

PREPARE FOR TRIAL AT LOS ANGELES

DARROW CHIEF COUNSEL FOR ALLEGED DYNAMITERS

Attorney Says Defence Will Prove Times Building Was Wrecked by Gas

Los Angeles, Cal., April 27.—The first steps for the defence of John J. McNamara, his brother James W. McNamara and Orrie F. McManigal, the trio of union labor men charged with a series of murders by dynamiting, arrived here from the east yesterday, were planned for today, following a meeting of counsel engaged to represent them.

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BLOW TO LABOR PARTY IN AUSTRALIA

GOVERNMENT'S POWERS WILL NOT BE EXTENDED

Commonwealth Cabinet Not Likely to Resign as Result of Vote

Melbourne, April 27.—Figures of the referendum vote show the Commonwealth Labor party sustained a heavy defeat on the proposed extension of the federal government's power over trade, commerce and industry, and also giving it power to nationalize natural monopolies, the adverse majority being over 170,000.

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WILL SOON BE OFF TO LONDON TOWN

Won't His Majesty the King be a proud man when he receives these two loyal subjects and accepts their assurances of the devotion to his throne and person of the people of British Columbia? Of course the pilgrims to the foot of the throne are not vexing their minds about such trivialities as royal honors.

REWARD OFFERED BY EMPLOYERS

DETECTIVES AT WORK ON VANCOUVER CASE

Mining Men Say Nitro-Glycerine Was Used in Attempt to Destroy Building

Vancouver, B. C., April 27.—Two thousand dollars reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the perpetrator of the Ryan building explosion early yesterday morning, has been offered by the Vancouver Employers' Association. The reward was offered at a meeting of the association yesterday afternoon.

So far as is known the police have not yet fastened suspicion on anyone, although several detectives have been placed on the case.

SEND ULTIMATUM TO EMPLOYERS

Structural Steel Workers in Toronto Will Strike if Their Wages Are Not Raised

Toronto, April 27.—Following the refusal of the employers to accede to their demands for an increase of wages from 25 cents to 40 cents an hour, the structural steel workers of the city have sent in an ultimatum that unless the employers change their minds before May 1st they will strike.

Should the latter again refuse the men will call out every man engaged in steel construction in the province. The result will be that all construction work on buildings, railways and bridges in a large section of the province will cease.

FRANCE DECIDES TO INTERVENE

Will Take Measures to Protect Lives of Foreigners at Fez

Paris, April 27.—France notified today the signatories of the Algiers conference that prompt and energetic intervention in Morocco by France had become necessary to protect foreigners at Fez, to re-establish order throughout the country and safeguard the sovereignty of the Sultan.

More Tribesmen Revolt. Tangier, April 27.—News from Captain Bremont, dated April 22, says his column, having received an urgent summons from Fez to create a diversion toward the Rasmeia region, so as to relieve the pressure on Fez, where the situation has reached a critical stage, struck camp and began an arduous march, fighting every step of the way.

The Cherada tribesmen are attacking with fury, and have given the word to massacre all prisoners. Late news received here regarding the situation at Fez, says that Captain Boisot, who is marching at the head of a column to relieve the city, is now in a critical situation. He is short of ammunition and is surrounded by Cherada tribesmen who have returned to positions from which they were recently dislodged.

By an unlucky chance, Captain Boisot, who has been sent to Bremont's aid, when almost within reach heard that Bremont, profiting by the fine weather, had struck camp and was pushing on to Fez. Boisot concluded he would be of no service to Bremont, and returned to Alcazar.

The Gharb tribesmen, who have been wavering, considering the departure of the column equivalent to a defeat, have decided to join the revolt.

AMHERST SCENE OF DESTRUCTIVE FIRE

Loss Estimated at \$150,000—Nearly 800 Men Thrown Out of Work

Amherst, N. S., April 27.—Fire which broke out at three o'clock this morning at the Canadian Car Company's plant here destroyed the blacksmith and forging shop, the machine shops and the Grey Iron and brass foundry, causing a loss estimated at \$150,000. Nearly eight hundred men are thrown out of employment. For a time it looked as though the whole plant, valued in the neighborhood of \$500,000, would go.

PROPOSED ANGLO-AMERICAN TREATY

ARBITRATION MEETING TO BE HELD IN LONDON

Premier Asquith and A. J. Balfour Will Take Leading Part in the Gathering

London, April 27.—The prime minister and Mr. Balfour, the opposition leader will take a leading part in the Anglo-American arbitration meeting to be held in the Guildhall to-morrow.

The lord mayor, Sir Thomas V. Strong, announced last night that Mr. Asquith will move and Mr. Balfour will second a resolution favoring an arbitration treaty such as proposed by President Taft.

At a banquet to consult and foreign ministers in the Mansion House last night the mayor ventured to assure them that the negotiations looking toward an arbitration treaty with the United States implied no unfriendly business to other nations, but should be regarded as a step in the general policy for securing universal peace.

BANK INCREASES DIVIDEND

NAVIGATION ON GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE

Ice is Moving Out and Route to Quebec Will Soon Be Clear

Halifax, N. S., April 27.—There is every prospect for an early opening of navigation on the Gulf of St. Lawrence, which has been choked by ice. The Canadian government says the steamer Montcalm reports the ice of the east coast to be moving under the influence of a light westerly wind, and that several other sections of the Gulf coast are now clear of ice.

Arrives At Quebec. Montreal, April 27.—The Royal George was reported yesterday passing Cape Hatteras, having found a safe opening in the ice fields. She reached Quebec this morning.

EDRIC INSIDE FORBIDDEN LIMIT

COMMANDER STEWART'S EVIDENCE ON THE POINT

Chief Justice Hunter Hearing Charge Against Owners of Fishing Boat

(Special to the Times.) Vancouver, April 27.—Hearing of the action brought against the Chlopek Fishing Company, Seattle, owners of the fishing boat Edrie, captured by H. M. C. S. Rainbow, off Cape Scott, Vancouver Island, on February 21, is proceeding in the Supreme court before Chief Justice Hunter. The charge against the owners of the Edrie is that of fishing illegally within the three-mile limit.

D. C. Macdonell and Mr. Douglas are representing the crown, and R. L. Reid, K. C., and W. C. Brown are present on behalf of the Chlopek Fishing Co. Commander Stewart, of the Rainbow, was placed on the stand for the crown. His evidence dealt chiefly with the bearings of the Edrie as taken from aboard the Rainbow when the capture was made. Commander Stewart produced a chart showing the location of the Edrie when captured, and gave evidence in connection with the capture.

The question of the means used to take the bearings of the boat took up quite a large amount of the time. Commander Stewart gave the bearings of the Rainbow showing that the Edrie was about 8 1/2 miles from the Rainbow when first sighted at 12.30 on the afternoon of February 21. When the Rainbow's gun was fired at 1.10 o'clock she was within 300 or 400 yards of the Edrie, which was about 40 yards nearer the shore than the cruiser.

"Do you know where the fish came from that were on board the Edrie?" asked R. L. Reid. "From the sea, I would think," was the reply.

"If we were running a school for humor, that would be a good answer. You know as well as I do what I mean," retorted counsel. The captain stated that he could not say whether the fish on board the Edrie had been caught within the three-mile limit or not. He did say, however, that when the Edrie was hauling in her dories at the time the gun was fired they were full of fish.

Mr. Reid informed the court that the defence did not deny that the Edrie was fishing there, but they did deny the statement made by the prosecution that they were fishing within the three-mile limit.

PRAIRIE FIRE IN SASKATCHEWAN

Farmer Loses Stables and Horses—Saves Home After Hard Fight

(Special to the Times.) Lloydminster, Sask., April 27.—A disastrous prairie fire is raging about twelve miles southeast of Lloydminster. James Martin, after a long morning in the fields, decided to give himself and team extra rest and fell asleep for a time. He was aroused by neighbors some time afterwards to find the prairie blazing around his house and his stables and team extra rest and fell asleep when the wind veered. Despite every effort of himself and neighbors, Martin's horses were roasted alive and only most strenuous work saved the house. With his whole outfit destroyed, his seedling only half done and horses selling in the locality at prohibitive prices, Martin is badly hit.

MINERS STRIKE

Banff, Alta., April 27.—The miners after negotiating since April 1, has refused the local union a continuance of the "checkoff," which has been in force heretofore. As a result all the men who have been at work since the first of the month have quit. This includes pump and fan men, the men at work on construction and repairs and the powerhouse force.

The reason given by the company is that the agreement has expired and no new one has been arrived at. Banff will likely be without electric light for a time, as the supply comes from Banff.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Proposal to Open Meetings to Press Has Many Supporters

London, April 27.—It is understood that delegates to the Imperial conference will hold an informal meeting to decide whether they shall accept their expenses from the Imperial government. A strong stand will likely be taken in favor of the proceedings being open to the press.

LIBERALS ACCEPT TORY CHALLENGE

NO COMPROMISE ON RECIPROCITY QUESTION

Opposition Must Shoulder Responsibility of Delaying Business of Session

(Special to the Times.) Ottawa, April 27.—Liberal members in caucus this morning promptly decided to accept the challenge of the opposition for a fight "to the bitter end" on the reciprocity issue, and it was unanimously agreed that it would not be Liberals who would finally get "the bitter end."

The announced determination of the opposition to obstruct all further voting of supplies and prevent by every means in its power the ratification of the reciprocity agreement is met with a straight-out declaration from the majority in parliament that they do not propose to let the minority dictate the government's policy.

There is no question of compromise on the reciprocity issue so far as the government is concerned. Liberal members say they can stand any endurance test just as well as opposition members can, and they believe, further, that a great majority of electors are behind them and will resent the policy of factious obstruction on the reciprocity issue.

If the business of the country is held up indefinitely and no supplies are voted to carry on the administration after June next, the only recourse will be an appeal to the country. If the opposition wish to take the onus of this, thereby depriving perhaps two million electors of their proper representation in the next parliament through forestalling the coming redistribution after the census, the blame will lie with the obstructionists and the government will be quite willing to accept the verdict of the people under the circumstances.

It is now apparently a case of "Lay on, MacDuff, and flamed be him who rises against thee, enough!" One of the main results of the obstruction on the part of the opposition will be to keep Sir Wilfrid Laurier from attending the Imperial conference and coronation.

With conditions here unsettled so far as the reciprocity issue and the business of parliament are concerned, the Prime Minister will certainly not leave Ottawa. It is even doubtful if, under the circumstances, any of the other ministers will feel justified in being absent during the next two months, and the non-representation of Canada at both the coronation and coronation will be due to His Majesty's Loyal Opposition.

It was announced this morning that none of the Liberal members on the parliamentary coronation contingent will go in the event of parliament being still in session in June.

There was also a general feeling that the present attempt at minority rule in parliament would have to be met sooner or later by the introduction of a clause and the present lesson, if it is believed, will bring a popular demand for this.

It is significant that at least five of the opposition members in caucus yesterday stood out against any proposal for uncompromising obstruction to voting supplies and the forcing of a general election. The party is by no means a unit on the wisdom of the policy decided upon and as time goes on it is believed there will be a gradual increase in the number of Conservative members who favor a saner and more moderate course. The three main motives impelling the opposition to take extreme measures and force an election are said to be these:

In the first place, more campaign funds from anti-reciprocity "interests" can be secured now than a year hence after the agreement has gone through. In the second place, it is believed that a year's working out of reciprocity would justify the government's position and nullify all arguments now being advanced against it.

In the third place, it is believed that the government would stand to gain by redistribution since a score of new seats in the west would almost certainly send representatives who favor reciprocity.

It may be further noted that if an election is forced a good many of the opposition members who are doubtful of re-nomination by their party next year would, under present circumstances, be able to secure the nomination in the event of an election in the more immediate future.

STORM ABATES

New Orleans, La., April 27.—Following a downpour of rain lasting 36 hours accompanied by strong winds and high tides, the storm which yesterday and last night threatened serious damage along the Louisiana and Mississippi coasts had abated early to-day and bright sunshine greeted New Orleans to-day. No lives were lost in the storm and the property damage was not heavy. Telegraphic communication along the Gulf coast east of New Orleans is still partially paralyzed, and to-day there was continued interruption of traffic on the Louisville, Nashville and Illinois Central railroads.

CITY ENGINEER  
WINS OUT AGAIN

THE ATTEMPT TO OUST  
HIM FAILS ENTIRELY

Winnipeg Man as Construction  
Engineer—Ald. Humber  
Carries Estimates

City Engineer Angus Smith has won out against Mayor Morley and the other elements in the city council who were opposed to his being retained in his office. His position was discussed at a private meeting of the council Tuesday afternoon, when, after a long and heated discussion, in which his private estimates of one another were somewhat freely exchanged between the aldermen, a decision was arrived at by which the city engineer retains his billet.

The discussion was not without its humorous element. Alderman Moresby performed a catherine wheel that outdid anything seen in the council for a long time. At first he opposed the present incumbent of the office being retained at all and later he advocated an increase for the same official. Several other engineers' names were brought up by those who were anxious to "fire" the present incumbent of the office, but in Alderman Humber, Bishop and W. F. Fullerton, Mr. Smith's had stout advocates who urged his claims with the utmost impartiality and lucidity. Among those who were opposed to the city engineer being retained were Aldermen Feden, Gleason and the mayor.

The meeting also decided to appoint J. W. Astley of Winnipeg, construction engineer at a salary equivalent to that of the city engineer. Mr. Astley is 66 years of age. It was he whom Mayor Morley endeavored to have appointed city engineer a year ago. At the same meeting Alderman Humber carried a triumph in having his parks estimated at \$25,000 passed. Alderman Gleason, who previously opposed the appropriation on the ground that he did not know what was intended to be done with the money, stood by some of his objections for a time but finally agreed to let the matter pass.

Mayor Morley was not in entire sympathy with all the proposals of the chairman of the parks committee but he, too, allowed this appropriation to pass. In the scheme of Alderman Humber there are many items which will do much to beautify the city when they are completed.

ITALIAN JUBILEE

King and Queen of Sweden Take Part in Ceremonies at Rome.

Rome, April 28.—King Gustaf of Sweden and the Queen, who have been in Rome three days. They came to attend the Italian jubilee, which has been honored by special demonstrations, as Sweden was among the soldiers who fought for Italy's unity, and Sweden was about the first country to recognize the new Italian kingdom in 1861.

DR. HYDE SECURES LIBERTY

Kansas City, Mo., April 26.—Dr. E. C. Hyde, under a life sentence of imprisonment for the murder of Col. Thomas Swope, was released from the county jail today on a writ of habeas corpus granted by the judges of the circuit court here.

EARL GREY PATRON OF  
VETERANS' BRIGADE

Letter From Governor-General Read at Meeting at Winnipeg

Winnipeg, April 26.—His Excellency Earl Grey has accepted the most patron of the Veterans' Brigade. His letter signifying his pleasure was warmly received at a large meeting of veterans last night. General Ward, who attended Brigadier General Wauchope on the floor of the Legislative Assembly, was the speaker at the meeting, and was followed by the address of the meeting, as did also Mrs. Howard, only surviving nurse of the northwest rebellion.

STEEL TRUST REPORT

Gross Earnings Show Falling Off Compared With Previous Quarter.

New York, April 26.—The quarterly report of the United States Steel Corporation for the period ending March 31, issued yesterday, shows gross earnings of \$29,519,300 and net earnings of \$20,001,317.

INQUIRY INTO  
TELEGRAPH RATES

Adjournment Granted as Companies Have Not Yet Prepared Statement

Toronto, April 26.—On the complaint of the Winnipeg board of trade, the railway commission will make an inquiry into the tolls and rates of all the telegraph companies operating in Canada. Notices were recently served on all the telegraph companies to submit the statement to the government. When the case was called, the board was informed that the statements had not been submitted. I. F. Hallmuth, K. C., acting for the telegraph companies, said that his clients had not had time to prepare the statements and an adjournment was granted until next Wednesday.

GROWING TIRED OF  
LONG STRUGGLE

GREAT LAKES STRIKE  
MAY BE CALLED OFF

Effort Made to Oust President  
of Marine Cooks and Stewards' Association

Buffalo, N. Y., April 26.—A strike on the Great Lakes maintained for the last three years and involving between 3,000 and 10,000 men may be declared off within the next two weeks. Several secret meetings have been held here and a local leader is responsible for the statement that a definite plan has been agreed upon by one of the associations on strike and that announcement from the grand officers will be forthcoming within ten days. The men on strike are members of the Marine Firemen, Oilers and Water Tenders' Association, and the Marine Cooks and Stewards' Association.

It is in the ranks of the latter organization, it is said, that the most dissatisfaction exists over the prolonged struggle. There is also discussion in the ranks of the firemen. Court proceedings have been started against Edward C. Stack from the presidency, the claim being that his election was irregular. He was struck three years ago when the strike was declared and has been continued in the office ever since. It is understood that the people who colonized the United States left England deliberately to carve out a future different in every way from that which they had in England, but Canadians had not left England to escape grievances and they carried their loyalty across the water. Many of them are now millionaires who live in Canada, but they would still love British institutions.

LOYALTY OF CANADIANS

Dr. Parmelee Speaks at Banquet in London.

London, April 26.—Dr. Parmelee, secretary of the Department of Public Instruction, Quebec, speaking at the banquet to the visiting educationists, said that he really thought that Canada some day would become an independent nation or part of a neighboring nation, did not read history very intelligently. The people who colonized the United States left England deliberately to carve out a future different in every way from that which they had in England, but Canadians had not left England to escape grievances and they carried their loyalty across the water. Many of them are now millionaires who live in Canada, but they would still love British institutions.

WILL SETTLE IN  
WESTERN CANADA

Over 40,000 Immigrants Have  
Landed at Halifax During  
Season Just Closing

Halifax, N. S., April 26.—During immigration season just closing, more than 40,000 new settlers have entered Canada through the port of Halifax, 3,000 more than last year. Of this year's total 20,000 were of British origin, Scotch predominating, and the majority were well to do. All headed for the Canadian West to engage in farming.

GOLD IN BULL RIVER.

Cranbrook, April 26.—The Bull river, near Wardner, continues to pour out gold at a good rate and this is a season of much wealth to the town of Wardner. One man made an excellent haul of \$117 worth of gold dust by panning in one day recently. This is the exception rather than the rule, though a good quantity of the yellow stuff is being taken out every day.

OUTBREAK OF SMALLPOX.

Tiglisah, P. E. I., April 26.—Fifty cases of smallpox have been reported to the health officers as existing in this town and immediate vicinity. Only one of the case is of a serious type.

PRISONERS NEAR  
END OF JOURNEY

ALLEGED DYNAMITERS DUE  
AT LOS ANGELES TO-DAY

Sheriff Adopts Measures to  
Guard Jail Where Men  
Will Be Confined

Los Angeles, Cal., April 26.—Heavily guarded and guarded by eight officers from Chicago and Los Angeles, John J. L. McNamara, his brother James W. McNamara and Ortie E. McManigal, alleged dynamiters, entered California on the Santa Fe railroad at Needles early to-day and are expected to be in jail in Los Angeles by the middle of the afternoon.

When the prisoners crossed the state line from Arizona into California, the officers who held them in charge, felt for the first time since leaving Chicago that they were free from the least danger of habeas corpus proceedings. Reports were received here to-day that applications for habeas corpus for the arrested men had been made by sympathizers in two or three different places along the route they travelled, but these were not confirmed and no attempt was made at any place to serve papers on the officers.

At daylight the train on which the men were locked in Pullman compartments was speeding westward across the barren and unsettled stretches of the Great Mojave desert. There were a few in this desolate section and there was little opportunity to hear of events on the train until its approach into the valley 7 1/2 miles from Los Angeles. In this city there was no sign of excitement or hostile feeling toward the prisoners nor in Indianapolis and Detroit.

The men will be locked in separate cells at the county jail. Extra guards have already been posted there by Sheriff Hammel, both inside the corridors of the prison and outside around the building. Sheriff Hammel has arranged for an alarm bell to be placed in a room in the jail, occupied by four officers constantly on duty. This is a precaution to an unexpected event of an unexpected emergency. In addition to the four deputy sheriffs in that room, two others will watch directly over James McNamara and McManigal, who will be locked up together and still another will guard by day and night over John McNamara, incarcerated in a separate cell in another part of the jail.

The district attorney's office is in complete readiness, it is stated, to proceed with the arraignment of the accused men. Mrs. D. H. Ingersoll and it is believed, the wife of one of the men from San Francisco, are in the city at the instance of the district attorney James Bryon who was one of the purchasers of the dynamite with which the Los Angeles explosions are alleged to have been accomplished. Bryce is one of the men named in the indictment and returned by the Los Angeles grand jury and charged therein with the murder of 21 men who lost their lives in the destruction of the "Titanic" building. David Caplan and "Cockey" Schmidt, the other two named in the indictments with Bryce as the purchasers of the dynamite, are still at large.

Word received here to officers in the main guard who really thought that they are innocent of the crime charged against them and are confident of their early release from the charges by the courts of California.

MILITARY POLICY OF  
OVERSEAS DOMINIONS

INTERVIEW WITH PREMIER  
OF NEW ZEALAND

Sir Joseph Ward Says Each  
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London, April 26.—Sir Joseph Ward, premier of New Zealand, interviewed on his arrival at Finsbury, said the Empire should be treated as a vast territory to be developed on behalf of the whole British family. Every state should play its part according to its resources in the Empire but each should be left to adopt the most suitable military system.

RELIEF FOR CHINESE

New York, April 26.—Announcement was made to-day that the Chinese Herald said \$15,000 to the state department for transmission by cable to China for the relief of the famine sufferers. This makes \$117,000 transmitted to China by the public funds, including the cost of one million pounds of flour shipped on the United States transport "Buxton" and now being distributed to the famine sufferers.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Washington, D. C., April 26.—"Woman suffrage as affecting our religious and educational institutions," was discussed to-day at the morning session of the 29th church congress of the Protestant Episcopal church of the United States. Associate Justice Burton of the United States supreme court, and Rev. Dr. Alfred Harding, bishop of Washington, honorary president of the session.

SUN STAR, WINNER OF  
TWO THOUSAND GUINEAS

ATTEMPT TO BLOW  
UP BIG BUILDING

EXPLOSION IN NEW  
STRUCTURE AT VANCOUVER

Newmarket Eng., April 26.—The two thousand guinea first of the classic races, one mile was won to-day by J. B. Joe's Sun Star by Sundorg-Doris. The same owner's Lyson being third while Lord Derby's Steadfast was second. Other starters included Sydmonton, Clonburn, Cyrenus, Runnymede, Irons, Oak, Seaforth, Cellini, Marenta, Pietri, Stanton and Longboat, the field thus numbering fourteen. The winner was trained by Horton and ridden by Walter Griggas.

BOAT CAPSIZES;  
THREE PERISH

ONE MAN SUCCEEDS  
IN REACHING SHORE

Survivor Crawls Along Beach  
on Hands and Knees to  
Give Alarm

Powell River, B. C., April 26.—Charles Philippe, Adolph Faro and Oscar Byron lost their lives in the capsizing of a sail boat at this place on Monday night. Herman Roesch, the fourth member of the party, succeeded in reaching shore in an exhausted condition. Crawling along the beach on his hands and knees Roesch gave the alarm. A searching party was quickly organized and set out to search for the missing men. Capt. Mortimer and crew of the steamer Selma joined in the search, as did also Capt. Cockle and crew of the steamer Cheslake. The search was continued until 11 o'clock yesterday morning, the searching of the steamer Cheslake being of valuable assistance.

The bodies of Faro and Philippe have been recovered, but as yet no trace has been found of Byron's body, and the search is being continued by a party in charge of Provincial Constable Lucas, of Van Anda.

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RETRIEF FOR ACTRESSES

NEW YORK, APRIL 26.—The Actors' Church Alliance is about to start a movement for the establishment in this city of a retreat for actresses. According to the plan it will provide a place where they may pass their time between rehearsals and will take the place of hall rooms in theatrical boarding houses, to which they are at present condemned. It also will provide desirable lodgings for many students. Connected with it will be a school for the education of stage children.

BRADFORD CITY  
WINS ENGLISH CUP

Defeats Newcastle United by  
One Goal to Nil in Re-  
played Final

(Special to the Times.)

London, April 26.—Before 70,000 people to-day at Manchester, Bradford City won the replayed final for the English Football Association cup from Newcastle United by 1 goal to 0. Bradford attacked strongly and scored their goal in the first half as the result of a lightning drive by Ribbins from the half way line. Thompson secured the ball, centered to Devine, and though Laurence ought to have cleared, Spiers dashed it into the net. In the second half Bradford played a stonewall defence.

LANDING OF MEN  
FROM SHEARWATER

MEXICO FORWARDS  
FORMAL PROTEST

Claims Action Was Interfered  
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F. B. CLARK DEAD.

Portland, Ore., April 26.—Francis B. Clark, ex-president of the Spokane, Portland & Seattle railway, and one of the oldest railroad men in America, died here yesterday aged 73 years. He had been in the service for nearly 50 years, ill-health forcing him to retire a year ago last winter.

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### OBSTACLES TO IMPROVEMENTS

#### COUNCIL AND TRAMWAY COMPANY CO-OPERATION

##### Ignorance of Each Other's Plans May Lead to Delay and Extra Expenditure

There was a big budget of business disposed of at the special meeting of the city hall Monday in relation to local improvements. The question of having an arrangement with the tramway company whereby the city council would know what particular streets the company intended to operate and thus be in a position to secure their own particular improvements was brought up.

There was a feeling that such information from the tramway company was necessary to avoid the laying down of certain streets before the company got in their spike and then having to pull them up again. Of course the tramway company has to relay any part of the street it may tear up in connection with the installation of its lines, but it is a notorious fact that the streets are never the same again. It was with a view to obviating this difficulty that the discussion Monday night.

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### DIAZ PREDICTS EARLY PEACE

#### MEXICANS WILL UNITE TO DEVELOP COUNTRY

##### Madero Will Select Commissioners When Government Names Representatives

New York, April 25.—President Diaz of Mexico has addressed the following dispatch to the Associated Press: "Mexico City.—In reply to your message in which you ask me concerning the actual situation in this country, I am convinced that conditions of peace, interrupted for the moment, will return to Mexico, and that all Mexicans will unite with the single purpose of furthering the development and progress of the country."

(Signed) PORFIRIO DIAZ. Ready to Name Commissioners.

El Paso, Texas, April 25.—Interest in the peace situation in General Madero's camp to-day is centered in the hope that word may come from the Mexican government of the appointment of its commissioners to the conference at which it seems almost certain terms of peace in Mexico will be agreed upon. The insurrector commander, it is understood, is ready to announce his appointments as soon as the government representatives are named.

While members of the Madero family have not expressed themselves publicly, it is generally understood that they regard El Paso as the most convenient place for the peace commissioners. The meeting place, however, will probably be announced simultaneously with the names of the commissioners. Peace negotiations, it is expected, will consume at least a fortnight.

Confidence in a successful outcome of these negotiations marks the situation both in the insurrector camp and in Juarez. Even General Navarro, of the marshal men and ferocious manner, is gentle as a lamb nowadays, according to reports from the Mexican City. The federal commander, it is declared, has a smile and a cheery word for every one, including the once-hated reporters.

According to advices from Casas Grandes, most of the horses of Madero's army were left at that place when the Insurrectos advanced on Juarez, and in their search for pastureage many farms have suffered. At least a thousand horses are roaming in the vicinity of Casas Grandes, it is declared.

A rumor that Insurrectos intended to disarm the Dublin and Juarez colonists has caused a delegation of Mormons to wait upon the Insurrecto mayor of Casas Grandes, who assured them that there was no probability of such action. If the Insurrectos were hard pressed, he said, they might buy arms and ammunition from the colonists. This, the Mormons replied, would be impossible as they had none to sell. All public gatherings in the evenings have been discontinued in Colonia Dublin and Colonia Juarez.

Leaves Fort Juarez. Washington, D. C., April 25.—Senor Jose Vasconcelos, of the Mexican revolutionary junta, at San Antonio, Texas, arrived here to-day to assume charge of the Washington confidential agency during the absence of Dr. Vasquez Gomez, who will participate in the peace negotiations in Mexico. Dr. Gomez will leave here to-night for Juarez, where, after a conference with General Madero, he will accompany the other peace commissioners to some central point, where it is expected a federal commission will be sent.

Federals Forced to Retreat. El Paso, Texas, April 25.—A special to the Herald from Nogales, Arizona, says a battle was fought Sunday at Casas Grandes, in the Altar district, in which the federals were compelled to retreat to Altar. The federals were outnumbered. The rebels, led by Francisco Velasco, lost five men, three Americans and two Mexicans. The federals lost three men killed.

Imprisoned for Sedition. Parral, Mexico, April 25.—General Abel Freya, a retired army officer and owner of a big hacienda near Rosario Durango, has been arrested and sent to prison in Chihuahua on charges of sedition. The general came here and alleged that he was fleeing from the rebels, but was arrested as a seditionist.

TRAIN HELD UP IN MEXICO. Passengers Warned of Approach of Bandits Hide Their Valuables. El Paso, Texas, April 25.—Mail offices to the Herald tell of the hold-ups of the National train between Rosario and Salforth stations by two bandits. The conductor got a warning signal from the engineer in time to have the passengers hide their valuables and the bandits got little. One man had \$9,000, another \$5,000 and another had \$2,500, all of which they saved.

FLOODS CAUSE DAMAGE. Alexandrovsk, Government of Archangel, Russia, April 25.—(Delayed in transmission.)—Reports from western Russia and Siberia tell of the sudden arrival of spring. The ice has broken up in the rivers and with the melting snows has caused abnormal high waters, which are doing great damage.

SELLING OFF CATTLE. (Special to the Times.) Lethbridge, April 25.—Circle ranch, one of the largest concerns in Southern Alberta, has sold the last of its cattle to Chris Baruch, Queensland. The cattle are in Red Deer country. They will be kept only throughbred Herefords. One by one the large ranches are giving way before the farmers.

### LARGE INCREASE IN WHEAT AREA

#### CANADIAN NORTHERN ISSUES REPORT

##### Seeding Now General Along Main Line—Prospects Are Bright

(Special to the Times.) Winnipeg, April 25.—The third Canadian Northern railway crop report was issued yesterday. On the main line seeding operations are now general, and the ground is in fair condition with the exception of Elle, where the farmers are only just commencing to work the ground. Rollin, where it will be general in a day or so; Odra, where it started yesterday; Langham, where it has only commenced; Marshall, where land is still being prepared; and Edmonton, where there is no seeding as yet. At Vegreville, seeding will be begun in about ten days.

Fall wheat is reported looking exceptionally well at all points, and the increase average varies from about 5 per cent. at Fort Saskatchewan to 60 per cent. more crop at Lloydminster, but at least \$10,000,000 a year, but declared that this would be more than met by government economies. This free list bill is not offered as a compensation to the farmer for production of his crop that were put on the free list in the reciprocity bill, said Mr. Underwood, because we do not believe the passage of the reciprocity agreement will in any way affect the farmer's income.

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MARCH IN SAFETY FROM BURNING SCHOOL. Two Hundred Children Leave Building Without Slightest Panic. Glace Bay, N. S., April 25.—Two hundred school children marched in safety from the public school building at New Amsterdam while fire raged about them yesterday, according to advices just received here. The blaze started in the furnace room. The bell for the customary fire drill was sounded, and the children marched out without the slightest panic, despite the reported advance of the flames. The building was completely destroyed and several residences adjoining were damaged.

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### TARIFF AGAIN BEFORE CONGRESS

#### FREE LIST BILL IS SUBMITTED TO HOUSE

##### Debate Will Probably Last for Several Days—Measure Will Be Passed

Washington, April 25.—The tariff again holds the attention of congress. It made its appearance to-day in the shape of the free list bill which was called up just before adjournment yesterday, and which threatens to lead to almost endless debate before it finally is passed along to the senate. Leaders on both side of the House foresee long days of talk ahead.

That the measure will pass is generally conceded, but it will not command the heavy vote of Republican votes given to the Canadian reciprocity measure.

Amendments already are beginning to pour in and efforts are being made by the Democrats to enlarge the scope of the measure.

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### PROTECTION OF FUR SEALS

#### JAPANESE DELEGATES ON WAY TO CONFERENCE

##### Representatives of Powers to Meet in May—Schonners Prepare for Cruise

Port Townsend, Wash., April 25.—On board of the Inaba Maru, due at Seattle next Friday from Hongkong, are Hisiopi Doko and Tasaku Kitahara, representatives of the Japanese government to the conference of certain powers to be held in Washington early in May. The object of the conference is the device means for the protection of fur seals.

The announcement of their coming was received to-day by Collector Harper, with instructions from the department at Washington to extend the usual courtesies, including the free baggage of the baggage of the representatives of the Japanese government without examination.

Through some official sources it has been learned by the authorities that a large number of sealing schooners are being fitted in Japan for a cruise in Behring Sea. Already a number of Japanese sealing schooners are off the coast of Washington and Vancouver Island following the birds north to their breeding grounds, and by the time the seals reach the north, Behring Sea will be dotted with craft from Japan. The officers of the patrol vessel, Lepard, are watching the vessels to prevent them from entering the restricted zone.

THREE PERISH BY SWAMPING OF BOAT. Man and His Two Children Lose Their Lives in Lake Simcoe. Belle Ewart, Ont., April 25.—Swamped in an overcrowded boat, Fred Leonard, aged 3, a laborer and his two children, aged 8 and 10, were drowned in Lake Simcoe.

Lepard was a strong swimmer and made a heroic effort to save his children, but sank in seven feet of water, three yards from shore. The bodies of the children were found afloat near the shore. Lepard leaves a widow and two infant children.

CRUSHED TO DEATH. Utica, N. Y., April 25.—A huge ledge of rock dislodged from the railway, a precipitous cliff in the residence section of Little Falls, shortly before day-break plunged downward 300 feet through the roof of the cottage of Fred Van Wile. Van Wile was asleep in his bedroom on the second floor and the boulder carried him, his bed and most of the furniture of the room, through the cellar, killing him instantly.

Others of the household were asleep in the bedroom below Van Wile and escaped injury.

### PARK IMPROVEMENTS

#### ARRESTS ON CHARGE OF KIDNAPPING

##### Four Men Are in Custody—Constables Searching for Detective Burns

(Special to the Times.) Calgary, April 25.—The ratepayers of Calgary yesterday authorized a vote of \$95,000 to be spent on city parks. Only fourteen votes were polled against it.

LEAPS DOWN SMOKESTACK. San Jose, Cal., April 25.—Pat Teeling, a truck driver of the state hospital, Agnew, killed himself yesterday by jumping down a 65-foot smokestack.

DEVELOPMENT IN THE McNAMARA CASE. Indianapolis, Ind., April 25.—Walter Drew, counsel for the Erectors' Association; W. J. Ford, assistant district attorney of Los Angeles, and Frank Fox, chauffeur, were arrested last night on affidavits charging them with having kidnaped J. J. McNamara, secretary-treasurer of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

A. F. Badorf of New York, an assistant of Drew, was arrested by three constables at his room in the Claypool hotel, at 11 o'clock this morning and taken before Justice of the Peace Manning. Badorf was taken into custody on a "John Doe" warrant, six of which were issued last night by Justice Manning on charges of kidnaping and conspiracy to kidnap. A half dozen constables are trying to locate Detective Burns, but he has not been found.

It is alleged that McNamara did not have an opportunity to consult counsel and resist extradition after last Saturday evening, but that he was put into an automobile driven by Fox and taken to Chicago Saturday night, bound for Los Angeles to face an indictment charging him with complicity in a dynamite explosion at the Llewellyn Iron Works.

The expected bondsmen not appearing to-day the justice clerk summoned constables to take Drew and Ford to jail. By this time the little court room, the hallway and the narrow stairway leading down to the court room were filled with a noisy crowd. The clerk of the court started off with Ford. He hung back. "Come on Drew," yelled a number of men, pressing from the hallway into the doorway of the courtroom. Constable took Drew's arm and as he resisted a dozen arms stretched out and the man was half dragged and half pushed into the hallway. There he smiled and stepped forward briskly and was apparently unmoved by a chorus of laughter, handclapping and shouts of "How does it feel yourself, Drew?"

"That's the district attorney going to jail," called one man as Ford passed down the stairway. Drew was jostled on his way to the street and a throng of men, most of them apparently of the working class, followed and laughed as Drew and Ford walked the two blocks to the jail. The turkey searched the pockets of Drew and Ford but they were not locked in cells. They were told that for a time they might remain in the outer office, for the reason that they expected momentarily the arrival of men who were asked by counsel to go on ahead. After half an hour the crowd about the jail entrance dispersed.

Badorf's bail was fixed at \$10,000 and he was taken to jail. He demanded a hearing and the court set 2 o'clock this afternoon, when the case will be taken up.

The four men were released on bonds furnished by a surety company this afternoon.

Guarded by Detectives. Albuquerque, N. M., April 25.—Handcuffed and locked in compartments J. J. McNamara, secretary-treasurer of the Structural Iron Workers' International Union, and Orlie McGanigal, on indictment charging them with dynamiting the Los Angeles Times plant, passed through here at 11 o'clock to-day, on route to Los Angeles. They were guarded by Detective City. No one was permitted to enter the compartments and the men were not allowed to leave the train.

J. J. McNamara was put on the train, according to the crew, at Dodge City, having reached the station there a few minutes before train time in an automobile. He had been brought to the station by a circuitous route. He also was locked in a compartment and the blinds drawn. Bryce and McGanigal looked out of the window and smiled at the crowd which had assembled with the hope of seeing them.

Not Working on Case. Washington, D. C., April 25.—Officials of the department of justice and also the treasury department published reports that the government was not connected with the case against the men accused of the Los Angeles dynamiting and other outrages. It is pointed out that the operations of the secret service division of the treasury are specifically confined by law to the protection of the president and the detection of counterfeiting. At the department of justice it is denied that any of the secret service men employed will be called into the case.

No Warrants in Bay Cities. San Francisco, Cal., April 25.—Chief of Police Seymour of San Francisco, has not received any request for assistance in the dynamite investigation either from Los Angeles or the eastern cities that have been the centre of attraction. It is supposed that the detectives who made the discovery of the secret case containing evidence will be subpoenaed and will participate in the trial at Los Angeles. If any grand jury warrants are to be served in San Francisco or other points around the bay they have not been entrusted to the local police department.

Preparing for Trial. Los Angeles, Cal., April 25.—Both the district attorney and the labor leader the latter being vindictive, their organizations on charges of dynamiting and wholesale murder, were busy to-day preparing for the struggle that will begin with the arrival of John and James McNamara and Orlie McGanigal, the alleged conspirators accused of having blown up the Times newspaper plant. The prisoners under heavy guard are expected here to-morrow and District Attorney John (Concluded on page 4.)

### GOVERNMENT AND SEA WALL PLANS

#### PROVINCIAL EXECUTIVE TO CONSIDER MATTER

##### Deputation Waited Upon Premier McBride This Morning to Urge Assistance

(From Tuesday's Daily.) The project of erecting a sea wall to protect the foreshore at Ross Bay and these were submitted to the city of Victoria with more than the usual degree of activity. Ever since the scheme was formulated the members of the city council, the board of trade, and other public bodies have been enthusiastic about the scheme.

The city engineer was asked to prepare plans and estimates for the work and these were submitted to the council last Friday night. According to his estimate the work would cost in the neighborhood of \$111,000. It was felt, however, by all concerned, that the scheme represented work in which the provincial government should be interested, and therefore a meeting with Premier McBride was arranged for to discuss the scheme, urge the advisability of having it carried out, and at the same time enlist the assistance of the provincial government in meeting the necessary expenditures.

That meeting was held this forenoon in the parliament buildings. The deputation which waited upon Premier McBride and Dr. Young consisted of Alderman Feden, who acted as official spokesman on behalf of the city council; H. G. Wilson, president of the board of trade; A. W. McCurdy, president of the Victoria branch of the Vancouver Island Development League; Ernest McGaffey, William Blakemore, and others.

Alderman Feden opened the ball with a brief resume of the scheme, a description of the proposed wall, and details of the necessary expenditure, and the excellent effect upon the foreshore in the event of the work being carried to a satisfactory conclusion. He reviewed the history of the scheme in the city council's deliberations and pointed out that the municipal body was unanimous in favor of the project.

W. Blakemore followed Alderman Feden and urged upon the government the necessity of having the foreshore protected. He also dwelt upon some of the technical elements of the case and pointed out that in every respect the proposed work was one deserving of the government's commendation and assistance.

On behalf of the Victoria board of trade H. G. Wilson advocated the adoption of the scheme, as also did A. W. McCurdy on behalf of the Development League.

After hearing the various speakers the premier thanked them for their attendance upon him and assured them that the report would be taken up and discussed at the next meeting of the executive, which takes place on Friday afternoon. He suggested that the Dominion government should be asked to say.

The deputation thanked the premier for the courtesy of the hearing and withdrew. What action the government will take in connection with the proposal it is impossible to say.

ESCAPE IN NIGHT CLOTHES. (Special to the Times.) Lethbridge, April 25.—The residence of A. J. Hudson at Magrath was burned early this morning. The family escaped in their night clothes.

MARCH IN SAFETY FROM BURNING SCHOOL. Two Hundred Children Leave Building Without Slightest Panic. Glace Bay, N. S., April 25.—Two hundred school children marched in safety from the public school building at New Amsterdam while fire raged about them yesterday, according to advices just received here. The blaze started in the furnace room. The bell for the customary fire drill was sounded, and the children marched out without the slightest panic, despite the reported advance of the flames. The building was completely destroyed and several residences adjoining were damaged.

EDMONTON HOTEL BYLAW. (Special to the Times.) Edmonton, April 25.—The sum of \$700,000 was voted in bylaws here yesterday. The bylaw to grant fixed assessment and free water to the Grand Trunk Pacific for 30 years, if they build a hotel here, passed by just 2 votes over the necessary majority.

KILLED IN RUNAWAY. (Special to the Times.) Lethbridge, April 25.—Paul Fitt, a young man from Stony Plain, was killed in a runaway at Taber yesterday.

### ABSTRACT

#### TERMINED THE FIGHT

##### Members Delayed by Fight-Agreement

(Times.) There was a big budget of business disposed of at the special meeting of the city hall Monday in relation to local improvements. The question of having an arrangement with the tramway company whereby the city council would know what particular streets the company intended to operate and thus be in a position to secure their own particular improvements was brought up.

There was a feeling that such information from the tramway company was necessary to avoid the laying down of certain streets before the company got in their spike and then having to pull them up again. Of course the tramway company has to relay any part of the street it may tear up in connection with the installation of its lines, but it is a notorious fact that the streets are never the same again. It was with a view to obviating this difficulty that the discussion Monday night.

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RECIPROCIITY AND LUMBER.

The lumber industry with its associated industries, logging, shingle manufacture and the export of un-manufactured timbers such as poles and spars, may be said to be one of the chief industries of the province.

It is a theory too much taken for granted by the opponents of reciprocity that every industry in Canada must suffer if the tariff walls are lowered and the Canadian manufacturers brought into competition with those of Uncle Sam.

We believe this to be particularly true with respect to lumber, logs and timber, and in this connection it may be of some advantage to our argument to support it with authentic figures as to the actual commerce in lumber which Canada exports to the United States.

Rough lumber to U. S. \$17,942,121 Duties levied by U. S. 1,228,842 To be abandoned by U. S. 1,228,842

It will be seen that on a total export of \$13,692,579 the duties levied under the Payne-Aldrich bill would have been \$1,954,753 and that under the new agreement the amount paid would have been \$1,615,893.

It can readily be seen that with this reduction in the resistance of the wall against the export of timber, rough and manufactured, into the United States the export trade must be appreciably developed.

The nearer the approach to a free interchange of natural and manufactured products the more normal do commercial enterprises become. Where these enterprises have been conditioned on tariff regulations their adjustment to these artificial restrictions affects the manufacturer, though perhaps not to the same extent as the customer.

The advantage which accrues from a reciprocal agreement is that it affords an opportunity for the development of business along and through natural channels. Where the country on one side of the line is especially productive of exports of any individual class and its market lies immediately at its door the advantage is of course greater than in some particular section where the opposite is the case.

Shipments into the Prairie provinces will now be more than met by the opening of the coast markets to British Columbia exports. An advantage which the local mills have over those of the United States in the southern markets is that Canada is allowed to ship lumber in foreign bottoms while Americans are not permitted to do so.

The readjustment of business conditions incident to the adoption of the reciprocity agreement is being already anticipated and many of the southern cities are making arrangements for the importation of Canadian lumber.

CANADIAN FACTORIES.

The advocates of a protective policy and high tariffs, who are to-day the chief opponents of reciprocity, have during the past ten years been pointing with pride to our increased manufactures and the industrial advance that has been made in Canada along these lines as conclusive proof of the soundness of their theories.

The gradual erosion of the last resting-place of the city's dead and the encroachment upon the Silent City which is daily taking place cannot be permitted to continue. Every sentiment susceptible to appeal cries out against delay in beginning the work.

These alarming facts have been brought into bold relief and uncomfortable prominence by Mr. James J. Harpell in a work on Canadian National Economy. Mr. Harpell, as his work shows, is a pronounced opponent of protective tariffs, but this does not in any sense invalidate his statistics nor do they show any evidence of being arranged with intent to state anything but the unpleasant facts.

So far as Mr. Harpell's analysis of the conditions affect the manufacturing industries they cover the three most important items, viz: the number of factories; number of employees and the value of the products. His basis of extracts from the government year book is of factories employing five hands and over that number and he shows that the number decreased from 14,650 in 1891 to 12,547 in 1906.

The articles manufactured upon which these figures are based include fifteen staple goods of every day consumption. Chief among them are boots and shoes, carriages and wagons, agricultural implements, output of foundries and machine shops, furniture, leather, harness, woolens, cotton, rubber goods and other articles in the classes enjoying the highest measure of protection.

Argentina, which opened its first trans-continental railroad a few months ago, expects to have two more by the close of 1912.

EDRIC INSIDE FORBIDDEN LIMIT

(Continued from page 1)

Lieut. W. E. D. Moore stated that, acting under orders from Commander Stewart, he took the bearing of the Rainbow at the time the Edric was sighted and also later. He corroborated the figures given by Commander Stewart, with regard to the location of both the Rainbow and the Edric. He saw the Edric picking up her dories. He held, as they approached. When the Rainbow's engines were stopped her bearings were taken again, and witness was sent aboard the Edric and conveyed by Capt. Danielson aboard the Rainbow.

Capt. Newcombe, of the government revenue cutter Kestrel, was the only other witness examined during the afternoon. His evidence consisted of the most part of describing the features of that particular portion of the coast of Vancouver Island and also the means of fishing for halibut.

PREPARE FOR TRIAL AT LOS ANGELES

(Continued from page 1)

Los Angeles, Cal., April 27.—(Later) Mrs. D. H. Ingersoll of San Francisco, in whose lodging house the man she knew as J. B. Bryce, and who is charged with the actual work of dynamiting the Times building here, stayed, was taken into the jail to-day to see if she could identify James McNamara as the man.

ROSS BAY RETAINING WALL

We think the city council did wisely in asking the provincial government to share a part of the cost of building the imperatively necessary retaining wall at Ross Bay. The undertaking is an expensive one, but it is an undertaking imposed upon the people by an inexorable hand and in which nature will not fail to exact compound interest for the cost the longer the work is delayed.

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HOW TO SAVE MONEY

A Pointer to Housekeepers

Look at the financial side of Zam-Buk's use. A cut sustained in the home, the store, or the workshop, a sore which is unattended, results, say, in festering or blood-poisoning. You have to lay off for a day or two. What does that mean when pay day comes round? Zam-Buk insures you against such an injury prevents all danger of blood-poisoning, takes out the smarting and heals.

Heads of families know how costly dandruff is. Be also and act on the preventive line. A box of Zam-Buk in the home is so all-round useful. The baby's rashes, the older children's cuts and bruises, the inevitable burn, cut or scald—for all these, as well as for more serious ailments, such as piles, ulcers, eczema, ringworm, etc., Zam-Buk is without a rival.

Dangers of Shaving.—You get a cut at the barber's shop. A little Zam-Buk smeared on the wound prevents all danger. If any ailment has been contracted, Zam-Buk cures. Mr. George Hobden, 108 Manitoba street, St. Thomas, Ontario, says: "I contracted barber's rash, and the whole of my left cheek broke out in one mass of red, watery pimples and sores. These spread to the other parts of my face, until face and neck were covered with running sores. How far the disease would have spread had it not been for Zam-Buk, I don't know. I applied this balm, and in a short time Zam-Buk effected a complete cure."

Zam-Buk Soap is as good as the balm, but in a different way. Washed in Zam-Buk Soap the skin is disinfected and disease germs which are killed. Mothers will find it unequalled for baby's bath.

NOTES ON POULTRY RAISING FOR MARKET

Elements of the Laws of Breeding.

The first and most vital problem which falls to the beginner is that of how to obtain good stock—foundation stock as it is called—on which he is going to build up his business. In order to know what constitutes good stock he must have some acquaintance with the laws which govern stock breeding, so that he may be able to see how far these laws have been complied with by any breeder who has stock for sale.

The great law of breeding which is almost invariably disregarded by the beginner is that of the quality of the blood. The quality of the blood, which also comes of a fine laying strain, is commonly supposed by the beginner that the offspring will tend to inherit the laying qualities which distinguish the strains to which the father and mother belong. Unfortunately this is not true, if it were so, the breeding of great strains of families, i.e., of animals related by blood, for "family" implies blood relationship, would be impossible.

The writer witnessed a remarkable and disastrous demonstration of the truth of this law in the case of a flock of 100 Rambouillet marino ewes in South Africa. The proprietors of these sheep had been imported into South Africa in 1860 by a Dutch farmer from the Royal Flock of France—Rambouillet being the name of the place maintained by the French government, and have been so maintained for over 200 years.

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As a rule, great breeders are few and far between, for this reason, that it is only those who have the "breeder's eye" who can breed their birds with-out causing deterioration. The beginner will almost certainly come to grief. How then is he to fix the qualities of his birds, if inbreeding is too difficult for him?

A way out of the difficulty will be considered in the next article. C. DEVONSHIRE.

STOCK ADVANCES.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, April 25.—Winnipeg Electric took another sensational upward turn of six and one-half points to-day, but nothing appears to be known locally of the cause. Officials say they are puzzled and that the movement is being engineered in the east. There is absolutely no change in the situation regarding it, possible purchase by the city. It is just possible that some east-erner interests are battling for control.

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PASS CONFERENCE

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Advertisement for Steadman's Soothing Powders, featuring an illustration of a child and text describing the product's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for 'Here's a Hint' featuring a woman and text promoting a product for household use.

MARKET

Table with market prices for various goods including flour, sugar, and other commodities.

RIG FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LIST DELEGATES TO SEALING CONFERENCE REACH HERE

Inaba Maru Arrives From the Orient With Large Cargo for Victoria

Besides having one of the largest cargoes that has been discharged at this port from a Japanese liner...

SPENDING \$10,000 EXTENDING PREMISES

Smith & Champion Find It Necessary to Increase Their Accommodation

APPLICATION ADJOURNED

Vancouver, April 26.—The application made in the Supreme Court...

Advertisement for 'Here's a Home Dye' by DYOLA, featuring a woman and product image.

CITY IS IN DISPUTE WITH DOMINION TRUST

Company Objects to the Erection of Convenience in Front of Building

The proposal of the city to construct a public convenience at the south end of the post office is still in abeyance...

PETITION FOR INCREASED WAGES

Winnipeg Street Railway Employees Ask for Advance and New Agreement

IN DREAD OF SOMETHING

You Can Scarcely Tell What It May Be Hysteria, Insanity, Nervous Collapse.

DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

When the nervous system breaks down you live in constant dread of something terrible about to happen...

MAGISTRATE HEARS A SERIOUS CHARGE

Evidence Offered in the Case Against Vancouver Real Estate Man

(From Tuesday's Daily.) When the adjourned case against George Lloyd Faulkner was called in the provincial police court...

SENT TO PRISON

Merchant Sentenced At Montreal As Result of Charges Laid By Liquidators

CHINATOWN RAIDED

Winnipeg, April 26.—Chinatown was raided last night by the city police and as a result the basement of the police station is filled with cases of wines and liquors...

PIONEER PHYSICIAN DEAD

Vancouver, April 26.—After a lingering illness, death came peacefully late Monday afternoon to Dr. Dugald Leitch McAlpine...

BRINGS ACTION AGAINST THE C. P. R.

A Former Brakeman Claims \$10,000 Damages From the Company

Vancouver, April 27.—An action claiming damages to the amount of \$10,000 began in the supreme court yesterday before Mr. Justice Gregory...

WELCOMED BY PREMIER

London, April 27.—Premier Asquith welcomed the educational representatives at a banquet yesterday.

OBITUARY RECORD

(From Thursday's Daily.) The funeral of the late Thomas Turnbull took place from the Victoria Independent parlors...

HEAVY FINE

Calgary, April 27.—Before Superintendent Deane at the mounted police barracks, Bert Reid, who conducts a cafeteria, pleaded guilty to selling liquor without a license...

CROP REPORTS FROM THE PRAIRIES

Winter Wheat in Alberta in Fine Shape and Farmers Expect Large Crop

Winnipeg, April 27.—The C. P. R. weekly crop report shows that from ten to seventy-five per cent of seeding has been done according to locality...

TELEGRAPH RATES

Toronto, April 27.—The matter of general revision of the tariff table rates and telegraph forms imposed by telegraph companies came up before the board of railway commissioners...

PORT GEORGE'S PROGRESS

Fort George, April 26.—A new Presbyterian church, the first church to be built at Port George, a Masonic Temple, and a land office for the provincial government are to be built here...

CONDEMNED BUILDINGS

Mr. Justice Murphy Refuses Application for Order for Their Destruction

EXTENSION OF ISLAND RAILWAY

Building of Line to Campbell River to Be Discussed at Montreal

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CITY DEBENTURES BRING GOOD PRICE

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The city's credit was demonstrated to be in good condition at Monday's meeting of the city council when J. L. Baymur reported that, under the recent local improvement by-laws, debentures to the amount of about \$350,000 have been sold to the Canadian Securities Company at the rate of 96.25.

The request of the C. P. R. to erect a temporary addition to their present ticket office and waiting room at Belleville street was referred to the building inspector. In the letter of S. McCure, which accompanied the request, it was stated that the present structure was but the precursor of more permanent additions to the company's property in the future.

NET DIRTY WEATHER IN NORTHERN WATERS

Princess May Encounters Very Heavy Snow Storms and Strong Gales

Reporting having met very dirty weather conditions in Alaskan waters as well as in northern British Columbia waters, the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Capt. McLeod, arrived in port Monday afternoon from Skagway.

Last Thursday the May experienced the worst weather of the trip. The ship was falling heavily and with a stiff breeze blowing the task of navigating the crack northern line was rendered most difficult. Despite the adverse conditions met during the trip the May reached the wharf and after landing her passengers proceeded to Esquimalt to have her tanks filled with oil from the barge.

PRISONERS ESCAPE

Centralia, Wash., April 25.—Seven prisoners in the county jail at Centralia escaped during last night by working out the wall of bricks and slipping to the ground. No guards were on duty at the jail and the prisoners worked all night without molestation.

GRANTS DEMANDS OF EMPLOYEES

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 25.—Another factory has reached an agreement with its employees. The workers will accept some operations to-morrow. It is the first of a series of similar agreements in the city.

STEEL DIVIDEND

New York, April 25.—Directors of the United States Steel Corporation today declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1 3/4 per cent. on the preferred stock, and 1 1/4 per cent. on the common stock.

WILD FLOWERS SHOWN AT DUNCAN

Large Display of Beautiful Blooms at Spring Show—Awards Made

(Special Correspondence.) Duncan, April 24.—A large and fashionable gathering attended the King's Daughters' fifth annual spring and wild flower show on Saturday last.

The table decorations attracted the ordinary visitor at the show and were, as usual, very effective. The first table, decorated by Mrs. Walker, with dog-tooth violets, ledum ferns, was very artistically arranged.

Clock and croquet golf and children's sports attracted their own crowds of spectators. Mrs. Holmes had a stall for the sale of seedling plants. Ten was dispensed by a committee of ladies under Mrs. Henderson.

The show would well repay the labors of the King's Daughters if nothing more were done than helping to stir up the enthusiasm of the children and interest them in the beautiful wild flowers of the district.

- Best collection of garden flowers—1st, Mrs. Elkington; 2nd, Mrs. H. Holmes. Best collection narcissi—1st, Mrs. Elkington. Best three specimens of narcissi—1st, Mrs. Elkington; 2nd, Mrs. Souper.

On Saturday afternoon the eighteen Victoria troops of the Boy Scouts, about three hundred strong, were reviewed in Beacon Hill park by his honor Lieut.-Governor Paterson.

MUST LEAVE TOWN

Vancouver, April 24.—What promised to be an invasion of Vancouver during the week of pickpockets and confidence men was nipped in the bud when the police arrested two men on Saturday morning, and two more Sunday morning at the C. P. R. docks.

PLANTING TREES

Nelson, April 24.—The extent of the spring operations now in progress on the Doukhobor holdings down the river may be judged from a statement made by John Sherbinin, agent of the Doukhobor society.

DETECTIVE IN TROUBLE

Spokane, April 25.—Indicted on five counts, one of which charges him with padding his census reports with more than 1400 names, Nicholas Fleca, a Spokane detective, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshal Sheely.

A roof fire at 1145 Johnson street, owned by Mrs. Hartnell, called out the fire department Monday afternoon. The damage was slight.

At a special meeting of the Building Trades Council F. C. Webb was elected to act as business agent for the building trades. A mass meeting is to be held Friday next to organize the building laborers.

TO DAM RIVERS RAVAGES OF PLAGUE IN CENTRAL INDIA

Over Ninety-Five Thousand Deaths Were Reported During the Month of March

New Westminster, April 24.—Actual work will be commenced on the construction of two dams, one on the Serpentine river and one on the Nicomechel, which when completed will be the means of reclaiming about 14,000 acres of land.

London, April 25.—The official figures of the ravages of the Indian plague in the central provinces of India show the appalling total of 95,884 deaths from the disease in March. The fatalities during February was 48,500.

Port Arthur, Ont., April 25.—The body of an unknown man, apparently a foreigner, was found in the bay yesterday afternoon. It was in an advanced state of decomposition and evidently had been in the water all winter.

FOUND DROWNED

Qu'Appelle, Sask., April 25.—The Union Bank here was entered Saturday night, but only a few dollars in stamps were secured, no effort being made to open the safe.

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CHARGE IS FOUND TO BE GROUNDFLESS ONE

Police Commissioners Inquire Into Statements Regarding Local Detective

anything to the municipality the council should bonus any club that would carry out a work of this kind. Mr. Carmichael supported the petition and stated that it had been the boating facilities which had induced him to buy property in that district.

ENGINEERS' CERTIFICATES

In the recent examination for stationery engineers' certificates the following were successful: Second class—H. Hemmer, L. Duccit and H. C. Gunton.

OVERTURNED BY EARTHQUAKE

Asheville, N. C., April 25.—Belated reports from the mountainous sections of Transylvania county say a portion of "Canaan Head," a famous peak, had been overturned by an earthquake shock, said to have been felt in western North Carolina Friday night.

OAK BAY BOAT CLUB MUST PAY UP RENT

Council Decides Against Boating Club—Permit for Six-Day Race Meet

That the Oak Bay Boat Club must pay up past due rental and continue to pay \$10 a month to the municipality was decided at a meeting of the Oak Bay council Monday night.

It appeared that the club is in arrears to the council somewhere about \$250, the rent due on the land which they occupy, and that some weeks ago a petition, signed by seventy-six of the ratepayers, asking that the debt be cancelled and the club be allowed to pay merely a nominal rent, was presented to the council.

Mr. Malen, honorary secretary-treasurer of the club at Oak Bay, explained the financial position of that organization and showed that it was doing a good work for the district in providing boating facilities, not only for the members but for the public as well.

MUCH LUMBER FOR CHINA

Many Vessels Will Carry Building Material From Portland

L. P. Lee, of the L. P. Lee Lumber Company, Portland, Ore., has engaged space on the Waterhouse steamers Oregon and Sverdrup for the shipment of 4,000,000 feet of lumber from Portland to Shanghai, representing the largest single order of Oregon fir placed in several months.

ARRESTS ON CHARGE OF KIDNAPPING

D. Fredericks is arranging preliminaries for a temporary arraignment and early trial.

Answering the summons of the district attorney, Mrs. D. H. Ingersoll, the San Francisco lodging house keeper, came to Los Angeles to-day to be present when the prisoners arrive and if possible identify James McNamara as the Bryson who was a boarder at her home prior to the explosion which wrecked the Times building and killed 21 of its men.

AVIATOR SUCCUMBS

New Orleans, La., April 25.—William A. Purvis of Chicago, who fell with his Curtiss biplane last night, died last night of his injuries.

TO PLAY FOR VANCOUVER

Toronto, April 25.—Nick Carter, the Toronto home player, has decided to accept the offer made him by Con. Jones of Vancouver, and will leave to-morrow night for the west, where he will play lacrosse this season.

RUN SHINA YA. AGROUND.

Independent Pilots Make First Attempt to Take Vessel Down Columbia.

Astoria, Ore., Apr. 25.—For a number of years the pilots on the Columbia river and lower Willamette river to reach Portland has been in charge of men who have had years of experience in their tortuous channels and tributaries in getting vessels in a position to be taken to sea. It is only recently that this work had been done profitably, and now that it is a number of river men, calling themselves independent pilots, have offered to do the business.

PIIONEER IS BADLY HURT IN ACCIDENT

James Moore Knocked Down by Victoria Hotel Bus on Causeway Yesterday

(From Tuesday's Daily.) While crossing the causeway at the corner of Belleville and Government streets, James Moore, one of the last of the Cariboo pioneers, was run over yesterday afternoon by the Victoria Hotel bus, driven by Robert Ellis. Mr. Moore was attempting to get clear of an approaching automobile which had sounded its horn, and when stepping back got in the way of the bus, which knocked him down before he had time to escape.

He was thrown violently to the block pavement and rendered unconscious. Willing hands conveyed him to the sidewalk and the ambulance was summoned, which removed him to St. Joseph's hospital. Dr. Frank Hall attended the old gentleman and reports that, outside of a severe sinking up and a few cuts and bruises he is all right.

The many friends of Mr. Moore, who is one of the best known residents of this city, regretted sincerely to learn the news of the accident which had befallen him. Dr. Hall's report that he will be able to be around in a few days has met all fears at rest. Mr. Moore came to this province many years ago and engaged in the gold rush to the Cariboo, where he was successful in accumulating considerable wealth.

For many years Mr. Moore has lived retired and of late has been residing on Michigan street. He took an active part in the early history of this province and is one of the few remaining men who visited the Cariboo in the early days.

C. P. R. Trans-Pacific Steamships Inaugurating Summer Schedule Shortly

Very shortly the summer schedule of the C. P. R. trans-Pacific liners will be inaugurated and the steamships will not be allowed such long stays at Vancouver as they have had during the winter months.

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GOERGE AND FOUL BAY AS AQUATIC AREAS

Great Facilities for Swimming and Gymnastic Exercises Passed in Council

RELATIONS BETWEEN STATES AND JAPAN

President Taft Says Treaty is Additional Guarantee of Friendship

AUSTRALIAN REFERENDUM

Melbourne, April 24.—The referendum on the proposals to enlarge the powers of the Commonwealth, to be followed by the nationalization of some of the chief industries, is being bitterly fought throughout the states and is exciting the greatest interest.

LIBRARY REFORMS ARE IN PROGRESS

Undesirable Elements Being Weeded Out—New Arrangement of Shelving Books

MAKING INSTITUTION WHAT IT SHOULD BE

The Victoria Public Library is on the eve of a reformation. All the undesirable elements—

INSTITUTED MANY REFORMS IN PRISONS

New York State Superintendent Sends Resignation to the Governor

STRIKE SPREAD AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, April 25.—Court chambers this morning were made defunct by the presence of a large number of men from the Hotel Vancouver who are on strike.

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KING JAMES VERSION OF THE BIBLE

Letter From King George Read at Tercentenary Anniversary in New York

New York, April 24.—Letters from King George and President Taft were read at Carnegie hall last night at a gathering in celebration of the 300th anniversary of the publication of the King James version of the English Bible.

BOUNDARY SURVEY

Ottawa, April 24.—W. Nesham, of the Canadian-Alaska branch of the International Boundary Survey, has left for Dawson City.

DETECTIVES TO GUARD WEDDING PARTY

Italian Merchant Fears "Black Hand" and Police Will Protect Bride and Bridegroom

RAILWAY LOST MONEY

Hamilton, April 24.—The street railway officials at the last conference to discuss extensions with the city dropped a bomb by telling exactly how much money the company lost in the last 19 years since it secured its franchise.

WILL REMAIN AT MASSETT

Masset, April 15.—Bishop Du Verney, who has been at the Massett church situation, stated at a public meeting held on April 10 with the bishop in the chair, it was resolved to have a Church of England clergyman resident at the settlement to minister to the needs of the growing white community.

WILL RAISE PRICES

New York, April 24.—The big taxicab companies in control of the hotel and theatre business have served a notice on the public that they will raise their rates about 10 per cent, beginning May 1.

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VICTORIA TO BE A BATHING RESORT

Alderman Humber, the chairman of the parks-committee was jubilant on Tuesday afternoon when he appropriated \$25,000 for his department went through.

GOATS ARE CLEARING RIGHT OF WAY

Tacoma, Wash., April 24.—The eighty Angora goats put to work on the Puget Sound Electric Railroad in clearing its right of way between Seattle and Tacoma.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

Revelstoke, April 25.—That the death of John Battie whose body was found at the rear of an empty shack four miles south of the city, was caused by self-administered carbolic acid is the decision arrived at by the coroner this morning as the result of a post mortem examination.

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FIVE FIREMEN INJURED

Ladder Collapses and Men Are Thrown on to Railroad Tracks

Seattle, Wash., April 25.—Five firemen fighting a fire in the Bryes storage warehouse at 112 Railroad avenue, south, were injured late yesterday when an 18-foot aerial ladder collapsed under their weight and threw them on to the railroad tracks.

BRITAIN AND STATES

New York, April 25.—"The historian of the future, when New York shall stretch up to the high standard of the United States as a nation," said Ambassador Bryce at the dinner given at the St. George society here.

MUST PAY FINE

Chicago, April 25.—W. Vernon Belmont firm of J. Booth & Co., was fined \$2,500 by Judge Kavanaugh in a criminal court today on a charge of selling adulterated and money under false pretenses from the Continental National Bank.

WILL ATTEND CORONATION

Vancouver, April 25.—Seven Indian boys representing all the tribes of the Fraser valley, will attend the coronation of King George V. at London on the 26th of May.

PIRATES ATTACK STEAMER'S CREW

Stoker of Stranded Liner Asia Carried Away—Warship to Be Sent to Scene

Shanghai, April 25.—Warships probably will be sent to recover as much as possible of the wrecked steamer Asia's cargo, which was deserted to China pirates, when passengers and crew were taken off by the Chinese steamer Shooking.

All Aboard Saved

Tokio, April 25.—It is reported officially today that the passengers and crew of the Pacific Mail steamer Asia were rescued after the vessel went ashore on Finger Rock Sunday. The mails were saved.

San Francisco, Cal., April 25.—Cable advices received at the headquarters of the Pacific Mail S. S. Co. in this city today, say that the Asia has not been abandoned, though there is no possibility of pulling her off Finger Rock.

NELSON TO HAVE NEW HOSPITAL

Directors Decide to Inaugurate Campaign—Building to Cost \$60,000

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Two Hundred Thousand Will Come to Western Canada This Year

Toronto, April 25.—The Canadian Northern Railway officials estimate that 40,000 United States farmers will settle along the lines of the railway in the west this year.

ECUMENICAL CONFERENCE

Methodists of the world, five to seven millions strong, will meet this year for the first time in a representative Ecumenical Conference in Canada.

NEW USE FOR STALE BEER

Pullman, Wash., April 25.—On account of numerous reports that cutworms have begun their annual campaign of destruction in the orchards and gardens, Professor A. L. Melander, entomologist, is sending out instructions to farmers to feed the pests poison.

GIRL GUIDES AT VANCOUVER

Vancouver, April 24.—Girl Guides are now being organized here, the first branch being formed at the First Presbyterian church, where the idea was taken up by the girls of the congregation.

FIVE NEGROES SENTENCED TO DEATH

Oklahoma City, Okla., April 25.—Five negroes were sentenced here yesterday to hang from the same scaffold in Oklahoma City on June 17 for the murder of W. H. Archie, who was robbed and killed March 25.

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Dr. C. J. Fagan, secretary of the provincial board of health, has made his report to the provincial secretary on his inquiry into charges made by George Oliver, Victoria West, touching the death of his young daughter in the isolation hospital last January.

CITY CLEANING-UP IS IN OPERATION

Twelve Garbage Carts Will Comb the City for Undesirable Elements

The city of Victoria is now being subjected to a thorough cleaning. The garbage and other undesirable accumulations which have made an eyesore of many a promising vacant lot is to be swept away to a suitable receptacle which the city will provide for the purpose.

PROPOSED ONTARIO ARCH

London, April 25.—An interesting scheme for the Coronation decoration is that submitted by Messrs. Scott, Willey & Webster, a London firm of architects, who are frequently called upon by prominent Canadians to design their residences in England.

OPIMUM SEIZED ON TRAIN AT BLAINE

Porter in Charge of Sleeping Car is Taken Into Custody

Seattle, Wash., April 25.—Packed away in three apparently ownership grips, 240 five-gram tins of opium valued at \$7,200 were taken at Blaine yesterday morning from a sleeping car on the Great Northern Owl train by Customs Inspector Emery Hughes and Immigration Inspector C. Young.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

St. John's Honors Miss Woods - Needs of Columbia Coast Mission

The annual meeting of St. John's branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to missions held Tuesday afternoon in St. John's hall, Herald street.

The officers elected were: President, Mrs. R. H. Walker; treasurer, Mrs. Randall; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Sanborn; recording secretary, Mrs. T. Walker; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Norris; C. C. secretary, Miss Coates; leaflet secretary, Miss E. Woods; literature secretary, Mrs. A. L. Burns.

The Rev. A. J. Stanley, A.D.C., curate of St. John's, opened the meeting with prayer, took the choir during the election of officers, and dismissed the gathering with prayer and the doxology.

The sixth annual meeting of the Christ Church Cathedral branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to Missions took place on Monday, upwards of 40 members being present.

The treasurer's report showed receipts to be \$806.09, and disbursements \$894.27, leaving a balance in hand of \$111.82.

The Dorcas work of the branch was particularly good, bales being sent to the C. C. mission, Mr. V. Walker, and the school at Hay River, the Indian school at Alert Bay, and to Saanich and Cumberland.

After the meeting adjourned tea was served by the committee in charge.

The board meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to Missions, Columbia diocese, will be held in St. Mark's school-room on Friday at 2.30 p. m.

ALASKA COAL CASES. Northern Merchants Fear Delay Will Result in Hardship.

Cordova, Alaska, April 28.—No action of decision by the federal government regarding Alaskan matters in recent years has dealt such a death-blow to the hopes of residents of the northern territory as the decision just made postponing the hearing of the coal cases by the Supreme court until next October, news of which has been received here.

Local business men say that if the coal cases are not decided in May there is no hope of native coal being available for the local markets until 1912.

It is asserted that many local business men will find this a severe hardship, as the excessive prices demanded for foreign coal are a severe drain.

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El Paso, Texas, April 28.—Francisco L. Madero, Jr., the Mexican insurrection leader, reiterated today his desire to see peace extended to the existing armistice when it expires next Friday if negotiations appear to be under way.

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CANADIAN TROOPS FOR CORONATION

Contingent to Undergo Drill Before Embarking for England

Ottawa, April 28.—A militia order issued this morning announces that the coronation contingent will concentrate for eleven days drill and instructions at a depot of the arm of the service to which they belong and for three days at Quebec prior to embarkation for England, as follows:

From Western Ontario and all points in the immediate vicinity of Toronto, at Toronto, commencing May 22.

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IMMIGRATION RETURNS SHOW LARGE INCREASE

Ottawa, April 28.—The total immigration into Canada for the fiscal year ending March was 311,084.

Immigration from United States was 121,461, and by ocean ports 189,623. The total immigration for the previous fiscal year was 208,764, the number from United States being 103,798, and by ocean ports 104,966, an increase for the year of 49 per cent.

THE VETO BILL. Two Proposed Amendments Defeated in House of Commons.

London, April 28.—The House of Commons sat very late last night in its discussion of the second clause of the parliament bill, which relates to the curtailment of the powers of the House of Lords, and rejected numerous amendments seeking to exclude all sorts of measures from the operation of the bill.

An anti-home rule amendment, proposing to exclude "any bill to establish a separate parliament and executive for Ireland," which was moved by John B. Lonsdale, Unionist, was defeated by a vote of 284 to 190.

The division on this amendment showed no cross voting, but a few Liberals, including Neil Primrose, the youngest son of the Earl of Rosebery did not vote.

John George Butcher, Unionist, moved an amendment exempting from the operation of the bill any bill affecting the continued existence of the crown's prerogatives.

In opposing this amendment Sir Robert B. Finlay, the attorney-general, said the secrecy of the crown rested on the loyalty of the people, and it would be an evil day for the crown when it depended for existence upon the Lords vote.

Another amendment was defeated 278 to 168.

San Francisco, Cal., April 28.—The schooner Americana, now out 71 days from Newcastle, Australia, for this port and fully due, has been chartered by J. J. Moore & Co. to load lumber on the Sound or Willapa Harbor for Sidney.

In coastwise business the only charterers were the schooner Nokomis to load lumber at Tacoma for San Francisco at \$4.50, the having sailed from San Pedro for Tacoma April 19, and the schooner Mindoro from Columbia river to Honolulu, \$5.00. The Mindoro is now at Rendonido.

The ship Abner Coburn, Capt. Murray, which has arrived in port with coal from Newcastle, Australia, reports the loss of one seaman and a difficult voyage. Very heavy weather was met by the windjammer at various stages of the voyage from the British colony port.

During one of the severe spells while northwest gales kept the hands busy on the canvas, Isaac Walker, 22 years of age, and a native of Ireland, lost his hold on the fore-upper-top-sail yard and fell into the sea. The waves were running high and although Capt. Murray immediately ordered a boat launched to the assistance of the sailor, he sank from sight before he could be rescued.

Capt. Murray reported that the vessel was in the harbor of Cortado, Nicaragua, on March 10. While coming to an anchorage in the Central American port, the Sidney fouled the wind-jammer and had her starboard quarter struck by the sailing ship. The vessel's lifeboats and the davits and a portion of the rail were badly damaged by the impact.

REBEL TRIBESMEN REPULSED. Tangiers, April 28.—Advices from Fez under date of April 19, states that 2,000 rebel tribesmen attacked the city from the north but were repulsed by a heavy infantry and artillery fire.

Provisions have arrived in the city, which is being distributed to the needy. European consuls in this city have decided to urge the Europeans at Fez to leave for this place as soon as possible.

CHICKENS BURNED. San Jose, Cal., April 25.—Ten thousand chickens were burned in a fire at the California Chicken Company's yards, near Los Altos, Saturday night. Three hundred feet of one of the principal buildings were destroyed and 100 incubators and other valuable property was burned.

LAND ACT. VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT. DISTRICT OF COAST RANGE III. Take notice that W. H. Gibson, of Bella Cooola, missionary, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted about 200 chains east of the north-east corner of the Bella Cooola Indian Reserve, thence east 40 chains, thence north 30 chains more or less to Neechit-coney river, thence southwesterly along river 40 chains more or less to point of commencement, and containing 40 acres more or less.

W. H. GIBSON. April 28, 1911.

LAND ACT. GOLDSTREAM LAND DISTRICT. DISTRICT OF GOLDSTREAM. Take notice that Bedlington Harold John, of Victoria, B. C., broker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted on the western shore line of Finlayson arm, at the intersection of the northern boundary of Section (6) six, Goldstream District, thence east (20) chains, thence north, thence east, thence west 40 chains more or less to the western shore of Finlayson Arm, thence north along the shore line to the place of commencement.

BEDLINGTON HAROLD JOHN. March 14th, 1911.

Melbourne, April 28.—New labor legislation is to be brought forward by the Commonwealth government. According to Mr. Holman, wages boards will be struck, together with a court of industrial arbitration, to settle appeals. All strikes will be prohibited and strikers who refuse to recognize the courts provided for the settlement of disputes will be heavily fined.

NEW WIRELESS RATE FOR SHIP BUSINESS

The Dominion Government Announces Big Reduction for Ten Word Message

Important reductions in the charges made by the Dominion Government Radio-Telegraph service for transmitting messages, have been announced and are effective from April 28.

The new rate which has just come into force only applies to ship business, in cases where a captain wishes to inform the manager of the company of his position or the skipper of any of the vessels under control.

Shipping companies welcome the news of this reduction and it will undoubtedly draw a great business to the Dominion Government stations on the coast.

After having erected and equipped nine stations along the British Columbia coast, which chain is looked upon as the finest and most up-to-date in the world, the government in view of the charges to be made for the sending of messages to vessels and interchanging with them.

KIDNAPPED LAD MAKES HIS ESCAPE. Man Overcome by Fumes of Chloroform He Was Administering to Captive.

Omaha, Neb., April 28.—Dazed by the influence of chloroform, Bernard Smyth, 18 years of age, was a remarkable story of his escape from kidnapers in fulfillment of many blackmailing letters demanding ransom from the boy's father, C. J. Smyth, former attorney-general, two masked men seized the youth early in the evening while he was walking home from a tennis club. They bound and gagged him, threw him into a closed carriage and took him to a deserted shack in a little suburb.

According to young Smyth's statement, one man departed saying he was going to get Frances Hostetter, a 16-year-old girl and a chum of Smyth's who also had been threatened. The remaining kidnapper was overpowered by the fumes of the chloroform he was administering to his captive.

At that juncture he had escaped to a street car, which took him home. He is in a serious condition of nervous exhaustion.

NEW ARCHDEACON OF LONDON. London, April 28.—The Bishop of London has appointed the Rev. E. H. Holmes, Hon. Canon of Christ Church, Oxford, to be Archdeacon of London.

Canon Ernest Edward Holmes has been member of the Chapter of the Royal Chapel of St. Katherine's since 1908. Ordained in 1877, he was for some time curate at Rugeley, and has been domestic chaplain to the Bishop of Cape-town and to the Bishop of Oxford.

THE DARK DAYS OF STOMACH TROUBLE. Obstinate Indigestion Can Be Cured by a Fair Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

No trouble causes more widespread suffering and discomfort than indigestion. The ailments take various forms. Some victims are ravenous for food; others turn sick and faint at the sight of meals, but as a rule every meal is followed by indigestion, flatulency, heartburn, sick headaches, dizziness and shortness of breath.

Indigestion assumes an obstinate form because ordinary medicines only subdue its symptoms—but do not cure. So-called predigested foods only make the digestion more sluggish, and ultimately make the trouble take a chronic form.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure indigestion because they go right to the root of the trouble. They make new, rich blood that invigorates weakened organs, thus strengthening the digestive system so that the stomach does its own work.

After time in the published cures for indigestion, by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, Miss Blanche Wallace, Dartmouth, N. S., says—"I suffered greatly with my head and stomach, and often took fainting spells. I could not retain anything on my stomach, and while I naturally craved food I really dreaded mealtime with the pain and discomfort that followed. I tried a number of remedies but got no relief. My mother was using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at the time with so much benefit that she induced me to try them. The result was that soon the trouble had passed away, and I have since enjoyed the best of health."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 by writing "Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

WHITE ENSIGN FOR CANADIAN NAVY

Naval Officers Are Opposed to Any Change Being Made

Hull, April 28.—Notable utterances were made by Rear-Admiral Kingsmill, Col. Denison of the Royal Canadian Regiment, and Capt. Macdonald of H. M. C. S. Niobe, at the dinner of St. George's Society last night in reference to the flag that they believe should be flown by ships of the Canadian navy.

There has been some talk of a change in the white ensign for the Canadian navy, but these officers are against any change. They all spoke in favor of retaining the white ensign of England and against any changes in embellishment or mutilations of it in whatever.

"To-day we have in the harbor," said Admiral Kingsmill, "the Niobe flying the white ensign. I hope it will always remain so flying." It did not seem creditable to him, he said, that that flag should ever be done away with in any manner or changed in any form, if we are to have a great navy or be a part of the British navy.

He did not know that anything of the kind was being considered by the authorities here or in Britain, but he believed it had been considered in Australia. He sincerely hoped it would not be changed in Canada, if such a change were to become effective it would be the end of our navy.

Col. Denison dwelt particularly on the fact that our army and navy as expressed on the coast list were imperial, not local or auxiliary.

Captain Macdonald, the commander of the Niobe, said he was pleased that his ship was filled with men who are a credit to our coast list. Many of them were French-Canadian, and none of them did themselves or their nationality more honor as sailors than they.

SHOPLAND-ARMSTRONG. Popular Young Saanich People United in Marriage.

A wedding of very general interest to the people of North Saanich took place in the North Saanich Methodist church on Wednesday, April 19, at 2.30 o'clock, when Mr. Norman Shopland, Comox, formerly of North Saanich, and Miss Marjorie Letitia Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, and sister of the popular young ladies of the community, were united in marriage.

The church was very appropriately decorated for the occasion and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. H. S. Hastings, pastor of the church, in the presence of an assembly larger than the seating capacity.

The bride party entered the church to the strains of the Bridal March. The bride was escorted by the Rev. H. S. Hastings, as she approached the altar leaning on her father's arm, attired in a beautiful costume of silk chiffon over ivory satin trimmed with Irish lace and silver tulle, made in London, Eng., and carrying a bouquet of bridal roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid, Miss Aggie Shopland, and the maid of honor, Miss Bertha Shopland, sisters of the groom, were given in white silk mill, wore white picture hats trimmed with blue, and carried large bouquets of carnations. Miss Jean John was a pretty little flower girl. The groom was supported by Mr. Wilson Armstrong, brother of the bride.

At the close of the ceremony the wedding party retired while the wedding march was being played by Mrs. Shopland. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, when a host of friends took occasion to offer their congratulations and best wishes. About one hundred and twenty-five guests sat down to a sumptuous repast, at the close of which short congratulatory speeches were made by the Rev. Dr. Reid and Rev. J. A. Wood, Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. Shopland will leave in the near future for their new home in Alberta, carrying with them the best wishes of their many friends for a prosperous and happy life.

The happy couple left the same evening for Victoria and Seattle. The bride's going-away gown was of grey cloth. Her large picture hat with white plumes and her box of wedgewood blue ostrich feathers were the gifts of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Toye, London, England. The groom's gift to the bridesmaid gold brooches, and to the flower girl a gold ring. The bride's gift to the groom was a signet ring. Mr. and Mrs. Shopland will leave in the near future for their new home in Alberta, carrying with them the best wishes of their many friends for a prosperous and happy life.

Lace trimmed handkerchief, Miss M. Griffin, N. Saanich. Silver coffee spoons, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hunter, Victoria. Silver coffee spoons, Mr. and Mrs. Slater, Victoria. Silver and gilt cream and sugar basin, Messrs. W. and J. John, Sidney. Silver cake plate, Mr. S. McDonald, North Saanich. Silver sugar sifter and lace toilet set, Mr. and the Misses McDowell, Sidney. Gold jewel case, Mr. and Mrs. T. Harrison, Sidney. Silver cream and sugar set, Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt, Sidney. Silver sugar tongs, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Knowles, Sidney. Silver fruit dish, Mr. and Mrs. A. McDonald, North Saanich. Silver and cut glass salt and pepper, Mr. R. Brethour, Sidney. Lace doilies, Mrs. H. S. Hastings, Sidney. Cushion cover, the Misses Shopland, Saanich. Silver and glass butter dish, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins, Sidney. Cut glass bon dish, Miss V. Collins, Sidney. China fruit dish, Miss P. Harrison, Sidney. Silver cake basket, Captain and Miss Berquist, Sidney. Silver and glass marmalade dish, the

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