

Insurance Inquisition

Life's "Home" in City Library Subject of Investigation.

Life Insurance Company Now in Lime Light at New York.

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Vast Shoals of Herring Have at Last Appeared at Nanaimo.

Winnipeg House of Bishops Elect a Successor to Rev. Dr. Bompass.

Conservatives Now Have Two Seats in Alberta and May Have Three.

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WHY CURZON RESIGNED. Retiring Viceroy States Reasons for Relinquishing Office.

Bombay, Nov. 16.—At a banquet given in his honor tonight Lord Curzon, the retiring viceroy of India, made a frank avowal of the reasons for his resignation...

McCURDY PLAYS POSSUM. President of Mutual Satisfied That His Salary is Too Large.

New York, Nov. 16.—At a special meeting of the board of trustees of the Mutual Life Insurance Company in this city today, at which a preliminary report of the recently appointed special investigating committee was submitted...

LIFTING PEASANTS' TAXES. Car's Latest Concession Foregoes \$400,000 of Serfs' Contributions.

London, Nov. 17.—(6 a.m.)—A despatch from St. Petersburg to Reuters' Telegram Company says that an imperial manifesto granting land concessions to the peasants was issued this morning...

Winnipeg Warnings. Winnipeg, Nov. 15.—At the meeting of the house of bishops held at St. James' cathedral...

Valuable School Lands. Calgary, Nov. 15.—Over 25,000 acres of school lands were sold here today...

Alaska Convention Assembles But Awaits Arrival of Delayed Delegates.

SEATTLE, Nov. 15.—Pitiful revelations in the land fraud case occurred in Judge Griffin's court today, when the evidence of several women victims of Bert Condon, on trial for swindling, was introduced...

Ontario Fruit Growers. Speaking at the Ontario Fruit Growers' association meeting last night, Hon. Sydney Fisher said it was highly important for Ontario to secure a decision in favor of California and British Columbia...

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Quebec Firm in Trouble With Liabilities of Over One Million.

Paris Chief of Police Missing and Money Collected is Unaccounted For.

Non-Fielding Points to the B.C. Fruit Growers as Worthy of Imitation.

MONTREAL, Nov. 16.—By the collapse of the timber of a new structure on Faubourg avenue this afternoon a man named St. Jean, aged about 40 years, was killed...

General Hospital this morning. His death was caused by pneumonia.

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HEARST'S PROTEST. Sensation Caused in Court by Non-Appearance of Indicted Man.

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Lead Bounty Is Reduced

Owing to High Price of Metal Government Decides to Cut Bonus.

Provisional Officers of Militia to Qualify or Tell the Reason Why.

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VENEZUELA OBSTINATE. President Refuses to Pay Second Installment of French Claim.

Paris, Nov. 16.—The foreign office is advised that President Castro yesterday refused to pay the second installment of the Dumley arbitration award. The arbitration covered damages sustained by French citizens in Venezuela during revolutionary periods...

MINISTERS ON TOUR. Premier and His Colleagues Travel Through the Similkameen.

HELDY, Nov. 16.—The tour through Southern British Columbia so far of Premier McBride and Hon. Mr. Green has been an endless source of pleasure and instruction to them. Their reception by the Similkameen, which was the main objective point, was exceptionally gratifying...

Hall Was Packed. In the evening the hall was packed with an appreciative audience, many ladies being present. Addresses were given by the Premier, Mr. Green, Mr. Shattford and Mr. G. J. Plax...

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Millions Were Loaned Clerks

How Cash Surplus of Equitable Was "Invested" to Comply With Law.

Ex-Governor Odell Describes Mr. Hyde's Evidence as Base Column.

Chauncey Depew Tells of the "Velvet" Profits From Syndicates.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Former Governor B. Odell Jr. and United States Senator Chauncey M. Depew as witnesses before the Armstrong legislative investigation today denied parts of the testimony of James H. Hyde, in which these gentlemen's names were used...

Commission At Vancouver. Case of Cannery Laid Before the Fisheries Experts Yesterday.

Reported Robbery of the Registered Mail on the Cariboo Road.

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Mr. Hyde Is Under Fire

Deposed Vice-President of Equitable Appears Before Investigating Committee.

President's Huge Loan Account Was in Reality the "Reptile Fund."

Accuses Former Confederates of Knifing Him and With Conspiracy.

NEW YORK, Nov. 14.—James H. Hyde, former vice president of the Equitable Life Insurance Society, whose resignation followed the investigation of insurance company methods by the legislative committee, the man whose presence at the Equitable life insurance committee has been looked forward to in the expectation that it would produce the greatest sensation of the session, appeared before the committee today.

Mr. Hyde's manner on the stand was one of composure and confidence, and his replies to questions were deliberate and oftentimes amusing. He was fortified with statements and data, and was very frank in his explanations. Frequently he would become bitter in his reference to some of his associates, and while his entire testimony was of deep interest and cleared up many points that have heretofore remained in the dark, it was not until late in the day that the attention of the committee was attracted to a sensational feature developed.

Mr. Hyde was called shortly after the session opened this morning, and he was under examination practically all day.

Mr. Hyde cleared up the matter of the \$865,000 loan of the Mercantile Trust Company which appeared on the books of the Equitable life insurance company of the "J. W. Alexander No. 3" account in the fall of 1902. President Alexander, who said that he had been in control of the Equitable, had incurred the loan to take up stock that was being bid up to fictitious values, to the detriment of the company, to settle suits that were hampering the business of the society, and for campaign contributions.

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GERMANY IN FAR EAST.

Withdrawal of Small Garrisons Part of Original Programme.

Berlin, Nov. 13.—The foreign office says the despatch of the London Daily Telegraph, published today, saying by an agreement has been concluded between the German government of Kaiochuan province, under which Kaiochuan will be evacuated in January and Kiang in six months, is a mixture of truth and error. The facts are that Emperor William at the time when he proposed the withdrawal of the foreign troops from Kaiochuan and the town of Kaiochuan. Both places are outside of Germany's sphere under the lease contract. They were temporarily occupied at the time of the Boxer movement as a precautionary measure, and their occupation was never meant to be permanent. The measure is in no sense due to Japanese pressure. No question of the withdrawal of the German forces from Kaiochuan territory exists. The treaty by which Germany leased the Kaiochuan district remains in force and unimpaired.

THE MORRISH INQUEST.

Result of Enquiry Held at Dunceas on Thursday Last.

An inquest was held at Dunceas on Thursday under the coroner's act, to inquire into the cause of death of the late Mr. J. W. Morrish, who died on the 10th ult. near Dunceas. Evidence of numerous witnesses was taken and it appeared that the deceased, who was a miner employed at the Leamington colliery, had been seriously injured by an explosion of dynamite in May last which had shattered part of his back. He was taken to the Chemsins Hospital and operated on by Dr. Perry and was discharged in September. He returned to Mr. Sicker, but his health was broken. He was attended by Dr. Perry and looked after by neighbors, who did all that they could, but he did not improve, and he was advised to try a change of air and to return to Victoria. His death occurred on the 10th ult. near Dunceas.

The following witnesses were called: Messrs. Hagan, Talbot, Dr. Perry, Book, Hester, Magraw, Lomas, and Cavell. The court room was crowded with interested spectators awaiting the verdict of the jury, which was as follows: The jury on this case, find that J. W. Morrish died from the ultimate effects of injuries sustained by an explosion of dynamite in May last, and that the death was accelerated by his removal to the Chemsins Hospital, and his confinement during convalescence. The jury exonerates all persons concerned, being satisfied that the deceased died from the effects of the explosion. J. W. P. Jaynes, foreman.

Father Reports Loss of Children

Resident of Esquimalt Says Wife Is Principal in Abduction Case.

Mother is Alleged to Be Insane and Irresponsible for Her Acts.

WHAT gives promise of developing into an interesting case of abduction occurred at Esquimalt on Friday afternoon last. The father of the child, John Boyer, succeeded in carrying off the two children of Mrs. Boyer, both of whom are 13 years of age, and Eric, 5 years. In conversation with a Colonist reporter last evening Mr. Boyer stated that he had been in possession of the children for a long time and was uncertain whether he would recover and the physician instructed him to send his wife east. She did not recover, but owing to some unknown cause she became insane and irresponsible for her acts. She did not desire to come home, and on two or three occasions she had tried to take her children to live with her. Mr. Boyer, from the correspondence, had been told that she was insane and he decided not to allow the children to go to her, but he considered he could not be blamed for doing so.

Arrived in This City. About the end of October his wife, accompanied by her mother, John Boyer, unexpectedly arrived in the city, and he proceeded to take her to her home, and from any request from the mother he invariably refused to let the children go to her. Mr. Boyer stated that at that time they were with the mother and he remained all night wherever requested to do so.

This continued till Mr. Boyer informed the husband that unless he made over the children to Mrs. Tyler she would make proceedings against him for judicial separation and for the custody of the children.

This Mr. Tyler declined to do, and was warned by his neighbors of a possible effort on the part of the mother and she to kidnap the children and he decided to do so.

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Outbreak at Vladivostok

Sailing of the Russian Ships Precipitates Trouble Among Army.

Report That Garrison and the Navy Have Joined in Mutiny.

American Embassy Receives Advice of Troubles From Consular Agent.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 14.—The upheaval in Russia following the proclamation of the reform manifesto has now reached Vladivostok and Yensieik, and other extreme points of the empire. Summary news has been obtained from various sources of the reported uprising at Vladivostok, where the conditions are said to be quite critical. Many persons have taken refuge on the ships in the harbor. Many public buildings, shops and houses have been pillaged and set on fire by the mob. The American embassy has received information from the consular agent, and has advised the government of the details of the outbreak which began Sunday afternoon, immediately after the departure of the Russian armored cruisers Gromob and Ressa. The people, who had gathered in great

General Strike Ordered

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—In view of the condemnation to death of many of the sailors who mutinied at Cronstadt, the delay in carrying out the reforms ordered by the proclamation of the manifesto, and the proclamation of martial law in Poland and other repressive acts, the Russian delegates have decided to proclaim a general strike throughout Russia today.

The strike was proclaimed in the streets, became excited and inflammatory speeches. Many looting and burning of shops and houses, and the situation is said to be very serious. The mob began to break windows and pillage and in the evening set fire to the buildings in the harbor. The fire burned all night. Seventy buildings were destroyed and the situation is said to be very serious.

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ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 14.—The upheaval in Russia following the proclamation of the reform manifesto has now reached Vladivostok and Yensieik, and other extreme points of the empire. Summary news has been obtained from various sources of the reported uprising at Vladivostok, where the conditions are said to be quite critical. Many persons have taken refuge on the ships in the harbor. Many public buildings, shops and houses have been pillaged and set on fire by the mob. The American embassy has received information from the consular agent, and has advised the government of the details of the outbreak which began Sunday afternoon, immediately after the departure of the Russian armored cruisers Gromob and Ressa. The people, who had gathered in great

General Strike Ordered

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—In view of the condemnation to death of many of the sailors who mutinied at Cronstadt, the delay in carrying out the reforms ordered by the proclamation of the manifesto, and the proclamation of martial law in Poland and other repressive acts, the Russian delegates have decided to proclaim a general strike throughout Russia today.

The strike was proclaimed in the streets, became excited and inflammatory speeches. Many looting and burning of shops and houses, and the situation is said to be very serious. The mob began to break windows and pillage and in the evening set fire to the buildings in the harbor. The fire burned all night. Seventy buildings were destroyed and the situation is said to be very serious.

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NORTHERN FISHERIES.

Overseer Helgesen Is Down From Hazelton and Reports Progress.

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News Notes

Commission Hears Pro- charges by Red Mountain Line.

Conservatives Pass in Condemning the Gley Grab.

Winnipeg Divine Rest in British Columbia.

Nov. 14.—The railway spent the forenoon in arguments in the court of the Columbia...

Canadian trade com- munity, Japan, in his last...

Montreal Report

Nov. 14.—The annual state- ment of Montreal, issued...

Nov. 14.—At the annual...

Nov. 14.—Rev. H. St....

Nov. 14.—Cable advices...

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Harriman And Hyde

President of Union Pacific De- nies Testimony of Former Equitable Official.

Ex Vice President Was Offered \$7,000,000 For His Hold- ings in Company.

Was Anxious to Secure Ambassa- dorship at the French Capital.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—E. H. Harri- man in his testimony before the...

Denies a Statement

Mr. Hyde made a statement...

Mr. Hyde's Personal Money

After Mr. Harriman had testified...

Mr. Hyde's Evidence

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100,000 Men On Strike

St. Petersburg Industries Com- pletely Tied Up in Response to Agitators.

The Demonstration as Protest Against Execution of Mutineers.

German Troops Said to Be Mass- ing on Frontier and People In a Panic.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 16.—(12-37) A force numbering 100,000 men...

The electric lights will be shut off...

The streets are already full of...

The English millowners meet...

The report that Germany is making...

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Joseph Martin On Aylesworth

Well Known Politician Scores New Minister on His Utterances.

Tendency of Liberal Leader is to Destroy Party's Vital Principles.

The following from the pen of Mr. Joseph Martin, M. P., appears in the Toronto news of November 10:

Editor World.—According to despatches...

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The Murdered-Missionaries

Chinese Ambassador Gives Natives Account of Massacre.

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Leader of Pennsylvania Political Grifters Sued on Notes.

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Dr. Kennedy & Kergan

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COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS' TAX.

An Ottawa despatch dated November 10th states that the measures passed by the Quebec and British Columbia legislatures, imposing a tax on commercial travelers, were considered today by the Dominion cabinet. The opinion of the Minister of Justice is that the legislation is constitutional. It is stated, however, that in the case of Quebec the Minister considered the legislation dangerously near the line which calls for disallowance. This, we may assume, arises from the fact that the tax is so high as to be almost prohibitory, when it would fall within the category of legislation creating an interference with trade and commerce, over which the Dominion has supreme jurisdiction. The only grounds upon which the Acts could be disallowed are those of the public good, and the Minister evidently did not think the circumstances justified such interference. We are informed that the government does not look with favorable eyes upon this class of legislation, and that the hope was expressed that the provincial legislatures in each case would repeal the law.

Theoretically, at all events, the law is objectionable, and it would be more satisfactory if the conditions did not exist which rendered it justifiable in our case. It has been responsible for a great deal of ill feeling in the East. In commercial circles towards British Columbia, by those, we may say, who have not stopped to consider the reasons which dictated its passage. The commercial traveler has been used to go from one end of the Dominion to the other, and sell his goods without let or hindrance. He has had the open sesame and has been welcomed wherever he went. The sudden check imposed by a license fee produces a feeling similar to that engendered by many years' rights over a common or a roadway which have been drawn. To the commercial man it appears to be a violation of the principle of free intercourse between provinces, the keeping of had faith with the rest of the Dominion.

In the case of British Columbia there are mitigating circumstances which are not sufficiently taken into consideration. A tax upon commercial travelers may be a bad thing, but there are worse things from which British Columbia has had to suffer, which are in the interests of the Eastern wholesale merchant and manufacturer. The eastern man has the advantage of rates in markets outside of the province, which ought to be common to both. He has the advantage of rates to points in the interior over the wholesale merchants of this coast. He has the advantage of position, which the Crow's Nest branch of the C. P. R. gives him in relation to direct connection with the trade of the Kootenay country. That railway, we all know, was built not primarily in the interests of the people of British Columbia, so much as the result of an agitation on the part of Eastern wholesale merchants and manufacturers, aided and abetted by the influence of the gentlemen who wished to get control of and operate the coal in the Crow's Nest Pass. British Columbia might have cried until doomsday for such a railway had it not been for the eastern interests that demanded it. Commercially we all know that it gave the eastern wholesale trade largely the control of the eastern market.

In addition to all that, however, the eastern man who had not a dollar invested in British Columbia, who did not contribute a cent to the running expenses of the country, could come to the province, as he did, and capture the trade in competition with local men, whose capital was all invested in the province, and who paid heavily in personal property taxation to the provincial government. The question was discussed at the meetings of the commission instituted to make enquiry into inequalities of taxation under the Assessment Act of 1903, and it was decided by the commissioners, as the result of hearing the evidence of the wholesale merchants in British Columbia, that the eastern merchant should bear some share of the expense of administering the country in which he did a large and profitable business. He could not be taxed on the goods he sold to the customer, because they were outside of the province, and a licence to do business was the only form which such a tax could take.

It is quite true that the commercial traveler's tax is not in accordance with the principle of the encouragement of interprovincial relations; but the eastern man has not yet realized that it is a principle which in the past has worked against him in one direction. British Columbia has received little or no benefit of a commercial nature from its relations with the other provinces, except latterly in the direction of Manitoba and the Northwest provinces. We have bought heavily from and sold but little to the East. We have paid three times our share per capita towards the administration of the affairs of the Dominion. In banking, in our insurance, in our trade and in our taxation there has been a constant and a heavy drain upon the province. We have been regarded as a peculiar and a profitable preserve for the eastern manufacturer and merchant. The average eastern politician, who we may assume represents the average easterner, is the man who kicks most vehemently against any enterprise in the West. He wants not only our trade, but the money for public expenditure spent, if possible, in the East, where the votes are.

We do not say this in the spirit of sectionalism, but as a fact, as a statement of conditions which have grown up, for which no person in particular is responsible, but which exist beyond any possibility of denial. We do not say that the commercial houses which are being taxed are to blame, especially for this condition of affairs. It is one, however, which the eastern man has failed to appreciate, a fact shown by the tremendous uproar that has been created when the tax has been turned. We do not believe in the principle of taxing any person to do business in this country; nor do we believe in the one-sided system of benefits which has been in vogue for many years. Let the eastern man recognize that the West has claims for consideration, along with the East; let him consider some of the difficulties we have had in developing this country a market for him, the obstacles that have to be overcome in opening it up, its distance from the centres of supply, our measure of political handicap by isolation, and the enormous expense of local administration by reason of peculiar physical conditions.

When the eastern man is prepared to recognize the situation of affairs as they are, and to see that the central government, on behalf of this province, and is prepared to acquiesce in the rendering of justice, he will then be entitled to the fullest measure of freedom to do business in British Columbia.

BIG GAME SHOOTING.

We have been privileged to see the first volume of "Big Game Shooting," by Horace G. Hutchinson. It is a most attractive volume, and it is all that could be desired, and the illustrations are first-class, their peculiar merit being that they are not only excellent reproductions from a certain number of photographs, but the circumstances which a sportsman alone understands and appreciates, and which, in no sense common or ordinary. Some of them are very rare indeed, and it is always interesting, whether written or not, but that class of book which has its interest and attractiveness to the reader increased by the use of illustrations.

The book before us is not a work by one author. It is made up of a series of monographs by well known sportsmen, who can write as well as shoot. Like all game, it is divided into three parts. The first is on the sporting life, by Hon. J. F. Freemantle; the second is on European big game; and the third is on American big game. The last is, of course, the most interesting to us, and in the table of contents we immediately recognize the names of Oliver Phillips-Wolley, Sir Henry Wolley, and Capt. C. E. Radcliffe, not to mention the names of other sportsmen who have ever shot the big game of the North American continent, but who has never before been induced to put pen to paper to give the public the benefit of any of his experience. It is to Mr. Oliver Phillips-Wolley, who has himself contributed so many delightful chapters to the American big game, that we owe both Reed's help and that of Warburton Pike. Together with Capt. C. E. Radcliffe and Sir Henry Seton-Karr, those writers cover the whole of the big continent; and the best named sportsman has assisted in the European portion also with a chapter on the red deer shooting on the continent of Europe. Capt. Radcliffe, at the moment of writing, is the last to return from a very successful shooting trip in Alaska, of which he has given a detailed account in his "Big Game Shooting in Alaska," published by Rowland Ward.

It used to be generally considered that the days of big game shooting had departed, but the editor assures us that this is not the case. "Thank God," he says, "we are not partly to some very striking object lessons, such as the extermination of the American bison, more or less thoroughly enforced, are now the rule rather than the exception over the greater part of the globe. In response to this enlightened legislation, the big game system is entering on a new lease of distinct increase, and the writers of life; in many parts their numbers are more than multiplied, they show the following chapters have found no lack of material for their treatment.

Success in Advertising. The Situation in Victoria is Discussed—The Best Stores Keep Their Purchases in Cash—Performing a Most Important Public Service. (Written for The Colonist by Allen West.) Chapter 3.

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Having had occasion to discuss the campaign carried on by Mr. Whitney in Massachusetts in election to the lieutenant-governorship, it was remarked that if he were successful the result would materially assist the feeling in the United States towards reciprocity with Canada. Whitney towards the result may be regarded, in this instance, as a virtual victory for his policy. He was only behind Draper, the successful candidate, by 2,000 votes.

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