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## JAPAN'S POLICY TOWARDS RUSSIA

### HAS NO INTENTION OF GOING TO WAR

She Will Work in Conjunction With Great Britain and the United States.

London, July 24.—Japan has decided to adopt the policy of waiting and watching Russia, advocated by Great Britain. In the meantime she will urge China to carry out the assurance given to the United States respecting Manchuria, and will endeavor to obtain the opening of additional ports.

At the Japanese legation here the following statement was made by an official to the Associated Press: "I can assure you that the talk of war between Russia and Japan is an invention. Japan has not the least intention of taking that course. She proposes to wait and maintain her attitude of watchfulness. Japan is not so much interested on the same lines, and it would be difficult for any other power to withstand the pressure they and Great Britain could apply."

It is said that Japan intends to do nothing until October, when evacuation of Manchuria must occur. The failure of Russia to withdraw from Manchuria would be followed by a serious move on the part of Japan.

### Russia Regrets Confusion.

The Russian embassy regrets the confusion which has arisen in consequence of the report that has arisen that Prince Ching, head of the Chinese foreign office, has written to Minister Conger refusing to open ports in Manchuria. The Russian officials received at Washington that the note was sent before China gave her assurances, and they are naturally disappointed to find that she has given, as the British minister stated in the way of China observing her pledge to Secretary Hay.

London, July 25.—The Times this morning points out the importance of meeting on the Manchurian situation, which says that Russia's declaration to the powers on the subject of opening Manchurian ports, which Prince Ching asserts was not communicated to China, is interpreted in Peking to mean that Russia will not permit China to enter into any agreements with other powers regarding Manchuria which may embarrass Russia in the future, when the territory finally becomes a Russian province. Hence, the Times correspondent says, Russia's refusal to permit in Manchuria foreign settlements similar to those in Chinese treaty ports.

### Russia's Contentions.

It is openly contended by the Russians that Harbin is purely a Russian city, to which a foreign consul could only be appointed with Russian consent. If the United States, continues the correspondent, considers the declaration satisfactory, and believes Russia will assist in the development of foreign trade in Manchuria, it must be kept in surprising ignorance of the unhappy experience of an American trading company, both at Vladivostok and Port Arthur.

The air is full of rumors and the situation seems pregnant with possibilities. There is no pretense of evacuating Manchuria. On the contrary, reinforcements are constantly arriving.

There is a continuing southward movement of troops and guns, whilst as a result of General Kurapatkin's visit, Dalny, hitherto exempt from military protection, is to have two powerful forts and a garrison of 15,000. The coast and railway from Port Arthur to a point two stations above Dalny is to be strongly fortified.

There are incessant shipments of coal and foodstuffs to Port Arthur, and feverish drilling and gun practice of the Russian fleet, all of which accounts for the fear, common in North China, that war was possible.

### Joint Note Doubtful.

After describing the movement of Russian troops to other points, the dispatch concludes by saying that the stories of the British-Japan joint note to Russia, published in various papers, are fictitious as far as can be ascertained at Peking. Up to the present time, says the dispatch, no policy could be more reasonable or more self-restrained than Japan's, but that it is impossible to conceal the fact that the uncertainty of the future casts umbrage.

### Troops Being Transported.

The standard this morning prints a "Tinian dispatch which says that the Newchwang trains are crowded with Russian troops going in the direction of Port Arthur, that these trains are taking precedence over normal traffic, and that heavy guns and other artillery is also being sent."

Ottawa, July 25.—It is announced that the Grand Trunk Pacific agreement will be signed on Monday.

## A TERRIFIC BATTLE.

Venezuelan Troops Only Capture Ciudad Bolivar After a Horrible Carnage.

Soledad, Venezuela, July 23.—Ciudad Bolivar was captured at 11 o'clock last night after 25 hours of a desperate struggle and horrible carnage, during which great courage was shown on both sides.

The jail and the capitol were the scenes of the most severe fighting, and many men were killed or wounded there at 5 o'clock in the morning. The correspondent of the Associated Press followed Gen. Rivera, the government commander, who met Gen. Gomez, the Venezuelan commander-in-chief, near the capitol, and confirmed the announcement that the capitol, the jail and all the rest of the city were in the hands of the government soldiers.

Gen. Gomez informed the correspondent that the resistance at the capitol had been of a nature worthy of a better cause, that each yard of rampart was covered by the dead, and that Gen. Nicolas Holandier, the last representative of the revolution, and his two lieutenants, General Pablo and Guzman, and General Vasquez, had been taken prisoners. No adequate plan can be cabled of the scene which Ciudad Bolivar presents. It appears to have been swept by a cyclone, accompanied by a conflagration.

## RING STOLEN FROM LATE POPE'S FINGER

### A Scandal Has Been Developed in Connection With the Death of Leo XIII.

New York, July 25.—The Herald's Rome correspondent cables the following: Every effort is being made by the Vatican to prevent the news of a terrible scandal leaking out. The ring of the fisherman, which should have been on the hand of the Pope, has disappeared. The Russian officials received at Washington that the note was sent before China gave her assurances, and they are naturally disappointed to find that she has given, as the British minister stated in the way of China observing her pledge to Secretary Hay.

### No Ring forthcoming.

When the Cardinal Camerlingo certifies the death of a Pope, he receives the ring of the fisherman from the Chamberlain of his Holiness. It is then destroyed in the presence of all the cardinals at the first meeting of the Sacred college, held after the Pope's death.

But when Cardinal Orsella, the present Camerlingo had certified the death of Leo XIII, Mr. Bisietti was a prey to the deepest despair, and had to admit that the ring had disappeared. Cardinal Orsella, who, as is the custom, brought his declaration of having received the ring from the Papal chamberlain all written out, had it put back in his pocket.

### No Clue to Robbery.

Mr. Bisietti can give no indication as to the robber. The theft must have taken place between the death of the Pope and the morning of the following day, when Cardinal Orsella officially certified to his death. During this time a large number of persons entered the death chamber. To prevent the scandal becoming known outside the Vatican, the Osservatore Romano published a statement that Cardinal Orsella had duly received the ring in the presence of the cardinal, and had destroyed it at the first meeting of the Sacred college, but as Cardinal Orsella never received the ring, it precludes the possibility that he could have witnessed its destruction. The disappearance of the ring has caused a tremendous sensation.

### DEMAND HIS DISMISSAL.

United States Government Bookbinders Threaten to Quit Work Unless Miller is Removed.

Washington, July 23.—President Barrett of the local organization of bookbinders, to-day announced that every bookbinder in the United States government printing office, and the members of the allied unions, will quit work, if W. F. Miller, assistant foreman in the government printing office, whose dismissal from that office President Roosevelt recently revoked, is permitted to resume work. The local union officials to-day sent a communication to Secretary Cortelyou of the department of commerce and labor, strongly expressing their position against Miller's reinstatement. The union association gave out a statement, reciting the developments in the case, and charging Miller with using scurrilous language about those employed under him, and slandering the bookbinders' organization, of which he was a member.

### DEATH OF F. W. HOLLIS.

He Was a Member of the International Court of Arbitration.

New York, July 23.—Frederick W. Hollis, secretary of the American delegation to the Hague peace conference and more recently member of the international court of arbitration, died suddenly at his home at Yonkers, N. Y. George Frederick W. Hollis was born at Zellanville, Pa., July 21st, 1837, graduated from Columbia college in 1878, and also studied in the university at Leipzig.

## BURGLAR PURSUED BY A BANK CLERK

### A PLUCKY DEFENCE TO PREVENT ROBBERY

Presbyterian Committee Have Named M. McMillan for a Chair in Manitoba College.

Carman, Man., July 23.—An attempt was made this morning about 1.45 o'clock to burglarize the Canadian Bank of Commerce at this place. Mr. Compin, local manager, has his family sleeping apartment at the rear of the bank, but as he is now in Winnipeg for a few days, Mr. E. K. Watson, assistant clerk, sleeps in the bank on a stretcher in the manager's office. Mr. Watson was awakened by the opening of a trapdoor communicating with the cellar, and grabbing his revolver, hurried to the accounting room in time to see a man raising the top. Watson fired at the intruder and the bullet struck the burglar a little to one side. The burglar returned the fire, but fortunately missed his mark. The bullet passing close to Watson went through the office partition and cut a hole in a coat which was hanging over a chair. Watson next raised the tray and started down the cellar stairs for his man, when he was again shot at by the desperado, but again came off without harm, although the light from the room made him a fair mark, while his assailant was hidden in the darkness. Without considering the danger, he still advanced in the direction of the retreating burglar and got two more shots at him as he made his escape by an outside stair from the cellar, but again missed him. There is no clue to the person or persons that attempted the robbery, but they evidently must have known the surroundings pretty well, and also of Mr. Compin's absence. The burglar was seen by an outside door to the cellar. They worked back the bolt that held down the trapdoor with knives shoved down through the edge, and only for the quick and determined action of young Watson, there is no doubt that if the gang had once made an entry the inmates would have been overpowered by the robbers. Mrs. Compin and her sisters were sleeping in their apartments and were first awakened by the shooting. The ladies were much frightened, but Mrs. Compin had presence of mind to call Mr. Fisher, who lives over the bank, and he and his son Norman were quickly on the spot, but the burglars had made their escape. Mr. Butler, of the Electric Light Company, heard the shooting, and was in time to see three men jump into a rig at Taylor's corner, a few blocks east of the bank, and make off south. The affair has startled business men here, as so far Carman has been free from burglars.

### Canadian Winners.

Montreal, July 23.—Bisley cables say that 10 Canadians have obtained positions in the 900 who will fire in the second stage for the King's prize. Of the 10, three are not members of the Canadian team. The successful ones are: Lieut. Vroom, who stands fourth; Major Sparling, who is eleventh; Capt. Crowe-Howard, agent-general of Nova Scotia; Trooper Crofton, Capt. Elliott, Trooper McNaughton, Sergt. Bayliss, Sergt. Hayhurst and Sergt. McGregor. Among the unsuccessful ones, Simpson and Capt. Duff-Simant each won £2, and White £1.

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### LARGE SALVAGE CLAIM.

Honolulu, July 23.—Salvage claims for \$40,000 each have been filed by the owners of the tugs Pearlree and Charles Counselman against the steamer Clavering, belonging to the China Commercial S. S. Company. The Clavering a few days ago struck on a reef at the entrance of Honolulu harbor, and was pulled off by the tugs named without having sustained much damage. It is said that the claim of the tugboat owners will be contested, and litigation over the matter will likely follow.

### RECEIVED BY LORD MAYOR.

London, July 23.—The French senators and deputies, representing the international arbitration group, accompanied by a number of British members of parliament, were formally received to-day by Lord Mayor Samuel and the Lady Mayoress at the Mansion House.

### EARTHQUAKES IN UTAH.

Salt Lake City, Utah, July 23.—Several slight earthquakes were felt in this city at 1.40 this morning. In Ogden, 37 miles north of here, the severest ever felt there was experienced. No damage, however, is reported in this city or Ogden.

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### CANADIANS UNABLE TO CAPTURE MEDAL

#### Many Immigrants Continue to Arrive—Failure of Firm Which Built King Edward Hotel.

Montreal, July 25.—According to Bisle cables, six Canadians were left in the final stage of the King's prize. They were:

1st	2nd	Stage	Stage	Tl.
Carl. Crowe	100	80	148	
Mal. Searling	100	80	148	
Tp. Metropg	94	85	139	
Tp. McLaughlin	85	83	129	
Sgt. Bayles	84	83	127	
Lt. Vroom	101	77	178	

Eighteen IT's shot off for places. Top score at two ranges was 188. Canada had, therefore, only a slim chance of winning the King's prize. Sergt. Hayhurst, who won it a few years ago, was unable to get into the final stage. Vroom stood well in the first stage, but did not do so well in the second, barely qualifying. One hundred men shoot in the final stage to-day. Ranges are 800 and 1,000 yards.

Of the men who dropped out in the second stage, Elliott won \$10. In the grand aggregate, which is made up of scores in the first stage of the King's, first stage of St. George's, Vase, Alexandra, Daily Graphic, Daily Telegraph and Graphic, Canadians stood fairly well. Simpson was the highest colonial, standing twenty-eight on list and winning together with Bayles and Vroom \$10 and N. R. A. home cross. Sporting Stuart and White each won \$10. Bayles was second in Stewart Challenge Cup and won \$50. McGregor got \$10 in this match. Latta was eighth in the Duke of Cambridge and won \$20. Anand, O'Brien, Stewart and White each won \$10 in this match.

Davis Wins King's Prize. A later dispatch says the King's prize and gold medal were won today by Color Sergt. Davis, of the Third Glamorgan Volunteers, with a score of 311. Sgt. McCollum, of the First Strathling, was second with a score of 310, and Pte. Galloway, of the Second Argyshire, was third, with 303. This is the second time Davis has won the King's medal, a feat which has been accomplished only once before in the history of the competition.

Favor Canadian Flour. The Star's London cable says: At yesterday's meeting of the royal commission on the food supply in time of war, witnesses representing the master bakers and confectioners agreed in declaring Canadian flour of a greatly improved quality and readily finding a large market in Great Britain.

Banks Unaffected. A. McMiller, assistant-general manager of the Bank of Montreal, says Canadian banks will not be affected in any way by the failures in New York.

Immigration Continues. Fifteen hundred immigrants arrived yesterday by the steamers Lake Manitoba, Tunisian and Dominion. Two-thirds are going through to the Canadian Northwest, the balance being distributed through Ontario.

Elected by Acclamation. Winnipeg, July 25.—Baldwin, Conservative, has been elected by acclamation for Gimili seat in the Manitoba legislature, thus making 32 Conservatives returned to the new House.

Crews For Regattas. To-day the Winnipeg Rowing Club formally entered three crews for the Canadian Association of Amateur Oarsmen's regatta to be held at St. Catharines. The crews to represent Winnipeg are an eight, a four and a double. The entry was forwarded by telegram to J. G. Merritt, secretary of the C. A. A. O. The Winnipeg are also going to the national regatta.

French Newspaper. Edmonton will have another newspaper, M. St. Pierre, of Montreal, is at present in the city making final arrangements for the establishment of a French newspaper.

Senators Sick. Ottawa, July 25.—Senator Gowen, of Baitie is reported to be critically ill. Senator Forget is ill at his residence in Montreal.

Accidentally Killed. Lieut. H. Whelan, 43rd Regiment, son of a prominent lumberman here, was accidentally killed on a raft today bound for Quebec.

Death of Mrs. Bond. Toronto, July 25.—Mrs. Bond, wife of the Rev. George Bond, editor of the Christian Guardian, the organ of the Methodist church of Canada, died at St. Michael's hospital this morning, as a result of an operation performed a week ago.

Contractor's Failure. Ten cents on the dollar is all that the creditors of Hilsen & Hilsen, who built the King Edward hotel, may expect to receive. The unsecured liabilities are \$96,000, with assets of less than \$15,000.

Dawson Paper Sold. Dawson, July 25.—The Klondike Nugget, one of the pioneer newspapers of Dawson, has passed to the hands, by purchase, of L. E. Bonson. E. C. and George M. Allen, of Seattle, founded the Nugget for the past several years. George M. Allen has been the sole proprietor.

A Sad Accident. Toronto, July 24.—Mrs. J. J. Fox, wife of the member of the lower legislature for South Toronto, who had been

ill for several months, but was greatly recovered in health, and who had been taking almost daily trips on the boats between Toronto and Hamilton, fell off the steamer Macassa when near Hamilton yesterday. When rescued from the water life was almost extinct, and efforts at resuscitation were fruitless.

Traffic Receipts. Montreal, July 24.—C. P. R. traffic receipts for the week ending July 21st were \$854,000, for the same week last year, \$181,000.

Will Visit Rockies. W. L. Gleason, Boston, Mass., left this morning by the Imperial Limited for Banff and other points. He is a mountain climber of note, and intends making an ascent of some of the highest peaks of the Rockies.

Exhibition Closed. Winnipeg, July 24.—Intense heat was experienced throughout the West today and this city is crowded with fair visitors. It was almost unendurable. The thermometer ranged from 85 to 96 during the day. It was American day at the Industrial fairs.

The press stand at the fair collapsed during the rush late last night, but fortunately no one was injured.

The Winnipeg industrial exhibition closed to-day. The attendance has exceeded all previous years. The only drawback to the success of the show was the extremely hot weather, followed this evening by a heavy rain and thunderstorm, which prevented any night performance.

Earnings Doubled. The earnings of the Canadian Northern for the week ending July 21st amounted to \$30,200. For the corresponding week of last year the earnings were \$20,100, thus showing an increase for this year of \$9,100.

Abandoned Ship. Halifax, N. S., July 24.—The C. P. Steamship Co. is said to have abandoned the steamer Montevideo, ashore at Point de la Ligne, in the bay near the mouth of the St. Lawrence, near the wreck of the captain, sent to work to rescue the wreck.

Murder Committed. St. John, N. B., July 24.—Word came from Cross Point, Quebec, that the body of Dick Mann, farmer and lumberman, belonging to Main River, Restigouche, N. B., has been found murdered. There are suspicions as to the perpetrators of the crime.

RUMORS NOT VERIFIED. The Reports Concerning Bulgarian Troubles Lack Confirmation. London, July 25.—A long dispatch from Sofia Bulgaria, dated Tuesday, appears in one of the London papers this morning, which quietly discusses trade matters, describes a review of the troops and contains indications of trouble or reference to affairs at the palace. A Vienna dispatch just received, says that Prince Ferdinand has not come to Vienna; that he passed through Budapest at 1 o'clock this morning, seeing nobody, and proceeded immediately to Ehrenthal, in the Austrian Alps, where his mother lives, taking with him a numerous suite.

It is stated that a cabinet reorganizing has been arranged for a month. Although it is generally admitted that the political situation is not of the rosiest owing to the Macedonian agitation trouble, and the war party being anxious for a truce, it is stated with a note of absolute no confirmation of any source of the revolutionary rumors.

It is said in some quarters that Prince Ferdinand warned the Austrian and Russian governments that he would not return unless the powers guaranteed the application of Macedonian reforms, but this statement is not confirmed.

FURTHER FAILURES. The New York Stock Exchange Is Still Proving Treacherous. New York, July 27.—Failure of E. S. Hooley & Co. was announced in the stock exchange this morning.

The firm was heavily interested in Evansville and Terre Haute. The stock of the Evansville and Terre Haute Railroad Company sold to-day at \$40 a share. Last week it sold as high as \$60.

REMOVING THE BIER. Drs. Lappoi and Mazzoni directed the work of the removal of the bier, which was executed by eight sedaries, or Pope's carriers, attired in the brilliant brocade costumes. They at first tried to raise the bier, but finding it too heavy, slowly slid a low car with noiseless wheels, then to the strains of "Miserere," which waited through the mighty church, and proceeded by a glittering cross held aloft in procession, carrying candles and torches, slowly led the chapel and went up the church, passing the bronze statue and the shrine of St. Peter.

St. Peter's is peculiarly fitted to be the background of such a scene. The white marble of her vast pillars shined up to the bright uniforms of the guards, the violet robes of the clergy and red of the bier, while the glittering light of the candles made the processions of the visible object and rendered the obsequies beyond and behind it noticeable. After the passage around the church, the cortege arrived at the chapel church, the bier being so carried that the dead Pope was carried head first, according to the ceremonial.

Music Changed. Here all those who had received invitations were stopped, remaining in the main part of the basilica behind a double line of the Swiss guards. In the chapel the music changed to notes of joy and triumph, and "In Excelsis" ringing out with telling effect. From the outside the five bells of St. Peter's rang out their accustomed salute, mingling harmoniously with the music of the choir.

In the chapel the bier bearing the dead Pontiff was received by Cardinal Oreglia. It was placed in the centre, backed by an altar with a beautiful view of the conclave, before which were burning four immense candles in silver staffs.

Within the Chapel. Around two sides of the chapel, in the choir seats, were 30 cardinals, all wearing white robes, except Cardinals Gotti and Pierrotti, who wore the white mantles and the Cardinal's hat. In the middle of the right of the chapel, among the cardinals, sat Moriconi Colonna, assistant to the pontiff throne, with an empty seat next him,

## ALL IS ACTIVITY AT THE VATICAN

### PREPARATIONS BEING MADE FOR CONCLAVE

#### Question of a Protest to the Powers Has Been Discussed by the Cardinals.

Rome, July 25.—It has been remarked that the whole scene of the lying in state was wanting in light, those passing scarcely being able to see the features of the late Pope, especially as they were not allowed to pause before the body, the authorities of the Vatican added this morning to the ticking candles a line of electric globes, wired over the gates of the Chapel of Sacrament, the rays falling directly on the face of the late Pope, which seemed to be cut in stone and illuminated it with great clearness. The body will be buried at sunset this evening. Almost all the cabinet ministers visited St. Peter's to-day.

Each train is bringing new cardinals. During the night Cardinal Perraud, the Archbishop of Anton, arrived, as did Cardinal y Spino, Archbishop of Valenza, who have been created a cardinal at the consistory preceding the death of the Pope, has not yet received the red hat. But this does not invalidate his election, nor lessen his position in the conclave. He was received by the Spanish ambassador to the Vatican, and they both went this morning to St. Peter's, entered the Chapel of the Sacrament and knelt beside the bier, remaining there praying for some time.

Cardinal Tallano, the nuncio at Vienna, who was also created a cardinal at the last consistory; Cardinal Gossens, Archbishop of Meshlin, and Cardinal Gruscha, Archbishop of Vienna, also arrived here this morning. The latter received before his departure from Vienna instructions from the Austrian government concerning the conclave.

Rome, July 25.—On the stroke of midnight, as the moon glared from the Castle of St. Angelo was fired, the lying in state of the body of Pope Leo XIII. came quietly to an end, and those few who still lingered at the gates of the Chapel of the Sacrament in St. Peter's were ordered to leave. Ten minutes later Italian bersaglieri (infantry) and carabinieri filed out of the basilica and the body of the late Pope was left to the care of those who had watched by the bier in his lifetime. The preparations for this evening's ceremony were immediately commenced.

It is estimated that 80,000 people passed the catafalque since Thursday morning.

Interred in St. Peter's. The body of Pope Leo was interred in St. Peter's to-night. The strokes of the hammer which resounded through the immense dome of the cathedral announced to the earnest gathering in the nave that Leo XIII. has been laid at rest. At sundown the most important act of the ceremony of the interment was accomplished. About one thousand persons had received invitations to attend the ceremony.

Through special permission a representative of the Associated Press was allowed to enter the chapel of the Sacrament before the remains of the dead Pontiff were removed. Cardinal Rampolli was waiting outside the gates in violet robes, surrounded by the chapter of the cathedral, which was led by Mr. Coppatti, who conducted the services.

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owing to the fact that Prince Arsini, who held the same position, had resigned. Color was given to the scene by gendarmes and Papaline and noble guards. The last named have never left the remains since the Pope died. Above the cardinals, behind a grating, were the ladies of the aristocracy and the family of the Pope. The diplomatic body was also present, the chief men of the Roman aristocracy, led by Prince Marrino, who claims descent from Quoibus Fabius Maximus, in his uniform of Papal postmaster general. General De Chet, the chief veteran of the Papal army, who fought as commander of the Zouaves against the Italians in 1870, was also among those who attended the ceremony.

Last Respects. The body was sprinkled with holy water, absolution was given, and the foot of Leo XIII. was kissed for the last time by Major Domenico Cagnio, master of the chamber, Bisletti and Count Camillo Pecci.

The major domo then covered the venerable features and hands with a white silk veil bordered with gold. Over this the prefect of ceremonies spread a large silk veil, which covered the whole person, and the body was covered with great care by a bellows, the spark rising almost to the ceiling, when Mr. Bartoloni read for twenty minutes the oratio brevis, concluding the dead Pontiff, and Notary Pontini, 84 years old and out of his burial record, served which he performed upon the occasion of the deaths of Pope Gregory XVI. and Pope Pius IX.

The messengers of the basilica, aided by the noble marines, laid all that was mortal of Leo XIII. in the bier, with red satin and bearing on the cover an imbed cross, the entire Sacred College and Prince Colonna rising to their feet as a last tribute and sign of respect.

Put in the Coffin. When the body had been carefully put in the coffin, which was entirely concealed by the red velvet covering which before had been on the bier. The major domo put beside the body two silk purses containing coins of silver and a bronze statuette bearing the pontiff's effigy. A eulogy, written magnificently Latin and struck forth the great virtues of Pope Leo's life and reign, enclosed in a metal tube, was also interred with the body.

When all had been arranged the supreme prayer was said and the last benediction given, all present joining in. Half suppressed sobs were heard on all sides.

The second coffin was of lead and very heavy. On the cover at the head was a cross, just below which was a skull and cross-bones, while below these were the arms of the dead Pope, with the triple crown resting on the keys, as they signify living victory.

This coffin was sealed personally with the arms of the emperors. The major domo of the chapel and basilica lit lighted candles around the coffin, and the bier, producing sounds and lights strange to see and hear in a church. These two coffins were closed in a third casket of polished walnut without decorations.

The sad duties were softened and smoothed by the sweetness of the singing of the choir and live prayers of the clergy.

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a certain height as precaution and shades have been put on every window to better insure secrecy. Assurances have been given that everything will be in readiness for Friday night, but there is much yet to be accomplished.

Question of Policy. The cardinals at their meeting to-day again discussed the advisability of sending a note to the powers regarding the condition of the Holy See. Some of them insisted on the necessity of not allowing the occasion to pass without again protesting against the occupation of pontifical territory by Italy, thereby showing that the papacy is determined to maintain its claims unabated.

Others said that they thought such a note would not add any force to the many protests of the same kind already made, while it might interfere with the desire to follow, and added that the best thing to do was to leave the successor of Leo XIII. entirely free to choose the course which he may consider best for the good of the faithful and the general interests of the church.

No decision on the subject was arrived at. If the cardinals determine to send the note it probably will be delivered to the diplomatic body on Thursday.

EXPRESSION OF SORROW. Sir Wilfrid Laurier Pays Tribute to the Wisdom of the Late Pope.

Ottawa, July 27.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier has addressed the following letter to the Apostolic delegate, Mr. Sbarretti, to be forwarded to Rome:

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Signed: WILFRID LAURIER. Grand-Trunk Pacific.

REFUSED ON VOTERS' LIST. Collector at Vancouver Would Not Accept Application of R. G. McPherson, M. P.

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Norman and Hugh McLeod's applications have been accepted. They applied before D. G. McDonnell, who is a notary in Ontario as well as British Columbia.

Outbreak of Glanders. Dr. Hopkins, veterinary inspector, is leaving to-day for Rock Mountain, near Nelson, to investigate a serious outbreak of glanders amongst horses there.

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## EULOGY ON THE LATE POPE LEO

### ARCHBISHOP ORTH'S ELOQUENT ADDRESS

#### Large Congregations Attended Roman Catholic Churches Yesterday Morning and Evening.

Sunday Archbishop Orth delivered a beautiful panegyric on Pope Leo XIII. before a large audience assembled at St. Andrew's cathedral upon the occasion of the memorial services to that great Pontiff.

In substance he said: "We are not merely here assembled to bestow eulogies upon our departed Pope, but we come here principally to pray to God for the eternal repose of his soul. In this we do what the early Christians did for their departed brethren; we do what the ministers of the church and the multitudes of people did in the fourth century at the funeral of Constantine the Great, offering up prayers and sacrifices for his departed soul."

Allusion was made to Leo's constant interest in the religious education of the rising generation, and to his prevailing principle that an education removed from contact with religion tended to corrupt in the soul the very seed of virtue and to bring up dot defectors of the human race.

Leo's encyclical on the sanctity of marriage was also touched upon. "Christian marriage is the corner-stone of society, of the church and of the state," the speaker said, "and at this corner-stone Leo's stand guard, and the Christian marriage is one, holy and indissoluble."

Reference was made to the constant watchfulness of the dead Pope over the Bible, preserving it from any tampering and declaring it to be the inspired word of God, and therefore not to be changed at will by man.

The Archbishop, continuing, pointed out that Leo XIII. solved the later problem so far as it is given to any human power to solve it. "His encyclical letter on that vexed question," he said, "had been universally accepted by political economists as the ablest document on the subject. He emphatically condemned Socialism and showed that the laborer would be by that scheme the worst sufferer. Whilst approving of trades unions he urged that their acts should be guided by mutual charity and carried on along lines of morality and religion. To the master of labor Leo said: 'Be mindful of this, that to exercise pressure upon the indigent and destitute for the sake of gain is condemned by all laws, human and divine.'"

Closing, the Archbishop spoke in feeling words of Leo's last sickness, borne with Christian patience and perfect resignation to God's holy will.

At St. Joseph's. At St. Joseph's church, Esquimalt, requiem high mass was yesterday celebrated by Rev. Father Nicolay. The altar was draped and the choir, under the leadership of O. Lombard, sang during the ceremony. Father Nicolay delivered a sermon on the life of the late Pope Leo XIII, and explained the procedure to be followed in the selection of a successor. At the conclusion of the mass prayers were recited for the repose of the soul of the late Pontiff, and the words of the Great Northern bridge and yards at the east end of False Creek.

ANNIVERSARY REQUIEM. At 9 o'clock to-morrow morning there will be chanted in St. Andrew

# DAMAGED GOODS SALE

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### \$4,000 WORTH OF GOODS DAMAGED BY WATER TO BE SOLD.

# B. Williams & Co., 68-70 YATES STREET

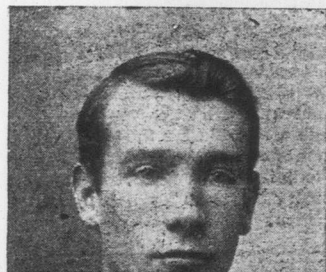
300 Men's and Boys' Flannel and Tweed Suits, slightly damaged. 50 dozen Regatta and Outing Shirts. 30 dozen Latest Style Hats. All Hats and Suits damaged by water will be sold at half price. All damaged Shirts will be sold at 50c each

## BLUE AND WHITE BACK IN TRIUMPH

### The J. B. A. A. Oarsmen Returned Last Night Laden Down With Trophies-- What They Did.

(From Saturday's Daily.)  
Of the four races in the N. P. A. A. O. regatta at Vancouver yesterday afternoon the J. B. A. A. captured three, and in the fourth was a good second. The senior singles, junior singles and junior doubles Victorians took first honors, while the loss of the J. B. A. A. junior fours' boat fin threw them out of their course destroying their chances of winning this event. As it was they came in second. These victories are hailed with

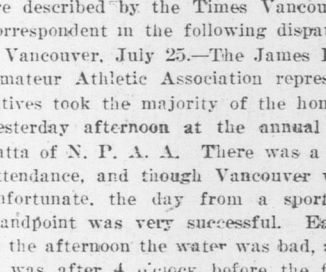
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W. W. WILSON, Stroke.

When the Charnier rounded the point Saturday and passed majestically into the inner harbor something was noted at the masthead which, it is quite safe to say, Capt. Rudlin would only permit under exceptional circumstances. It was a boom. Doubtless the passengers on the Majestic bound Soundwards wondered why it was so displayed if they saw it, but the crowd which gathered on the docks and along Wharf street knew what it meant, and they gave expression to their knowledge in no mistakable manner. They immediately associated the boom with the common process of sweeping, and in the case of the J. B. A. A. oarsmen at the Terminal City it was a case of a pretty clean sweep.

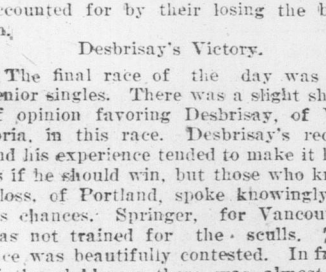
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CHAS. KENNEDY, No. 3.

The next event was the big thing on the programme, the piece de resistance of the regatta. About 6:30 o'clock the senior fours of the various clubs lined up at the starting line, and immediately the interest of the crowds on the wharves and at the club house became intense. It was generally believed that the Bays would capture the event and attend trophies, but Nelson was expected to make a strong showing, while Portland was considered worth taking into serious consideration. The course was fairly smooth, although unfortunately a sailing ship and steamer in the stream prevented it from being a clear one. The tide was running quite strong.

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(From Saturday's Daily.)  
The J. B. A. A. oarsmen at the Terminal City it was a case of a pretty clean sweep. That explains the clamor which could be heard along the waterfront as the Charnier tied up, and doubtless had the crowd considered just what this city's representatives had done with our and paddle the greetings would have been even more demonstrative, the enthusiasm all more intense. At the imminent risk of breaking their necks a number climbed to various vantage points to catch a first glimpse of the boys wearing the blue and white. "There they are," "Yes, coming off," which was the signal for a

intely a cup for their event, while Mr. Gore, who also added himself to victory on Saturday, brought back another. Besides these were the prizes given to members of the crews. That repository of trophies in the J. B. A. A. club house will require a substantial addition before very long, despite the fact that some of the cups have been in their possession since the last regatta. May they rest there forever.

THE BIG FOUR.

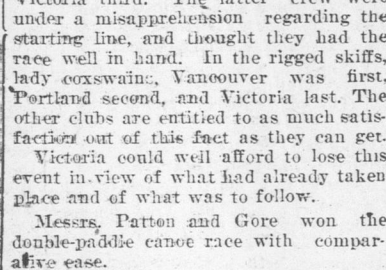


L. A. GILL, No. 2.

appeared an account of how the J. B. A. A. oarsmen acquitted themselves on Friday—winning the senior and junior singles and the junior doubles—three out of four. An accident to the fin of the junior four boat prevented a clean sweep. But Saturday saw even a greater triumph. On this the second day of the regatta there were seven events, out of which the Bays took five. The first of these was the lapstreak fours, the competing oarsmen being the J. B. A. A. and Vancouver aggregations. The course was a mile straightaway from Coleman & Evans' wharf to the boat house. The blue and white led the outside, and led from the start. The race was a very pretty one, and was won by a length and a half or two lengths. The J. B. A. A. crew consisted of F. Macrae, K. P. Wolston, J. O. Briggman and J. H. Austin. The time was 3:42.

The next event, the four-paddle canoe race, was captured by Vancouver in a good finish. Portland was second and Victoria third. The latter crew were under a misapprehension regarding the starting line, and thought they had the race well in hand. In the rigged skills, lady oarswoman, Vancouver was first, Portland second, and Victoria last. The other clubs are entitled to as much satisfaction out of this fact as they can get. Victoria could well afford to lose this event in view of what had already taken place and of what was to follow.

THE BIG FOUR.



Y. M. C. A. EXCURSION.

Good Programme of Sports and Music—Successful Ones in Different Events.

About four hundred patronized the Y. M. C. A. excursion to Musgrave Landing, Salt Spring Island, on the steamer City of Nanaimo on Saturday afternoon. The day happened to be a splendid one. The Y. M. C. A. sent out their boat with a good programme of music on the trip, and the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary are deserving of much praise for the able manner in which they looked after the refreshment arrangements. At Musgrave Landing the excursionists participated in a number of sports in charge of a committee, headed by H. Siddall. The winners of the different events were as follows:

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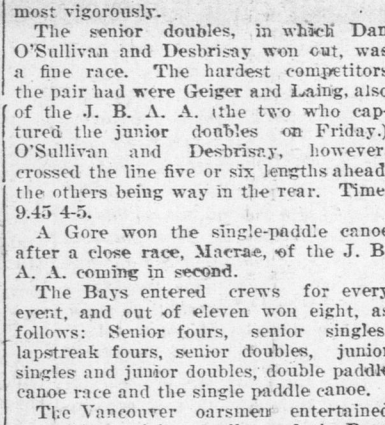
Associated Press correspondence dated Pekin, June 13th, says the growth of Japanese influence in China since the upheaval of 1900, has attracted little attention in Europe and America, largely because it is one of the results of the campaign, which should be considered in connection with the future politics of the Far East. Moreover, there are indications that Japan is striking in every way to advance that influence with the Chinese government, and it is even broadly stated that her ultimate object is to strengthen her own position by an alliance with Celestial Empire, using the argument that together both could resist the aggressions of the Western powers.

JAPAN'S INFLUENCE IN CHINESE EMPIRE.

It is certainly true, as the records of the Japanese legation here show, that a very large number of Japs have invaded Northern China, since the Boxer war. Not counting the Russians, they are perhaps equal in numbers to all the Europeans and Americans in Newchwang, Port Arthur and Dally. There are over 1,300 at Tientsin, and more than 500 in Peking.

Before the troubles there was a mere handful. To attain her political objects Japan's agents are trying to win the confidence of the more powerful Chinese officials, notably the progressive ones—Chang Shi Tung and Yuan Shi Kai. Several Chinese officials of late have been induced to visit Japan during the past few years. They were warmly welcomed, and Japan sought to impress them with the community of interest between the two countries. It is also said that Japan is seeking to effect a reorganization of the Chinese army, and that there are many Japanese instructors in the army who have superseded Europeans, Germans and others, who were in the service before Boxer troubles.

THE BIG FOUR.



DAN O'SULLIVAN, Victoria's veteran oarsman, who taught most of the present crews the game, and who rows in the senior doubles to-day.

oarsmen a most enjoyable banquet, which was attended by about a hundred and twenty guests. During the function, H. Dallas Helmcken, M. P., suggested that future programmes include a race for eight, both Vancouver and Portland agreed to follow up the suggestion if the Bays would do so.

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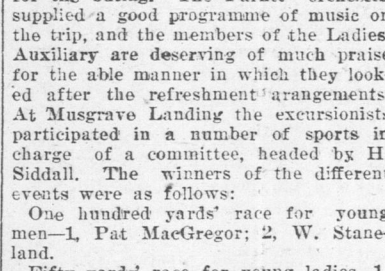


YACHTING GOSSIP.

A Weakness in Reliance—New Yacht for Vancouver.

It is known now that as soon as there is sufficient rain or sea to make Lillie pitch she commences to deteriorate. This was fully expected by expert yachtsmen, and from what was noticed as all three yachts went to the starting line close hauled on a light breeze and heading into a moderate dead roll from the southeast, Lillie made a terrific fall and showed a movement that was quite unlike that of Columbia or Constitution.

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Canada at Osaka.  
Visitor From Japan Praises Exhibit—He Thinks There Will Be No War.

CANADA AT OSAKA.

Sadasaburo Nakamura, of Hakkoide, Japan, general manager of the Sulphur Mining Company, one of the largest mining concerns in the Rising Sun land, is visiting the Pacific Coast cities.

CANADA AT OSAKA.

Three Chinamen Identified in Murder Case of Ah Chen at Crow's Bar.

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Inspector F. S. Hussey, of the provincial police, arrived home last evening from Kootenay and Vernon, where he had spent three weeks ago in connection with the case of Sack Chun, a Chinaman charged with the murder of Ah Chen at Crow's Bar on June 15th. Crow's Bar is about 35 miles from Clinton, and a number of Chinamen are engaged in mining there. On the date mentioned Ah Chen had visitors Gum Tye, Ah Gum and Sack Chun, near-by neighbors. They slept in his house, and Ah Gum says that at midnight he woke up and saw Sack Chun haul Ah Chen by the feet out to the river and throw the body into the water. Gum Tye corroborates this story, although Chun at first denied having committed the deed, but now acknowledges it. There is, therefore, a discrepancy in the evidence on the subject, and the magistrate in dealing with the case committed all three men for trial. Sack Chun was preparing to make a trip to China, and it is supposed that his life was taken for the purpose of obtaining his money. The evidence points to the fact that he had been killed by a hammer while he lay in bed, the clothes of which had been all covered with blood. Chen's body has not yet been recovered.

CANADA AT OSAKA.

Tees from North.

The steamer Tees arrived on Sunday from northern British Columbia ports with a number of passengers from the upper Skeena, brought down that river by the Hazelton on her return from the first voyage she had made since leaving the Stikine. The water in the river, which was not navigable a month ago, because of the annual spring freshet carrying too many logs and other debris down stream, is now safe for steamers to make the trip to Hazelton, and the little vessel of that name, as well as the Mount Royal, were preparing to sail on the day the Tees reached Port Simpson.

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As was confidently expected, the Liberal of Yale has selected Stuart Henderson, of Ashcroft, as their candidate for the forthcoming election. The convention which met at Spence's Bridge was unanimous in its choice of Mr. Henderson. He accepted the nomination, and a strong organization was effected, which combined with the personal popularity of the Liberal candidate will make his election sure.

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The candidate is well known in this city. He is a son of Wm. Henderson, of the public works department, who resides in Victoria. He is an able platform speaker, and has always taken a very deep interest in public affairs. In the House he will prove an able legislator.

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John Oliver is holding meetings throughout his constituency, and visitors from Victoria, who have been through the Delta, report that Mr. Oliver will be given an overwhelming majority over any candidate who may be placed in the field to oppose him. His popularity extends beyond the Liberal ranks, and leading Conservatives will support his election. Residents of the riding consider that in view of the record of Mr. Oliver during the past legislature, he determined stand he took against all forms of corruption, and the conspicuous part he played in protecting the interests of the province, that it would be a disgrace to the Delta to return any one else at the coming election. Delta will therefore show that they appreciate honor in public life, and will exemplify it by re-electing Mr. Oliver.

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It is therefore thought in some parts that his candidature will not be opposed. The Labor candidates in Vancouver have issued a circular letter to electorates calling upon all workmen to support them in the coming election.

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Mr. Jolley, of Trail, is spoken of as the Conservative candidate for Ymir electoral district. W. T. Shatford, of Soan City, positively declines to be a candidate for the Conservative nomination in Soan riding. The field is now clear for William Hunter, of Silverton. The Labor party men will have a candidate in the field, and will hold a convention at New Denver. The Liberals are sanguine of carrying the riding.

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Interviewed Government.

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W. H. Higgins, president of the Lumbermen's Association, who is in the city, interviewed the government on Friday on matters relating to the export of logs from the province. He reports that there is at present 50,000,000 feet of logs ready for market which cannot be disposed of. The local market is unable to handle this large amount, and, as is well known, the order-in-council prohibiting the export of logs from British Columbia makes it impossible for the loggers to send their product outside. This is the condition of affairs at the present time, and Mr. Higgins is here to endeavor to persuade the government to pass a measure of relief enabling the loggers to export the logs now on hand. With this in view he interviewed several members of the cabinet yesterday, and was told that he would receive a reply on Monday.

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In order to impress upon the government the necessity for immediate action, Mr. Higgins submitted a largely signed petition from Mainland business men. "There is general distress among the lumber men of the province," remarked Mr. Higgins, "and if some action along the lines of that of the province were adopted, it would mean ruin to the industry in many parts." The logs on hand at present, it was pointed out, will become worthless in six weeks unless subjected to the ironrocks of the teredo, and in order that the logcamps might be maintained it is necessary that money be raised to pay off the hired help. In the majority of cases this, Mr. Higgins says, will be impossible if the 50,000,000 feet now on hand cannot be sold at its market value.

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GOVERNMENT STILL INCOMPLETE.

Premier McBride, under the advice of the president of the Conservative Association of British Columbia...

Recognizing the gravity of the change that has taken place in the political life of British Columbia...

But the honor and glory the society girl of the United States failed to grasp in Europe...

The Old Woman of the Tory party is revelling in her favorite pastime of gossip and slander these days...

fluence for good—may make for industry. We are in a measure sorry that it will be necessary for a higher power to interfere with the workings of his programme...

AN OPTIMISTIC PREMIER. The Colonist has said many nasty things about and administered many a "scolding" rebuke to Premier McBride...

We know it was only a matter of time until the American woman would come into her rights. She has been winning hearts, titles, ducal castles and baronial titles in all the countries of Europe...

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Some injudicious friend handed our contemporary a "high ball" last night. It landed an inch or two above the spot where the mark is alleged to have been made upon the countenance of the Minister of the Interior by Mr. Fielding...

and extravagance by some of the more sober and reasonable of Conservative newspapers. They remember that but a few months ago the Jade was assailing with the fury of desperation all who dared to criticize a local government...

Our most esteemed contemporary has been mixing its drinks again. Its riotous imagination behead the Minister of the Interior receiving a buff on the eye from the electors of Manitoba...

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital held on Thursday the proposed alterations and additions to the hospital were exhaustively discussed...

THE TORONTO GLOBE is probably the most viciously, the most plainly and most unjustifiably assailed newspaper in Canada. We suspect the calmness or indifference of our great contemporary to the attacks of the hordes continually pelting it is rather exasperating...

The Dominion government might with advantage have come farther West than in quest of a fit and proper person to fill the vacancy on the Supreme Court bench. But it is working in the right direction.

some saving in stone-work can be made, and we see no objection thereon. We further recommend as a part of this extension, the conversion of the present four pay rooms on the medical ward into two semi-private wards of three beds each...

Before adjourning the directors decided that as soon as Mr. Rattenbury's plans are completed a special meeting will be called for their consideration.

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HOSPITAL BOARD SPECIAL MEETING. A STRATHCONA WING TO BE CONSTRUCTED. Lengthy Discussion of Proposed Alterations and Additions--Mr. Rattenbury to Prepare Plans.

THE NEW SHAMROCK RETRIEVES HER LOST PRESTIGE IN THE LAST TEST. Atlantic Highlanders, July 24.—Shamrock III. more than squared accounts with her peace-maker...

CHALLENGER WINS. The victory was fairly earned, except that the difference between the two boats was exaggerated by the disadvantages the old boat suffered...

SUPREME COURT VACANCY. It Will Be Filled By Chief Justice Kilham, of the Manitoba Bench. Ottawa, July 24.—Chief Justice Kilham, of Manitoba, will succeed the late Justice Armour on the Supreme court bench...

THE ROYAL VISITORS. King Edward Speaks of the Services Which Irish People Have Given Empire. Dublin, July 24.—It was after mid-night when yesterday's festivities closed. The King and Queen held special court at the castle last night...

PLLOTS IN BULGARIA. Berlin, July 24.—Notwithstanding the semi-official denial that Prince Ferdinand's departure from Sofia amounted to a flight, the Vossische Zeitung, which gets all authenticated private information from London...

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PERU-NA. A prominent Southern Lady's Letter. Miss Laura Hopkins, of Washington, D. C., niece of Hon. E. O. Hopkins...

PERU-NA. I can cheerfully recommend Peru-na for indigestion and stomach trouble and as a good tonic. Mrs. M. J. Danley.

PERU-NA. The Question of Doing So For Late Pope Brought Up at Imperial House. London, July 23.—The first motion in the House of Commons of the Pope's death occurred this afternoon...

PERU-NA. WON BY CANADA. James Simpson Gets Corporation of the City of London Cup at Bisley. Bisley, July 24.—The shooting of the second stage for the King's prize was concluded this afternoon...

PERU-NA. YOUNG MEN, Become Independent. Our School can give you a Veterinary Course in simple English language...

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THE GROCERS AND BUTCHERS' PICNIC

ANNUAL OUTING AT LANGFORD THURSDAY

Over One Thousand Attended—Results of the Programme of Sports.

The grocers and butchers' annual picnic was held Thursday at Langford...

The management committee is to be congratulated upon the excellent arrangements made for the pleasure of those present.

Everything possible was done for the enjoyment of the picnicers...

The baseball matches between the grocers and butchers were interesting...

The winners of the different events on the programme of sports follow:

Seventy-five yard race, for girls 12 years and under—1st prize, goods \$2.50...

Seventy-five yard race, for boys 15 years and under—1st prize, goods \$2.50...

Seventy-five yard race, for young ladies—1st prize, crockery \$2.50...

2nd prize, goods \$2.50, by Speed Bros. A. Jetch; 3rd prize, six tins pork and beans...

Quarter-mile race, for drivers of wholesale houses—1st prize, barrel of flour...

Consolation race, 100 yards—1st prize, goods \$3, by Saunders & Co. J. Bone...

Consolation race, married ladies—1st prize, goods \$2, by Renouf, Mrs. H. Caldwell...

Drivers' race, quarter-mile—1st prize, rubber pipe, by Tetley & Co. Geo. McCracken...

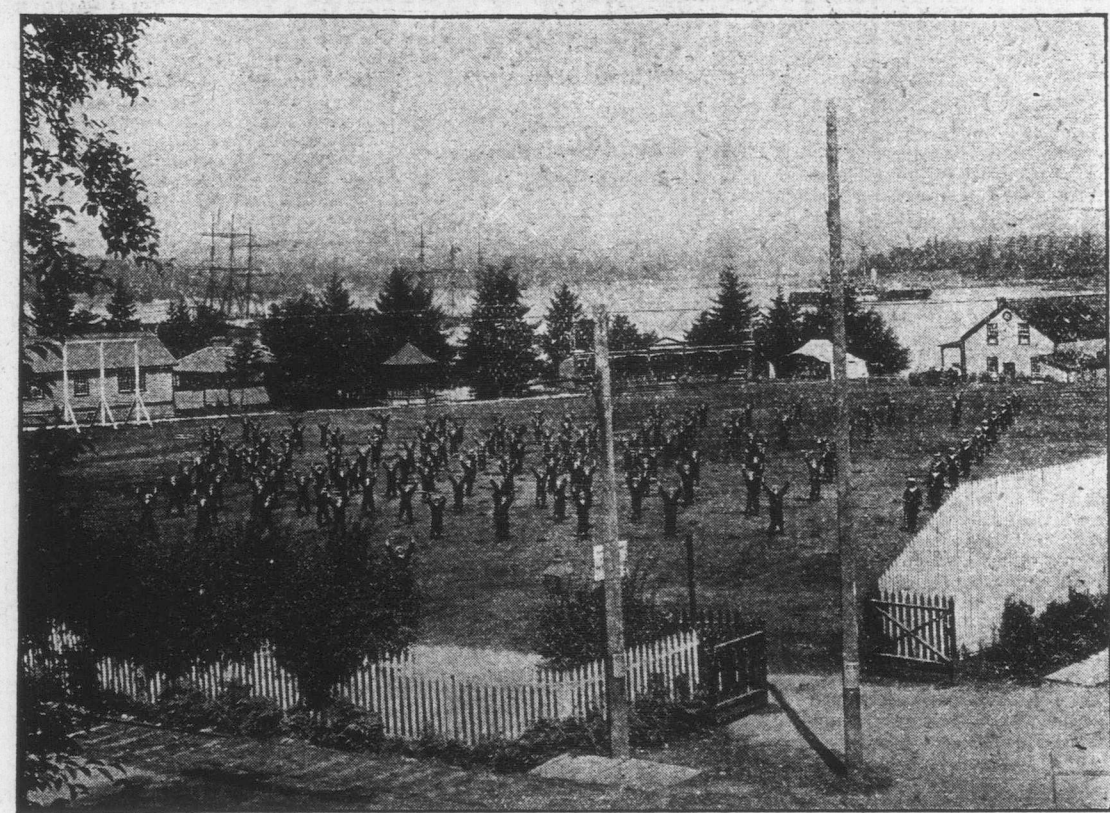
One hundred yard race, for bakers' and feed merchants employees—1st prize, goods \$2...

Obstacle race, open to all comers—1st prize, smoking set, by F. R. Stewart...

One hundred yard race, for bookkeepers, managers and bookkeepers—1st prize, goods \$2...

Seventy-five yard race, for grocers and butchers' clerks—1st prize, half case soap...

Seventy-five yard race, for wholesalers' managers of wholesale houses—1st prize, Times six months...



Bluejackets at Physical Exercise. SCENE ON THE CANTEN GROUND AT ESQUIMALT.

DONE TO DEATH AT BERKELEY, CAL.

VICTIM BELIEVED TO BE THE VICTIM

Circumstances Pointing to Solution of Mystery Regarding Identity of Body Found Last Friday.

There is every reason to believe that a Victorian has been done to death at Berkeley, California...

Steps were taken at a meeting of the Provincial Mining Association last evening towards securing a representative mining exhibit for the Victoria fair...

By resolution of the meeting, Mr. Lamb was requested to call a meeting of his committee of the Agricultural Association at the earliest convenient date...

BRITISH JOURNALISTS Will Visit Leading Cities of the Province—Victoria to be Included.

The Tourist Association, through the secretary, Herbert Outbrett, took active steps yesterday to have the British journalists pay a visit to Victoria and the province.

ONE MAN NEXE SEEN AT ABOUT 11 O'CLOCK THAT DAY AT C. E. CARMAN'S SALOON ON SAN PABLO AVENUE, NEAR THE BRENNAN BARN.

John C. Lynch, collector of internal revenue, who lives in Berkeley, was taken to the morgue by an Examiner representative to view the remains...

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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

Appointments Made by the Provincial Government—List of Companies Incorporated.

The Official Gazette issued this afternoon contains the following appointments:

John Louis Graham Abbott, barrister-at-law, to be district registrar of titles for the Vancouver land registration district...

Ernest Henry Roem, of the city of Vancouver, to be a notary public.

Leonard Tait, of this city, has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits under the Elections Act.

The following companies have been incorporated: St. Paul's Church Building Co., Ltd., capital \$50,000...

The Vancouver Photographic Society has been incorporated under the "Benevolent Societies Act."

Anderson, Ind., July 25th.—With one ounce of ninety per cent. alcohol, half ounce of an ordinary glass-dish...

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direction he came, whether from the east or the west. When I first looked at him I concluded that he must be a co-ecor for some San Francisco firm.

After a pause for a moment or two he said: "Well, can you change a five-dollar piece for me?" I said: "Of course. I've always got a lot of silver on hand."

Well, after he had fixed the thing up, I said: "Do you want to take a ride up to the avenue?" He said: "No, I've got plenty of time. I guess I'll wait."

Soon after leaving the saloon the man met Mrs. Burcher and her daughter in the front yard of their home. Of them he asked the way to the road.

That Capt. Howard was the victim of foul play there can be no room for doubt. It seems that he went from San Francisco to Sausalito either on a business or pleasure visit, probably the latter, and from there to Berkeley...

All doubt was allayed about noon today when a man had a purse with considerable money in it, for he changed a \$5 gold piece at his request...

Ericksen was making his usual rounds of the West Berkeley district with an Enterprise hotting wagon last Friday and remembers the stranger well.

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# Local News.

**CLEANLINESS OF CITY**  
**IMPROVED BY A**  
**CONDENSED FOG.**

The French cruiser Protet is not expected until about the 14th of next month. The ship will only spend a few days here, and then proceed south.

The announcement that the visiting British journalists were coming to this province is premature. Mayor Macdonald wired to Ottawa Friday, and the reply to his telegram indicated that nothing had been decided regarding this part of their tour.

The ward room officers of H. M. S. Amphion desire to announce that the entertainment they were to give on Thursday evening next has been postponed until Wednesday, the 5th of August, at the same hour and place as at present arranged.

The executive of the Liberal Association have arranged for a meeting of the party in Labour hall on Wednesday evening next commencing at 8 o'clock. A good programme has been prepared, which will include speeches by leading Liberals.

A garden fête will be held at the residence of Mrs. J. Dalby, North Chatham street, on Wednesday, July 29th, under the auspices of St. Barnabas's church Ladies Aid. There will be archery, music, tea and refreshments, also a stall of plants and fancy goods. It will commence at 3 p.m.

Thursday evening a meeting of the Vancouver Island Building Society was held. Drawings for appropriations took place, resulting in C. O. Magnuson, holding share number 230 A and B, and J. M. Reid, with share 15 A and B, being successful. Donald M. McClellan was elected a director to fill the place of G. A. Carleton, who has resigned.

Thursday afternoon the funeral of the late John H. Jones took place at 1.30 o'clock from the residence of James Pin, Glenfield avenue, Lake district, and at 2.30 at St. John's church. Services were conducted by Rev. P. Jenns. The following acted as pallbearers: H. H. Watson, R. W. Henderson, J. M. McKenna, H. Mycock, E. H. Hinks and Mr. Perkins.

On Tuesday the annual general meeting of Messrs. Henderson Bros., Ltd., which firm has a branch in this city, was held, when the old board was re-elected. H. H. Watson was added to the directorate. The following officers of the company were elected: H. H. Watson, Mr. T. M. Henderson; vice-president, Mr. H. McDowell; secretary-treasurer, Mr. W. Henderson; directors, Messrs. J. M. Henderson, J. M. Atkins and H. H. Watson.

There is every likelihood of a substantial hotel and trading store being erected at Hardy Bay in the near future. Messrs. Wm. Henderson, Capt. Meyer and Henry Saunders are interesting themselves in the formation of a syndicate for this purpose. They recognize that the development of that part of the island means a great deal for the future of Hardy Bay, one of the most enterprising proposed to be an evidence of their faith in its future.

A few days ago a respectfully dressed man under the influence of liquor had a narrow escape from drowning off Binlayson's wharf. He had been noticed sitting on the edge of the wharf resting his head on his hands, when sudden sobbing was heard. The man was rescued by one of the Customs officers, who after making some inquiries to the wharf, was working beneath on a raft, and at once went to his assistance. When rescued the man was clinging to a pile, and was at last able to get to the shore.

Col. P. Russ, of Hamburg, Pa., S. Prasser and Benjamin C. Warnick, of Philadelphia, are in Seattle on their way to the Paris Exposition, one of the most influential journals of the French capital. They represent a powerful syndicate of Eastern capitalists who have acquired large interests in that part of British Columbia, both in placer and quartz mines, and their present trip is for the purpose of examining their mines and deciding what measures to take for their development.

During the past few days a well known Parisian newspaper man has been visiting the city in the person of Andre Cherdame, travelling correspondent of the Paris L'Echo, one of the most influential journals of the French capital. He arrived on Thursday evening after an extensive tour of the United States and registered at the DeLair. Mr. Cherdame is touring the world writing at frequent intervals to his paper. His impressions of this city are contained in a letter which, it is understood, he dispatched a day or so ago. He resumes his journey to-night.

Success has crowned the efforts of the members of the Chamber of Commerce in the matter of securing an annual guarantee of \$1,250 for three years for the proposed service on the East Coast of Vancouver Island. The amount has practically all been subscribed on conditions that the service be undertaken in a satisfactory manner. It is, therefore, a matter now for the steanship company to submit their proposal in detail and to demonstrate to the merchants that they mean business. Definite results are expected to be forthcoming in the very near future.

The city council Friday held a conference with the water commissioner regarding the purchase of water pipe for next year. At the meeting last Monday night Mr. Raymond recommended that tenders be invited for five thousand feet of six-inch and ten thousand feet of four-inch pipe, the whole cost of which would be about \$8,000. He convinced the council that it would be a good plan to order in advance, so that the very best pipe could be secured, and it was decided to discuss the matter with him. Yesterday the city fathers determined to call for tenders for five thousand dollars' worth of pipe, to be delivered in about seven months. Mr. Raymond is at work on the specifications, and tenders will be called for shortly.

On Friday afternoon the funeral of the late Henry T. Ford took place from the family residence, Cedar Hill road. There was a large attendance, and many beautiful floral tributes. The following acted as pallbearers: J. Tingley, R. Chapman, E. Lane and D. P. Pickard.

Supt. Marpole, of the Western division of the C. P. R., is inviting tenders for the construction of a six-axle engine shed at North Bend. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the division engineer, Vancouver. Tenders will be received up till noon on Friday next.

Seattle parties are here for the purpose of opening the new saw mill at Sidney within the next week or ten days. It is intended to increase the capacity of the mill from about 25,000 feet a day, which is its present size, to 75,000 feet a day. The mill will be run night and day, and it is intended to market the product in the East.

Five completely destroyed the Pacific Packing & Navigation Company's salmon cannery at Kenal, on Cook Inlet, on the night of July 19th, according to advices from the north. The cannery contained about 30,000 cases of this year's salmon pack, which were totally destroyed. The loss approximates about \$100,000 and is completely covered by insurance.

J. H. Little, who has been appointed to the position of secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., arrived from the East Friday to take over the duties of the office. Tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock a meeting welcoming the new official will be held at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms. Invitations have been extended to all local clergy and five minutes' platform speeches will be delivered.

Two ladies have been canvassing the city for the past few days selling tickets for a "social" by Mr. Wm. Lee Greenwood. To be given under the auspices of the Willard Young Women's Christian Temperance Union Mission. Tickets are being sold in a manner similar to those for a recital by a gentleman from Boston, who was here two years ago, which was ostensibly for the benefit of the Orphanage, but which the promoters were obliged to abandon. Mayor McCandless's name is being used in connection with the concert without his knowledge or consent, and he wishes it understood that he is not favorably disposed towards the scheme. The Johnson street mission, it is reported, is to receive only from the proceeds of the social, which the Y. M. C. A. hall is being given free of charge.

The semi-annual general meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Building Society will be held at the society's office, 105, Tronca avenue, on Friday next at 8 p. m., to receive the secretary's half-yearly financial statement and balance sheet, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

The case against Martin and McKay, accused in Vancouver of assisting a sailor to desert from H. M. S. Grafton, was held before Judge McLaughlin at St. John's Honor, after hearing the evidence, remarked that he could not find that the charge was proven, beyond reasonable doubt, and acquitted the accused.

Members of the boating crews which did such admirable work in Saturday's regatta at Vancouver, have nothing but good words for the treatment which they received aboard the Capital. In the hands of the veteran skipper, Capt. Rufus Little, they state that that officer did everything in his power to make the voyage a pleasant and memorable one.

The intermediate match which was played on Saturday afternoon between the Hillside and Capital teams at Oak Bay was won by the former, the score being 13 to 6. J. Lorimer pitched and W. Northcott caught for the Capital, while for the winners H. McConnell twirled and H. Northcott was behind the bat.

The cable repairing steamer Iris is laying the submarine wire in Alberni canal today. A message to the Times over the Pacific cable received shortly after noon Monday, is dated: "On board H. M. S. cable ship Iris, Alberni canal. Two miles out from Bamfield, B. C., 11.30 a. m. This dispatch is sent over the C. P. R. telegraph cable which is now being laid between Bamfield and Alberni. It is expected to reach Alberni this evening."

The Invertebrate Nurseries on Park road, with store at 41 Fort street, have been taken over by Mr. P. T. James, late gardener for the Douglas estate, and are now under the capable management of a choice selection of cut flowers, plants, etc., are in stock, to which your attention and patronage is solicited. Decorative work, floral wreaths and wedding bouquets a specialty.

Mr. Justice Martin on Saturday handed down judgment in the will case of McHugh vs. Dookey. The will was admitted to probate, but the codicil was disallowed probate. This includes the three daughters, Mrs. Steinberger, Mrs. Dookey and Mrs. Wales as beneficiaries. The codicil named Wm. McHugh as the sole beneficiary. Instances of this interesting case have already been published in the Times.

Camper on Spanish Inlet were Sunday tired to a somewhat unusual extent. A school of about six whales found their way to the head of the Inlet, and judging from their antics, they spent a most enjoyable day in those parts. The whales' behavior was in a remarkably sportive mood, for at times they threw their entire bodies out of the water. This, however, interfered considerably with other sport, for fishermen were unable to have little luck from the time they made their appearance.

On Saturday a meeting of the mineral committee of the B. C. Agriculture

Association was held at the offices of Swinerton & Oddy. H. Mortimer Lamb was present and in a few words announced that the Mining Association was prepared to take over the preparation and management of an exhibit at the forthcoming fair. Messrs. Lamb and Swinerton were appointed a committee to confer with the association. Another committee of one was appointed to meet the local Mining Association and ascertain how much space will be needed for the proposed exhibit.

One of the Chinese aboard the Indramania when she was at the outer wharf last week has not been allowed to land at Portland. He speaks English fluently, and claims to have lived in Seattle until a few months ago, when he paid a visit to his relatives in the Flowery Kingdom. His case is being investigated, but in the meanwhile he has to stay aboard the ship.

About noon on Saturday the breaking of a weak yoke started a team driven by Lee Gung on Johnson street, and they dashed down the thoroughfare at a great pace. There were a couple of obstacles to be overcome in the shape of a horse-drawn wagon, a heavy wagon, but these didn't bother the runaways, who smashed into them, damaging each to some extent. The equines got loose from the wagon, but were caught before they had gone far. The way in which they went into the brewery conveyance would indicate that their temperance peculiarities were somewhat pronounced.

The Dominion Bridge Co., of Montreal, has commenced the work of laying the steel girders upon piers No. 10 and 11 of the new Fraser river bridge. The masonry contractor is now engaged upon pier No. 4, working 70 feet below the level of the water. Piers from 5 to 11, the latter on the south side of the river, are completed, but two of the smaller ones in the path of the north shore currents have yet to be commenced. Nevertheless, it will be impossible for the steel workers to overtake the masons. From all appearances the big Fraser bridge will be ready for opening even before the calculated time.

The annual hunters' picnic was held Sunday at Langford Plains. A large attendance of about one hundred. Sports of different kinds had been prepared for the occasion, and the day passed away pleasantly. In the morning there was a baseball game, in the afternoon a croquet match. The games were held on a beautiful lawn. The latter was victorious, the score being 19 to 10. A programme of races was held under the management of G. Keithley, and were carried through most successfully. Several shooting contests took place during the day. Messrs. Weiler, Sewell, Fletcher and Mansell made excellent scores. The picnicers returned early in the evening.

The men's meeting on Sunday in Y. M. C. A. hall took the form of a welcome to the new general secretary, Mr. Jack T. Little. The Ministerial Association was represented on the platform by Messrs. J. W. Allen, Clay, G. W. Blunt, McEwen and Vicher. The latter occupied the chair. After the opening exercises, including music, Scripture reading and prayer, by Rev. Mr. Blyth, each of the ministers gave an address of welcome on behalf of their respective churches. Each in turn expressed his appreciation and interest in the association movement, and heartily guaranteed to support the secretary in the work. Mr. Little spoke most enthusiastically with regard to the work now being done universally, thanking all present for their kindly promises and interest, and adding that the success of the work would depend in his ability to use willing helpers.

## VICTORIA'S EXHIBITION.

Meetings of Printing and Advertising and Live Stock Committees Yesterday.

Last evening, at the secretary's office, 102 Government street, a meeting of the printing and advertising committee of the Agricultural Association was held, there being present His Worship the Mayor, Ald. Yates, J. Morris and Dr. Tolmie.

Numerous suggestions were made for the thorough advertising of the forthcoming exhibition. The question of the printing of post cards for outside points was discussed. In this connection it was announced that several offers to distribute advertising matter had been received from people living at neighboring points. Among these were the Mayor of Cumberland, President Rev. G. W. Taylor and the secretary of the Farmers' Institute at Wellington.

Other business was transacted before the meeting adjourned. Members of this committee are confident that there will be many visitors arriving at the time of the exhibition. The attractions offered by the management will be well advertised, and arrangements will be made for excursions from all neighboring points. Yesterday afternoon a meeting of the live stock committee was held, when the chairman, Ald. Yates, and Wm. Christian, G. Banister and G. Dean were present. The matter of appointing judges was discussed at length. Mr. Dean was finally selected as judge in granting the prizes offered for the cow giving the most milk and for the sow giving the greatest proportion of water fat. Sub-committee were appointed as follows: Horses—James Bryce, city; Walter Thompson, Hagan P. O.; Sheep—Thomas W. Patterson, Ladners; Andrew Munro, Sidney; Cattle—J. Richardson, Preston Island; H. Kimp, Chilliwack; Poultry—Messrs. Sturton Bros., Clover Hill; Agricultural Implements—Chilliwack; Swine—H. Sturley, Galiano Island; M. Blackstock, city; Mrs. Bradley-Dyna, Saturna Island; H. O. Allen, Salt Spring Island.

The secretary was instructed to write each of the gentlemen mentioned and ascertain if they will act. The meeting then adjourned. PILL-OSOPHY.—There are pills and pills—but Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a vital need in demand. The sale borders on the phenomenal. Sluggish liver, constipation, or irregular bowels are all given up by the use of these pills. These little wonders remove the cause. In a vital for 10 cents. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.—45.

## FIRST OF SALMON COMING UP STRAITS

### Indian Canoes Bringing in Large Numbers of Sockeyes—Predictions of Good Season.

Canoeers of the Mainland and trapped on the Sound who for weeks have been waiting for the advent of the sockeye salmon, will be interested in learning that the first of the run made its appearance in the Straits yesterday.

One Indian, who had been out, brought in 400 salmon, and others 100 to 200 worth, the fish being disposed of at the wharf for 25 cents apiece. Altogether there were about ten canoes which brought fish in during the afternoon.

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Concerning the northern pack, definite reports have come to hand. J. D. MacDonald, who has just arrived from the north, says that the season on the Skeena has been poor, but on Rivers Inlet the boats have been taking as many as 400 fish each per night. These were sold to Wadaway's cannery. So far the total pack on Rivers Inlet has reached 9,000 cases. Bella Coola, too, is experiencing a prosperous summer.

Newspapers on the other side of the line say that the season in the Skeena, the British Columbia canners are paying 15 cents a fish instead of 12½ cents. A Vancouver paper says there is more "hot air" than anything else in this talk. One paper in the salmon district remarks that on both sides of the line 15 cents a fish is now generally paid. It adds: "If the present low prices of the canned product keep up there certainly would be no occasion for raising the price." It also says that the present indications that the price of the canned salmon will occur in the near future.

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## CAPT. HOWARD STAYED AT THE RUSS HOUSE

### Left Baggage There When He Crossed to Sausalito—Story of His Movements.

It has been discovered that Captain Howard was a guest at the Russ house from May 23rd to July 13th, when he suddenly dropped from sight, leaving behind him a large amount of baggage. He was seen in San Francisco Bay. No importance was attached to his disappearance since he had often said that he had to look after some Berkeley property in the interest of a friend in Canada, and it was thought that he was staying with friends across the bay.

When shown the intelligence from Victoria last night Head Clerk Powell of the Russ house positively confirmed the identification. He confessed that he had failed to associate Captain Howard with the stories that had appeared in the local papers about the unidentified dead man in West Berkeley.

Charles Newman, the proprietor, tells a story of the mysterious murder in West Berkeley on the part of some unknown party in this city which may throw some light on the mysterious end of the man. He said last night: "I had a party of about 20 people who were playing a game of billiards and all were liked him. He was always very dignified, courteous and polite. He stated he had a great deal of money and was very successful in business. He was seen in Berkeley and he went there every day to see them. He would often say to me 'These scoundrels over there in the Mills building are trying to do me up, but they won't do it. I have a fair proposition in hand and they know it, and they are trying to get the best of me, but I know my rights and I am going to have them.' J. B. Treanor, an insurance adjuster, having an office at 301 Montgomery street, was a chance acquaintance of the dead man. He returned to the city last night after an absence since July 11th, and when asked by the proprietor the whereabouts of the body he was seen in Berkeley, the identification from Vancouver confirmed the report that the body in the Berkeley morgue is that of Captain Howard.

According to Treanor's story, Captain Howard was in the city trying to dispose of some mining claims in the Klondike. He seemed short of money, and just before leaving for his trip on the 11th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 12th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 13th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 14th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 15th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 16th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 17th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 18th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 19th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 20th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 21st Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 22nd Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 23rd Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 24th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 25th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 26th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 27th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 28th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 29th Treanor advanced him \$250. On the 30th Treanor advanced him \$250. 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Along his own account, and with passengers, read the and enjoyed every liberty steamer. The arrivals by the Princess Prof. David Starr Jordan, who on the United States Fishery Abroad. He boarded the Skagway and departed at Among other arrivals were Mrs. S. Leiser, who of the Princess May state that has been pretty much deserted. Master in the place and all who gone to the gold fields in the district. Considerable gold is sent south by the steamer.

LUMBER DEAL. Chairman, J. J. Hill and Others. Production. The production of lumber, July 25.—A colossal is of the greatest importance coast in general and of the in particular, is announced to a gigantic deal has been by Frederick Weyerhaeuser, Hinman, T. B. Walker and Brett, who have joined forces. J. Hill, president of the them, and through this complex persons will practically centre production of coast lumber. Their agent, took the figures for all timber now on the Pacific Slope and bought cents until now these five men associates hold the vast lumber market in their hands. This was the means of getting and Hill together on the deal. The farman's lands go into the with the provision to protect any's creditors which are Southern Pacific creditors.

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### COMOX CONVENTION ON AUGUST SEVENTH

#### John Oliver Scores Premier McBride for Inaction in Columbia & West-ern Matter.

Chilliwack—Chas. W. Munro (Liberal), Grand Forks—John Riordan (Socialist), Islands—T. W. Paterson (Liberal), Nelson—S. S. Taylor (Liberal), Okauchan—T. W. Sterling (Liberal), Skookumchuk—W. J. Snodgrass, Liberal, Skookumchuk—E. Herman, Liberal; C. W. D. Clifford, Conservative, Greenwood—J. R. Brown, Liberal, Kaslo—J. Retalick, Liberal, Fernie—J. McPherson, Socialist, Vancouver—F. Williams, Labor; A. G. Perry, Labor; J. Edwards, Labor, Yale—Stuart Henderson, Liberal.

The above have been duly selected as candidates for the forthcoming elections. The Times special correspondent at Cumberland sends the following respecting the political situation at the north end of Vancouver Island: "Liberalism in this district is flourishing. The Comox and Cumberland Associations have jointly adopted a local platform, which the candidate will be pleased to support. The candidate will be pleased to leave his resignation in the hands of a committee to be handed in if he breaks his pledges.

A convention will be held in Cumberland, August 7th, to nominate a candidate. Cumberland will elect twelve delegates, Comox twelve, and twelve will come from the northern part of the district. The names of Jas. Smith, Dr. Millard and F. McB. Young have been suggested as likely men. Mr. Smith is undoubtedly the favorite just now. He is an engineer belonging to the Miners' Union.

"There is talk of a Socialist candidate, and it is expected they will eventually support the Liberals." Robert Grant, a partner of L. Monce, a late member, is likely to run in the Conservative interest, though Mr. Manzer, of Union Bay, may be the man. Some people think an old politician will be brought in from outside. Local placards are being put up. Mr. J. C. Brown, vice-president of the Cumberland Liberal Association for the north Mainland, organized at Mission last Saturday evening a Liberal Association which is to be known as the Cumberland Liberal Association, says the Westminster Liberal. Some fifty members of Dewdney constituency were met. The new association has the following strong executive: George Macdonald, president; J. O. Manzer, F. A. Skinner, and A. E. Skinner, vice-presidents; J. I. Murray, secretary-treasurer; J. Barr, Wm. Elliott, Henry Jude and W. Hughes.

At the meeting opened, Mr. J. O. Manzer, chairman, introduced Mr. John Oliver, of Delta, who was received with applause, and proceeded to deliver an address dealing with recent political history. Mr. Oliver had a map, by the aid of which his audience was enabled to get a thorough grasp of the subject. To say that Mr. Oliver was listened to with close attention, is to put the case mildly. Seldom has a more effective address been delivered in the province. He traced the history of the railway grant transactions which culminated in the now famous order-in-council which was hatched by Messrs. McBride, Eberts and Turner, and after demonstrating from the map and the records how completely these gentlemen had turned themselves into a machine for registering the will of the C. P. R., he went on to score Mr. McBride for his treachery and bad faith, reading extracts from that gentleman's evidence which proved that he had known all about the matter, and indeed acknowledged his responsibility equally with the others who joined in the action, and yet had silently allowed him (Oliver) to use this very matter in the North Victoria and West Yale elections in order to advance the cause of that party of which he (McBride) was the leader. Mr. Oliver's picture of Mr. McBride, who could have exposed the true invidiousness of the whole business with a few words, sitting tight and saying nothing during one whole session of the legislature and two bye-elections, while his Liberal allies were hammering away in their endeavor to drag the truth to light was very effective, and when he finished with the statement that Messrs. Eberts and Wells were discredited, Mr. Turner out of the country, and the remaining member of the quartette had calmly stepped into the position of Premier which was open to him because the wrong-doing in which he had shared had been exposed, the applause that broke out showed how heavily the point had told.

At the conclusion of Mr. Oliver's address, Mr. Brown was called on, but contented himself with a few remarks on the facts brought out by the previous speaker. He had been for a short time a member of the government, just after the consummation of the deal described, but had, of course, known nothing about it. It had, he understood, come formally before the executive in reference to a question as to the form of crown grant, while he was still a minister, but at the time he was away attending to the bye-election, and as a matter of fact had never heard even a whisper of the matter until Mr. Oliver brought it out in the legislature. He then proceeded with the business of organizing the Liberal Association, as above.

Late as the hour was, the audience asked that Aid. Forrester, of New Westminster, who was present, should give an address and Mr. Forrester took the floor for a few minutes. He made some happy hits at Conservative arguments, which were greeted with applause and laughter, and dealt with force and earnestness upon a point suggested in

Mr. Oliver's speech—the danger of electing men whose record showed that they were blind or callous to the moral responsibility of their position. It was nearly midnight when the meeting broke up, after passing a hearty vote of thanks to the visitors who had addressed them.

It is expected that Mr. J. L. Atkinson, of Sumas, will be the Conservative standard bearer for the riding of Chilliwack. He stands a very poor show of election against the popular Liberal candidate, Mr. Munro. About 500 voters have registered in Chilliwack so far, but, like other sections of the province, many appear very indifferent about registering. Premier McBride intends leaving at the last of the week for Atlin, Skeena and other northern constituencies.

CONFIDENT OP VICTORY. The utmost confidence prevails among Liberal workers as to the results of the coming elections. Those who have taken any part in the contest and who have thus mixed with the electorate to any marked extent, are assured of a signal victory this fall. The work of organizing is proceeding very effectively, and preparations are being completed in the constituencies for a good fight. On the Mainland this work is progressing well. Members of the executive who are closely in touch with the work of organization throughout the province, have no hesitation in saying that the Liberals will have the majority of representation when the ballots have all been counted. Nothing is being left undone on Vancouver Island, and Wm. Sloan, of Nanaimo, who as organizer has visited every constituency, said in an interview in Vancouver the other day: "I have every reason to believe that the Liberals will carry every seat on Vancouver Island in the forthcoming election, and I am positive that they will carry eleven out of the twelve in any event."

The provincial executive of the Liberal-Conservative Association has fixed on Saturday, August 15th, as the date for the holding of nominating conventions of the Conservative party in all ridings throughout the province except Cassiar and the cities of Victoria and Vancouver. The list of ridings and the places where the conventions are to be held follows: Fernie, at Fernie, Cranbrook, at Cranbrook, Kaslo, at Kaslo, Slocan, at New Denver, Greenwood, at Greenwood, Grand Forks, at Grand Forks, Okauchan, at Vernon, Kamloops, at Kamloops, Yale, at Ashcroft, Revelstoke, at Revelstoke, Columbia, at Golden, Ymir, at Ymir or Nelson, Cowichan, at Duncans, Newcasttle, at Ladysmith, Comox, at Cumberland, Dewdney, at Mission.

Those "Siren" Voices. A Colonist Reporter Must Have Heard Something of the Sort on Saturday. Somebody on the Colonist must have had a sad "off" day on Saturday. That paper Sunday morning credited the Times with the statement "that the public is being humbugged by some young ladies who were selling tickets for a coming entertainment," and who were frightened away by Detective Perdue. The Times said nothing of the sort. In the article referred to nothing was mentioned about "a coming entertainment," but it was distinctly stated that the two ladies had canvassed the city, particularly Chinatown, for donations to a founding institution the location of which they were not anxious to give until

Chilliwack, at Chilliwack. Esquimalt, at Esquimalt. Local Conservatives, says the Nelson News, are considering a proposition from party friends in Ymir to accept Harry Wright, mining recorder at Nelson, as the Conservative candidate for the Ymir district. It is suggested by taking an outsider any differences between Ymir and Trail will be smoothed over and that failing John Houston, Harry Wright is the strongest candidate that could be selected to oppose the Liberal nominee. Wright, it is understood, has consented to resign his office in Nelson and contest the constituency, providing the Conservative organizations in the district give him a satisfactory guarantee that he will not be called upon to expend a five cent piece in the campaign. Wright's stronghold is in Ymir, where the Conservatives prefer him to Houston. In Trail, on the other hand, the Conservatives want Houston, and say that they will only accept Wright as a last resort. The chief men in the party here want to bring about a deal with regard to the Nelson nomination that will leave Houston free to contest Ymir district. Their proposition is that Mayor Rose be run in Nelson as a compromise candidate. They believe he would have a better chance of winning than Houston would have because of the split in the party, and they argue that the solid vote could be whipped into line for Houston at Trail, that the outlying districts know him well, and would probably give him a majority vote, which would more than offset the Liberal candidate's majority in Ymir. The C. P. R. representatives here claim to be able to swing the town vote practically to a man, and in view of the friendly attitude taken by Houston towards the company during the trackmen's strike they are more inclined to support him than Harry Wright. However, it is pretty well agreed that if Houston cannot be secured Harry Wright will be the Conservative nominee, though the district being so large and scattered that it will cost any candidate a good round sum to thoroughly canvass it.

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pressed by the detective, when they admitted it was in Seattle. The Colonist reporter in his ridiculous haste to correct the Times has mixed his "news." He has confused the account of the operations of these two ladies, which occurred some time ago, with the paragraph referring to the present canvass for a "recital" to be given by on Wm. Lee Greenleaf. Somebody on the morning daily must have been overcome by heat—or something else.

BABY'S VITALITY. The vitality of infants and young children is at its lowest point during the hot weather. More children die in summer than at any other season. This is because the little ones suffer more from bowel troubles, are nervous, weak, sleepless and irritable. Prompt action often saves a valuable little life, and troubles of this kind can be promptly met and cured by giving the little ones Baby's Own Tablets, which should be kept in every home ready for emergencies. These Tablets speedily relieve, and promptly cure all stomach, bowel and other hot weather ailments, and give sound refreshing sleep. Mrs. P. Ferguson, 145 Mansfield street, Montreal, says: "My baby was attacked with dysentery and was hot and feverish. I gave him Baby's Own Tablets and they promptly cured him. Before this he had been rather delicate, but since using the Tablets he has been better and stronger in every way." These Tablets can be given with an absolute certainty that they will do good to all children from a new born upwards. They contain no opiate or poisonous "soothing" stuff. Sold by medicine dealers or mailed at 25 cents a box by writing direct to Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

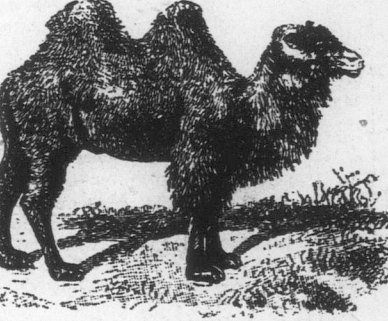
GOES TO SEATTLE. That Is Where the Bulk of Yukon Treasury Finds Its Way. Saturday's Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "The gold receipts for the United States assay office for the first five years following the establishment of the institution on July 15th, 1898, amounted to \$73,364,790.18, or materially in excess of \$14,000,000 a year. Frederick A. Wing, assayer in charge of the local office, yesterday compiled a statement of the receipts of the office for the five years ending July 15th, 1903, as follows: Nome, Alaska, \$1,285,971.08; Yukon Territory, 2,654,937.79; Total for Alaska, \$3,940,908.87; British Columbia and Canada, 3,428,780.47; British Yukon and Territory, 54,842,144.37; Washington, Oregon, Idaho, 1,153,856.47; and Montana, 1,153,856.47. Total, \$73,364,790.18. For this period there were 25,000 deposits, or an average of 5,000 a year. The aggregate of gold weighed about 150 tons. The figures do not represent the total

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No statement of the assets and liabilities of Haylor & Co., New York, has been made, but from the president of a leading National bank, it is learned that the liabilities may be well on to \$1,000,000. Estimates of Stow & Co.'s liabilities run from \$1,250,000 to \$2,500,000.

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**SPECIAL PRIZE LIST COMPLETED**

SOME ATTRACTIONS OF FORTHCOMING SHOW

Executive of B. C. Agricultural Association Preparing for the Annual Fall Exhibition.

The executive committee of the B. C. Agricultural Society has been busy for some weeks preparing the special prize list for the forthcoming exhibition. Friday morning the work was completed. The list follows:

- Horses.**
  - For the best span of driving horses in harness, goods to the value of \$10, by the B. C. Saddlery Co., Victoria.
  - For the best sucking Colt by Carvel, \$10, by the Victoria Truck & Dray Co., Victoria.
  - For the best yearling Colt by Carvel, \$10, by the Victoria Truck & Dray Co., Victoria.
  - For the best sucking Colt by Newman, \$10, by the Victoria Truck & Dray Co., Victoria.
  - For the best yearling Colt by Newman, \$10, by the Victoria Truck & Dray Co., Victoria.
  - For the best roadster, \$5, by John Le Poer Trench, Esq., Saanich.
  - For the best draft horse on the ground, any age or sex, silver cup, by H. Dallas Hedemeken, Esq., K. C., Victoria.
  - For the best general purpose horse, two carriage lamps, value \$12, by Messrs. Norris & Sons, Victoria.
  - For the best turnout (double or single), including everything complete, \$10, by the Victoria Transfer Co., Victoria.
  - For the best gentleman's saddle horse, winner of section 24, silver spirit flask, by Messrs. M. & H. A. Fox, Victoria.
  - For the best team of hack horses, horses for hire to be owned and driven in hack two months previous to exhibition, silver medal, by Robt. Hamilton, M. R. C. V. S., Victoria.
  - For winner of most first prizes at horse show held at Victoria exhibition, to be won two years in succession by same owner of horses, the Corby challenge cup, value \$150, by H. Corby, eye whiskey distiller, Belleville, Ont. (Messrs. Turner, Beaton & Co., Ltd., agents). Won 1902 by Jas. Bryce.
  - Cattle.**
    - For the cow giving most milk (winner of section 170), goods to the value of \$15, by Messrs. Challoner & Mitchell, Victoria, and ladies' umbrella, by Messrs. A. Campbell & Co., Victoria.
    - For the cow giving most butter fat as shown by Babcock's test during 24 hours of the exhibition, see section 171 (S. P. 68), first prize \$15 (S. P. 70), second prize \$10, presented by the Dairyman's and Live Stock Association of British Columbia, L. W. Paisley, Chilliwick, secretary.
    - For the best collection of cut rose blooms, properly named, 12 two-year-old rose bushes, by R. Layton, Victoria.
    - For the best collection of plants in pots (amateurs only), vases or other pottery work, value \$7, by the B. C. Pottery Co., Victoria.
    - For the best dozen cactus dahlia blooms from plants procured from the donor, 1 dozen cactus dahlia plants, by G. E. Wilkerson, Victoria.
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        - For the best collection of amateur photographs (winner of section 638), jewelry or silverware to the value of \$10, by Dr. Lewis Hill, Victoria.
        - For the best mathematical drawing by boy or girl, under 14 years, set of mathematical instruments value \$4, by Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co., Victoria.
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          - For the best exhibit of preserved fruit (amateurs only), first prize, 4 sacks XXX Embeddy flour, second prize, 3 sacks XXX Embeddy flour, third prize, 1 sack XXX Embeddy flour, by Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co., Victoria.
          - For the best loaf of home made bread made from Ogilvie's flour by any lady (non-professional), first prize \$25; second prize \$15; third prize \$10; by the Ogilvie Flour Mills Co.
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**WINNERS BRITISH COLUMBIA JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP, 1902.**



Central Lacrosse Team, Victoria.

Central lacrosse team, Victoria. Standing from left to right—H. Sargison, C. Wilson, L. Sweeney, V. Weston, A. Laurence, H. Calhoun, H. Ogden, Morris Farr. Seated from left to right—A. Clegg, A. R. Sargeon, Bert. Matthews, F. Knox, Tom Douglas.

W. Mulholland, Photo.

by one individual in the province, three exhibits or no prize, not less than a half bushel in any one variety, by Messrs K. Baker & Son, Victoria.

For the best 90 lb. sample of white milling oats, \$10, by the Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Ltd., Victoria.

**Horticultural Department.**

For the best collection of apples by individual growers grown west of North Bend (winner of section 320W), the daily Colonist for 1 year, by the Colonist Printing & Publishing Co.

For the best collection of apples by individual growers east of North Bend (winner of section 320E), the Times twice a week for 1 year, by the Victoria Times Printing & Publishing Co.

For the best 5 plates of apples grown from trees obtained from Laritz's nursery, 12 two-year-old fruit trees (winner's selection), by R. Laritz, Victoria.

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Moet & Chandon, champagne growers, Esparney, France, (Turner, Beaton & Co., Ltd., agents for B. C.) Won for the first time in 1902 by Mr. Lowe Botzger.

For tug-of-war, open to army and navy auxiliary forces and representative teams from any town or district in British Columbia, to be won twice in succession by teams representing body or place (entries on the ground), the Playboys challenge cup, value \$100, by Messrs. John Payer & Son, navy cut leathers manufacturers, Nottingham, England (Turner, Beaton & Co., Ltd., agents). Won for the first time in 1902 by the Royal Garrison Artillery.

For trap shooting, to be shot for under the management of the Victoria Gun Club, in the province of British Columbia or states of Washington or Oregon; entries can be made on the ground; to be won three times before it can be held: Four Crown challenge cup, value \$200, by Robt. Brown, Ltd., Scotch whiskey distillers, Glasgow, Scotland, (Turner, Beaton & Co., Ltd., agents). Won for the first time in 1902 by O. Weller.

For sexing contest, to be held at Victoria annual exhibition under the management and auspices of the Victoria Achilidae Association; to be won twice in succession; entries can be made on the ground; the A. B. C. challenge cup, value \$125, by the American Brewing Co., St. Louis, Mo. (Turner, Beaton & Co., Ltd., agents). Won for the first time in 1902 by A. Jedd.

For the best all-round specimen of a boy from 3 to 7 years of age; the secretary and co-secretary of the association to be the judges; child's suit; by the S. Reid Co., Ltd., Victoria.

For the best prettiest girl baby under 1 year; to be judged by the members of the executive committee; judges' children not eligible; solid silver spoon; by Beaumont Boggs, Victoria.

**ALLOWED TO REGISTER OUTSIDE PROVINCE**

Affirmative Answers to the Questions Were Given by Full Court on Friday.

In the Full court this morning a stated case was argued regarding the exception by the collector of votes to declarations by those claiming the right to register outside the province. In view of the previous proceedings in the Darle case, it was thought desirable, under section 98 of the Provincial Elections Act, to refer the following questions to the Full court:

1. Under the Provincial Elections Act and Amendment Acts of the province of British Columbia, can an application to be placed on the register of voters for an electoral district in the province be sworn or affirmed outside the province in the affidavit, form A. "Provincial Elections Act Amendment Act, 1902," be varied to conform to that fact?
2. If the answer is in the affirmative, what official may administer the oath or affirmation?
3. If the Provincial Elections Act provides no machinery for dealing with applications by persons temporarily outside the province, has the Lieutenant-Governor in council power, under the Provincial Elections Act and Amendment Acts, and section 11 of chapter 58 of the statutes of 1902, being the "Redistribution Act, 1902," to make regulations on this subject whereby, by any affidavits or affirmations made without the province may be received by the collectors of votes, and the applicants' names be placed upon the register of voters?

There were present on the bench the Chief Justice, and Justices Walker, Drake and Irving. Messrs. H. D. Helms and L. P. Duff, K.C.'s, who appeared on behalf of parties interested, contended that there was no express provision in the act preventing the acceptance of affidavits such as those tendered by Mr. Earle, who being a member of parliament was absent during the session of the Federal House. They argued that the intention of the franchise Act was to enable the voters to be made, and that anyone otherwise entitled to vote who could show substantial compliance with the form of the act could have his name placed on the register. A similar difficulty arose ample provision was made in section 210A of the Election Act, and section 11 of chapter 58 of 1902, and that the widest possible construction should be placed upon these acts relating to the franchise.

Mr. Belyea, K. C., representing the objector-general, submitted that the object of the act was to confine the franchise to those within the province, and no express provision had been made in the act authorizing any functionary outside the province to administer the oath, the evident intention being to restrict such administration of oaths to provincial officials. As the conclusion of the argument was the learned judges, in view of the urgency of the matter, delivered judgment at once. They gave an affirmative answer to each of the questions. The reasons for them will appear in the Gazette.

**SOUFRIERE ACTIVE.**

Indications That the Volcano May Again Break Out in eruption.

Kingston, Isle of St. Vincent, July 22.—The Soufriere volcano has been slightly agitated since July 19th, emitting puffs intermittently, which caused clouds and low rumbings. A severe earthquake shock was felt at 1.40 a. m. on Tuesday, accompanied by a subterranean sound of choking, which shook the buildings here and threw the people in a state of consternation, fearing that a destructive phenomenon would follow. The earthquake similar to July 17th, 1902, which preceded the eruption of September, 1902.

**HIS TROUBLES NEVER CAME BACK**

ERNEST GRANT TOOK DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS—THEY REMOVED THE CAUSE.

He Had Backache and Urinary Troubles For Twelve Years Before He Used the Great Kidney Remedy.

Montreal, July 24.—(Special.)—Ernest Grant, 287 1/2 Urban street, this city, is among those who never let an opportunity pass to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills. He has his reasons for this, and here they are in his own words.

"I had been troubled with Backache and Kidney Disease for twelve years," says Mr. Grant. "My urine was very dark and high colored. I would lose my rest at night on account of having to rise so often to urinate. I could get nothing to help me.

"I tried several remedies, but all failed until I used Dodd's Kidney Pills. When I had taken four boxes I was able to go to bed and take my rest, my Backache left me and I was cured. It has never come back."

When Dodd's Kidney Pills cure, the disease never comes back. They remove the cause.

The Teamsters' Union at Chicago abandoned its sympathetic strike against the Kellogg Switchboard & Supply Company last night.

TO THE U. S. A.

"We know better than our English cousins how to keep people in their proper places."—Towns Topics, New York.

We quite agree that you're, of course, The "cuter" of two kindred races; You know your people and perfors, You keep them in their proper places. But when around our town we gaze, And note what's done and what is done, We find your scheme this fact betrays— You think their proper place is London.

**J. C. CASKEY SPENT SHORT PERIOD HERE**

Much to Regret of Some of Local Firms—Unpaid Bills Awaiting Settlement.

A few days ago the Seattle papers published accounts of the operations of one J. C. Caskey, whom they charged with swindling business men of that city to the tune of \$25,000. He claimed to be a lumberman according to the Seattle Times, and on the strength of large backing which he had, organized what is known as the North Avon Mill Company of North Avon, Whatcom county. He secured all the credit he wanted from the mill machinery men of the Sound city, soaking them to the extent of about a thousand dollars each. The Seattle paper also stated that Caskey had operated along similar lines in Victoria.

The statement that he worked his little game in this city is quite correct. Several firms sadly regret the day they ever saw him, some of the biggest establishments in town having given him credit on the strength of his associations. The latter were all right, but Caskey did them up as well. When he first came here some months ago he leased the Lehigh saw mill, which, as will be remembered, was partially destroyed a couple of years back. He worked it for a while, and then leased the Sidney mill from the Toronto & B. C. Milling Company.

At his back was Mr. Moore, the proprietor of the Washington hotel, of Seattle, and others, who placed \$2,500 to the credit of Caskey in one of the local banks to start the business. The latter brought over a number of Seattle men to work, engaging some Victorians as well. He also visited the concerns above referred to and secured stock, which has not yet been paid for. The mill was worked smoothly for a while, Caskey taking up his quarters at the Dominion, where he seemed averse to registering. Some weeks ago he left the place (and likewise a quantity of unpaid bills), and it is also charged that some of the employees would like to meet him. It is further said that he withdrew the money deposited in the bank for the purpose of operating the establishment, and instead of settling the indebtedness incurred left it for himself.

**OLD RIVALS WILL RACE**

Shamrock I. and Columbia Will Test Their Respective Merits After Cup Contest.

New York, July 25.—Shamrock I., the defeated cup challenger of four years ago, will have a duel with Columbia over the America's cup course, or at Newport, probably after the cup races are decided. E. D. Morgan, at Newport, has declared his willingness to race Columbia, her former adversary, under any conditions, and at any time suitable to Sir Thomas Lipton. Sir Thomas has accepted the offer, and a race is certain.

**BIG MINING DEAL.**

Vancouver, July 25.—A thirty-five per cent. interest of Frank M. Leonard in the Empire group, near Britannia, sold today to Geo. H. Robinson, representing Heinz, for twenty thousand dollars.

**Indigestion's Slave.**

IS SALLOW, LANGUID, THIN AND DOWN HEARTED.

Troubled With Wind, Biliouness, Headaches and Sharp Internal Pains.

No one deserves more sympathy than the sufferer from indigestion. A light meal lies like lead upon his chest—a good meal gives him hours of agony. The dyspeptic's slavery can't end until he builds up his system with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They strengthen the stomach, stimulate the liver and sharpen the appetite. There never was a case of indigestion that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills could not cure if given a fair trial. Proof of this is given by Mr. Gustave Emond, of St. Jerome, Que., who says: "I suffered from dyspepsia for five years. The agony I endured at times can only be understood by those who are similarly afflicted. I tried a number of home remedies and advertised medicines but they did not help me. Then I decided to see the family doctor, and I took for a long time the medicine he gave me, but the results were no better; in fact I was getting worse. Some days I could not eat at all, and when I did eat the meal was followed by violent pains and cramps in my stomach that made life almost unendurable. Then I stopped the doctor and again began trying other medicines, but the result was always the same—no cure, and scarcely even temporary relief. And so the trouble went on for years, until last winter I met a friend from St. Scholastique who asked me, if I had ever tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I had not, but after some persuasion consented to do so. This was the beginning of the end of my trouble. Before the first box of pills were finished the pains after eating were less severe. I continued the Pills for a couple of months and at the end of that time I was wholly cured. I can eat as hearty a meal now as anyone, and never have the slightest return of the pains and cramps that so long had made life miserable. I have proved that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure this trouble when all other medicines fail, and I would strongly urge other dyspeptics to give them a fair trial."

These pills will cure all troubles due to poor blood, or weakened nerves, such as neuralgia, rheumatism, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, heart weakness, and the ailments that burden the lives of so many women. If you do not find these pills at your dealer's send direct to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., and the pills will be sent post paid at \$6c per box or six boxes for \$2.50. Do not let any dealer persuade you to take something else.

**The Paterson Shoe Co. Ltd.**  
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**Boots and Shoes, Rubber Boots, Etc.**

We are the largest exclusive dealers in Boots and Shoes in the province, and carry complete stocks of every description of Boots and Shoes, Rubbers, Rubber Boots, etc., etc., in each of our various large stores. Miners' Footwear a Specialty. Letter orders promptly and carefully filled. Write for Catalogue to

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**SMELTING WORKS AT LADYSMITH**

Prepared to purchase ores as from August 1st. Convenient to E. & N. or Sea.

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2 Lbs. Choice Table Butter . . . . . For 45c

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Manufacturers of Clothing,  
Top Shirts and Underwear.

**Straw Hat Bleach,**  
10c

Makes an old Straw Hat look like a new one. Doesn't turn the straw yellow.  
Sent by mail upon receipt of price.

**MINERAL ACT. (Form F.)**  
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE.

Little Bantam Fractional Mineral Claim, situated in the Chenuans Mining Division of Victoria Mining District, Where located: On Mount Sicker, adjoining the "Belle" Mineral Claim on the east and the "Leona" Mineral Claim on the west.

Take notice that J. George Robinson Elliot, Free Miner's Certificate No. B75960, for myself and as agent for Samuel Thomas Chapman, Free Miner's Certificate No. B75983, Samuel Erb, Free Miner's Certificate No. B75986, and Edward Gaidler, Free Miner's Certificate No. B71902, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant to the above claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this ninth day of July, A.D., 1903.

**MINERAL ACT. (Form F.)**  
CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE.

Black Prince Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Renfrew District. Where located: Gordon River.

Take notice that I, E. P. Colley, as agent for Wm. Loring, Free Miner's Certificate No. B79061, G. A. Kerk, Free Miner's Certificate No. B41111, A. Deakin, Free Miner's Certificate No. B79050, and J. West, Free Miner's Certificate No. B79093, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim.

And further take notice that action under section 37 must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 16th day of July, A.D., 1903.

E. P. COLLEY, P. L. S.

**NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land: Commencing at a post marked "W. Meed," on the west side of Edinburgh Inlet, Barclay Sound, thence south 10 chains along the shore, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence east 60 chains more or less to the intersection of the shore line, thence following the shore line to point of commencement, containing an area of 80 acres more or less.

W. MEED.  
Victoria, B. C., July, 1903.

**Teacher Wanted**

Male teacher wanted for Quamehcan school. Apply James Robertson, Secy., Duncan's Station.

**FOR SALE—A thoroughbred Hatched hen!**

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**\$1.00 PER GAIN**

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**FUNERAL OF JUSTICE**

**HE WAS BURIED COBUR**

Excursion Rate From Victoria—Items of Canadian

Coburg, July 27.—The late Mr. Justice Arneson court took place at 10 to St. Peter's church, was very large. It was very large, and included from the Dominion government, and many others. The service was conducted by the Rev. Canon Sprague.

Carters Want.

Montreal, July 27.—The Montreal street railway company have decided to purchase a number of cars which are purpose of allowing a convenient and cheap the slight of general strenuously opposed it and took out an injunction. The court has thrown out the injunction. They have blood in their eyes. They are disappointed in the loss of business. Each week for the six months amount of \$80000.

Quarry Co.

Halifax, July 27.—The quarry work of the B. C. Quarry Company has been suspended for the summer, and 900 out of employment. The quarry is a very large and has been laid off at the heart of the plant.

Excursion to

Winnipeg, July 27.—The Pacific railway company's excursion rate of \$45 for from Winnipeg to Victoria, effective August 1st.

Committee Is

Albert Stewart, a 300 Cyprus River district, has been relieved of his crazed by religious exercises.

Starches In

St. Catharines, July 27.—The St. Catharines store destroyed by fire here value \$40,000; insurance \$40,000; must not be.

Ottawa, July 27.—A sued to-day provides the permanent corps below chain will only hold as long as they remain general army regulations salute have been approved. He wants of Canadian forces. He wants of Canadian forces.

Private Re-

The House was engaged discussing private bills. The Stewart ministry Company passed.

Rifle Mate

The first team of the leads in the Canadian league matches, with 177 runs.

British Journ-

The British journalists, under sanction of the parliament, paid a hurried to-day. They took in the farm and the parliament left for the West on the at 1:35 p.m.

Railway Contract

J. C. Bailey died this family residence. Carter been more personally construction and project than any man in Canada. 70th year, and born in November, 1776, 1825.

Died From Inj-

Toronto, July 27.—Dr. died at the General hospital of the same kind of hagen, who is now about to Denmark on a charge large sum from its vault leased from custody by Marshal Shlens upon order of attorney-General Knox. She will not be sent back as she is in no way connected.