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THE SIGNING OF TERMS OF PEACE

LITTLE CEREMONY IN FINAL PROCEEDINGS

The Boer Representatives Affixed Their Signatures to the Document in Silence.

Pretoria, Transvaal, June 2.—The signing of the peace agreement last Saturday night was marked by a little ceremony. Lord Kitchener and Lord Milner, and General Dewet and others, representing the Orange Free State, and General Schalkburcher and others, of the Transvaal government, quietly met in the dining room of the residence occupied by the British delegates adjoining Lord Milner's house. The document lay on a table ready. Amid profound silence the Boer leaders took a pen in order of precedence. The document was entrusted to Colonel Hamilton, Lord Kitchener's military secretary, and an aide, who left Pretoria to-night to deliver it to King Edward.

There was great rejoicing in all the concentration camps upon the receipt of the news that peace had been concluded. The occupants assembled in the open space and chanted Psalms. The women weeping with joy. Arrangements are being made to send representatives of each unit of the British army in South Africa to participate in the coronation festivities in London.

Boer Prisoners. London, June 3.—Answering a question in the House of Commons to-day the war secretary, Mr. Brodrick, said the total number of Boer prisoners in South Africa and elsewhere was 25,563, of which 763 were under 16 and 1,025 over 60 years of age. The chancellor of the exchequer, Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, answering a question finally announced that it was not proposed to remove the tax on grain in the budget.

Thanksgiving Service. London, June 3.—King Edward will attend a peace thanksgiving service in St. Paul's cathedral on Sunday, June 8th. The Lord Mayor, Sir Joseph O. Dimsdale, and the members of the corporation will be present in state. Think It Bad. Bombay, India, June 3.—In the Boer prison camp here a majority of the prisoners rejoiced over the news of peace in South Africa, but many considered it bad, because it meant the loss of all they fought for. "We would have stayed in captivity for years without complaint," said many of the Boers, "had such been the judgment of the burghers."

Rejoicing at Jamestown. Jamestown, Island of St. Helena, June 3.—The news of the peace agreement in South Africa excited the greatest enthusiasm in the Boer prison camps here. It was celebrated by the singing of Boer and British anthems. Cape Premier's Views. Capetown, June 3.—Sir John Gordon Sprigg, Premier of Cape Colony, during a meeting here yesterday announced that the Colonial Secretary, Joseph Chamberlain had informed him that the Imperial government did not contemplate the suspension of the constitution of the Cape Colony. The Premier further declared that the "detranchement of the rebels of Cape Colony will defeat our enemies in the House as effectually as they have been beaten in the field." The Premier says that at the colonial conference to be held in London at the coronation he intended to uphold free trade within the Empire.

Considerable opposition to the Premier's views developed among the audience, while the crowd outside the hall was so hostile that some of the windows were broken with stones. The Pope's Message. Rome, June 3.—Monsignor Stoner, the archbishop of Treviso, officially communicated to the Pope yesterday the news of the termination of the war in South Africa. His Holiness answered: "God be blessed. I pray you to communicate to the British government the fact that the news has filled me with content."

BELFAST GRAVING DOCK. Belfast, Ireland, June 3.—The harbor board to-day voted 250,000 pounds (\$1,405,000) to construct a graving dock, eight hundred feet long, capable of accommodating the vessels to be built by the shipping combine.

EXECUTION AT KAMLOOPS.

Body Hung For Fifteen Minutes Before Life Was Pronounced Extinct.

Kamloops, June 3.—Louis Paquette, under-sentence of death for the shooting of Fred Legar, at Notch Hill, on the 25th of April last, was hanged here this morning in the jail yard, in the presence of a few spectators who were admitted by pass. Sharp at 8 the solemn procession entered the court yard. The condemned man mounted the scaffold unassisted, preceded by Rev. Father A. Michaels, the jail officials following. Two minutes later the trap was sprung. The drop was seven feet, yet death was not instantaneous. The body hung fully fifteen minutes before life was pronounced extinct. The condemned man made no statement, but was firm and steady to the last.

YAQUI DISTURBANCES.

Indians Killed Three Men and Tried to Prevent Arrest of Murderer.

Phoenix, Ariz., June 3.—The story of the latest Yaqui disturbance as furnished from Nogales, by a man who talked with general Torres at Sierra station, is as follows: "Juan Gomez, Mayor Dow, and Juan Martinez, time-keepers at El Carmen ranch, had trouble on Wednesday with Yaqui employees and were killed. A small number of Yaquis took up arms to prevent the arrest of the murderer. Governor Isobel and a hundred soldiers went to El Carmen ranch and found that the Yaqui's had retreated up the river, where friends joined them with arms from various ranches. On Thursday afternoon Isobel's command found them at Los Tanques on the Sonora river. Eight Yaquis and two Mexicans were killed. The Yaquis retreated towards Mazatlan and General Torres is in pursuit, hoping to cut off their retreat to the Sierra Madre mountains. Other military officers are working with him and have the situation well in hand."

"LIPTON, LIMITED."

Shareholders Complained of Reduction of Amount of Dividend.

London, June 3.—The annual meeting of the company known as "Lipton, Limited" produced interesting complaints from the shareholders over the reduction of the amount of the dividend. One man said that if Sir Thomas Lipton, the chairman, attended a little more to business and a little less to yachting the conditions would be improved. Other shareholders loudly denounced the action of Sir Thomas Lipton in going into the liquor business. Sir Thomas Lipton's gift of the company's advertising expenses was also criticized. One shareholder, amid remarks of approval, declaring he did not want to be bolstered up by one man or be the recipient of charity. Sir Thomas replied by saying that it was not too late for the shareholders to refuse the gift. But this offer proved no takers and eventually all the directors were re-elected, and the meeting passed a vote of thanks to Sir Thomas Lipton.

OREGON ELECTION.

Democrat Running for Governor, Has Majority—Legislature Will Be Republican.

Portland, Ore., June 3.—Partial returns from yesterday's election from all but six out of the thirty-three counties in the state give Governor Chamberlain 110,000 majority. The legislature will be Republican. The Republican state ticket, except for governor, will have votes to 10,000 majority. The legislature will be Republican. The Republican state ticket, except for governor, will have votes to 10,000 majority. The legislature will be Republican.

CORONATION PROCESSION.

Rehearsal in London To-Day Lasted About Four Hours.

London, June 3.—Following the rehearsal of the coronation procession to Westminster Abbey, which was followed out in all its details on May 27th, including the taking up of passengers at the Buckingham Palace and putting them down at Westminster Abbey, the second day's pageant was rehearsed to-day. The procession to-day covered the long route and all the prescribed steps were made, and at each point the reception and formalities of the actual parade were fully rehearsed, the whole occupying about four hours.

THE SUEZ CANAL.

Report of Directors Shows Business of Past Year.

Paris, June 3.—The reports of the directors of the Suez Canal Co. for 1901, shows that the receipts from transit dues have, for the first time, exceeded 100,000 francs (\$20,000). A dividend of 133 francs (\$26.60) was declared. Shipping aggregating 10,823,800 tons traversed the canal in 1901. The cargoes shipped beyond the Suez consisted largely of petroleum and railroad material.

GIRL'S SUICIDE.

Harrow, Ont., June 3.—Mabel McDonald, 14 years old, adopted daughter of J. F. Roseburgh, of Oxley, committed suicide on Sunday by taking strychnine. No cause is assigned for the rash act.

LORD KITCHENER STARTS FOR HOME

THE KING RECOMMENDS GRANT TO WARRIOR

Message From His Majesty Read in the Commons To-Day—Lyttelton Acting Commander-in-Chief.

Durban, Natal, June 4.—The Times of Natal states that Lord Kitchener has left for England, and that General Lyttelton is acting commander-in-chief of the British forces in South Africa.

Grant to Kitchener.

London, June 4.—In the House of Commons to-day the government leader, A. J. Balfour, presented a message from King Edward, as follows: "His Majesty, taking into consideration the eminent services rendered by Lord Kitchener, and being desirous, in recognition of such services, to confer on him some signal mark of his favor, recommends that he (the King) should be enabled to grant Lord Kitchener £50,000 (\$250,000)." John Dillon, William Redmond and Swift MacNeill, Irish Nationalists, announced their intention of opposing the grant at every stage. A resolution giving effect to His Majesty's message will be discussed to-morrow.

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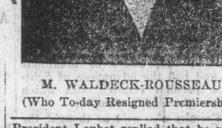
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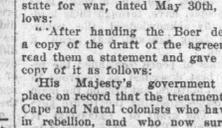
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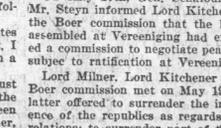
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ARD PATRICK THIS YEAR'S DERBY WINNER

The Classic Race at Epsom Downs—The King and Queen Were Present.

London, June 4.—The general holiday-making mood of the people arising from the announcement of peace in South Africa and the approaching coronation festivities was exemplified to-day by the unprecedented mustering of the classes and masses at Epsom Downs. Enormous crowds left London both by road and rail, the exodus beginning at daybreak. Vehicles of every description, stage coaches, automobiles, motor cars, cabs, costers, dog carts, all beflogged, motored along all the roads converging on the race course.

King Edward and Queen Alexandra, the Prince and Princess of Wales, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the Duke of Cambridge, Prince and Princess Charles of Denmark, and the Indian Rajahs and their suites, took special trains in the course and received ovations everywhere by the crowds. Inclement showery weather prevailed. A large contingent of Americans was present.

The programme started with the race for the Epsom Town Plate, and Maher, on Russel Brown, won. He nearly succeeded in winning the second race, being second.

This opened the way for the blue ribbon event of the racing world, and there was a rush for the paddock to see the competitor. The flag fell during a bright burst of sunshine, and Ard Patrick, beautifully ridden by Martin, pulled up a winner, with a couple more of supposed "outside" ahead of Specter, B. S. Siever's £30,000 hitherto unbeaten filly.

The conditions were: The Derby stakes of 6,000 sovereigns by subscription of 50 sovereigns each, for 3-year-olds, about one mile and a half.

The result in detail was: J. Gibbin's colt, Ard Patrick, by St. Florian-Morguette, 1; Col. H. MacCallum's bay colt, Rising Glass, by Ictinæus-Hantrose, 2; the Duke of Portland's brown colt, Friar Tuck, by Friar's Balaam by Galopin out of Substitute, 3.

Sixteen horses ran. The betting was 100 to 1 against Ard Patrick, 40 to 1 against Rising Glass and 100 to 7 against Friar Tuck.

The result completely upset calculations. It was considered a "one horse race," but Specter, the winner of the two thousand and one thousand guinea stakes) never flattered his supporters. Ard Patrick won by three lengths, and the same distance separated the second and third horses, Time, 2:43 1/2.

J. H. Martin again scored in the race for the Catterham plate of 100 sovereigns for two-year-olds, distance five furlongs. Having the mount on the Pledging, filly, he ran a dead heat with Gun Club.

PAUNCHFOT'S SUCCESSOR.

The Hon. M. H. Herbert is New Ambassador to United States.

London, June 4.—The Hon. Michael Herbert, secretary of British embassy at Paris, has been appointed ambassador of Great Britain to the United States to succeed the late Lord Paunchote.

Another Change.

Washington, June 4.—Two important changes in the diplomatic representation in Washington were announced to-day. The Hon. Michael Herbert succeeds the late Lord Paunchote as British ambassador, and Señor Deojeda succeeds the Spanish minister.

Notice of Mr. Herbert's appointment came to the state department to-day through the British embassy here. He now occupies a place without counterpart in the American diplomatic service. He is first secretary of the embassy at Paris, with the rank of minister plenipotentiary. The British government very rarely employs an official of such high rank in the office of secretary of embassy.

STEAMER FOUND.

Rangoon, British Burma, June 4.—The British steamer Camotra, from Madras for this port, with 650 passengers, which was believed to have foundered May 31st in a cyclone, owing to the discovery of wreckage, has been discovered sunk at Baragua flats in the Irrawaddy delta, directly in the track of shipping. Her topmasts are protruding above the surface of the water.

BODY FOUND.

Seattle, June 4.—The body of Charles Hallid was found yesterday off Point Gray. Deceased is supposed to have fallen off the steamer City of Seattle on the last outward trip. Hallel leaves a widow and three children here.

ASCENT TO CRATER ON MOUNT PELEE

BARING JOURNEY BY PROFESSOR HEILPRIN

While on the Summit Several Explosions Took Place and Scientist Had Narrow Escape.

Fort de France, May 31.—The National Geographical Society has secured a great triumph through its representative here, Prof. Angelo Heilprin, who, with three guides, ascended the crater on the summit of Mount Pelee.

After studying the newly-formed craters on the flank of the mountain on Saturday morning, Professor Heilprin determined to attempt the ascent to the top of the crater, and he started out at 5 o'clock. The volcano was very active, but amid a thousand dangers Prof. Heilprin reached the summit and looked down the huge crater. Here he spent some time in taking observations. He saw a huge circle come in the centre of the crater. The opening of the crater itself is a vast crevice, 500 feet long and 150 feet wide.

While Professor Heilprin was on the summit of the volcano, several violent explosions of steam and cinders laden vapor took place, and again and again was in danger. Ashes fell about him in such quantities to completely obscure his view. One special violent explosion of mud covered Professor Heilprin from head to foot. Professor Heilprin still persisted in his study, and twice more he was showered with mud. He learned, as had been suspected, that there were three separate vents through which steam issued. Full details of the professor's observations could be had until he returns to Fort de France.

Professor Heilprin's journey down the side of the mountain was fully as perilous as the ascent. Mount Pelee seemed to resist the intrusion of a puny human being into her most awful precincts, and belched steam and ashes and boiling mud.

Professor Heilprin made the important discovery that at the head of the River Falfaise the crater had eruptions at the same time as the crater at the summit of the volcano, and that it ejected precisely the same matter.

When the professor returned he resembled a statue of mud. The weight of ashes and mud he carried on his body, the horrible atmosphere he breathed, and the fearful difficulties he encountered, reduced him to a condition of extreme fatigue, and that he was unable to reach the summit. Mount Pelee from the most accessible side. Professor Heilprin may return to Fort de France to-morrow if sufficiently recovered by that time to travel.

PISHERY QUESTIONS.

St. John's, Nfld., June 4.—Premier Bond, who is in Canada on his way to London to attend the coronation of King Edward, is said to have intended to visit Washington previous to proceeding to London, and that he will be accompanied by a British ambassador to the United States with references to the Bond-Blaine reciprocity convention. Owing to the death of Lord Pauncefote, who was British ambassador in Washington, Premier Bond will go to the United States capital on his way back to London.

Premier Bond expects that, as a result of the conference of colonial rights ministers to be held in London upon the occasion of the crowning of King Edward, Canada will withdraw her protest against the ratification of the Bond-Blaine treaty, and that this action will enable him to resume independent negotiations concerning reciprocity with the United States.

RACES AT EFSOM.

D. Maher rode three winners to-day. Large Crowd Present.

London, June 5.—At Epsom today, in the presence of King Edward and a large assemblage, "Daddy" Maher won the Great Surrey Stakes, of 200 sovereigns, on Lord Stanley's Mixed Powder, won the Royal Stakes, of 100 sovereigns, on Daniel Cooper's Cossack, and captured the Coronation cup, a piece of plate valued at 200 sovereigns, and 1,000 sovereigns in specie, on Lord Wolveston's Ostoch, in which J. H. Martin, on last year's Derby winner, Volodyovski, carrying the colors of William C. Whitney, was second, and George Edward's Santos was third. Martin won the Horton plate on Mr. Russell's Regalia.

THE GARROTE.

Several Men, Guilty of Murder, Robbery and Outrage Executed.

Ponce, Porto Rico, June 3.—Bernabe Arevalo, Jose Torres, Ramon Troch, Cadeno and Juan Torres, found guilty of murder, robbery and outrage, were executed by the garrote here to-day, all within fifty minutes. All confessed their crimes while walking to the scaffold and two added the executioners to adjust the garrote, he was subdued. The scaffold was arranged so that the condemned men did not see the bodies of their companions.

SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL.

Brantford, June 5.—The memorial to be erected in Jubilee park to the Canadian who fell in South Africa is to be of bronze, the figure of a mounted infantryman.

BOARDS OF TRADE.

The Congress at Toronto is Largely Attended.

Toronto, June 4.—The boards of trade congress opened here this morning with delegates present from every important commercial body in the country. E. Ames presided, and after a brief speech, was elected permanent chairman. A resolution expressing unbounded satisfaction at the return of peace was adopted. Capt. Gaskin, of Kingston, moved that the rate of postage on newspapers between Canada and the Motherland be reduced to the same figure as the domestic rate. This resolution was adopted without debate. Next in order was a resolution of the Montreal board, that Great Britain can best serve the interests of the Empire by giving the products of her colonies preference in her markets against the products of foreign countries. The motion was amended to incorporate a suggestion contained in the Toronto board's resolution, that the Premier of Canada, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, should call an imperial conference the securing of a royal commission representing Great Britain and the colonies to investigate conditions and suggest such preferential treatment of imports from various parts of the Empire as shall be calculated to insure the fullest benefits. A resolution was also adopted that preferential duty on British goods coming to Canada and Canadian goods to Great Britain under the proposed arrangement be given only on goods imported and exported through British and Canadian ports.

HOW GOV. ROSS WAS WELCOMED TO DAWSON

Enthusiastic Demonstration on His Arrival at Klondike Capital—Prisoner Attempts Suicide.

Vancouver, June 5.—A Dawson special says a tremendous ovation occurred there yesterday on the arrival of Governor Ross. Steamer Susie went up the river with the Governor and his family. A sumptuous luncheon was served on board. Governor Ross then was presented with an address, and Dawson was the most enthusiastic reception ever held in the camp. On the way to the Government House the young men took the horses from the Governor's carriage and drew him through the streets. All political parties took part, and the miners especially were pleased.

Walker, convicted for rape and sentenced to a whipping, attempted suicide this morning by trying to choke himself to death.

Detective Graham, of Seattle, arrived last night on a steam launch, making a search for Sullivan, the man who is supposed to have assassinated Earl Garrett, of the San Francisco Post.

Steamer Caplano came near being wrecked in the Narrows yesterday afternoon, at a point where the Beaver went down. The steamer was in the Narrows when the rudder chains broke, and but for the quick action of the crew she would have gone ashore right under Prospect Point light-house. As it was she ground until she was damaged.

Welsh Brothers, of New Westminster, started work to-day on the construction of a new shingle mill, five machines, near Grandview, the work is well advanced, and the mill will be ready to start in a few days.

The Bulkley valley delegates reported to the committee last night against going in now until the government makes some arrangement for better transportation facilities and builds a road from the head of Gardner Inlet direct to Bulkley, a distance of eighty miles.

THREE MEN KILLED.

Freight Train Wrecked on C. P. R. Near Calgary.

Calgary, June 4.—A serious accident occurred on the C. P. R. five miles east of here, at half-past six this morning. Owing to the recent heavy rains, a culvert had become undermined and a freight train, loaded with the culvert, which gave way and precipitated the engine into the ditch. Engineer Dorin, brakeman Dunn and car inspector J. Coray were thrown under the engine and pinned under its feet of water. The train was telescoped and six freight cars piled on top of the engine. The wrecking crews from East and West are at work removing the debris, and the bodies of the unfortunate men recovered. The passenger train was fortunately late, or much more serious loss of life would have occurred.

SOUND-NANAIMO ROUTE.

Committee Appointed to Inquire into Question of Return Freight.

Nanaimo, June 4.—Acting upon information from the Tacoma Chamber of Commerce that a steamer would be available to put on the route between the Sound and this city, the board of trade to-day appointed a committee to look into the matter. The committee will investigate the chances for return freight, coal and ore have been suggested as likely to be available as return cargo.

GERMAN SYMPATHY.

Berlin, June 3.—On the re-assembling of the Reichstag to-day the President, Count von Ballestern, referred to the volcanic disaster in the island of Martinique, and expressed the hearty sympathy of the Reichstag with the noble French nation on the sad occasion of this fearful calamity which horrified all Germany. The ministers and deputies approved of this speech, and standing while the president was speaking.

PRISON AND LASH.

Vancouver, June 3.—F. Walker, found guilty of attempted rape, was sentenced this morning to eighteen months in jail and twenty-five lashes.

ENGINEER DEAD.

Toronto, June 3.—James F. Johnston, Toronto, who fell in South Africa in the R. train between Montreal and Toronto, died yesterday.

HE IS TO REMAIN IN SOUTH AFRICA

KITCHENER'S WORK NOT YET AT AN END

He Has Been Promoted To Be a General—Correspondent on Terms of Peace.

Victoria, June 4.—Gen. Botha remarked, relative to the termination of the war: "It is the happiest day of my life since I left school."

The Boers do not anticipate the least difficulty in bringing in the various commands. The work of returning the men to their wives, children and farms will, however, be heavy and difficult. It is impossible to send them straight to the yoke. It is absolutely necessary, at this time of the year, to have warm shelter, and wooden huts have already been ordered from the coast towns to be delivered in sections to each family. Those who are unable to return to their former vocations will be temporarily supported by the government. The question of restoring the farms is also under consideration.

The main difficulty is to find wheat and cattle likely to thrive. No great difficulty is experienced in regard to horses, for the government is able to dispose of great numbers of remount.

London, June 4.—The fact that the Kitchener grant is only £50,000 created considerable discussion in the parliamentary lobbies, and the value of the award made to Lord Roberts (£100,000). It is known, however, that during the continuance of the war, Kitchener's lesser rank, coupled with the fact that he received £20,000 in the close of the Sudan campaign, and is still a comparatively young, unmarried man, and at the height of his military career, was not likely to have a further chance to distinguish himself.

Lord Kitchener has been promoted to a general.

The dispatch from Pretoria on the terms of peace, the correspondent of the Times says he believes that the fact that the Boers, who are a very chivalrous people, have, through their agents, formally acknowledged the sovereignty of King Edward, may mean a great deal.

The crisis of peace, continued the reporter, are best described as generous in all personal matters, but firm on the main political issues affecting the future government. The grant of £3,000,000 is equal to about £100 to each farmer in the two colonies.

It is important to remember that the Cape rebels may still continue operations in the West. Although the value of the enemy were in his grasp, continues the Times correspondent, no one was more eager than Lord Kitchener to secure success of the peace negotiations. Lord Kitchener's great personal influence over the Boer leaders played no small part in determining their attitude. The great task which Lord Kitchener has accomplished will in respect to the Boer leaders be the subject of great exaltation in England. It was shown that when the country was denuded of troops, her naval supremacy was sufficient to protect her, and Great Britain will be able to stand during that period of the war.

Earl Spencer, the Liberal leader in the House of Lords, added his tribute to the British forces in South Africa, and Lord Salisbury's motion for a vote of thanks to the officers and men of the Imperial forces in South Africa was carried unanimously.

Paul Kruger, president of the South African Republic, has been invited to the Hague, June 5.—There is no foundation for the reports that Kruger is ill. On the contrary, he is enjoying good health.

The Remount Commission, Kansas City, Mo., June 5.—The British remount commission that had been purchasing and shipping mules for the use of the British army in South Africa and India will be disbanded within a few days and most of the officers who are now here and at Lathrop, B.C., will be ordered to return to their respective homes.

The offices of the commission in this city will remain open until next week, Colonel de Burgh, the senior officer, is about to leave for Washington.

FINANCIAL SITUATION.

London, June 4.—In the Commons this evening Sir Michael Hicks-Beach made a lengthy review of the financial situation. The Chancellor of the Exchequer said that the whole £40,000,000 provided for the budget for the prosecution of the war would be needed to effect the demobilization and the transportation of the British troops in South Africa, to move the Boer prisoners from the various concentration camps and to furnish garrisons for South Africa.

Sir William Vernon Harcourt (Liberal) asked Sir Michael Hicks-Beach the number of these prisoners, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer said it would be premature to answer this question now, but that he had grounds for hoping that in the course of a few months he would be able to furnish a more definite answer.

The Chancellor said he was glad to say he would dispose with the additional £15,700,000, which he had asked for on behalf of the war, was authorized by the House. He said he proposed to continue the new taxes for the present, and asked the House to resume the sinking fund, as the best way of restoring the credit of the country.

In conclusion he said one of the matters to be considered was to determine how the revenues of the Government could be allocated so as to provide for a portion of the war debt.

FAST SERVICE VIA CANADIAN PACIFIC

NEGOTIATIONS SAID TO BE PROCEEDING

British, Canadian and Other Governments Interested—Proposed Twenty-Five Knot Steamers.

London, June 5.—The negotiations of the British and the Canadian governments and some of the other colonial governments with the Cunard line and other lines comprising what is now termed the Morgan Shipping combine, contemplate, according to the Westminster Gazette, both a fast service of mail and passenger steamers in conjunction with the Canadian Pacific railroad, and a fleet of fast freight steamers.

The mail steamers, which it is proposed to build, will be of enormous size, capable of steaming 25 knots an hour, and will be fully equipped for use as armed cruisers, carrying eight quick-firing guns (six inch) forward and aft, and broadsides of three 4.7 inch guns.

The freight steamers will be sixteen knot vessels, carrying 6,000 to 7,000 tons dead weight.

The Westminster Gazette thinks it probable that Milford Haven will be the port of departure of the fleet. The scheme contemplates a line of steamers running to China, Japan and Australia from Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada and Australia are expected to join in paying the subsidies. The draft of the scheme involves the home government guaranteeing a small interest on the capital invested. This will have to be ratified by the House of Commons, where, says the Westminster Gazette, "it will probably meet with opposition."

LARGE INCREASE IN NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS

Arrivals in Canada for Year Will Be Sixty-Five Thousand—Entries for Free Lands.

Ottawa, June 5.—The returns prepared by the department of immigration show that the arrivals in Canada for the year ending June 30th, will be 65,000, as against 49,149 last year. There is a large increase from the United States and a gratifying increase from the British Isles. The entries for free lands in Manitoba and the Northwest Territories for the year were 10,000, as against 8,107 last year.

Gateway, B. C., has been established as an outpost of customs and warehousing port. The outpost of Bedington has been changed to Rykerts.

Hanson, of Montreal, the Dane who murdered a lad 17 years of age in Montreal, will be executed on June 13th.

HAND TO HAND FIGHT.

Medean Troops Ambushed by Yaquis Indians and Thirty Killed.

San Francisco, June 4.—A special from Tucson, Arizona, says: "The uprising of the Yaqui Indians is becoming general. A detachment of 73 men from the force of General Torres, who is pursuing the Indians in the Mazatan mountains, east of Hermosillo, was ambushed and 34 of the number killed. Capt. Celso Gomez and Lieut. Jose Valero, of the 20th battalion, were among the slain. Only one escaped unhurt."

"The Mexicans ran off with ammunition and engaged in a hand to hand fight with the Yaquis. Fifty of the latter were reported killed, but their great numbers overwhelmed the Mexicans. The survivors retreated to Hermosillo. Fifteen were wounded."

"General Torres has detached and sent out scouts loyal to the government. Refugees arriving at Hermosillo report that everywhere the Indians have taken the warpath. Three stations on the Sonora railroad have been abandoned and the telegraph operators have left. General Torres in command of the Mexican troops has been reinforced by his brother, Lorenzo Torres, with 200 mounted men. It is estimated that there are 1,000 Indians well armed assembled in the Mazatan mountains. As soon as reinforcements arrive, General Torres will engage the Yaquis in the mountains and a decisive battle is expected then."

SUDDEN DEATH.

New Westminster, June 4.—Word reached here to-day of the sudden death near Langley of Mrs. William Foreman. The lady was driving home last night from Port Langley with a married sister and two children, when, in going up Campbell's hill the horse backed the rig over the bank. Mrs. Foreman died within a few minutes, but as she was subject to heart trouble it is presumed the shock rather than injuries was the cause of death, particularly as the body parts of the rig escaped with scarcely a scratch. Deceased was 39 years of age, and came here fourteen years ago from her home near London, Ont. The coroner considered an inquest unnecessary.

POLICE ON DUTY.

Chicago, June 3.—The Chicago police force is on active reserve duty to-day, the result of the serious aspect assumed by the stockyard tamers yesterday.

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(From Tuesday) —The rates over the line have been reduced reduction dating from Manager Christie, of which has just been advised to the public.

The management of Methodist church is in the construction of dilapidated to the Sunday schoolers must be in by the commence as soon as possible.

The Commercial has been organized in present membership of applications. Officers of a meeting to be held the club lounge will be strips of building. Every week during the to take place next Saturday.

—Sheriff Redgrave, the city on a visit to S. L. Redgrave, of the is now nine years old, but he is as active as his seventy or could make things decide for a man thirty years of age. He was born in 1833 for the great was at one time the Toronto police force not by any means continent, for he was Africa in the latter part of a distance of a miles, on horseback, at that time was a considerable danger.

—Noah Shakespeare, Provincial Sabbath School, visited Nanaimo on Saturday, June 5, at the national Sunday School meeting was held Street Methodist church. Shakespeare pointed out the fact that the school was derived from this after which the meeting Sunday evening, after the services. A meeting was held in the evening when all the delegates respective Sunday school orally impressed with the fact that the school was elected; President, Rev. Powell; first vice president, J. B. Macleod; second vice president, Miss Crosby; secretary, Miss Crosby; treasurer, Mr. C. O. O'Brien.

—On last evening a steamer touched at Nanaimo port that a well has been overflowing.

—What will be quite Saturday and Sunday, the Hotel Victoria, on the various games, such as a pong, etc. In the evening, the well will be closed, it is assured a heavy welcome.

—Geo. Herbert, of Wellou, was injured by a fall from a horse on Saturday, June 5, at the Victoria Hotel. The injury was not serious, and he is expected to be able to return to his home in a few days.

—The report for the month of May, read at the meeting of the ladies' committee of the Protestant Orphan's Home yesterday, showed that the health of the children was good except in the case of two infants—twins—who were suffering from the usual babies' illnesses. The report commended the remarks that "the pleasant home feeling in the Orphanage continues to grow, and it is becoming more of a home than an institution."

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BOOKS GONE, TOO.

Four Representatives of Packing Houses Have Died.

Chicago, June 3.—A special to Record-Herald from New Orleans says: "One of the representatives of the big packing house against which the government has instituted criminal proceedings have disappeared, taking with them all their books and records. Officers are on the track of one, but the other three are reported gone to Mexico."

P. L. DEVEREAUX DEAD.

Member of South African Constabulary Dies From Wounds.

Ottawa, June 5.—A cable from Joseph Chamberlain to Lord Minto announces the death of Percy Leonard Devereaux, on May 31st, while the constabulary in South Africa. Devereaux's father lives at Ladner's Landing, B. C. He died from wounds received at Buffelsdoorn.

THE NEW AMBASSADOR.

London, June 5.—The universal approval of the appointment of the Hon. Michael H. Herbert as ambassador to the United States, in succession to the late Lord Pauncefote, is quite unusual. No dissent is heard anywhere. The afternoon papers equally congratulate the foreign secretary, Lord Lansdowne, on his good choice, and Mr. Herbert on his good fortune.



PICTURE PUZZLE. Poor Robin Red-Breast is looking for worms for the hungry little ones. Find three baby birds.

A DOOR FOUND FROM THE LOST ISLANDER

Was Dragged Up From the Bottom of Stephen's Passage by Halibut Fisherman.

The lost steamer Islander, which collided with an iceberg off the southern end of Douglas Island and sunk to the bottom of Stephen's passage about a year ago, carrying with her many passengers, has been located. A fisherman while hunting for halibut in the locality where the ship went down found the tail of the steamer and had some difficulty in extracting it. Believing that it had caught on some jagged piece of rock he tugged and hauled away until something gave way, and to his surprise a door came to the top. It had become detached from the wreck, probably having been swung to and fro with the action of the current ever since the steamer met with disaster, until finally it required but little force to break loose from its fastenings. The fisherman at once realized the value of his find, and after taking the door to Juneau, refused to divulge the spot in which he had found the steamer. As a result he will probably realize a substantial sum for the information he has now in his possession. He made the discovery early last week, and the news was brought to this city by the tug Pilot, which came in from the north today. Captain Butler having been informed by Captain Rose of the Lone Fisherman, a little ferry which plies between Juneau and surrounding points. The location of the Islander has never been ascertained from the day she sank beneath the icy waters of the north. A Tacoma man has contracted with Captain Cox, the local representative of Lloyd's, for the raising of the steamer and bringing her to Victoria for repairs, but although having agreed to start the work within sixty days, had not commenced operations up to the time the Pilot had left for Victoria, on Wednesday last. It was reported last week, however, that an expedition had gone north from the Sound city to make an examination of the submarine wreckage preparatory to undertaking the work. The Pilot took the Richard III. down from the Treadwell mine. She is loaded with concentrates for the smelter, and has been taken thither by the American tug Wanderer.

THE WORK POINT MILITARY STATION

Interview With Major-General Parsons, Who is Well Satisfied With Condition of Establishment.

Major-General Sir Charles Parsons, K.C.M.G., commanding the Imperial troops in Canada, left the city last night for Vancouver, on his return journey to Halifax.

During his stay here Sir Charles has been the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Grant at Work Point, and has inspected the Imperial troops stationed there.

Interviewed by a Times representative yesterday, General Parsons said that he had concluded his inspection of the troops at Work Point and of the batteries at Road Hill on Monday, and was very well satisfied with the condition of efficiency of the garrison.

General Parsons liked what he had seen of British Columbia, and he considered that Work Point was a most attractive military station.

"There does not appear to be any intention at present to increase this establishment," he remarked, "and the condition of affairs at Home points to the probability that extra expenditures will be kept down."

"But the new army organization scheme coming into force may possibly bring about changes of which at present there is no sign."

"The General will inspect the militia regiment at Vancouver, and stated that he was arranging to meet General Fukushima, the Japanese commander, who led the armies of Japan to Peking after capturing and destroying the Taku forts, who is at present staying with his consuls at Vancouver."

In regard to the peace concluded in South Africa, Sir Charles said that he believed the military government provided by the terms of the Treaty of Peace would soon give way to civil government, and that the health of the country in number of troops kept in South Africa until the country was in a more settled condition.

PROTESTANT ORPHANAGE.

Satisfactory Report at Meeting of Ladies' Committee Yesterday.

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WINNIPEG CLEARINGS.

Winnipeg, June 5.—The Winnipeg clearing house returns for the week ending June 6th, follows: Clearings, \$5,280,998; balance, \$452,940; for the week, 1901, clearings, \$1,900,631; balance, \$84,603; and for 1900, clearings, \$2,238,692; balance, \$380,400.

Ask a healthy woman what she would do for her health.

for and she would tell you that the choicest diamonds in the world could not buy for her what she would give for a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is the perfect cure of womanly diseases. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflamed and ulcerated and cures female weakness.

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Local News

CLEANINGS OF CITY AND PROVINCIAL NEWS IN A CONDENSED FORM

(From Tuesday's Daily)

The rates over the Yukon telegraph line have been reduced 20 per cent, the reduction dating from the first of June...

The management of the Centennial Methodist church is calling for tenders for the construction of the proposed additions to the Sunday school...

The Commercial Inlet Yacht Club has been organized in Nanaimo with present membership of 18 and several applications...

Sheriff Redgrave of Donald, is in the city on a visit to his son, Sergeant S. L. Redgrave, of the city police...

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great deal of the work will be done by day labor, and the operations will be at first confined to the erection of the wall on the south side...

The supposed schooner seen bottom up on the coast by some passing vessel which brought the news to the Sound...

FOR LONDON TOWN Premier's Secretary Post Last Night

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EXAMINATIONS IN NEW SCHOOL BUILDING High School Entrance Test Commences on June 23rd—Teachers' Examination on July 4th.

It is altogether probable that the public schools will close for the mid-summer vacation on the 25th of the month, the act says that the vacation shall extend from the last Saturday in June, that is, to the entire of the month of July...

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REACH VICTORIA ON EMPRESS OF JAPAN

Did Not Land at the Outer Wharf—Notable Travellers on the C. P. R. Liner.

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GAMBLING MOTION WAS RESCINDED

THE COMMISSIONERS HAD CHANGE OF HEART

Messrs. Worthington and Price Did Not Resign After All—The Police Salaries Discussed.

The first meeting of the board of police commissioners since that memorable occasion just before the provincial by-election, when a resolution was passed authorizing wide open gambling in the city, was held yesterday afternoon...

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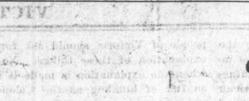
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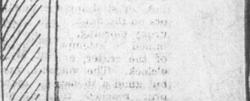
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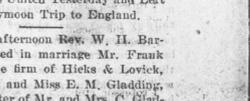
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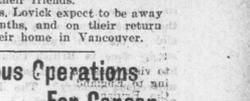
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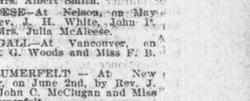
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PRIVATE V. PUBLIC INTERESTS.

The opponents of the government are accused of unfairly attacking the Premier and insinuating that he is actuated by personal motives in the policy which he claims is designed solely for the benefit of the province.

LEGAL NEWS.

Action Against the Trustees of the Green-Worlock Estate. The following applications were disposed of in Chambers this morning by the Chief Justice:

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FULL COURT TO MEET ON TUESDAY

THE LIST OF APPEALS WHICH WILL BE HEARD

Assizes Will Not Be Held Until All Cases Have Been Disposed of.

The Full court will commence its next sittings at the law courts on Tuesday next, the 10th inst., at 11 a. m. As will be seen from the following list of appeals which have been set down for argument at this sittings, the attention of the court will be fully taken up for several weeks to come.

The next sittings of the Assize court are fixed for July 1st in Victoria, and July 28th in Vancouver, but the Chief Justice stated in Chambers this morning that no trials will take place until the Full court has cleared the list of all business ready for its attention. This will be welcome news to the legal profession and to all interested in these appeals, as the majority of these cases have been waiting for the consideration of the Full court for some considerable time. In the following list the appeals are given in the order in which they will be called on:

- 1. Bennett Lake Navigation Co. vs. Bank of B. N. A. (appellants). W. M. Griffin, for plaintiffs; W. E. Oliver, contra.
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15. Rae (appellant) vs. Gifford. E. J. Deacon, for plaintiff; E. B. Wootton, contra.
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18. Another appeal in appeal.
19. Nichol vs. Pober (appellant). D. G. Marshall, for plaintiff; R. Cassidy, contra.
20. Saunders (appellant) vs. Russell. J. H. Lawson, Jr., for plaintiff; H. B. Griffin, contra.
21. Re Assessment Act and lot 1, Alberni. L. Craze, for appellant; Attorney-General, contra.
22. Murphy (appellant) vs. Star Mining Co. D. Murphy, for plaintiff; F. J. Fulton, contra.
23. Re Okell & Morris. W. N. Griffin, for appellant; J. H. Lawson, Jr., contra.
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26. Lim Ah Long vs. Wing Chong (appellant). R. T. Elliott, for appellant.
27. Stevenson vs. Williams (appellant). J. H. Lawson, Jr., for plaintiff; R. Cassidy, contra.
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30. Belcher (appellant) vs. McDonald. D. G. Marshall, for appellant.
31. Game (appellant) vs. McDonald. R. W. Hannington, for plaintiff; P. E. Wilson, contra.
32. Re Assessment Act and Thomb Tax. C. Wilson, for appellant; Attorney-General, contra.
33. Booker vs. E. & N. Railway Co. (appellants). C. H. Barker, for plaintiff; C. B. Ponder, contra.
34. Gordon (appellant) vs. Williams. W. J. Taylor, for plaintiff; F. Higgins, contra.
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Appeals numbered 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 are from the Yukon Territory court. The appeals from judgments by the Chief Justice are those numbered 23 and 24; from Mr. Justice Walkem, numbers 1, 6, 16, 25 and 34; from Mr. Justice Drake, numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 32 and 35; from Mr. Justice Martin, numbers 14, 15, 21, 31 and 33; while appeal numbered 26 is from a court of revision. The appeals numbered 31 to 36 inclusive are new appeals; all others have been stood over from preceding sittings of the Full court. It is understood that Mr. Justice Irving will take his departure shortly

FOR ENGLAND ON A THREE MONTHS' LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Chambers. The Chief Justice presided in Chambers this morning, and disposed of the following applications: Wade vs. Uren. W. H. Langley, for plaintiff, applied for leave to amend statement of claim. F. J. Fulton, for defendants, objected that one of the proposed amendments was a change of place of trial from Kamloops to Victoria. His Lordship ruled that a change of venue cannot be made in this way, but must be made the subject of a substantive application. Leave to amend otherwise was granted. Finch vs. White Bear. L. P. Duff, K. C., for plaintiff, moved for an injunction to restrain defendant company from trespassing on the surface of a claim in Roseland. G. H. Barnard, for defendants, applied for an adjournment to permit of affidavits in reply to plaintiff's claim being received. An adjournment until Monday next was granted with liberty to both parties to file further material.

TO START PAVING EARLY NEXT WEEK

BLOCKS REQUIRED FOR GOVERNMENT STREET

Progress of Work on James Bay Retaining Wall—Foundation for Change Extension.

The paving of Government street will be commenced on Monday or Tuesday next. The time for the receipt of tenders for supplying 430,000 ft blocks for the purpose expired at 3 o'clock to-day, and the contract will probably be awarded at the meeting of the city council to-night. About fifty men will be employed, the majority of whom will be detached from the operations preliminary to the extension of the retaining wall as far as the James Bay club house.

Under ordinary conditions the work of paving the main artery of the city could be completed in about two months and a half. Delay will be encountered, however, in the removing and relaying of the electric wires, and the pipe of the Electric Railway Company, and the pipe of the gas company. The new tracks have arrived and everything is now in readiness for the inauguration of the work. The city will contribute a certain proportion of the cost of removing the old rails and laying the new ones. It is understood that the gas company will take advantage of the opportunity to improve its service throughout the thoroughfares.

The cost of paving Government street will be about \$25,000. The city contributes one half the cost and the property owners affected the remainder. The tar tanks at the Yates street yard will be ready for the reception of the blocks at any time, the tar having been ordered. The street will be paved from Johnson to Courtenay, and the work will be carried on under the supervision of the city engineer.

This improvement was provided for in one of the four loan bills submitted to the ratepayers at the recent election. The High School Building, Point Ellice Bridge, and Government Street are being completed most satisfactorily. Mr. Bell is doubtless preparing plans for a new bridge at Point Ellice, while the paving work will soon be under way. The extension of the retaining wall will effect a great improvement on the Bellevue street section of the waterfront between the bridge and J. B. A. club house. The extension will be carried out by the retaining wall, which will be built from the middle of the road to the water, so that parties from Esquimalt or elsewhere attending functions at the parliament buildings, may land without difficulty within easy reach of their destination.

Just now workmen are busily engaged preparing for the foundation of the new building, which is being deposited on the hard bottom, the tide being very favorable for the purpose this week. On this stone foundation, consisting of three courses of stones, will be laid the main wall, which is now almost complete. All that is required is a small course, and everything will be ready for the parapet and ornamental coping. The former, which is for the protection of the public, will consist of three courses of granite. Altogether the parapet and coping will be three and a half feet high.

Among the general street work now being carried on is the extension of Johnson street through a rocky section to Fernwood road. This work was partially accomplished last year, and \$500 was included in this year's estimate. The macadamizing of Hillside avenue will be commenced shortly.

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SEALERS PREPARE FOR BEHRING SEA

EIGHTEEN SCHOONERS LEAVE THIS MONTH

Sadie Turpel and C. D. Rand May Sail This Week—Excursion to Victoria on Spokane.

As it requires nearly a month to reach Behring Sea from points along the West coast of this island and considerable time in which to pick up Indian crews and to otherwise prepare for their northern cruises, the sealers in port, which are to be sent out to hunt this fall, have but a short while to spend in port. A number of the fleet are now pretty well in readiness, but others have to be overhauled before starting. The Libbie and Otto are on the ways in Turpel's shipyard being overhauled, and as soon as they are launched will be followed by others on the blocks. The Sadie Turpel, Captain Mohrhouse, and the C. D. Rand will probably get away this week, and it is possible that all will get away next week. The Victoria Sealing Company purpose sending from sixteen to eighteen vessels to Behring Sea. This fleet will be almost the same as went out in the spring, and will be manned by pretty much the same crews as were then in charge. The Ocean Rover, one of the coast fleet, will be replaced by the Ida Etta, a large schooner, which will have better chances of getting an Indian crew than the craft first named. The Borealis and Vera will not be going out. They carried white hunters in the early part of the year, and as these are not adapted to the winter months, they will not be taken from their moorings. All the fleet going to Behring Sea are to carry Indian hunters, and as these have to be picked up on the coast, the vessels are being hurried away. The experience of past years having proved that much time of necessity has to be wasted in settling the natives together on the coast, the vessels respectively before entering Behring Sea on August 1st, will be made on the 1st of July or as near that date as possible. In the sea the fleet will be joined by the schooners now on the coast. The fleet of eleven of these, six having gone to Copper Island after hunting on this coast. They all carry white crews and use guns, these weapons being allowed in Behring Sea, and the rest of the 18th part of demarkation.

EXCURSION TO VICTORIA. An excursion to Victoria on Thursday of next week on the Pacific Coast Steamship Company's fine new steamer Spokane has been arranged by the W. A. Gilmore, of St. Mark's church of Seattle. The Spokane will reach Seattle on Tuesday from San Francisco, where she has just been completed and prepared for the tourist trade to Alaska during the coming summer. The ladies of the guild have secured the use of the vessel for the day, and in aid of the fund with which the St. Mark's edifice will be enlarged will conduct the excursion. Though the boat will carry many more passengers, for the comfort of those making the trip to Victoria but 250 tickets will be sold, and the passenger list will be limited to that number. At 7:30 on the morning of June 12th the Spokane will leave the port of Main street, Seattle, and by shortly after 1 o'clock in the afternoon it is hoped to be in Victoria, as the vessel makes 17 1/2 knots an hour without difficulty. The excursionists are to reach home by 11:30 o'clock.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE CARE OF THE GUESTS ON THE TRIP WILL BE COMPLETE. STATION ROOM PRIVILEGES WILL BE GIVEN, AND BECAUSE OF THE comparatively limited number who will have an opportunity to go the dining tables and deck will not be overcrowded. The ladies of St. Mark's church have assumed the task of completing a fund for the enlargement of the building, and believe that the excursion will be a material assistance in accomplishing their object.

THE STEAMER Spokane has been built especially for the Alaska trip during the summer, to take through the inland passage tourists who wish to see the magnificent scenery. Consequently her equipment is something unsurpassed in Northern waters. Each summer she will come north for this special duty.

THE SPokane will be here again on Saturday afternoon with her first Alaska excursion, and will leave here for the north at 3 P. M.

THE COAL TRADE. The following is the report of the San Francisco coal market for the week ending May 21st, issued by J. W. Harrison, the coal and metal broker. During the week there have been three arrivals of coal from British Columbia, 13,530 tons; two from Oregon, 560 tons; one from Washington, 3,500 tons; two from Australia, 6,000 tons; total, 29,690 tons. The quantity delivered here this week is fully equal to any demand that may spring up in the next few weeks. The complaint from domestic and foreign importers is very general; that is, that it is difficult to buy at covering prices. Services of steamers and sailors for coal carrying are being very freely offered by owners at very generous rates, lower than heretofore known for years, still at the reduced rates, very few engagements are being made. Freight from Australia in this direction are exceedingly low, in consequence of the comparatively large quantity of the grain crop throughout the colonies on arrival here owners will find very little remuneration for their property in the present schedule of outward grain freights. The coal strike in the West only affects this market, as far as hard coals are concerned, of which but very little is now being used here. Fuel oil continues to be the favorite fuel with steam producers. It is both effective and economical. The unpleasant weather so far this spring has helped to increase the sale of coal for household purposes.

QUARANTINE OFFICER.

Dr. Arthur G. Hopkins has recently been appointed to represent the veterinary branch of the Dominion department of agriculture in Great Britain; with headquarters at Glasgow. His official duties will be to represent the Dominion Office for Canada, and he will assume the duties performed last season by Dr. J. G. Rutherford, now chief veterinary adviser to the department of agriculture. Dr. Hopkins is a white still young man, has had a wide experience, not only as a practical veterinarian, but also in the varied duties of lecturer, author and editor. He was graduated from Toronto Veterinary College in 1891 with the degree of V. S. In 1895, he obtained his diploma in agricultural at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. He is also the degree of D. V. M. from the Iowa Agricultural College, D.V.M. from the veterinary department of the Iowa State College and of M.D.V. (post grad.) from McMillan College, Chicago.

For several years Dr. Hopkins has followed his profession in Manitoba, and was at a later date appointed instructor in animal husbandry at the Agricultural College, University of Wisconsin. This position he held until he became associated with the Farmers' Advocate, Winnipeg, Man., with which paper he remained until called to his present duties. Dr. Hopkins is also the author of "Veterinary Hygiene," a well known text book for farmers and agricultural students, which has been accorded high praise by leading authorities as a treatise of great value to every man who has stock under his care. Dr. Hopkins has also been in charge of Great Britain in order to be prepared for the season's importations of live stock. His address until the close of navigation on the St. Lawrence will be 22 Exchange Square, Glasgow, Scotland. The certificates issued by him will be accepted by the United States authorities in the same way as were those issued by Dr. Rutherford last season.

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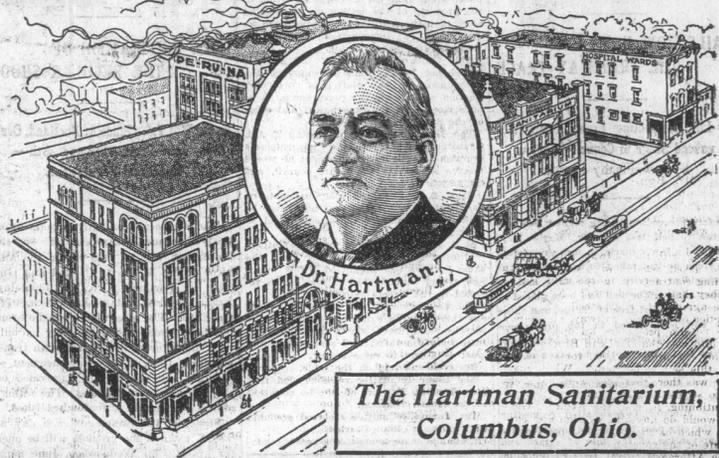
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