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RE-OPENING OF LENORA MINE

INSPECTION OF IT IN NOW IN PROGRESS

E. Stables, Representing London Capital, is Here—May Begin Work This Fall

(From Saturday's Daily.)
Preparations for the reopening of the Lenora mine and Mount Sicker railway are now well under way, and it is expected that the first ore will be taken out by the Vancouver Copper Company, the English company which has acquired the mine, early in the fall.

E. Stables, who is to take charge of the mine, has been in the city for some time past, and has visited the property on several occasions. He has reported to the company in England, and will pay another visit of inspection next week. Mr. Stables, in conversation with a Times reporter to-day, said that while arrangements for the reopening of the mine were well in hand the formalities attending upon the acquisition of the property made it impossible to give any definite statement regarding the commencement of operations. He anticipated, however, that the work of reopening the plant would be commenced during the summer, and that ore would be taken out in the fall, or at the outside, before the end of the year.

The disposition of the mineral in the mine made it impossible to calculate with certainty the present value of the mine. The ore lies in virgin ground, and it was impossible to see ahead for any considerable length of time. The prospectus of the company, however, forecasts an output of 100 tons a day for at least 300 days in the year, or 42,000 tons a year. The ore is worked somewhere in the neighborhood of \$12.24 a ton, and a yearly revenue sufficient to give a profit of \$225,000 is looked forward to. This estimate does not embrace the profits accruing from the sale of lands on the other side of the Mount Sicker railway. The working capital of the company amounts to \$150,000, and this is considered ample for the profitable operation of the mine, which was closed on account of a lack of working capital.

The railway, which connects the mine to Crofton and crosses the E. & N., will furnish the company with adequate transportation, and will connect it with most of the smelting works.

The mine was first opened up in 1893, and is still equipped with the original plant. The machinery, however, after lying in disuse for nearly three years, will need considerable repairing, and this, as stated above, will most likely be commenced during the summer.

The Vancouver Copper Company was formed in London, Eng., early this year. It is backed by many of the most prominent mining men in Great Britain, and shares to the number of 85,000, at a par value of 35, have been placed on the market. With this sound financial support and the enterprise which attaches to the company there should be no difficulty in making the future of the mine a most successful one.

JAPANESE IN FRISCO

Reports Have Reached Japan of Further Discrimination on Part of Civic Authorities.

Tokio, June 25.—Another serious report of anti-Japanese feeling in San Francisco has been received here to the effect that the city authorities have placed an embargo on Japanese engaged in the business of intelligence agencies and have also refused licenses of any kind, thus preventing them from engaging in any other business than that of a purely commercial character. Should the report be confirmed it will serve to confirm the belief here that the display of anti-Japanese feeling in that city is based on racial prejudice.

TELEGRAPHERS' STRIKE

United States Labor Commissioner is Trying to Bring About Peace.

New York, June 25.—United States Labor Commissioner Chas. P. Neill came here from Washington yesterday in connection with the strike of the telegraphers in San Francisco. He called on officials of the Western Union and Postal Companies, and also had the national leader of the Telegraph Union, who were in New York, before him. This is Mr. Neill's second visit to New York in the effort to bring about peace.

RECEIVER APPOINTED

Chicago, June 25.—A receiver has been appointed for the Marquette Mutual Life Insurance Co. of this city, with outstanding insurance of more than one million dollars.

"HEALER" CONVICTED.

Neglected to Call a Physician to Attend Daughter Who Suffered From Pneumonia.

New York, June 25.—Clarence W. Brynes, a salesman, was pronounced guilty yesterday of failing to call a physician to his six-year-old daughter Violet during her fatal illness. Brynes calls himself a "healer." He will be sentenced July 12th.

According to the testimony of the coroner, a physician, Dr. Albert E. Weston, who performed an autopsy, the girl died of pneumonia from which she suffered four days.

TRANSPORTATION OF ALIENS.

(Associated Press.)
Washington, June 25.—Secretary Strauss, of the department of commerce and labor, ratified for the government yesterday the agreement entered into between the Bureau of Immigration and the Canadian transportation lines regarding the transportation of aliens through Canada, who intend to come to America. The agreement was made to conform to the immigration law enacted at the last session of congress.

TERRORISTS ARE REORGANIZING

PREPARING FOR ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

Executive Committee of Party Refused to Sanction Attempt on Life of Czar.

St. Petersburg, June 25.—It is reported from Russian revolutionary sources that the social revolutionary party a month ago revived the old Terrorist organization that had been suffered to lapse since the congress in Finland during the spring of 1905, and placed Gregory Gerchinnin, who escaped from Siberia last year, and Savinkoff, who escaped from Sebastopol in 1905, the best organizers of the party, in charge. The sum of \$40,000 monthly was assigned for espionage, preparation of bombs, etc., from the treasury, which recently received more than \$400,000 from the cashier of the sub-treasury of Samarkand, a Social Revolutionary, who embezzled \$400,000.

The headquarters of the Terrorists, as usual, are located outside. Through an attempt on Premier Stolypin, while entering or leaving Tauride Palace, is believed to have been feasible, the Terrorists abstained from activity while Parliament was in session, which a representative of the party disavowed from the tribune of the lower house of Parliament. The recent crimes, it is added, were the work of the so-called "local flying detachments," operating independently of the main organization.

Terrorists, it is reported, now contemplate attempts upon Premier Stolypin and Emperor Nicholas, but the latter has not been sanctioned by the executive committee of the party.

It is also reported that Terrorists are planning an important robbery from which a large amount of booty is expected.

The openness with which the plans are discussed astonishes foreigners unacquainted with the methods of the old organization, which never concealed the names of its intended victims.

REINFORCEMENTS FOR FRONTIER.

St. Petersburg, June 27.—On account of the anarchical conditions in Turkish Armenia, where much of the fighting between Mussulmans and Armenians has occurred, Russian troops upon the Turkish frontier have been heavily strengthened to prevent the transit of Armenian refugees and a spread of agitation to Russian territory and also for moral effect on the Turkish government. A repetition of the Armenian massacres of 1896, when thousands of Armenian refugees crossed the frontier and settled in Southern Caucasus, is feared.

KILLED SISTER-IN-LAW.

Family Fight Resulted in Death of One Woman.

Warrensburg, Mo., June 25.—In a family fight last night near Bristol Ridge, a small settlement six miles southeast of Warrensburg, Mrs. Walter Herd killed Mrs. James Herd, a woman, by slashing her with a butcher knife.

According to reports, the women, with their husbands, had been drinking and a quarrel ensued. The women led the fight. Mrs. Walter Herd seized a butcher knife and attacked her sister-in-law, cutting her throat in a horrible manner and causing a wound from which she died.

JURY DISAGREED.

Findlay, Ohio, June 25.—The jury in the case of the state of Ohio against the Standard Oil Company, charged with violating the anti-trust laws, today reported a disagreement and was discharged.

BIG FOUR OFF FOR BUCHANAN CUP

Oarsmen From Famous J. B. A. A. Club Leave This Evening Confident of Success at Pacific Coast Meet on Lake Washington.

(From Saturday's Daily.)
Trained to the hour and with the utmost confidence of success, the J. B. A. A. Big Four, accompanied by the juniors and several of their club mates, leave for Seattle to-night. On Thursday the second day of the N. P. A. A. O. regatta, the big race for the Pacific Northwest championship for four, for the privilege of holding the Buchanan Cup for a year will take place on Lake Washington.

Victoria's star crew will have three days to become thoroughly acquainted with the course. To-morrow it will have its first outing there. On each of the subsequent days prior to the big

event the boys will have a spin over the course and Thursday will see them fit to row for a kingdom.

"In my opinion the chances of victory are first rate," says Dan O'Sullivan, the father of rowing in Victoria. "They will bring back the cup to this city. For the past five weeks they have been rowing together and are in splendid fettle. They have been in training since the 1st of May and though three of the men are new to senior com-

ponents of the club should revert to the first historic struggle. And so it is once more in the case of the Blue Ribbons of the Pacific Coast in rowing that the thoughts of Dan O'Sullivan should hark back to that first great victory twelve years ago in Esquimalt harbor.

"We were nervous," he said, "but doggedly nervous. We had not the faintest idea what the crews were competing against were like. We simply closed our eyes and rowed like reared wolves for about a mile. Somehow or other we could not look round to see how we were going. At the end of the first mile we mustered up courage and then—well we saw a line of boats behind us and the nearest was six lengths in the rear. You can imagine the feeling of satisfaction which came over us. From that point onwards we took it easy and romped home the easiest of winners by over four lengths."

The "Big Four" in that famous Esquimalt race who opened the book of history on which so many glorious pages were to be written, were Dan O'Sullivan, stroke; W. F. Scott, No. 3; D. T. Jones, No. 2; and J. D. Watson, bow. This was in 1895. The following year saw one change in the crew. F. S. Widdowson replaced Watson at bow. The following four years the "Big Four" pulled without change in its ranks, and on each occasion it won with consummate ease. The actual performances are too numerous to dwell upon, and it is sufficient to say that during the first five years of its career the J. B. A. A. never tasted defeat, and during that time won the C. P. R. Cup (three times and thereby in perpetuity), the Association Cup (twice), and thereby in perpetuity.

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THE J. B. A. A.'S BIG FOUR.
From left to right—K. T. Hughes, stroke; W. W. Laine, 3; F. Baylis, 2; W. H. Jesse, bow.

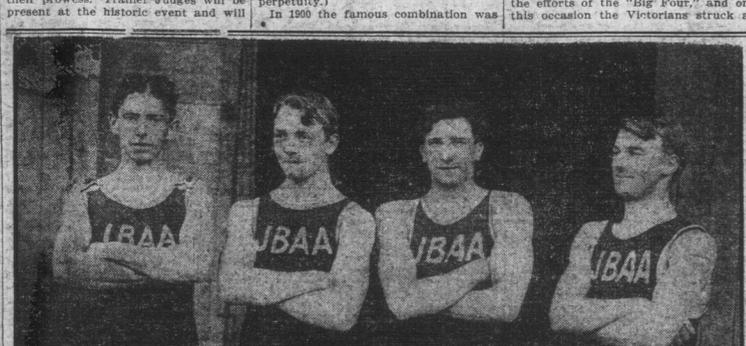
broken up. Scott, who pulled No. 3, went to South Africa, where he met death in the cause of Empire. A new crew was formed, composed as follows: C. McNeil, stroke; W. Laine, No. 3; W. Donaldson, No. 2; W. H. Jesse, bow. With this crew for the first time in its history, the J. B. A. A. went down to defeat at the hands of Portland. The following year disaster also attended its efforts, and at Shawigan Lake Portland was again victorious. On this occasion the "Big Four" had exceptionally had luck. During the last week one of the men broke down whilst training up to the last 100 yards, they were beat-

PAST WINNERS.	
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1906	Portland R. C.

pany, that is nothing in their disfavor."

The J. B. A. A. boys will be accompanied to Seattle by Phil. Austin, who will look after them during the regatta. Needless to say, the popular Dan will also be present on the day of the famous race. Throughout the season he has been coaching the boys, and as he says, has implicit confidence in their prowess. Trainer Judges will be present at the historic event and will

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JUNIOR FOUR FROM CITY.
From left to right—V. Gray, bow; C. Jenkinson, 2; C. H. Thompson, 3; R. Hiscocks, stroke.

winning vein which carried them to victory in four successive years. In the first year, 1902, the club put up a performance which has perhaps never been equaled in the annals of rowing.

On the first day of the regatta the Victoria representatives who were really a crew of striplings, raced in the junior fours. This was won with comparative ease, and the following day saw the same crew entered in the Pacific Northwest championship. Few anticipated success, but success attended the pluck of the youngsters, and they paddled their shell to a victory over which Victoria went into ecstasies. The crew that achieved this record performance is still fresh in the memory of Victorians, the names of the youngsters being: W. W. Wilson, stroke; C. B. Kennedy, No. 3; H. C. Briggs, No. 2; and L. Gill, bow.

In 1903 Briggs and Gill dropped out of the 1903 crew, their places being taken by Dillabough and W. Jesse. Right up to 1906, inclusive, victory followed victory until on the Pacific Coast the J. B. A. A. boys were thought to be invincible. During these years by winning three times in succession the club gained possession of the Hiram Walker Cup.

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IS ANXIOUS TO CONCLUDE CASE

JUDGE WOOD OPPOSED TO ANY DELAY

Rebuttal Testimony in the Haywood Trail May Be Concluded Next Week.

Boise, Idaho, June 25.—Departing from the rule established by Judge Wood, when the Haywood trial commenced, the sitting to-day will continue through two sessions. Up to the present Saturday has been a half holiday, but Judge Wood is anxious to conclude the case as early as possible in July and to-day will waste no time.

This morning the defence continues the evidence on Orchard aimed experience in the Coeur d'Alenes and witnesses will endeavor to disprove his statement that he was one of the men who blew up the Bunker mine.

The state is congratulating itself on the admission made yesterday by a former member of the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners, D. A. Copley, who said that while he was in Frisco, Orchard claimed to have some connection with the explosion at the Bradley residence. It also expressly disavows the admission by Copley that Gregory, who Orchard says he murdered in Denver, was a detective for the mine owners. The state has been so far unable to get before the jury any reason for the killing of Gregory.

On the other hand counsel for the defence do not hesitate to express much jubilation over the testimony of the Scotchman, Thomas Wood, who was the first man to go over the ground in the Vindicator mine after the explosion and enter the shell of Beck and McCormick. His evidence went to prove that the explosion was due to an accident. The inference is that McCormick took the box containing 25 pounds of dynamite with him when he left the fifth level to go to the sixth, and a pistol carried by Beck accidentally exploded setting off the dynamite. It is now expected that the defence will have finished the direct evidence before the adjournment for the fourth. In this event the rebuttal testimony may be concluded by the end of next week.

TRADE CONDITIONS.

New York, June 25.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say: "In Canada better weather makes good crop growth, active retail trade enlarged re-order of business, while fall trade reports are of the best. An average wheat yield is looked for in the Northwest."

"Montreal" reports an improvement in re-order business with jobbers, and knit goods and blanket manufacturers are unable to fill orders. Butter and cheese exports are light.

"Toronto" reports improved trade, wholesale and retail. Knit goods are oversold. Crop prospects are encouraging. Manufacturing is active and Ontario collections are good and western payments are slow.

"Winnipeg" reports an average wheat crop probable, but that farmers are being tempted to hold grain for high prices and collections are slow.

"I am pestered with letters from every anti-Spanish crank asking me to help him lift himself above his fellows," writes Major-General Baden-Powell, in contradicting the statement which has appeared couched his name with ballooning. Major-General Baden-Powell's name has been confused with that of Major Baden-Powell, his brother, who is a well known aeronaut.

Chili is probably the most progressive of all the Spanish-speaking countries. It was the first to build railways, of which it now has over 3,000 miles. It also has 11,000 miles of telegraph.

PICNICS FOR DOMINION DAY

A GENERAL EXODUS FROM VICTORIA CITY

Railway and Steamship Facilities to Be Provided and Special Rates in Operation.

(From Saturday's Daily.)
There is every indication that Dominion Day will be passed with the customary quietude in the city. As in former years the customary exodus will take place. Nearly all the Sunday schools have organized picnics, and these will not be confined to the youngsters, but will also be patronized by the older and more staid folk. Others in the city will go to Vancouver, where celebrations will ensue.

To cope with the general exodus which will take place the Canadian Pacific railway has arranged a series of excursions for the holiday makers. Special rates will go into force on the steamers Princess Victoria and the Charmor. These vessels will run on their usual schedule.

Along the line of the E. & N. railway, excursion rates will come into force to all points, and an afternoon train service, similar to Saturdays and Sundays, has been arranged.

An outing which will, it is expected, prove a very enjoyable one, is the excursion arranged to witness the regatta and water carnival at Cowichan Bay. The City of Nanaimo will sail from the C. P. R. docks at 9 a.m. on Monday and returning will arrive at about 9:30 p.m., and granted fine weather the trip will be most enjoyable, especially through the picturesque gulf islands. The City of Nanaimo is an ideal excursion steamer, having large roomy decks, while on the smooth inland gulf waters there is absolutely no motion to be experienced. No doubt the town will have a somewhat deserted appearance on Monday, which is only to be expected when there are so many attractive outings in store for the holiday seekers.

The annual picnic of Calvary Baptist and the Victoria West and Burnside Mission Sunday schools will be held on Monday at Fisher's beach, Esquimalt. Special cars will leave from Herald and Douglas streets at 9 and 10 a.m., and committees have arranged for those who attend to have an enjoyable time.

The First Congregational has also organized a picnic for young and old. The place where it will be held is White Lady Beach, on the far side of Esquimalt harbor. Cars will leave from church at 10 a.m. for the Esquimalt dock, where transportation will be provided to White Lady Beach. A programme of sports for people of all ages, both ladies and gentlemen, has been drawn up, while refreshments will be served. The outing will last nearly all day, the excursionists returning to the city about 9 o'clock.

St. Andrew's and the First Presbyterian churches will hold their annual union Sunday school picnic at Goldstream on Monday. There is no more desirable place than Goldstream for an outing, and the committees in charge are making every effort to provide for the comfort and convenience of those attending. Trains will leave the E. & N. station at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m., and 1:30 p.m., returning at 5, 7:22 and 8:30 p.m.

As before announced, the Centennial Methodist church will hold its usual outing of Bazan Park, Sidney. Trains will leave the V. & S. station at 8:15 a.m. and 3 p.m. on Monday. There will be sports for young and old, and refreshments will be provided. Those not belonging to the church can join the picnic by a payment of 50 cents.

The Spring Ridge Methodist Sunday school people are making elaborate arrangements for their annual excursion picnic to take place at Esau Bay on Monday. Every convenience has been made for the comfort of passengers in the way of refreshments of all kinds. Hot water will be obtainable free to all. Trains leave Victoria & Sidney station at 8:15 a.m. and 3 p.m. at Macaulay Point, by kind permission of the Hudson's Bay Company, the Emmanuel Baptist Sunday school will hold its picnic. Special cars will leave the church at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. The customary sports will form part of the entertainment, while refreshments will be provided for the day's outing. Both young and old are invited to the picnic.

DEPUTY PAINTED.

Royalist Member Charged From French Chamber During Speech by Socialist.

Paris, June 25.—M. Padoaou, united Socialist, in the Chamber of Deputies to-day attacked Premier Clemenceau, declaring the latter was responsible for the blood in the south of France. He became so violent that Mr. De Boudry D'Asson, Royalist, fainted from excitement and had to be carried out. The government reached a majority of 129 on a vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies to-night.

WIRELESS TO BE INSTALLED AT ONCE

Victoria City Will Have One and Others Are to Be Located as Aids to Navigation on Pacific Coast.

The wireless telegraph system on this coast is to be installed at once. It will be as aids to navigation that these stations will be fitted up and the acting minister of marine and fisheries, Hon. W. Templeman, has given instructions to have the work carried out just as quickly as it can be done.

Cecil Doutré, commissioner of wireless telegraphy and superintendent of wireless stations for the Dominion government, is at present in Victoria in connection with this work. He will have workmen engaged on the work of installing the plants within a day or two, and as quickly as the work can be done stations along the southern part of the British Columbia coast will be established. Within six weeks the first of the new wireless stations will be in running order. These will be at Victoria and Pachen Point, on the west coast of Vancouver Island. The others decided upon will be put into order with all expedition also.

There are five now decided upon all along the southern portion of the British Columbia coast. In addition to Victoria and Pachen Point, above mentioned, there will be a station at Vancouver, located either at Point Grey or Stanley Park, another will be at Estevan Point on the west coast of Vancouver Island, and one at Cape Lazo, on the east coast of the island, opposite Texada Island.

This will be the beginning of this system of aids to navigation which the government has decided to extend to this coast. Later the system will be extended by the erection of additional wireless stations along the coast as far as Prince Rupert. Within a year probably the continuous chain of stations may be built along the entire British Columbia coast.

The policy of the government, Mr. Doutré says, is to establish a number of smaller stations at frequent intervals rather than locate a few large ones. The reason of this is obvious when it is remembered that the stations are primarily for the benefit of the shipping interests, and by the location of a greater number constant communication may be kept up with coasting steamers which equip themselves with wireless. The introduction of the system on the coast will result in the rapid introduction of the apparatus on the different steamers on the coast to enable communication to be kept up. Already the C. P. R. has decided to equip the Princess May and the Princess Royal with the necessary apparatus.

The different stations will be fitted up in a substantial way. There will be a residence of two storeys for the chief operator and his family, and accommodation also for two additional operators. This will provide for a continuous service at the stations. Where lighthouses are located the wireless will be installed in the same building. This will be the case at Pachen Point. At Estevan Point, where no lighthouse yet is built, the two will be combined, the lighthouse section being installed in the wireless building.

The system to be installed is the Shoemaker, which is regarded as the best by Mr. Doutré, who made a study of the various systems on behalf of the government before a decision was reached. The Shoemaker has the advantage that it is capable of interchanging with the De Forrest, the Stone, the Marconi and the Massee systems. A long wave is used in connection with the system so that the messages carry about 200 or 250 miles to sea. It is hoped that Pachen may be able to communicate directly with Victoria by the high elevations which separate the stations in the distance. The two points is not sufficient to establish any difficulty, but Mr. Doutré says some obstacle may be found from the fact of the high elevations which separate the stations. This will be a matter for experimenting before it can be said definitely that the messages can be exchanged directly. In any event, communication will be carried out via Tatoosh on the American side as a connecting point.

CANADIAN INDUSTRIES. Returns of Capital Invested Show Large Increase For 1905 Compared With 1900.

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, June 27.—A bulletin issued to-day shows the capital invested in Canadian industries for 1905 to be \$843,381,178, an increase of \$397,000,000, or 90 per cent, over 1900. The production only increased 50 per cent. The apparent disparity in these ratios of increase was due to the inability of recently established works to produce their full capacity. In cars and car works for example the ratio of production to capital in 1900 was 151 and in 1905 it was 101; in Portland cement works it was 85 and 15; in smelting works 97 and 23 and electric light works 17 and 9 for the years respectively.

The five years have been a growing period in industrial investment, and the full results are not yet realized.

FOR FAMINE SUFFERERS. (Associated Press.) St. Petersburg, June 23.—An imperial ukase issued last night directs M. Kokovosoff, the finance minister, to issue \$25,000,000 in four per cent. rentes at the residence of the women at 601 North Sixty-second street, on the western side of Green Lake shortly before 11 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Gill died about 11 o'clock. Smith gave himself up and is in the city jail.

Smith went to the house this morning and asked to talk with the women. This was refused him and he opened the kitchen door and stepped in. Mrs. Smith, from whom he was divorced about two months ago, told him to go out, but instead he pulled a bottle which was supposed to have contained poison and put it to his lips, saying: "I will drink this!"

He did so, and just as his wife turned around he pulled a gun and shot her twice in the back. She died almost instantly. As soon as he was heard to exclaim that he would drink the poison, his mother-in-law came into room. After shooting his wife, Smith turned the gun on his mother-in-law and shot her in the neck. She ran into another room and there fell. "She lived about one hour and twenty minutes after being shot."

From the neighbors of the Smith family it was learned that the two had been married and divorced twice. The shooting was the result of Smith attempting to induce his wife to return to him. About two months ago, Mrs. Smith obtained a divorce from her husband. Later Mrs. Ethel Brownell, a sister of Mrs. Smith, had Smith arrested on a charge of assaulting and beating his former wife. He was acquitted of the charge and then went to San Francisco to work with a telephone company. Smith returned from California about ten days ago, and has not been in the neighborhood of his wife's home several times in the last few days.

Smith claims to be 73 years of age, but has the appearance of a man about 55. His wife is 41, and his mother-in-law is 64.

After arriving at the police station, Dow Smith made the following statement: "My wife's sister, who is conducting the defence, asserts positively that she proposes to go directly if possible into the conspiracy of the mine owners and claims 'I' he succeeds in broadening the scope he is able to prove that a widespread conspiracy exists."

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W. B. Easterly, who as a member of the famous Altman Union No. 19, of Cripple Creek, on the strike committee and who once swore away the men with whom he made the arrangements for more than one crime, is still on the stand. By him other links in the chain of the alleged conspiracy of the mine owners and the work of the detectives employed by them to create fear against the Western Federation will be put in evidence.

Easterly fully contradicted every statement Orchard made in connection with the Independence depot, or the vindicator mine.

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TRAGEDIES ACROSS THE BORDER IN CALIFORNIA. MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Telegraph Lineman Shot His Former Wife and Her Mother in Seattle. Fresno, June 28.—William Stutz, a butcher, killed his wife Louise, shot his aged mother-in-law in the head and then killed himself last night. Recently Stutz got the idea that his wife and her mother were conspiring against him.

The women started to run when Stutz pulled a gun, but he intercepted them and shot them both.

Double Murder in Seattle. Seattle, June 27.—Dow Smith, a telegraph lineman, shot and almost instantly killed his former wife, Mrs. Anna Smith, and then fatally wounded his mother-in-law, Mrs. Sarah Gill, at the residence of the women at 601 North Sixty-second street, on the western side of Green Lake shortly before 11 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Gill died about 11 o'clock. Smith gave himself up and is in the city jail.

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From the neighbors of the Smith family it was learned that the two had been married and divorced twice. The shooting was the result of Smith attempting to induce his wife to return to him. About two months ago, Mrs. Smith obtained a divorce from her husband. Later Mrs. Ethel Brownell, a sister of Mrs. Smith, had Smith arrested on a charge of assaulting and beating his former wife. He was acquitted of the charge and then went to San Francisco to work with a telephone company. Smith returned from California about ten days ago, and has not been in the neighborhood of his wife's home several times in the last few days.

Smith claims to be 73 years of age, but has the appearance of a man about 55. His wife is 41, and his mother-in-law is 64.

After arriving at the police station, Dow Smith made the following statement: "My wife's sister, who is conducting the defence, asserts positively that she proposes to go directly if possible into the conspiracy of the mine owners and claims 'I' he succeeds in broadening the scope he is able to prove that a widespread conspiracy exists."

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W. B. Easterly, who as a member of the famous Altman Union No. 19, of Cripple Creek, on the strike committee and who once swore away the men with whom he made the arrangements for more than one crime, is still on the stand. By him other links in the chain of the alleged conspiracy of the mine owners and the work of the detectives employed by them to create fear against the Western Federation will be put in evidence.

Easterly fully contradicted every statement Orchard made in connection with the Independence depot, or the vindicator mine.

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NEW MARKET FOR FRUIT OF PROVINCE. Dominion Official Says That New Zealand is Anxious for British Columbia Products.—Trade Prospects.

The fame of British Columbia's fruit has spread to New Zealand and the outcome of the recent exhibition held at Christ Church will be an extension of trade between the colonies. On board the Alley liner Buentaur, which reached port this morning, was A. W. Despard, decorator and installer of the exhibition branch of the department of agriculture of the Dominion government. Mr. Despard is on his way back to Ottawa, now that the exhibition is over.

At the recent exhibition the first of British Columbia's fruits were shown to the people of New Zealand. Two hundred and ten cases were on exhibition in the principal cities, and the result of the exhibit is that New Zealand is now anxiously awaiting the time when the fruit can be imported to the country.

Mr. Despard has interviewed the leading merchants in the four great distributing centres of New Zealand, in Auckland, Wellington, Christ Church and Dunedin, and they are all anxious to enter into negotiations with Canadian merchants. British Columbia fruit can be obtained when New Zealand fruit is out of season and for this reason the trade is likely to assume large proportions. On his arrival in Eastern Canada Mr. Despard will at once communicate with wholesale fruit merchants in the principal cities, and he is of opinion that they will send agents out to this province to arrange for the first shipments of fruits to New Zealand. The big merchants in New Zealand have signified their willingness to take the fruit in large quantities.

In the estimation of Mr. Despard the first shipments will amount to some two or three thousand cases. But he says that this amount will probably quadruple in a few years' time. The shipments will be carried either by the Canadian-Australian liners or else by the vessels of the Alley line. At a recent exhibit the Canadian Court obtained the highest award as a result of the exhibition. "It was," said Mr. Despard, "the most comprehensive

EMMERSON-CROCKETT CASE. Judge's Ruling Results in Postponement of Hearing. Fredericton, N. B., June 28.—The last has been heard in the courts of the Emerson-Crockett libel case until January next. Judge P. A. Landry last evening refused to allow the application for a postponement. His decision contained a lot of not easily mistaken legal quibbling. The Gleason celebrated "the triumph" of managing director Crockett by printing under the heading "Sins of Smuggling" the telegram sent to H. R. Emmerston at Westmorland, convention in Moncton last month. The libel begins with a message to Mr. Emmerston, Ottawa, by Mr. Pugsley, K. C., for entangling the case in legal quibbling. The Gleason celebrated "the triumph" of managing director Crockett by printing under the heading "Sins of Smuggling" the telegram sent to H. R. Emmerston at Westmorland, convention in Moncton last month. The libel begins with a message to Mr. Emmerston, Ottawa, by Mr. Pugsley, K. 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BURNS, OF THE SECRET SERVICE DETECTIVE WHOSE AGENT WAS REUFF'S CHAFFEUR--HIS RECORD AND HIS METHODS

San Francisco.—The first figure in the great exposure drama in this city is not Rudolph Spreckles, but the man who advanced most of the \$100,000 for the demolition of the ring, nor Francis J. Heney, the prosecutor, who had devoted eight months to the purification of San Francisco, but William J. Burns, ex-secretary of the man, and the detective who made the work of Spreckles and Heney possible. To Burns more than to any other single man is the credit due for the actual work which led to Rueff's downfall and the cornering of the bribe givers and takers, big and small.

Burns is a most interesting man, and it is not stretching terms to say that he is unquestionably one of the greatest and four greatest detectives in America. His whole life is an exemplar of accomplishment, and, as the last eighteen years of it have been spent in the general art of "sleuthing," his history is a record of incident. His methods of detection are not easy to analyze, and it is difficult to say wherein he is different from other great detectives. However, in his case are the tell-tale of success. It was Burns that secured the confessions from the fourteen bootlegging supervisors and forced the breakdown of the "ring" on his exposures and indictments against all the grafters were based, and all the evidence in the hands of the prosecution was unearthed by him.

SILICA BRICKS ARE BEING MADE SUPERIOR QUALITIES CLAIMED FOR THEM

The Silica Brick Company have commenced their operations of making the new compressed brick at the works near Colwood. This brick is not only weather-proof, but also fire resisting. The new brick, which is a sanitary one, is pressed, and those interested claim that it is equal in every way to the best clay brick on the market. Besides being superior in that it stands more fire and great pressure, it is immune from all climatic effects. With it there is no shaking or cracking under the action of the weather. Bricklayers, moreover, themselves testify that they can lay more wall with it than with any other kind of brick because of its uniformity in size. In short, as to its formation it may be said that engineering science at the present day has been able by pressure applied in one day, to effect what geological pressure gradually accumulating during the formation of sandstone rock has only after ages been able to effect in the course of nature's process.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL. W. F. Davis Will Take the Stand Again For the Defense.

Boise, Idaho, June 27.—W. F. Davis, the witness for the defense in the case against Haywood, takes the stand again to-day and Senator Borah continues cross-examination. Orchard commenced the story of his blood-curling crimes with the blowing up of the concentrator at Wardner by a mob of 1,000 union men, the mob was, at the time, being operated by non-union laborers. Orchard told the story of the trial, and the witness for the defense took the stand again to-day and Senator Borah continues cross-examination.

SPORTING NEWS THE OAR. TITUS RETIRES.

Constance C. Titus, United States amateur sculling champion, announced a few days ago his retirement from active rowing competition. His entry for the Henley regatta to be held next month, was refused a few weeks ago. N. P. A. O. ENTRIES. The secretary of the N. P. A. O. yesterday received the official list of entries for the sixteenth annual regatta of the N. P. A. O., which will be held on Lake Washington, Seattle, July 23rd and 24th. The colors of the various crews are as follows: James Bay Athletic Association, Victoria, B. C.—Navy blue and white. Vancouver Rowing Club, Vancouver, B. C.—Scarlet and white. England Rowing Club, Portland, Ore.—Navy, sky blue and white. Nelson Boat Club, Nelson, B. C.—Green and white. Seattle, Wash.—Colors not given. All association races are one and one-half miles straight away.

HONORED FITZPATRICK

Burns is forty-six years old. Born in Maryland, he was at an early age taken to Columbia, Md., where his father settled, and is now in the flourishing business. The parent was elected to the commission of police while Burns was still a young man, and from that time on the son has given most of his waking hours to the ferreting of criminals and the uncovering of crime. Burns is a physical man, of the build of the famous tally-sheet forger, who were counted upon to seat a state senator from Columbus, that Burns actively engaged in detective work.

INDIAN UPRISING FEARED

Under the leadership of Annie Emmeheart, a new religion, or rather a resurgence of the old heathen practices, has sprung up among the Indians of Fort Berthold reservation, and is causing considerable comment, says a dispatch from N. D. Dispatch. Annie Emmeheart is a graduate of the Carlisle Indian school, and by reason of her superior educational advantages has much influence with the people of her tribe. Recently a horse belonging to the father of the woman died, and she has succeeded in making the Indians believe that the spirit of God has entered into dead body of the horse, and that the woman who had been cut off, and this she dressed with bright pieces of calico. She caused an altar to be erected in the Elbow woods, close to the reservation, and on this the newly-decorated horse's head has been placed, and here the Indians assemble and go through their strange worship, which seems to be a modification of the older heathen worship. Offerings are brought daily to the horse's head, and these are offered as burnt sacrifices during all of the ceremonies, the participants being required to keep their faces toward the sun. The woman has instructed the Indians in a weird and plaintive chant which is sung at the assemblages, which are held several times a week. The horse's head and the sun are venerated, the Indians going through a species of dance. Many of the Indians have become convinced that the woman is a prophet of the Great Spirit, and they obey her every whim. She advises her followers ready the missionaries are complaining to turn their backs upon the white man and to live for the Indians alone. Although the new cult has made sad inroads upon their congregations, and they are making strenuous efforts to regain their hold over the people, the missionaries express fear that the influence of the woman may cause trouble.

ATTEMPTED MURDER. Thick Clothes Saved Life of Man Who Was Attacked by Nephew.

Before Mr. Justice Bray, at Dorset assizes, George Rose, twenty-eight, was indicted for attempting to murder his nephew, John Ellis, who is over eighty years of age, and carries on an extensive business as a timber merchant. Rose and his wife were in the workshop, and without the least warning prisoner took a gun and fired it into his uncle's back. A neighbor came in on hearing the shot, and Rose said: "I have shot him." "Could not help it, something came over me," Mr. Warden told the jury. He was taken to hospital, and about eight shots were extracted. His life was saved by the thick clothes he was wearing. The jury found Rose insane.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST HOUSE OF LORDS

Resolution Passed the Commons By a Majority of Nearly Three Hundred. London, June 26.—The three days debate in the House of Commons ended at midnight, when Premier Campbell-Bannerman's resolution in favor of curtailing the power of the House of Lords in vetoing bills passed in the House of Commons was carried by 482 to 147 amid loud ministerial cheers. The amendment introduced by A. Henderson, Laborite, Durham, for total abolition of the House of Lords, was previously rejected by 315 to 100, the minority being composed of Laborites, Nationalists and a few radicals. In the division the Nationalists as a body abstained from voting.

SWISS STATE RAILWAYS.

The Swiss state railways are enjoying a period of great prosperity. The records for the last winter season show an increase of 10 per cent for the year, and those for the three first months of the present year are also gratifying. The sum realized in the three months is given as \$5,000,000, and this brilliant stroke of fortune is encouraging the administration to launch out into new projects of coast-by-improvements. On several of the lines steam traction will be replaced by electricity, and a number of the most important stations will be brought quite up to date in all their appointments and structures.

ENGLISH MEMBER'S VIEWS.

New York, June 27.—Robert William Perks, M. P., who returns to England on the Celtic to-day after a business trip of a month to Canada, said in an interview that the frequent labor strikes in the United States were "an economic barbarism."

BASEBALL. PREMIER APPEARANCE.

The Victoria Superiors, the name taken by the ball players who have decided to represent Victoria this season, have made final arrangements for their opening game, and Saturday afternoon will see them in combat with the Bremerton boys. The game will be played at the Victoria grounds, and will be a contest between the Victoria and Bremerton teams. The Victoria Superiors will be the next man to be called on to play. With Blackbourne on the pitcher's mound, the Victoria Superiors will have to play fast ball if they expect to win. Under the name of the Superiors the team that will represent Victoria has already met the Bremerton team three times this season, and three good games have resulted. In the first the Superiors won by good margins, but the latter were victorious in the ninth inning. In two of the games the result was a tie until the end of the eighth, but the Superiors managed to get in a few timely swats and broke the game up.

CONTRAST WITH CRICKET.

Followers of baseball always contend that the outfield catches are more difficult in the diamond game than on the green, and are negotiated because of superior ability of the baseball players as against the fielding skill of the cricketer, says an Eastern exchange. Curiously, Englishmen are generally credited with concurring in this idea. For instance, a writer in an American paper said the other day: "Skilled English cricketers who see Americans play baseball are astonished by the catches I have seen a group of Englishmen sit in a grand stand and applaud a catch which, to the experienced American crowd, is considered 'easy.' The Britishers cannot grasp the idea nor understand the training and long experience enable men to get the ball out of the air with such wonderful precision. To the average American fan catching a fly anywhere that the fielder can reach it looks easy. Yet there are catches which bring the most calloused fans to their feet with yelps of delight and send thrills through the crowd. Some of these catches bound on the accidental, so impossible do they seem."

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL. LADYSMITH MATCH.

In response to the invitation of J. Adams, secretary of the Ladysmith Association Football Club, the Victoria West Club are sending a team to play the Ladysmith eleven on Dominion Day. It was the desire of J. Adams to meet the same Victoria West team that won the intermediate championship this year, but as several of the boys in that team journey to Vancouver to play lacrosse on Dominion Day, this is impossible. The Victoria West boys will get together a good strong aggregation, however, and although the team is not yet definitely decided upon, it is safe to say that it will be one that will give the Ladysmith players a good game. As prizes valued at about \$7 have been offered for each player on the winning team, it is expected that the game will be fast and exciting throughout, and it will undoubtedly be one of the features of the Ladysmith celebrations.

THE CROP OUTLOOK.

Perfect Growing Weather in All the Wheat Growing Districts. Winnipeg, June 27.—A farmer of South Q'Appelle this morning stated that the wheat crop in the district was the most promising for many years, and that at any corresponding time in years since 1901, in which season there was an exceptionally heavy crop. With this statement of the condition in the wheat growing districts the reports made by agents of the C. P. R. agree very closely. In telegrams received by the general superintendent this morning there is not one discouraging note. From every portion of the country there come reports of perfect growing weather, with abundant showings of rain, and the prospect for the rainfall an inch; others speak of repeated showers affording all the needed moisture. One agent reports the growth as fourteen inches; others as one foot others four to ten inches. At the worst the crop is not more than two weeks later than last year, and with a continuance of the present weather conditions, all that is lacking may be made up in all parts of the west.

THIRTY MILE BOAT.

E. O. Spillman, the well-known engine builder of North Tonawanda, Pa., is having constructed for the transportation of the team and the boys expect to make enough out of their guarantees to pay their board and incidental expenses. They are, in fact, confident of making money on the trip. The school board has given the members of the high school team permission to make the trip that will carry the team to coast to coast. The trip of fifty games of ball during the summer months, and incidentally advertising the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. The amount raised is deemed sufficient to cover the expenses of the team and the boys expect to make enough out of their guarantees to pay their board and incidental expenses. They are, in fact, confident of making money on the trip. The school board has given the members of the high school team permission to make the trip that will carry the team to coast to coast. 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LIFE-SAVING AND AIDS TO NAVIGATION.

As will be noted from a detailed announcement which appears in the Times to-day, the Department of Marine and Fisheries of the Dominion government has practically completed all arrangements for the establishment of a wireless telegraphic system along the coast of British Columbia. The superintendent of the government wireless telegraphic system, Mr. Cecil Doure, is in the city attending to the details and preparing for the active work of installation. Stations will be erected immediately at Victoria, Vancouver, Pachen and other important points, while others will be provided in accordance with requirements and with all possible dispatch.

Experience in the East with the Marconi system has demonstrated that it does not work as satisfactorily as could be desired concerning the importance of the interests involved. After considerable experience and patient investigation, Mr. Doure has concluded that the Shoenaker system is the more reliable and dependable. Consequently that system will be established on this coast.

It is evident the government of Canada is determined that if modern science and human ingenuity can devise ways and means of preventing the loss of life which has occurred with distressing regularity upon the Pacific Coast during the stormy seasons of the year, no question of expense will be permitted to stand in the way. Already a road is in process of construction along a portion of the west coast of the Island where vessels have most frequently been driven ashore. This roadway will enable life-saving apparatus to be transported with facility to the places at which it may happen to be required. The wireless telegraphic system will provide the means of effective communication between all points on the coast and enable life-saving crews and apparatus to be dispatched with the utmost celerity to the places where their services are required.

We think no one will attempt to question the fact that the Department of Marine and Fisheries has acted promptly on the suggestions offered by several of the public bodies of the city in this important matter. Lighthouses, foghorns and every kind of appliance considered necessary for the safeguarding of property and life in the dangerous waters of the coast have been established regardless of cost. When the roadway now under construction is completed and the wireless system in operation we shall have on the west coast of Vancouver Island one of the most complete schemes to be found anywhere, but not more complete than warranted considering the rapid development of business in British Columbia waters.

AMBASSADOR BRYCE REBUKED.

The British ambassador at Washington, as a historian who has written flattering things of the United States, was received with open arms and warmly embraced when he crossed the Atlantic. As one of the great teachers of the times he was invited to freely express his opinions about republican institutions and to suggest remedies for any defects he might discover. But Mr. Bryce is now finding out that the messages he was invited to deliver are not being received with gladness. The lecture he gave Canadians when he crossed their borders bearing a message from Secretary Root, was listened to with a good deal of impatience. Indeed in one instance Mr. Bryce was plainly told by a plain-spoken Canadian that his opinions are not to be regarded with suspicion attempts of Imperial statesmen in harmonious co-operation with American public men to settle trifling matters in dispute between the United States and Canada. The ambassador took the hint and carried his lecture course across the line. Doubtless he has washed his hands of our affairs and has carried away the impression that as a stiff-necked people filled to the crown with a mass of out-of-date prejudices we must be left to conduct our own affairs in our own peculiar manner.

We gather from some things which have lately appeared in the American newspapers that Mr. Bryce's habit of speaking his mind plainly is giving offence to our neighbors also. The editors are evidently beginning to think that while the ideal ambassador ought necessarily to be a man of ideas he need not necessarily be continually seeking for opportunities of giving expression to them. Sir Julian Pauncefote, astute man, was very careful never to attempt to lecture the people amongst whom he dwelt so long upon their political or social shortcomings. He confined his attention strictly to the matters that properly came under his attention as ambassador. He was not a man of profound learning, nor a historian, nor a philosopher—simply a statesman, and, as became his position, a social leader. Peace of wisdom never dropped from his lips, unless perhaps in the council chamber, where they doubtless were not cast before gatherings which could not appreciate them. The New York Sun has been making comparisons not at all complimentary to Mr. Bryce which suggest thoughts of what has happened to other British representatives to the United States who were indiscreet enough to mix themselves up in the internal affairs of the republic. The Sun says:

As a constitutional lawyer who has been in his time the greatest living authority on the origin and development of our political system. Mr. James Bryce is almost expected to express his opinions on our affairs with a freedom that is not common in the case of ambassadors, who, as a rule, are frank only when they tell the truth in the disguise of after-dinner humor. The present representative of King Edward at Washington is a sort of spoiled child of diplomacy.

In an address at Washington University yesterday Mr. Bryce made a statement which was distinctly platitudinous and gave a piece of advice by implication which was gratuitous. He said that the United States need fear no other country and that we did not need a big navy. With regard to the first he was in a position to judge as an expert on foreign affairs, but we have never heard that he was regarded, at any stage of his career, as an expert on armaments.

If the Right Hon. James Bryce is to remain persona grata, not merely at Washington but also throughout the country, he will have to allow us to manage our own business in our own way.

DOMINION DAY.

Monday next will be the fortieth anniversary of the birth of Canada as a confederation. Our people, from ocean to ocean will celebrate the event which marks the birthday of the nation that is destined to become one of the greatest of the powers of the world with greater enthusiasm than ever because they realize that the days of experimentation have been safely passed—that the dangers which beset colonial youth have been successfully avoided, and that with the experiences of the past to guide them in their further course the future of their country is assured. Now that the period of perils behind us, the fact may be candidly admitted that the foundations of Canada were laid in doubt and misgiving by the Fathers of the Confederation. Previous to 1867 several experiments had been undertaken for the purpose of solving the problem of governing in the British Colonies of North America. Those experiments failed because of the natural jealousies of a population of mixed nationalities and divergent views. The legislative union of Upper and Lower Canada simply served to accentuate the difficulties of the situation with which the British and Colonial statesmen of the time were called upon to deal. Nova Scotia and New Brunswick were loth to surrender their local autonomy and independence in order to further the scheme of a united British America, grand though the project appeared to the men of great faith and prescient vision who were its chief advocates. But the end was ultimately attained, although the means resorted to to bring it about were considered at the time somewhat high-handed and arbitrary. To-day, when the great confederation extends from the Atlantic to the Pacific, when not a single person within the confederation or out of it can survey the completed work without pronouncing it good, when but one sentiment animates the breast of the Canadian of French origin in quaint old Quebec, of the Canadian of British origin in the other eastern provinces, of the equally and Canadian in British Columbia, or of the new Canadian in the lately created provinces of the Northwest, is there not substantial ground for the feeling of jubilation with which the coming anniversary is regarded?

It is true an occasional note of discord is heard in the grand chorus of hope and confidence. The politician whose position depends upon the continuation of fast-disappearing sectional and sectarian prejudice raises a wail of doubt about the future, and his feeble cry is re-echoed by a few Doubting Thomases who affect to foresee the possibility of disaster to British connection in the great stream of strangers from strange lands which is flowing with increasing force into the Northwest. But the pessimists are put to confusion by the known facts. The liberties of Canadians are too strongly guaranteed by our system of government for them ever to be assailed, much less subverted, by any ecclesiastical system, however powerful. On this point we shall take the liberty to quote a few sentences from the speech of Hon. Rudolph Lemieux, the Canadian Postmaster-General who was responsible for the change in our postal regulations which gave British publishers a preference in Canada over the publishers of the United States, a speech which might be read with profit by Dr. Sproule and other professional patriots on the opposition side of Parliament. Mr. Lemieux said, addressing an Oseario audience recently:

"Much has been said against Sir Wilfrid Laurier in certain places. Let me tell you that no man has done more to harmonize the two races, not only by his eloquent words, but because no man has made British institutions more respected among the people of his own race."

"You are told sometimes in Ontario and the other English-speaking provinces that we in Quebec are not truly loyal. I assure you from the bottom of my heart that you need not be afraid of Quebec. Our loyalty does not spring from our lips, but from our hearts. We, the French-Canadians, have been given a sacred trust inherited from our ancestors. We have received from them a creed to which we are attached as you are attached to your Protestant faith. We must all re-

spect the beliefs of others, as we must pity the unbelievers. We must respect that creed which teaches us to fear God and at the same time respect the law of the land in which we live. We have received from our ancestors interesting memories of the past. Is there anyone among the people of Ontario who would refuse to any French-Canadian the right to speak or sing in the language which his mother taught him at her knees? We have received from our ancestors the spirit of chivalry which belongs and pertains to the French race, and that very spirit is the best guarantee of our loyalty, because the two go together. No, Reformers of Ontario, do not be misled by appeals which are often made to you. The French-Canadians are loyal. They will cling to British institutions more than will the people of the Anglo-Saxon race. Their ancestors had been abandoned 150 years ago after the historic struggle on the Plains of Abraham. They were defeated in that last memorable struggle. But, sir, in the old regime they were ruled by an autocracy. They did not know what self-government was, but since the passing of the Quebec act in 1774, an act which was passed by a Protestant Legislature at the time when the Blue Laws were in existence in thirteen colonies, when Scotland's Protestants were denied the privilege they enjoy to-day they have been free men. Parliament passed the Quebec act in order to give our forefathers the rights and franchises which they enjoy to-day.

"Do you think they would exchange the rights and liberties which they enjoy under the Union Jack, under the benign inspiration of the British flag, and renounce their allegiance to the British throne to pass under the dominion of Roosevelt, a man who personally I respect, most highly? If the French-Canadians belonged to the public to-morrow they would be swallowed up in the mixed population of the United States. No, we have all our franchises under the British Crown. We cling to them. We are more attached to them, perhaps, than you are yourselves. Therefore, you need not fear for the vain appeals sometimes made to you in order to stir up bad feelings."

If Canadians were given to the habit of expressing their sentiments in "orations" upon the day they delight to honor above all other days in the calendar, men of the stamp and character and genius for poetical expression of Hon. Rudolph Lemieux might, with propriety be selected for the task. For the misgiving that the new settlers arriving in the Northwest are a menace to British sentiment and British institutions, that proposition is met by the fact that the immigrants are taking the oath of British citizenship just as quickly as they can qualify. One year ago a Winnipeg newspaper said: As regards the attitude of the people of the Dominion, those who are in favor of adoption, Canada occupies a unique position. There is no race war, except in the minds of a few notoriety-seeking politicians, and there is absolutely no disaffection existing among any class or race towards the laws of the land or the flag that floats over it. Deep in the hearts of the people there is a fervent affection for their country. The newcomers are scarcely settled as yet, but they are loyal Canadians as those who are the native born. The Dominion of Canada means much more to-day than it did at the time of Confederation. It is now the term describing a country stretching from ocean to ocean—a country peopled by various races but bound together in the sympathy induced by common interests. Canada is no longer an insignificant, unknown region torn by warring factions and deep-rooted feuds. The Dominion to-day is attracting the world-wide attention. Its resources and capabilities have been abundantly shown forth. Besides its material attractions, it possesses a system of government unsurpassed in the world. The social life of the country is such as to appeal to the best and most worthy people who are seeking a new home. Uprightness, character and ability are all that is required to climb to the highest positions. The Dominion to-day stands pre-eminent among those nations of the world that are holding out inducements to homeseekers.

CROPS IN NORTHWEST.

Ottawa, June 23.—A bulletin issued by the census department to-day dealt with the progress of the Northwest. The area in crop in the three provinces increased from 3,419,413 acres in 1906 to 6,205,190 acres in 1907, and the yield of the three crops increased from 43,252,664 bushels in 1906 to 132,244,822 bushels in 1907 and to 240,469,068 bushels in 1906.

—Only one change was made in the officers of the provincial W. C. T. U. at the annual election in Vancouver on Wednesday. This was the election of Mrs. Spottford, of Victoria, to succeed Mrs. Watson as president. The other three officers re-elected are: Corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. A. Cunningham, who has been acting president for several months owing to the illness of Mrs. Watson; recording secretary, Mrs. Frank Andrews, Victoria, and treasurer, Mrs. Gordon Grant, Victoria.

BIG FOUR OFF FOR BUCHANAN CUP

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Last year again saw disruption in the Big Four. Two changes were made in the crew. The regatta was held at Nelson and Portland proved victorious. The Victoria crew was C. B. Kennedy, stroke; C. S. Finlayson, No. 3; P. Austin, No. 2, and W. H. Jesse, bow.

This brings the record of the club up to the present year, a year when interest has risen to a high pitch. Only one of last year's crew is rowing on Lake Washington, Jesse at bow. All the others are new names, now at least to fame in the annals of rowing on the Pacific. If, however, the opinion of Dan O'Sullivan goes for anything, and there is no better judge of racing merit on the Pacific coast, or indeed in the wide Dominion, this year's Big Four will be another of the famous combinations which have made history.

The crew which represent Portland is not out of place here. To him is due in large measure the credit of forming the J. B. A. rowing club. He has through his efforts secured the regatta through its own efforts, and rowing himself, year in and year out, he has been coaching the boys. To his experience most of the victories are due. He is superior to any sportsman in the city of Victoria and the enthusiasm which he displays with reference to the Victoria boys who will fight for the title at the regatta is sufficient augury of success.

Of the past of the crews engaged in Thursday's big race little is known. The crews which represent Portland and Seattle are the same combination which pulled in the junior event last year. Seattle has selected for the Junior event four out of the eight who defeated Stanford University this year and are hopeful of winning and entering for the big event. Vancouver has already been seen in this capacity when on "Victoria Day" it won a victory over the J. B. A. Juniors on the Gorge Inlet. Nelson in the Junior event is said to be a fast crew, but it has not been tried this season. The crew of the Victoria entered for the championship event this year are in great measure unknown quantities.

The Buchanan cup, upon which the name of Thursday's winner will be inscribed, cannot be won outright, but each winning crew has the right to hold it for a year. It is of a massive character, presented by the well known Scotch whiskey distillers and cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$600. The Victoria contingent during its stay in Seattle has had some fine moments. In all some nineteen members of the J. B. A. will make the trip to Lake Washington. The Victoria contingent has the purpose of thorough training and are very hopeful of victory. W. N. Kennedy a junior sculler, will compete for the J. B. A. at the regatta. He has shown promising form in his trials. All around the rowing enthusiasts are very hopeful that he will secure the Junior sculls for the year. The following is a full list of the crews entered:

Senior Fours.
J. B. A.—K. T. Hughes, stroke; W. W. Laing, 3; E. Baylis, 2; W. H. Jesse, bow.
Victoria R. C.—C. S. Sawers, stroke; J. R. R. A. Moore, 3; C. G. Laing, 2; T. Patterson, bow.
Portland R. C.—E. E. Loomis, stroke; A. C. McMillen, 3; J. A. Dillabough, 2; A. A. Allen, bow.

Junior Fours.
J. B. A.—R. Hiscocks, stroke; C. H. Thompson, 3; C. Jenkinson, 2; V. Gray, bow.
Portland R. C.—V. Dent, stroke; E. G. Wendling, 3; C. W. Ganszelmier, 2; J. D. Boost, bow.
Vancouver R. C.—S. C. Sweeney, stroke; F. H. Godfrey, 3; E. MacGachan, 2; A. Quinlan, bow.
Seattle R. C. and C. Club—L. Edvay, stroke; S. G. Cooper, 2; Beck, bow; Nelson R. C.—G. Y. Simpson, stroke; G. Stacey, 3; N. B. Boddington, 2; W. G. Power, bow.

Senior Doubles.
J. B. A.—W. W. Laing, stroke; W. H. Jesse, bow.
Nelson R. C.—T. DesBrisay, stroke; A. Pity and Club—K. Kelly, stroke; Vancouver R. C.—J. R. R. A. Moore, bow; T. Patterson, bow.
Portland R. C.—E. O. Gloss, stroke; Geo. C. Luders, bow.

Junior Doubles.
Seattle R. C. and C. Club—Barton, stroke Kelly, bow.
Nelson R. C.—A. Poole, stroke; F. Nott, bow.
Vancouver R. C.—A. D. King, stroke; C. C. Morgan, bow.
J. B. A.—G. H. Thompson, stroke; J. C. Bendroit, bow.
Portland R. C.—R. Conant, stroke; Chas. A. Quinlan, bow.

Senior Singles.
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At a meeting of the Victoria-Motor Club held last night for the purpose of completing arrangements for to-morrow's excursion to Alberni, it was decided to extend invitations to a number of non-members. These guests include the local members of the legislature, F. L. Elworthy, secretary of the board of trade, H. Cuthbert, secretary of the tourist association and members of the special committee appointed by the board of trade to confer with the government officials on the matter of building a road along Saanich Inlet to the west end of the island. The party, numbering about 60, will leave the Driford hotel in a score of cars at 8.30 a. m. to-morrow, and will be absent three days.

The special committee appointed by the board of parks commissioners to draft by-laws for the regulation of that body, completed its work this morning. The report will be the next meeting of the commissioners.

Francis Stone, charged at Brantree with stealing a sarcophagus valued at a penny, was fined 5s. and costs.

ELECTION OF NEW DIRECTORS

ANNUAL MEETING OF JUBILEE HOSPITAL

Reports Were Presented Covering the Past Year's Work at the Institution.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

The election of four new members and the receiving and adoption of reports from the directors, treasurer and resident medical officers, constituted the business transacted at the seventeenth annual meeting in connection with the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital yesterday afternoon. A precedent was established by the election of a lady, Mrs. Charles Rhodes, to the board of management. When the nominations were called for, two ladies were named for positions, the rule that anybody who had subscribed \$5 to the hospital was eligible, permitting of this departure from the usual practice of confining the nominations to the male sex. The following were nominated: Mrs. Charles Rhodes, Mrs. Machin, H. D. Helmcken, K. C. Alex. Wilson, F. B. Pemberton, and H. E. Newton.

There was a keen race between some of the candidates Mrs. Rhodes, and Messrs. Newton and Pemberton being elected on the first ballot, while Mrs. Machin and Mr. Wilson tied. A second ballot was taken and this resulted in the election of Mr. Wilson. The chair was occupied by the president of the hospital board, James Forman. At the opening of the meeting the report of the directors was read. In part it was as follows:

"The principal work in the upkeep of the premises has been in painting public rooms, kitchens and corridors, new floors in some private wards, a food wagon, extensive repairs to the medical ambulance, new stoves in the kitchen and children's wards, as well as repairs incurred by the severity of the weather during the past winter. The demand for accommodation in the private rooms has been so great during the past year that many patients have had to be refused admission. I would urge upon the board, the necessity of providing increased accommodation for this class of patients. The Women's Auxiliary, the Daughters of City, and the King's Daughters are as ever, invaluable as auxiliaries in the work of the hospital. Regular services have been held on Sunday afternoons in the men's dining-room by the clergy of the city. The patients have enjoyed the weekly concerts given at the hospital, and arranged mainly by the kind efforts of Wellington Dowler and A. Longfield, whom I would specially thank together with those ladies and gentlemen who so ably contributed to the success of these occasions. I cannot refrain from again expressing on the part of myself and the staff our extreme appreciation of the kindness and good will shown to the hospital at Christmas time by the aid societies, who induced the various musical organizations to give concerts at the hospital, which societies and other individual friends are duly thanked and mentioned in detail in the annual report of the Women's Auxiliary Society. The experience of the very prosperous year just closed has enforced one lesson very important to all institutional work and service—that a steady adherence to these fixed principles, which alone control, duty and conduct, irrespective of individuals, or of prejudice, is the only rule by which a fitting standard can be upheld satisfactory to the public conscience, and productive of that blameless and irrefragable record as an institution, which this hospital is rapidly earning, and which it is the aim of your officers and staff to maintain.

H. D. Helmcken, K. C. moved that this report be adopted, and A. Wilson seconded the motion. Mr. Helmcken referred to the good work done by the medical officer and the staff, and the motion, upon being put, was carried. There was only a small attendance at the meeting, which was held in the council chamber at the city hall.

GIVEN FREE HAND.

New York Public Utilities Commission Has Power of Sweeping Character.

Albany, June 23.—Powers of the most extraordinary and sweeping character have been given the public utilities commission, appointed by Governor Hughes to-day.

The bill creating the commission, which was earnestly advocated by Governor Hughes, marked what was probably one of the most important steps to meet the present demand throughout the country.

June 1.—To cash accounts \$ 3,377 75
Receipts.
Grants, bequests and donations \$23,125 50
Pay patients' fees 27,510 94
French hospital, part pro- French sale, \$2,800 1,000 00
Sales of farm products 421 40
Rent of cricket field and interest 161 47
Canadian Bank of Commerce, current account overdraft 1,200 16
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May 21—Expenses as per statement \$38,932 57
Mill 6,082 90
Balance at Canadian Bank of Commerce savings account \$11,911 77
Cash on hand 25 00
Total \$116,377 77

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In moving the adoption of both reports, Mayor Morley congratulated the board upon the splendid showing it had made during the past term. He hoped

AFRICAN EXPLORER SUES NEWSPAPER

Dr. Peters is Unpopular in Munich and Has Been Assaulted Several Times.

Munich, Bavaria, June 23.—Dr. Peters, the African explorer, who is suing the Munchener Post for calumny, is so unpopular that the authorities are obliged to protect him coming to and going from court. Several assaults on him have already taken place. One man had been arrested for throwing the doctor from a street car and attempting to stab him.

Yesterday's hearing in the suit was confined to expressions of opinion by persons who have had experience in Africa. They were mostly unfavorable to the explorer, and some of the witnesses, however, said they considered the position of the Peters expedition called for stern measures. The case went over until next Monday.

RUN DOWN BY AN EXPRESS TRAIN

Carriage Wrecked on Railway Crossing—One of Occupants Killed and Two Injured

Danbury, Conn., June 23.—Mrs. A. Coke Seelye was killed and two of her companions, Mrs. Geo. Decker and Howard S. Hoyt, were badly injured when the Pittsfield express struck a carriage containing them as it was crossing the track of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad at Bethel last night. A fourth occupant of the carriage, Mrs. Ed. Rosevear, daughter of Mrs. Seelye, jumped as the train struck the carriage, and escaped injury.

All the members of the party were from this city, and are well known. Mrs. Seelye was about sixty years of age, wife of the former postmaster of Danbury and a member of a prominent family. Mr. Hoyt is a wealthy retired business man. It is expected he will recover, as will Mrs. Decker.

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A letter addressed to the editor of the Times from Philadelphia makes inquiries about a man named Daniel Healey...

A cheque for \$55, being the proceeds of an entertainment held at Comox on June 20th, is gratefully acknowledged by the committee...

Yet another eastern Canadian has increased in acreage in the neighborhood of Victoria. This time it is Mr. Mitchell of Toronto...

James Lancelot Bell and Miss Emily Alice Foley were married on June 19th at the bishop's residence...

Mr. R. Sward, well known as an expert advertiser and show card writer, has opened an office in room 3 at 76 Government street...

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BRICK WORKS WERE INSPECTED DIRECTORS VISITED COLWOOD YESTERDAY

The Process of Manufacture Was Examined—Everything Was Found Most Satisfactory.

The new works of the Silica Brick Company at Colwood were officially inspected yesterday afternoon by the directors. H. B. Thompson, M. P. E. president; J. Kingham, treasurer; R. W. Clark, secretary; Mr. Hinton, S. Johns and T. R. Whitley, manager of the Royal Bank, were among the party.

Apparently there are no ferrous salts or anything else to affect the quality of the lime. This seems to be apparent from its color. There is, moreover, enough of this lime to last for over 100 years.

Another point of general interest lies in the fine quality of the vast quantity of the sand itself close at hand. From appearance and from all accounts, it is virtually to all interests and purposes a pure silica sand of exceptional good quality.

Moreover, the company has another advantage, which, in itself, is worth consideration in weighing the conditions of a company, namely, its transportation facilities. These are about as perfect as they well could be.

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At a meeting of the council of the Toronto Board of Trade to-day a resolution was passed that the board has learned with much satisfaction from Mr. Grigg of the intention of His Majesty's board of trade to appoint commercial correspondents throughout the Dominion, and desire to express their appreciation of interest in the matter of increasing trade between the Motherland and Canada.

Toronto, June 28.—To purchase two worn-out British naval ships now lying in the dockyards at Bermuda, to break up one, perhaps both, and transport the metal to Toronto, is the job undertaken by Frankel Bros. of this city.

Best Commission. Calgary, June 28.—At the beef commission sitting at Gleichen the testimony all went to show that there is a combine among the large buyers. The commissioners say there will be a very warm session at Winnipeg, as they are gathering incriminating evidence all along the line against certain firms.

Man Wounded. Kingston, Ont., June 28.—Geo. Armstrong was shot in the arm with a blank cartridge fired from a passing G. T. B. train. Men of the 4th regiment, of Belleville, were in the car. The military authorities will make an investigation. Armstrong received a bad wound.

Saved By Boy. Niagara Falls, Ont., June 28.—A 15 year-old boy named Dick Carpenter, was the means of saving three men from drowning in the lower Niagara river. The men were James Stewart, of Queenston, James Scott and Victor Lidger, of Lewiston, all fishermen. They went out on the river in a skiff and got caught in a whirlpool. The skiff shipped water and they were thrown out. Young Carpenter put out in a sail boat to their aid. Scott and Lidger were able to catch his boat and climb in, but Stewart was helpless. Scott grabbed for him and got his hat, but the man went down. When he arose for the last time, Lidger managed to catch him, but could not get him into the boat, and Scott and Carpenter pulled the boat to shore. Lidger dragged Stewart behind. He was nearly dead, and it took a doctor some time to resuscitate him.

Children Injured. Toronto, June 28.—Coming down Norway hill, in the eastern part of the city last night, at a furious rate of speed, an automobile owned by Herman Nerlich, containing five men, ran into a hole, smashing the engine and car tracks and sidewalk, crashed through a gate and dashed into a group of children, breaking both the legs of 15-year-old Harold Baker, son of Chas. Baker, several feet from the curb. Warno, aged 12, and slightly injuring his little brother. The auto ran right over the Baker boy, and others were thrown some feet before the wrecked machine came to a standstill. The five occupants of the car were thrown out or jumped when the springs broke.

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FOR THE STUDY OF ASTRONOMY AIMS AND OBJECTS OF THE NEW SOCIETY The Local Organization Has Planned Interesting Lines of Study Among its Members

A branch of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada has been formed in Victoria and the following officers, as previously announced in the Times, have been appointed: E. B. McKay, Surveyor-General for British Columbia, president; A. S. Roberts, secretary, and E. Baynes Reed, acting treasurer.

The objects of the society embrace a wide range of subjects of general and special interest to all students of astronomy, and it is the intention of the society to promulgate the results of its own local as well as the researches of the other branches of the society in Canada, together with the publications of all other affiliated societies in America, Europe and all other parts of the world. Special study will be facilitated by means of a choice library, which the local branch purposes acquiring gradually, as the funds of the society will from time to time permit.

The headquarters of the society are in Toronto and the following are the officers for 1907: Honorary president, W. F. King, B. A., LL.D., chief astronomer, Ottawa; president, C. A. Chant, M.A., F.R.S., secretary, J. R. Collins, Toronto; treasurer, George Rideout, Toronto; recorder, Miss Elsie A. Dent, librarian, A. Sinclair, M.A., curator, E. S. Duncan; council, the officers and the following members: Joseph Pope, C.M.G., F.R.S.C., Ottawa; A. F. Miller, Toronto; Rev. D. B. Marsh, F.R.A.S., Springfield; Alfred T. DeLury, M.A., L. H. Graham, M.A., and past presidents Andrew W. F. Stupart, F.R.S.C.

Ladies and gentlemen interested in the objects of the society are cordially invited to become members. Subscriptions can be sent to the acting treasurer, Mr. E. Baynes Reed.

A large branch of the society has been formed in Ottawa with Dr. King as president, and several other branches are being formed in Eastern Canada. It is confidently hoped that before long a branch will be formed also in Vancouver.

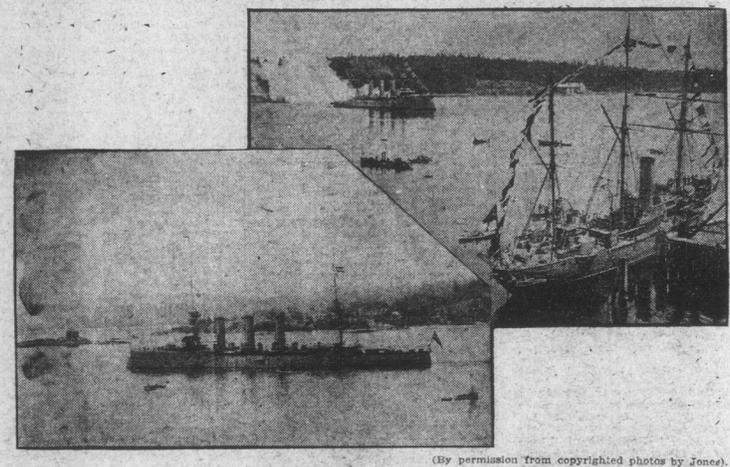
There will be a meeting of the Victoria branch of the society in the office of Sydney A. Roberts, Chesney Chambers, Langley street, at 4 p. m. to-morrow. General business connected with the formation of the Victoria branch of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada will be discussed at the meeting. The hope is expressed that all members will endeavor to be present.

"THERE SHE BLOWS." C. R. Patterson Contributes Interesting Whaling Article to American Magazine.

An interesting pen picture of off shore whaling on the Pacific coast appears in the current number of the Metropolitan Magazine. It is from the pen of C. R. Patterson, of this city, who takes for his specific theme the operations conducted by the Pacific Whaling Company from Sechart on the west coast of Vancouver Island.

The writer is one of the fortunate few who have seen the thrilling feat of capturing whales, the biggest kind of hunting there is. He has treated his subject in a workmanlike fashion. From start to finish the interest never subsides and the article is well illustrated by photographs and drawings by the author. "There She Blows" is an article that everyone should read.

PAPER SYNDICATE. Milwaukee, June 27.—The Evening Wisconsin to-day says: "The present plans matured the manufacturers of print and other classes of first-class paper in Wisconsin, embracing some twenty-five large mills, will shortly form one of the largest owning and operating paper manufacturing companies in the country. The new General Paper Company, which succeeded its charter because of federal objection, and a large majority of the paper mills which formerly were part of the General Paper Company are said to be interested in the proposed organization."



The photo-engraving shows the Japanese prince and party taking their departure from Esquimaut, their last point in Canada before leaving last Tuesday for the Orient. In the upper picture H. M. S. Monmouth, dressed for the occasion, is firing a salute to H. I. H. in the foreground is H. M. S. Shearwater, also dressed. The launch with the Prince and party on board, is shown crossing to the Monmouth.

In the lower picture the Monmouth is under steam proceeding out of Esquimaut harbor on the way to Japan.

OUR TWENTY-NINTH ANNUAL SUMMER SALE

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10,000 YARDS OF SWISS MUSLIN TO BE DISPOSED OF AT THIS SALE.

Special Display of Some of these Muslins will be made in all Broad Street Windows. Be sure and see them.

The regular values all this season have been better, and our stock would be low now only 20 cases of various kinds of Muslins came to hand a couple of weeks ago and the result is we will sell:

Muslins at 12 1/2c. that were 20c., 25c., 30c., and 35c. Muslins at 25c. that were 35c. and 50c. Muslins at 50c. that were 75c., 80c., and 90c.

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Size 12x30, 45c. Dozen.....Value 75c. Size 12x36, 75c. Dozen.....Value 1.00 Size 12x40, 1.00 Dozen.....Value 1.25 WHITE TURKISH TOWELS—Size 12x32, 10c. Regular.....15c.

Size 12x42, 12 1/2c. Regular 17 1/2c. Size 12x42, 15c. Regular 20c. Size 12x42, 20c. Regular 25c. UNBLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS—Size 12x36, 1.00 Dozen.....Regular 1.50

Size 12x42, 15c. each.....Regular 20c. Size 20x42, 3 for.....35c. Size 24x32, each.....25c. This is a clean-up and a lot of oddness, some flod, but a grand bargain at 25c.

APRON GINGHAMS, WITH BORDER 1 YARD WIDE—7 1/2c. for Regular 12 1/2c. Quality, 8c. for Regular 15c. Quality; 12 1/2c. for Regular 20c. Quality. TOWELLING, 5 GOOD SALE BARGAINS—16 in. Glass Cloth, Regular value 10c. July Sale Price.....7 1/2c.

TABLE LINENS AT SALE PRICES—One-half Bleached, 14 in., our Special 25c. Cloth will be sold at this sale for.....21c. One-half Bleached, Regular 45c. July Sale Price.....35c. One-half Bleached, Regular 65c. July Sale Price.....45c.

One-half Bleached, Regular 75c. July Sale Price.....55c. Bleached, Regular 75c. July Sale Price.....55c. Bleached, Regular 1.25, July Sale Price.....85c. NAPKINS, PURE LINEN—Regular value 1.25. July Sale Price.....90c.

Regular value 1.50, July Sale Price.....1.15. Regular value 2.00, July Sale Price.....1.50. Regular value 2.50, July Sale Price.....1.95. Regular value 3.50, July Sale Price.....2.95. Cotton Suits, 75c., 1.00 and 1.25.

WOMEN'S STYLISH FOOTWEAR AT CLEARANCE PRICES. We have given remarkable values in Boots and Shoes in the past, but we do not remember having the variety and the value that we have to offer at this sale. We have 56 distinct lines of Boots and Shoes to offer at \$2.50 a pair, the usual values of which are \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00. All these will be sold at \$2.50. Description as follows:

Women's White Canvas, Blucher Oxfords, Welt Sole, Cuban Heel, Canvas Covered, Regular \$4.00 per pair, July Sale.....\$2.50 Women's Oyster Grey Sailor Tie, Welt Sole, Cuban Heel, Canvas Covered, Regular \$4.00, July Sale.....\$2.50 Women's Lavender Sailor Tie, Turned Sole, Cuban Heel, Canvas Covered, Regular \$4.00 per pair, July Sale.....\$2.50

Women's White Canvas Pumps, Welt Sole, Cuban Heel, Canvas Covered, Regular \$4.00 per pair, July Sale.....\$2.50 Women's French Kid, Hand-Turned Oxfords, Opera Toe, Laces, \$3.50, July Sale.....\$2.50 Women's Patent Colt, Lace Boots, Welt Sole, Matt Kid Top, Military Heel, Regular value \$5.00 per pair, July Sale.....\$2.50

MISSES' FOOTWEAR Misses' Kid Button Boots, Patent Tip, Low Heel, Regular value \$1.75, July Sale.....\$1.00 Misses' Dongola Oxfords, Light Sole, Low Heel, Regular value \$1.50 per pair, July Sale.....\$1.00 Misses' Tan Kid Oxfords, Low Heel, Regular value \$1.50 per pair, July Sale.....\$1.00 Misses' Dongola Oxfords, Medium Sole, Patent Tip, Spring Heel, Regular value \$1.25 per pair, July Sale.....\$1.00

CHILDREN'S FOOTWEAR Child's Tan Calf Sandals, Sizes 4 to 10, Regular value \$1.25 per pair, July Sale.....75c. Child's Tan Calf Sandals, Sizes 11 to 5, Regular value \$1.50 per pair, July Sale.....1.15 Child's White Buckskin, Sizes 4 to 10, Regular value \$1.25 per pair, July Sale.....75c.

HOSIERY SECTION Women's Plain Cotton Hose, sizes 9 1/2, 9, 9 1/2, Value 15c. July Sale Price.....10c. 1-1 Ribbed Hose, size 7 1/2 to 10, Value 15c. July Sale Price.....10c. 2-1 Ribbed Hose, size 8 1/2 to 10, Value 15c. July Sale Price.....10c. 2-1 Ribbed Cotton Hose, size 8 1/2 to 10, Value 20c. July Sale Price.....15c. 1-1 Ribbed Cotton Hose, Value 20c. July Sale Price.....15c. 1-1 Ribbed Tan Vellin Hose, Value 25c. July Sale Price.....15c. 1-1 Ribbed Hose, size 6 to 10, Regular value 25c. July Sale Price.....20c. 2-1 Ribbed Hose, size 6 to 10, July Sale Price.....20c.

Our Mantle Section Will Make Some Unusual Clearances

Consisting of Costumes, Jackets, Silk Skirts, Wrappers, Cotton Skirts, Tweed Skirts, Coats, Etc.

JACKETS—A Clearance at \$7.50 ALL LIGHT TWEED COATS in the regular way up to \$20.00, will be cleared at July Sale for.....\$7.50

SKIRTS TWEED SKIRTS at \$2.50, Value.....\$3.50 SKIRTS OF VARIOUS KINDS OF TWEEDS, at \$3.75, Value \$4.50 to.....\$5.50 SKIRTS OF TWEED, HOMESPUN AND WORSTED, at \$4.75, Value.....\$5.75 WASH SKIRTS—Regular Value \$1.50, July Sale Price.....\$1.15 Regular Value \$2.00, July Sale Price.....\$1.65

SKIRTS Regular Value \$2.75, July Sale Price.....\$2.35 Regular Value \$3.50, July Sale Price.....\$2.75 Regular Value \$4.50, July Sale Price.....\$3.75 Regular Value \$5.75, July Sale Price.....\$4.50 Regular Value \$7.50, July Sale Price.....\$6.75 Black and Colored Silk Skirts—Our Special \$5.00 Skirts, July Sale, \$3.90 Our Special \$6.50 Skirts, July Sale.....\$5.50 Our Special \$8.75 Skirts, July Sale.....\$8.75 Our Special \$10.50 Skirts, July Sale.....\$9.75 Our Special \$13.75 Skirts, July Sale.....\$9.75

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Although a much busier season than usual we have a greater number of Trimmed Hats to sell. The reputation we have for Exclusive Styles make this Annual Sale a very attractive feature.

TRIMMED HATS, July Sale.....\$1.00, \$2.50, \$5.00 UNTRIMMED OUTING HATS, July Sale.....50c. CHILDREN'S MUSLIN BONNETS, July Sale.....50c. MOTOR CAPS.....25c. The regular is altogether left out of consideration, when Clearing out Millinery Stocks.

PARASOLS REDUCED

EMBROIDERED PARASOLS IN WHITE LINEN. Regular \$3.75.....for 2.90 Regular \$4.50.....for 3.85 Regular \$6.50.....for 4.75 Regular \$7.50.....for 5.75 Regular \$9.50.....for 6.75 ELABORATELY TRIMMED PARASOLS. Regular \$17.50.....for 14.75 Regular \$12.50.....for 9.75 Regular \$9.00.....for 6.75 PLAIN WHITE PARASOLS. \$1.25 Parasols.....\$1.00 \$1.75 Parasols.....\$1.45 \$2.00 Parasols.....\$1.85

COLOR SILK PARASOLS. Regular \$1.50 to \$7.50, July Sale Prices range from \$1.00 to \$5.75

FIRST CHANCE FROM THE MANUFACTURERS, OWING TO THE FACT OF OUR BEING THE LARGEST PURCHASERS IN THE WEST, MEANS THAT

Our Customers Secure the Biggest July Bargains

FOR MANY YEARS our summer clearance has made July the busiest month of the year and the larger the business grows the more necessary it is to clear stock in this way, and be ready for new goods that are constantly being sent us from the fashion centres of the world. Being the largest distributors of merchandise in the West, we are able to get first chance, and our offers are usually accepted for "clearing lines" from the manufacturers at this season of the year. This feature is perhaps the most interesting as it enables our customers to purchase at greatly reduced prices stylish goods that are wanted for present wear. In previous years we have had departmental sales during the month at various times. This year all departments get into line at the same time.

AND WE EXPECT SUCH A SALE, THAT WILL CROWD THE BIG STORE AS NEVER BEFORE

Dress Goods Department

We do not remember having such startling values to offer our customers. The lateness in arrival has something to do with the low prices, and prices are made with the object of not having a piece of Spring Tweeds in stock at the end of July.

SOFT FINISHED FRENCH CLOAKING, were \$2.75, July Sale Price.....\$1.90 6 PIECES HEAVY CLOAKING TWEEDS—64 inches wide—Fawns, Mauve, Green, Grey, Regular price \$1.50, July Sale Price.....\$1.00 FANCY CHECK WORSTEDS, LIGHT SHADES—Regular price \$1.50, July Sale Price.....\$1.00

A BIG BARGAIN IN CREPE DE CHINE—8c and \$1.00 goods for 50c. Colors, Nile, Grey, Rose, Lavender, Fawn and Dark Grey. 54 IN. CHECK WORSTEDS, Black and White Checks, various sizes, Regular price \$1.50, July Sale Price.....75c. Stripe French Flannel and Wool Delaines, Regular price 75c, July Sale Price.....45c. FRENCH ESAMINE SERGE (Navy)—Regular price 50c, July Sale Price.....45c. FRENCH EPAMINE SERGE—Regular price 75c, July Sale Price.....55c. FRENCH TWILL SERGE—Regular price 85c, July Sale Price.....65c. Regular price \$1.25, July Sale Price.....95c. 50c. TWEEDS FOR 25c.—Fancy Tweed Dress Goods, Homespuns, Black and White Check Embroidered Nuns Vellin, Regular 50c, July Sale Price.....25c. \$1.00 SERGES FOR 50c.—20 Pieces of Fancy White Serges, Checks and Stripes, Regular price \$1.00, July Sale Price.....50c. 75c. GREY WORSTEDS 50c.—These Grey Worsteds have been some of the best sellers this season. Light weight and durable, July Sale Price.....50c. \$1.25 TWEEDS FOR 50c.—22 Pieces of 54-in. Tweeds and Fancy Worsteds, Stripes, Checks. These Materials are suitable for Skirts and will be just as popular for early Fall as now.

\$1.50 SUITINGS FOR 75c.—About 50 pieces in all. The choicest materials to be seen anywhere at \$1.50 a yard will be sold at.....75c. CLOAKING TWEEDS—Heavy but light colors. Regular price \$1.50, July Sale Price.....75c. 75c. MATERIALS FOR 50c.—Fancy Cashmires, Various colors; Fancy Strips Cashmires; Panama Cloths and Colored Serges.

PLAIN GOODS REDUCED—SERGES, CASHMERE, ETC. The reduction made in serges are small in comparison with the fancy goods, but our regular values now are fully 20 per cent. lower than the market price to-day.

DRESS PATTERNS, WHAT ARE LEFT, 12 in all. Were \$12.50 to \$16.75, July Sale price,.....\$6.75

Women's Shirt Waist Section

This is perhaps the busiest part of the store at our July Sale. Most of the Goods that are on sale are wanted now, and the inducements are greater than most Departments, as we price all Shirt Waists at prices to speedily clear.

WHITE LAWN AND MULL SHIRT WAISTS—Regular values 50c. to \$4.50, July Sale Prices.....35c., 50c., 85c., \$1.35, \$1.90 and \$2.35 Unusual Reductions in High Grade SILK WAISTS. — \$15.00, \$17.50, \$19.50, \$22.50 and \$27.50 Silk Waists, July Sale Price.....\$8.50

A Bargain Offering like this occurs only once in a great while. In the lot are Taffeta Waists, Dresden Silk Waists, Peau de Sol, All elaborately trimmed.

WHITE CHINA SILK WAISTS, trimmed lace, Regular price \$6.75, July Sale Price.....\$5.50 FOUR VARIOUS LOTS OF BLACK SILK WAISTS at \$2.00—Waists of Black Peau de Sol, Transparent Yoke of Lace, Long Sleeves, Lace Cuffs, Collar to Match. Regular price \$4.75, July Sale Price.....\$3.75 Assorted Lot of BLACK SILK WAISTS. Regular \$5.75 to \$6.75, July Sale Price.....\$4.90 \$7.50 Waists for \$5.90. BLACK MERVE AND PEAU DE SOL, Lace Trimmed—\$10.00, \$12.50, \$13.50, and \$14.50 Waists, July Sale Price.....\$6.90 ALL SORTS IN THIS LOT.

SILK WAISTS—\$5.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50 Silk Waists for.....\$2.50 BROWN CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS, Yoke of Deep Insertion, Long Sleeves, Deep Cuffs, Regular.....\$3.50 LADIES' MAUVE SILK WAISTS, Deep Pointed Yoke, Applique and Tucked Silk; 3/4 Sleeve, Regular.....\$7.50 PALE BLUE SILK WAISTS, with Fancy Yoke of Tucked Silk and Insertion, Long Sleeves, Long Cuffs.....\$7.50 FANCY BLUE AND WHITE DOTTED SILK WAISTS, Regular \$7.50 PALE BLUE TAFFETA CHECK SILK, Daintily Trimmed, Regular.....\$6.00 All the above to be sold for \$2.50 each.

48 SILK WAISTS, were \$10.00, July Sale.....\$5.00 CREPE DE CHINE, TAFFETAS AND PEAU DE SOLIE, all at \$5.00 for the July Sale.

CORSET CLEARANCE AT \$1.00.—As usual we clear out all Corsets that we are not stocking for the next season and values range this season in the regular way from \$1.50 to.....\$3.50 One lot of Children's Waists at 35c. Regular.....50c. 65c. and 90c.

DAVID SPENCER, Ltd.

Men's Clothing Dept.

We have set such a pace in the past at our Summer Sale of Clothing that this announcement is waited for by many.

MEN'S SUITS. \$10.00 and \$12.50 Qualities, JULY SALE, \$6.75 \$15.00 and \$20.00 Ffirties, JULY SALE, \$8.75. \$22.50 and \$30.00 Ffirties, JULY SALE, \$15.75.

The above items represent values that have never been given at any previous sale. EXTRAORDINARY REDUCTION IN BOY'S CLOTHING.

BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS, \$2.75 for \$4.50 values; \$3.90 for \$5.75 to \$8.50 values.

BOYS' NORFOLK SUITS, \$2.50 for \$3.00 to \$4.50 value, \$3.85 for \$5.00 to \$7.50 value.

BOYS' SUMMER CLOTHING. Blouses, 25c. 35c., 50c. and 75c. All Straw Hats Half Price.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPT.

MEN'S COLORED SHIRT.—Clearing out all the Colored Shirts, 25c. each for 50c. qualities; 65c. each for \$1.00 and 85c. for \$1.25 and \$1.50 qualities. Soft Shirts, Cotton, etc.—Men's White Canvas Shirts, collar attached, English Make, extra large size, Regular 50c. July Sale.....25c. Men's Flannel Shirts, collar attached, July Sale.....10c. Various Kinds of Flannel Shirts, etc., at 75c. Were \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Ceylon Flannel Shirts, White Flannel Shirts, Striped Cotton, Striped English Flannel, Black Sateen Shirts, Fancy Front.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—Striped Mesh Vests and Drawers, Regular value 40c. July Sale Price.....25c. Plain Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, Regular value 50c. July Sale Price.....25c. Striped Merino Shirts and Drawers, Regular value 50c. July Sale Price.....25c. Plain Merino, Regular value 65c. July Sale Price.....35c. Important Bargain, English Cashmere Underwear Value 90c. for each.....75c. Fine Cashmires, blue color, Regular \$1.00, July Sale Price.....75c. SOCKS, BLACK COTTON—Regular value 8c. July Sale Price.....5c. Regular value 15c. July Sale Price.....10c. Regular value 20c. July Sale Price.....15c. Heather Brown, Mixed Specks, Regular value 15c. Grey Worsted Socks, Regular value 25c. July Sale Price.....17 1/2c.

A Clean-Up Sale in the Neckwear Section. 50c. Qualities, July Sale Price.....25c. HANKERCHIEFS—20 dozen Oddments in Colored Silk Handkerchiefs, Regular value 50c. July Sale Price.....25c.

MEN'S FOOTWEAR

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT AT CUT PRICES.

We have given remarkable values in Boots and Shoes in the past, but we do not remember having the variety and the value that we have to offer at this sale. We have 56 distinct lines of Boots and Shoes to offer at \$2.50 a pair, the usual values of which are \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00. All these will be sold at \$2.50. Description as follows:

Men's Canvas Footwear, Regular values \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, July Sale, Per Pair.....\$1.50 Men's White Canvas Lace Boots, Regular value \$2.50 per pair, July Sale.....\$1.50 Men's White Canvas Blucher Oxfords, Welt Soles, Regular value \$2.50 per pair, July Sale.....\$1.50 Men's Assorted Oxfords, Regular values \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, Per Pair.....\$2.50 Men's Tan Kid Blucher Oxfords, Regular value \$5.00 per pair, July Sale.....\$2.50 Men's Patent Leather Button Oxfords, Welt Sole, Dull Kid Top, Whole Fox Regular value \$5.00 per pair, July Sale.....\$2.50

HOUSE FURNISHING SECTION

This Department is rapidly swinging into first place in the trade. Business has been increasing very rapidly in this section of the store for the past three years and we have found it necessary to get more room for the proper display of the large assortments and stocks required for this department. The Linoleums are now shown on second floor of the annex and the extra room given to the Manufacturing Department and Upholstering Rooms will enable us to look after the wants of our customers more satisfactorily.

Smyrna Rugs at \$1.00 each. Value.....\$1.50 Extra close, heavy weave and nicely fringed and bordered.....\$2.50 CARPET SAMPLES—75c. and \$1.00 for Brussels and Axminster Grades. 500 Yards Art Denims, Good Assortment of Shades, reduced as follows:

July Sale Price, 35c.....For 50c. Value July Sale Price, 25c.....For 35c. Value July Sale Price, 17c.....For Usual 25c. Value Short Ends of Tapestry, Lengths to 6 Yards. Mats at Half Price.

FURNITURE TAPESTRIES—Various Qualities up to \$1.75, per yard.....75c. MADRAS CURTAINS—Regular \$2.50 Curtains, July Sale Price.....\$1.50 Regular \$4.50 Curtains, July Sale Price.....\$2.50

STATIONERY & BOOK DEPT.

100 Boxes John Walker's Vellin Wove Society Stationery, Note Paper and Envelopes, Regular 25c., July Sale Price.....10c. 100 Long Counter Books, Regular 35c., July Sale Price.....20c. SPONGE BAGS—A large assortment of Rubber Sponge Bags, both in Pure Rubber, Silk and Waterproof Covers, from \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00, 75c. and 50c. July Sale Price.....25c. BRUSHES AND MIRRORS—25 Hand Mirrors reduced from \$1.00 to.....50c. 50 Hair Brushes, July Sale Price.....25c. 50 Hair Brushes, July Sale Price.....15c.

PRactical Aids for Artistic Needlewomen

CORSET COVER

in FRENCH EMBROIDERY

WHILE the woman of refinement is always particular about her lingerie, and likes it to be as dainty and attractive as possible at every season of the year, a special importance attaches to the petticoats and corset covers intended for summer wear. The heat of our climate practically necessitates the use of such transparent filices as the lingerie beneath the corset cover is almost essential as the blouse in the general appearance of a well-dressed woman.

Now, though underclothing becomes more and more elaborate each year, and lace, beading, insertion and ribbons are made up into striking and exquisite designs, there is a strong reaction in favor of the simplicity that is so well understood by the French. Instead of trimmings that lose much of their beauty after the first laundering, hand embroidery is substituted. This naturally refers more particularly to the corset cover. For it must be confessed few of our busy American women have the time or energy to embroider the yards of flouncing required for a petticoat.

While many forms of the embroidered corset cover are seen—some the ordinary full waist, with just a simple design on the front, in connection with a lace heading; others, for stout women, tight fitting and with no trimming but a scallop and eyelets; still others, made on bias lines, with a surplice effect in front that carries a motif on each side—probably the greatest favorite of the moment is the cover without an opening, that slips on over the head.

This last is a most convenient style for summer, as there are no buttons to show in an unshapely way through a thin frock.

ADAPTED TO STOUT FIGURES
Perhaps women who are inclined to be stout may feel that such a pattern is not for them. Yet there is no reason, if the corset cover is cut off at the waist line, so as not to give extra fullness over the hips, why a large woman should be deprived of this very convenient and easily laundered model. She need not allow quite so much fullness as would her more slender sister, and if a soft-finished nainsook is used, little or nothing will be added to her size.

The design given today shows one of these corset covers that slip over the head, decorated with a peculiarly graceful motif adapted and simplified from an imported model of exquisite French embroidery. The edge is finished with a novel scallop that is arranged at the

bust line in the center of the front in a series of graceful curves. The back has only the scalloped edge and the eyelets for ribbon. These oval eyelets, by the way, not only hold the ribbon flatter, but are more ornamental than the round ones.

As can be seen from the working detail, there are no difficult stitches in this work, it being a combination of eyelet and solid embroidery, buttonholing and either a fine stem stitch or outlining. A rather fine quality of white mercerized cotton is used.

The edge is worked in buttonhole stitch, the scallops having first been run with darning cotton on both sides for padding. If a heavier padding is wished, the entire scallops may be covered by a chain stitch. Do the buttonholing closely and firmly, so as to withstand the frequent tubbings.

WORKING THE EYELETS

The oval eyelets around the neck and sleeves, through which ribbon is run to hold the fullness in place, also the round dots in the central medallion and at the ends of the tendrils, are pierced and done over and over. The oval ones should be run around with a thread of the cotton, a lengthwise slit made in each, and the material turned underneath with the needle. This gives a better shape and makes a firmer edge. The round eyelets are pierced with a stiletto, after first having had a thread run around them. In working this over-and-over stitch, be careful to have the outer edge absolutely even and no deeper than is necessary to hold. Nothing makes "broderie Anglaise" look coarser than to take too deep a stitch.

Work the fleur-de-lis, the scrolls of the medallion and the smaller leaves in satin stitch. This should be first padded with darning cotton. The larger leaves are worked into the central vein. The satin stitch may be either slanted or straight. The latter, however, will be found to be much simpler for the average embroiderer, as the same slant is difficult to maintain throughout.

The stems can be done in a fine outline, in the narrow French stem stitch, or in cording stitch. The second is undoubtedly preferable, but takes longer and must be worked very finely if at all. The cording stitch, which has been described several times on these pages, is an effective substitute. It is nothing but a running stitch caught under by a second thread. How it is done can be seen from the stem on the lowest left-hand tendril, where the running stitches and the needle caught through one of them are given.

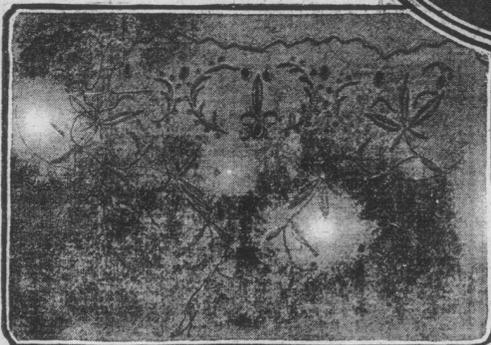
ered at the waist as well as the top, but this means so much more work that the average person is apt to content herself with some of the machine-made headings.

It is a mistake to have a corset cover too sheer. A nice quality of soft-finished nainsook wears well, and may be easily embroidered. About a yard is required for this design, which is drawn for a thirty-six bust.

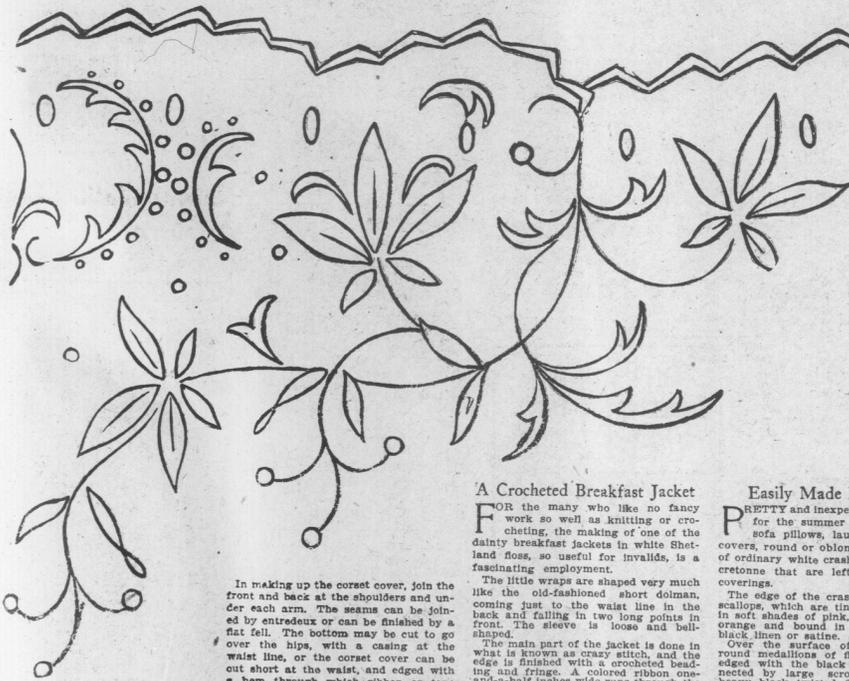
But half of the back and front could be given. It can be stamped, however, by folding the material with two pieces of transfer paper slipped between, and placed back to back. Put the design on top and trace with a pencil or stiletto.

This same design is equally good for a chemise, or for the top of one of the low-necked night-gowns that slip over the head.

The Completed Corset Cover.



A Working Detail.



A Crocheted Breakfast Jacket

FOR the many who like no fancy work so well as knitting or crocheting, the making of one of the dainty breakfast jackets in white Shetland flax, so useful for invalids, is a fascinating employment.

The little wraps are shaped very much like the old-fashioned short dolman, coming just to the waist line in the back and falling in two long points in front. The sleeve is loose and bell-shaped. The main part of the crash is done in what is known as crazy stitch, and the edge is finished with a crocheted heading and fringe. A colored ribbon one-and-a-half inches wide runs through the heading. About a pound of wool is required to knit one of these jackets.

Easily Made Novelties

PRETTY and inexpensive furnishings for the summer home, such as sofa pillows, laundry bags, table covers, round or oblong, may be made of ordinary white crash and odd bits of cretonne that are left from furniture coverings.

The edge of the crash is cut into big scallops, which are tinted half way up in soft shades of pink, blue, green and orange and bound in bias bands of black linen or satine. Over the surface of the crash are round medallions of flowered cretonne edged with the black bands and connected with large scrolls outlined in heavy black twisted flax. The bands may be stitched on by machine or can be held with feather stitching in the predominant tint of the cretonne.

Pillow in Tinted Shadow Work

ONE of the most attractive pillow covers seen this season was done on sheer lawn in the tinted shadow work, which is practically nothing but a close back stitch. The graceful design consisted of a large, open basket, with a handle caught by downknots of ribbon, and the tops filled with conventionalized star-shaped flowers in delicate pastel tints of pink, lavender, blue and yellow, charmingly blended.

The basket was tinted green and outlined, or, rather, made to look like shadow stitch on the outside. To get this effect take a back stitch on the outline and bring the needle out the exact length of the stitch ahead of it; go back and stick the needle down through the material at the forward point of the first stitch, bring it up again the same distance ahead, go back to the forward point of the second stitch and continue as before.

The open effect in the lower part of the basket was gained by five vertical panels, narrowing at the bottom to represent slats, and connected by crossed lines in outline stitch. These slats were studded with pearl and black beads, as were also the bottom and broad, curving top. The ribbon was of the same green as the basket, with French dots running through the center, and the turn in the loops filled in with basketweave.

The cover was trimmed with the new wash ruffling, finished on both edges with lavender, pink and green stripes, and was buttoned at the back so it could slip on and off easily. It was used over a twenty-four-inch pillow covered in white wash silk. Lustrous white satine could be substituted for the silk at less cost.

Eyelet Embroidery

LAST season it seemed as if the eyelet was waning in popularity; had been done to death, as it were. This year it is enjoying renewed favor, and is more used than ever, both in combination with solid work and alone.

This latter method of treating it is especially effective, and gives a very open, lacy look. In a collar seen recently the border was of large, round eyelets, nearly as big as a dime, arranged so the edges of each touched those on either side. Within this was a series of semi-circles, connected at the bottom by straight lines, all done in eyelets a size smaller than those in the border. These eyelets also nearly touched. In the center of each half circle was a conventionalized daisy, with the petals in oval eyelets.

As the eyelets are so much larger than those in ordinary use, they cannot be pierced with a stiletto entirely, but after the first punch is made should be finished with small sharp scissors so the edges may be turned underneath to make a firmer edge. Run all the eyelets before working in order to prevent pulling and work over and over with a close, even stitch. Later the surplus linen underneath may be cut away.

As the eyelet border is not sufficiently firm to wear well, when it is finished and the linen has been trimmed close to the edge it should be worked in buttonhole stitch, working over the outer part of the eyelet. With a little practice any woman can arrange very effective designs by using different sizes and shapes of eyelets combined in any desired way.

Shall We Quote?

THE inveterate quoter is almost as bad as the inveterate punster, and both are always with us. The man who has an apt reply for every question, a witty comment on every incident, and all frankly stolen from authors great and small, is, however, not quite so much a bore as he who twists and tortures your every statement into a double entendre.

A Touch of Color

TOUCHES of colored handwork are marked features of many of the new summer clothes, and the woman who embroiders can have some really charming waists or dainty accessories at little cost.

Thus the frills of the tailored shirt-waist, now so much in evidence, are extremely attractive if the hem is either biasstitched in a delicate color or is worked at intervals with satin-stitch dots. The same stitching should be repeated on the turnover collar, on the ends of the butterfly tie and on the frills of the turnback cuff.

The fan or ecriu linens are very stunning when embroidered in a different color. Sometimes a simple design, in several shades of brown, is used, or there may be a border on cuffs, collar and belt of big coin dots in white surrounded by a seeded outline in black, blue or red. The Bulgarian combinations of red, blue and green are very effective on tan or gray linen. Crashes are also good worked in cross-stitch in Persian colors or in soft pastel shades. It is rather foolish to put very much work on this colored embroidery, since it may be but the fad of a season. Very good effects can be produced with comparatively little work.

When not carried to excess, this fault becomes even a virtue, and at least it shows depth and variety of reading. This tendency to quote has long been a characteristic of the "profession," and the actor never lives who could long resist it. It is at all events a strong temptation even to the layman, and perhaps the only thing that holds him from yielding to it is the egotism and vanity it seems to display. Quoting, however, is a disease, and the more one resists it the worse it becomes. In moderation it is a virtue, in excess a vice. It is perhaps at its best in the man who never says the same thing twice, but who, with a dry smile, gives vent to some laughable and perfectly applicable quotation, and at its worst in the bore who has a stock of two or three phrases, which he applies in and out of season without the slightest discrimination. Perhaps the best general rule would be: don't quote until the opportunity is irremediable, and then above all refrain from hurting another's feelings by quoting "not wisely, but too well."

DESIGNED BY
Margaret A. East

Merely Some Which Has Not Been Advertised. REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

REPLIES TO ADVERTISEMENTS.

Answers in reply to advertisements in the classified columns of the Times...

WANTED-MALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-Boys wanted, at the B. C. Ship Works.

WANTED-Plumber to drive wagon. Apply Victoria Plumbing Co., Yates street.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may write to the monthly corresponding for newspapers, sure, steady work; no unsatisfactory experience unnecessary.

WANTED-FEMALE HELP. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

GIRL WANTED-For summer months, to assist in light house work in Victoria, Cordova Bay.

WANTED-At once, 2 waitresses, at Victoria Hotel.

WANTED-A house parlor maid. Apply 46 Cook street.

WANTED-A woman to do general house work. Apply 343 Yates street.

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON may earn \$15 to \$100 monthly corresponding for newspapers, sure, steady work; no unsatisfactory experience unnecessary.

WANTED-Ladies to do plain and light sewing at home, whole or parts time.

SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

SHOW CARDS-Youth wants evening employment writing show cards, artistic, or other employment.

WANTED-Position in office by person with seven years' experience, best of references, not afraid of work.

BOOKKEEPER, experienced office clerk, competent to take charge, desires employment. Address C. J. F., care of P. O. Box 35, Victoria, B. C.

AN EXPERIENCED BOOKKEEPER, with first-class Victoria references, has position of day at liberty.

CONTRACTORS, we can furnish you with laborers, or any kind of men, at short notice.

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

JUNK DEALERS-Offer wanted for about 2 tons of scrap iron, and 1 ton of Douglas Bullen, Esquimalt Graving Dock.

ANY PERSON wanting camping grounds under the maple at Cadboro Bay, apply to R. Ledington, 37 Cormorant street, or at the Bay.

WANTED-A woman, to stay nights and do light house work for one night, writes replies from tram. Box 718, Times office.

I WOULD LIKE TO BUY some crown granite timber lands and timber leases; also a few timber limits, and a few mill owners only. Call or address me at King Edward Hotel, Victoria, B. C. W. E. Simpson, 343 Yates street.

A UNION PRESBYTERIAN PICNIC will be held at Goldstream on Monday, July 1st. Trains leave at 8:00 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Return at 5:00 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Fare, 50 cents for the round trip. Come and bring your friends.

FREE-Camping ground, 27 acres, on main road, good spring water, lots of wood, shade trees, etc. Socke stage passes to Victoria daily. Write for particulars three times daily within 1 mile, good fishing. F. J. Bittanour's Camp, 200 Cordova street, Goldstream.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL OR BUY anything, give us a call. C. B. Stephens, 29 Store street, Phone 2222.

WE FURNISH HELP OF ALL KINDS-Farm, bush, sawmill, railroad, hotel and other work, for men and women. Canadian Pacific Employment Agency, 200 Cordova street, Vancouver.

CARE OF 2 OR 3 CHILDREN for responsible parties; no objection to inquiries. For terms and particulars, 129 Cormorant street.

THE LATEST sheet metal electric signs, market, maker, Victoria, B. C. Phone 2222.

SUSSEX (PRIVATE) HOTEL, 66 Sinclair street, Kensington, London, W. Eng. Addition road station, 10 minutes walk. Shepherd's Bush tube station, 5 minutes. Terms, Box 260, Victoria, B. C.

FURNITURE-We have secured the agency for the famous Gun sectional and other cases. Come and examine the special features, fully explained. Baxter & Johnson, Government street, opp. Post Office.

START YOUR LIBRARY NOW with a Gun sectional book case. You will not miss the investment in one or two sections each month until your library is complete. Baxter & Johnson, Government street, opp. Post Office.

ROBERTSON & GRIFFITH.

136 GOVERNMENT ST. PHONE 1482. VICTORIA WEST-5 roomed cottage, modern, close to harbor and car...\$2,300

HULTON STREET-5 roomed cottage and large lot...\$2,750

RITHET STREET-5 roomed cottage, with fine large lot and fruit trees...\$2,500

ALL THE ABOVE are in good repair and are cheap.

DALLAS ROAD-Two lots, each...\$4 40

DOMINION REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE. PHONE 288. 22 TRUNCE AVE. TWO SNAPS.

TWO SMALL HOUSES ON LARGE LOT, GOOD REPAIR, FANCOIA AVENUE, THE TWO, \$2,500.

TWO LOTS, MENZIES AND MEDANA STREETS, THE TWO, \$1,800.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2 I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the P. O. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. R. W. Fawcett, Rec. Sec., 24 South Government street.

COMPANION COURT FAR WEST, I. O. F., No. 275, meets first and third Mondays each month in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. James W. Carlow, financial secretary, 19 Annet street.

L. O. U. L., 1428 and 1410, meet first and third Mondays in P. O. Hall, Yates street, the first and third Wednesdays each month. Degree meeting fourth Wednesday.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD-Victoria Camp, No. 23, Canadian Order of the Woodmen of the World, meets in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets, first and third Fridays in the month. Wm. Jackson, clerk.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA HIVE, LADIES OF THE MACCABEES, meets 2nd and 4th Monday of each month, at 8 p. m., in K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora streets. Mrs. J. Watson, record keeper.

K. OF P., No. 1, Far West Lodge, Friday, 10 p. m., in K. of P. Hall, Yates street. H. Weber, K. of R. & B. Box 54.

O. F. COURT NORTHERN LIGHT, with first-class Victoria references, has position of day at liberty. Address P. O. Box 340, Victoria, B. C.

VICTORIA LODGE, No. 1, I. O. U. W., meets every second and fourth Wednesdays in month at 8 p. m., in K. of P. Hall, corner Douglas and Pandora streets. For information inquire of C. B. Deaville, Fin. Sec., at Melrose 36, Fort street.

COURT VANCOUVER, No. 1, I. O. F., meets first and third Mondays in K. of P. Hall, cor. Douglas and Pandora streets. S. Wilson, Secy., Michigan street, James Bay. Visiting brothers cordially invited.

NATIVE SONS-Post No. 1, meets 1st of P. Hall, last Tues of each month. 2nd of P. Hall, last Wed of each month. Blad. Secy., Bl. of Commerce Bldg.

COURT VICTORIA, A. O. F., No. 839, meets at Sir William Wallace Hall, last and 2nd Wednesdays. W. Noble, secretary, 144 Oswego street.

FOR SALE. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

FOR SALE-Mason Rich piano, nearly new. Apply Box 764, Times Office.

FOR SALE-Restaurant, doing large business, in good location, on busy street. For particulars, apply P. O. Box 489.

FOR SALE-A well established newspaper in a thriving Western town. Address Box 123, Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE-Acreage, fronting on Pike Lake, suitable for camping. Apply G. L. T. 1428 and 1410.

FOR SALE-A second-hand 2-horse mowing machine, in good order, cheap. Apply P. O. Box 222, Victoria, B. C.

FOR SALE-3 appropriations in the Victoria No. 2 Building Society. Flint & Co., Trunco Ave.

FOR SALE-Family cow, in good condition. Apply to P. J. Bittanour, res. 69 Kings road, or Mr. Pottinger, steamship painting done. 55 Discovery street. W. A. Robertson & Son.

FOR SALE-Four trash cows with calves, one team heavy horses about fifteen hundred each, four-inch tire wagon and harness, cheap. Apply to J. J. Fisher, carriage shop, corner Herald and Store streets.

BOARD AND ROOMS. Advertisements under this head a cent a word each insertion.

WANTED-For month by a furnished house, with five bedrooms. Apply with terms, Box 127, Times Office.

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

WANTED-To rent for one year or more, by a gentleman from the East, a FURNISHED HOUSE of at least 12 rooms, with 4 or 5 acres of ground preferred. Apply to Gavin H. Burns, Room 30, Five Sisters' Block.

A. B. McNEILL.

PHONE 66. 17 TRUNCE AVE. SNAPS IN HOUSES.

1. ROCK BAY AVE.-6 room cottage, modern, \$2,500.

2. PEMBROKE ST.-7 room house, good garden, \$2,250.

3. LAMPSON ST.-Small cottage and 1 1/2-2 acres, \$2,000.

4. VINTING ST.-6 room cottage and 2 1/2 acs. fr. 1 1/2 acs. fr. \$2,600.

5. CHESTNUT AVE.-6 room cottage, cheap at \$2,000.

6. FIRST ST.-5 room cottage, modern and neat, \$2,000.

7. OAK BAY-5 room cottage, modern, good garden, \$2,500.

8. STANLEY AVE.-6 room cottage, modern, \$2,500.

9. OAKLANDS-5 room cottage, 1 acre in fruit, etc., \$2,500.

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