at the Dominion.

Mr. Bowes first went to Dawson, which was at that time the centre of attraction, and after having spent some time there left for Stewart river, where he lived until coming down a few days ago.

Mr. Bowes was accompanied through all his travels by J. Mervyn, his partner.

While on the Stewart river the two men decided to pass the dreary Northern winter by trapping. Building five or six cabins over a certain territory they set traps between the huts and made trips every day, taking what catches they caught, and resetting the traps. When the spring opened the hunters found themselves the possessors of about 438 skins. They also shot two or three bears.

Mr. Bowes' camp was in the vicinity of the creek, and was established by George Woolley at Lancing creek, and he paid several visits during the winter to that post. Mr. Woolley was also in the trapping business and brought down 502 skins.

Mr. Bowes realized some \$2,610 on his winter's work, while Mr. Woolley got about \$3,000.

The powder used in big guns is queer-looking stuff. Each grain is a hexagonal prism an inch wide and two thirds of an inch thick, with a hole bored through the middle of it. In appearance it resembles saltpetre, and is used in the same way. It put a match to it will take seven or eight seconds to go off.

Domestic—There's a gentleman wants to see yer on Wednesday.

Master—Well, ask him to take a chair.

Domestic—He's taking 'em all, and the table, too. He comes from the furniture shop.

Sunday Observance

Discussed at Length by the Anglican Synod at Nanaimo Yesterday.

Opinions of Various Members Regarding This Question—Other Business.

At yesterday noon's session of the Anglican Synod at Nanaimo, after the passage of a resolution of sympathy to Mr. Justice Drake in his recent bereavement, Capt. Clive Phillips Wolley submitted the report of the committee appointed to consider His Lordship's address as follows:

1. Resolved, That there is a necessity for more pastoral visitation in our parishes, especially in the country districts, where from the scattered nature of the population, more time should be devoted to this object. This Synod is of the opinion that a service alone once a fortnight is altogether insufficient for the need of the people.

2. Resolved, That the laity be urged to more earnest co-operation with the clergy in the work of the church.

3. Resolved, That the parishes be urged to raise funds in response to the Bishop's appeal for liquidating the diocesan debt.

4. Resolved, That this Synod desires to convey its thanks to the Domestic and Foreign Mission Board of Eastern Canada for their generous support.

5. That this Synod earnestly trusts there be no relaxation of the laws relating to marriage and divorce in Canada, and that stricter regulations in the mode of issuing marriage licenses in this province may be adopted.

In the afternoon the report was considered and caused considerable discussion.

Capt. Clive Phillips Wolley said that in his opinion the conclusion of the whole matter was that there was nothing blame-worthy about harmless amusements indulged in on Sunday afternoons. The bulk of the population consisted of people who were not in the habit of going to church, and if they attend morning services it is wrong for them to play, say a game of cricket in the afternoon? Some hold, continued Capt. Wolley, that a man should not do his whole duty to his lord, and if they attend morning worship, and spend his afternoon in harmless amusement, he might be much more blameably employed than playing a quiet game of cricket. In England, where he has been, it was the custom to attend service in the morning and play cricket in the afternoon. The ladies went down to the grounds and took tea, and the men played their game on the pitch.

It is a perfectly harmless thing to do. To be sure, when a man has ample leisure and opportunity where to go to fish, shoot and otherwise amuse himself during the week, it is certainly not wise to indulge in these things on Sunday, but when men have to keep their faces to the grindstone of business and labor they should not be expected to be very strict on Sunday in attending service.

If such men attend one service, say the morning service, surely there can be no objection to their enjoyment of a little harmless, recreative amusement in the afternoon. It is certainly better that they should play cricket than be idling their time away wearily, and to tell young men to keep quiet and do nothing, is absolutely cruel. They will be sure in such circumstances, to get into mischief. At a matter of fact when men are allowed to play a quiet innocent game such as cricket, certain forms of vice disappear altogether, the result of keeping them innocently employed, and thus obtain a large exhibit from the churches, but what is to be done where there is no church within many miles. How would the clergy recommend Sunday observance in such places?

His Lordship said that there were few if any places in this diocese absolutely cut off from churches.

Mr. Marshall—"Pardon me, your Lordship, I think you will find that there are even in this diocese."

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