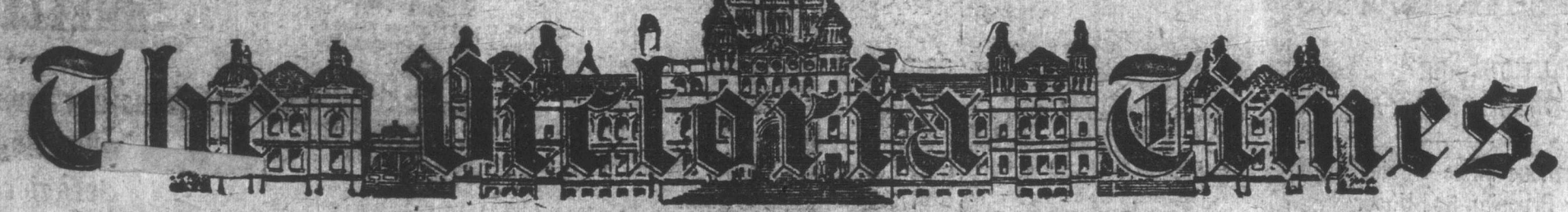


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# SEA CLAIMS HEAVY TOLL STEAMSHIP DISASTER

## Eighty-Five Missing When Larache Runs on Rocks of Spanish Coast--Dense Fog Hampers Rescue Work

Paris, June 25.—A special dispatch received here from Coruna, Spain, says that the Spanish steamer Larache went on the rocks near Muros, where the cruiser Cardinal Cisneros was wrecked in 1905. Latest reports are that 85 persons are missing as a result of the disaster. The rescued number 65. The captain sank with his ship. The Larache came from Cadix, where she had landed part of her passengers. She was on her way to Muros, when on account of the fog she headed for Coruna. Suddenly she ran upon a rock, but the captain was not on the coast well, got this vessel off. Almost immediately she ran upon another rock, which was uncharted. The steamer, according to a survivor of the crew, sank within a few minutes. The heavy sea which was running at the time destroyed two of the lifeboats. The boats from the neighboring fishing villages went to the rescue, but were able to do but little for a time owing to the weather conditions. They succeeded eventually in picking up a number of men and women who were floating upon pieces of wreckage.

**Wrecked Vessel a Death Trap.**  
Coruna, Spain, June 25.—Most of the passengers on the Larache were residents of the Argentine Republic. The Larache was a little more than an old tub and proved a veritable death trap when she struck on the rocks near Muros. She sank in a few minutes, leaving the passengers and crew struggling and screaming in the water. The small boats of the Larache were either smashed or capsized. There was a fleet of fishing boats near by and they rushed to the rescue, but the heavy fog prevailing seriously interfered with their work. The fishermen succeeded in rescuing sixty-five people.

In addition to the captain, the ship's doctor and the first officer were drowned. The disaster occurred at 5 o'clock in the morning and most of those who were saved are without clothing. It is feared that all of the 85 missing were drowned.

### VANCOUVER'S POPULATION.

Vancouver, June 25.—The Henderson directory estimates that Vancouver's population is eighty-seven thousand.

### TALE DEFEATS HARVARD.

New London, Conn., June 25.—Yale won the varsity four-oared race with Harvard, over a distance of two miles on the Thames river to-day by three-quarters of a length. Both crews appeared to be in good condition at the finish.

### ROCKEFELLER TO TELL HOW HE WON RICHES

World's Wealthiest Man Will Write Story of His Life.

New York, June 25.—John R. Rockefeller, according to an announcement, has decided to give to the world his own story of his life. It will be published serially in a New York magazine, beginning in October.

"I have come to see," Mr. Rockefeller said to the publishers in explanation of this step when it was discussed, "that if my family and friends want some record of things which may shed light on matters that have been somewhat discussed, it is right that I should yield to their advice, and in this informal way go over again some of the events which have made me interesting to me."

Mr. Rockefeller's autobiography is to be published under the title of "Some Random Reminiscences of Men and Events."

### DEATH IN MOSQUITO BITES.

Stratford, One, June 25.—Y. Caney, Cambria street, is suffering from a severe case of blood poisoning in the arm following a mosquito bite a week ago. Only amputation will save his life.

### OTTAWA DEADLOCK REACHES SETTLEMENT

Prorogation Is Expected to Take Place on July 18th.

Ottawa, June 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier and R. L. Borden have now practically reached an understanding on the election bill, there being mutual concessions on both sides. The balance of the sessional business will be put through as speedily as possible and prorogation is expected about July 18th.

### FISHING IN GULF WATERS.

Canso, N. S., June 25.—The steamer Wren, a steam trawler, Capt. John Smith, arrived at Canso yesterday from Scotland, and will fish in gulf waters. Local fishermen do not look with favor on the introduction of this mode of fishing.

### TUPPERIAN OPTIMISM.

Haltex, June 25.—Sir C. H. Tupper has sent a letter to the electors of Pictou county, regretfully tendering his resignation as candidate for Pictou county. In the letter he says he is confident that the Conservatives will win in the next elections.

### A TRAGEDY INDEED.

Ottawa, June 25.—Madame Cyprien Price, 73 years old, a paralytic, who was pushing her cart around in a kitchen chair was so seriously burned while lighting a fire that she died of her injuries yesterday.

### BRITISH CABINET CHANGES.

Removed Resignations of Lords Tweedmouth and Loreburn.

London, June 25.—There was a rumor last night that the resignations of Lord Tweedmouth, president of the council, and Lord Loreburn, Lord High Chancellor, were imminent and that R. E. Haldane, secretary of war, and Winston Churchill, president of the board of trade, would be appointed Lord Chancellor and Secretary for War respectively.

### BANK OF ENGLAND.

Total Reserve Shows Increase Over Figures Last Week.

London, June 25.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased, £35,000; circulation increased, £25,000; bullion increased, £54,441; other securities increased, £44,000; other deposits increased, £185,000; public deposits increased, £394,000; notes reserved increased, £22,000; other securities increased, £165,000.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to its liabilities this week is 61.7 per cent., compared with 1.06 per cent. a week ago.

### WINS HIS COMMISSION.

Kingston, Ont., June 25.—Battalion Sergeant Carson, of the Royal Military College, has headed the list of the graduation class, and won the commission in the Royal Engineers. He is a Kingstonian.

### HIS MAJESTY WILL NOT ABANDON RACING

London, June 25.—The rumor that King Edward was disappointed at the form displayed by his race horses, and intended to sell his stud and abandon the turf, is authoritative denial from Buckingham Palace.

### FIFTEEN YEARS AS NEWFOUNDLAND'S PREMIER

Sir William Whiteway Passes Away at Ripe Age of 80 Years.

St. John's, Nfld., June 25.—Sir Wm. Whiteway, former premier of Newfoundland, died here yesterday. He was over 80 years old.

15 Years as Premier.  
Right Hon. Sir William Vallance Whiteway, K. C. M. G., was born on April 1st, 1828, in Devonshire and at the age of 15 went to Newfoundland. He was educated for the law and was called to the Newfoundland bar in 1852. Ten years later he was created Q. C. From 1865 to 1889 he was speaker of the Newfoundland House of Assembly and in 1873 was made Solicitor General, which position he held for five years. In the latter year he became premier and attorney-general. These posts he occupied for seven years and again from 1889-1897.

### HOLLAND MAKES CLAIM AGAINST VENEZUELA

Dutch Vessels Stopped by Shots and Letters Aboard Seized.

London, June 25.—The Daily Telegraph correspondent at The Hague learns that Holland has made a claim against Venezuela for redress for the Dutch ships and mails.

A recent dispatch from Wilhelmstadt reported that two Dutch sloops, the Martin and Carmita, plying between Aruba, a Dutch island near the coast of Venezuela, and Curacao were detained by a Venezuelan guard vessel on the high seas off Lavela de Coro a point on Venezuela. The ships were stopped by shots from the Venezuelan vessels and forced to go to Curacao, where they were detained for two days. All letters, the dispatch stated, except those in mail bags on board the sloops, were retained by the Venezuelan authorities.

### FRANCE'S PATRON SAINT.

Festival of St. Jean Baptiste Is Duly Observed at Montreal.

Montreal, June 25.—All French Canadians of the city observed the holiday yesterday in celebration of the Festival of St. Jean Baptiste, their patron saint. The usual procession, which always rivals the Fete Dieu procession in popularity and picturesque interest, took place yesterday morning throughout the principal thoroughfares of the northern portion of the city to the parish church of Ville St. Louis.

### BOTTLING UP NORTH SEA.

Admiralty May Station Squadrons at North of Scotland.

London, June 25.—The Daily Express announces that the admiralty has decided to next year organize new divisions of the fleet to be stationed off the north of Scotland, with a view to guarding the northern entrance, thus bottling up the North Sea.

### HAS SALT WATER SYSTEM IN USE

B. C. ELECTRIC HAS A HIGH PRESSURE PLANT

Successful Test Is Made in Presence of Civic Representatives.

(From Thursday's Daily).

An object lesson in the working of a high pressure system of fire protection was afforded this morning by a test made by the B. C. Electric Co. of a salt water system which they have just installed, which is identical with the one the city is about to install. The test was made in the presence of the members of the city council and civic officials and proved in every way a complete success. The city representatives who saw the test expressed themselves as eminently satisfied with it and more than ever convinced of the necessity of the city putting in such a system. Five lines of hose were brought into play and each of them threw a stream with a good volume of water a distance of at least 40 feet. The pressure of these pumps is only half what those to be installed by the city will be capable of and their capacity is about two-fifths of those which the city proposes to install. With the extra pressure which will be obtainable from the city's high pressure system and its extra capacity the business section of Victoria should be protected from any possibility of a really big fire once the new system is in working order.

Those present at the test include Hon. R. G. Tait, Mayor; Hon. H. Alderman Gammeter, Hon. Mable and McKewen, James E. Kinnear, city treasurer; W. W. Northcott, city purchasing agent; Thomas Watson, chief of the fire brigade; Matthew Hutchison, city electrician; Albert T. Goward, chief of the B. C. Electric railway; Harry Gibson, traffic superintendent of the road; C. M. Tripp, superintendent of the company's sub-station; W. T. Farrell, managing director of the B. C. Telephone Company, Vancouver, and representatives of the press.

The test was made at 11 o'clock and inside of fifteen seconds from the time the alarm sounded the stream was playing, followed by four others as fast as the men could turn on the hydrants. From a 2 1/2 inch hose with 1 1/2 nozzle the stream carried a good volume of water to a height of 60 feet and a corresponding distance from those set horizontally. The test was made at a pressure of from 60 to 80 pounds on the pumps according to the manipulation of the man in charge by the B. C. Electric Co. The efficiency of the streams for fire-fighting purposes there could be no doubt in the minds of any one who was present. Three of the streams were from 30 foot lengths of hose and the other two from 200 foot stretches, but so good was the pressure that little if any difference could be seen in the distance the water was carried.

The pump itself, which is situated in the basement of the subdivision, is a simple looking affair, and to the lay mind gives no idea of its power. It is what is known as a two-chamber turbine pump, which is driven by a motor of 40 to 50 horsepower. The pump has a capacity of 1,000 gallons per minute, which is amply sufficient for the protection of the company's sub-station.

The principle of the system, however, is identical with that of the one the city is about to install. A ten and twelve-inch suction main leads the salt water into the pump, which forces it through the six and eight-inch mains which the company has laid throughout its premises. On the latter are seven three-inch vertical risers, which are connected throughout the buildings and yards. Ordinarily these mains are filled with water from the city's system, but as soon as the alarm is given the man in charge of the pump pulls a lever which turns on the motor, and inside of a few seconds the salt water at high pressure is available, the valve admitting the fresh water from the city's system to the company's mains being automatically shut off. Just as will be the case with the city's system when it is established.

The total cost of the plant to the company is about \$20,000. This includes the pump, motor to drive it, the hydrants, standpipes and 2,500 feet of 2 1/2-inch hose with all attachments. This hose is eight of an inch larger than those used by the city, but the couplings are the same size, so that the city brigade can attach its hose to the hydrants if they desire to do so. The

### CUBANS WELCOME SPANISH SHIP

GREAT REJOICING ON HAVANA WATERFRONT

Entire Population Witness Arrival of Naval Vessel—Picturesque Ceremony.

Havana, June 25.—The school ship Nautillus, the first Spanish naval vessel to enter a Cuban port since the relinquishment of Spanish sovereignty over the island, came into the harbor of Havana yesterday and was hailed with enthusiastic expressions of delight by the entire Spanish colony, many thousands of Cubans joining in the demonstration. Salvoes of pyrotechnic bombs signalled the sighting of the schoolship, the population moving en masse to the water front to witness her arrival. A fleet of upwards of 100 decorated yachts and launches, steamers and mail boats gathered in the mouth of the harbor to welcome the visitor and escort her to her anchorage. The roofs of the houses in the city and the battlements of Morro Punta and Cabanao were covered with spectators.

As the ship came abreast the historic fortress, for centuries the emblem of Spanish sovereignty, she broke out the single starred flag at her mainmast, thundering forth a national salute. At the same moment was released from the committee steamer of the Spanish colony a fleet consisting of a score of white doves, and attached to their tails were streamers of crimson and gold, which swung in the air as the birds flew hither and thither in the smoke of cannons. Some of them took refuge on the yard arms and rigging of the ship.

Surrounded by the escorting fleet, the Nautillus slowly sailed past, Cabanao, whose batteries returned the salute, and proceeded to her anchorage in the harbor within a few hundred yards of the wreck of the Maine. Extensive preparations are under way for the entertainment of the visitors, who will remain for about ten days, during which time the city will be en fete.

### ORDER ONCE MORE PREVAILS IN TEHRAN

Teheran, June 25.—The city is quiet today. All the bazaars have been re-opened, the people are more orderly, and the situation seems to be well in hand. Many arrests were made yesterday.

### HENEY AND RUEF PASS LIE IN COURT

San Francisco, June 25.—Hot words were exchanged in the court room of Judge Cabaniss yesterday between Assistant District Attorney Francis J. Heney and Abe Ruef during the preliminary examination of the latter on a charge of offering a bribe to ex-Supervisor J. J. Furey, in connection with the Parkside Transit Company's franchise.

The lie was passed, and at one stage it appeared as if violence would follow. Court officers, however, restored quiet.

The trouble was occasioned through the action of Attorney Newburgh, in having a subpoena issued for James McCarthy, personal body guard of Heney. This was served by the office boy for Ruef. During the proceedings Heney asked that John Behan, clerk of the board of supervisors, be summoned. He desired to have McCarthy act as messenger for the occasion, but Newburgh objected, saying he did not want McCarthy to leave the court room. He also claimed that McCarthy was armed, as was Charles Oliver, another employee of the prosecution.

Other statements angered Heney, and turning to Ruef he said: "If any trouble occurs, you will be the first to get yours."

"What have I done?"

"You have hired assassins to kill me," exclaimed Heney.

"You are a liar," replied Ruef.

Bailiffs and others interfered at this stage and Judge Cabaniss also took a hand in the re-establishment of peace.

Later Attorney Newburgh took occasion to compliment the decision of the appellate court in the Schmitz case, saying "I would live long in the esteem of the people."

Heney replied that it was a decision that will stick to heaven while all in court live, and long after they are dead. He added that he has no fear of the decisions of the appellate court in his cases.

When adjournment was taken, Heney said he would not appear at night, as he did not want to take chances of visiting the vicinity of the court room after dark. In daylight he would appear with his back to the wall.

### REORGANIZATION SUGGESTED.

Montreal, June 25.—A circular letter has been sent to all the creditors of the defunct Banque de St. Jean, suggesting reorganization of the bank with the object of retrieving the lost fortunes of those who are suffering as a result of the failure.

### SUNSTROKE FATALITY.

London, Ont., June 25.—Oscar Kinsman, aged 62 years, is dead, from sunstroke.

### LESSONS FROM BRIDGE DISASTER

H. HOLGATE GIVES HIS VIEWS ON SUBJECT

Results of Inquiry Will Be Evolution of Safe Design.

Ottawa, Ont., June 25.—At the continuation of the inquiry into the affairs of the Quebec Bridge Company on Tuesday Henry Holgate, chairman of the recent commission, outlined what he considers would be the best plan to follow in the reconstruction of bridge. The way to rebuild the structure would be by a commission of three experts, including the chief engineer and an efficient staff. The plan for the bridge should be drawn up by the chief engineer and submitted to the commission. The engineers should be chosen for their efficiency, no matter to what country they belonged.

As to the cost Mr. Holgate said he could not predict what it would be with any degree of accuracy. As to the proportion of the present structure of material that could be used in the new bridge it would depend on the design.

Asked if it was a fair inference that the government took all the precautionary measures which they could have been expected to take at the time, Mr. Holgate said he would not like to go that far. Hindsight was always easier than foresight. The confidence of the government lay in the fact that Theo. Cooper, an eminent engineer, was in charge.

Asked if the inquiry conducted by the commission was not in the nature of a post mortem, Mr. Holgate replied that it was to this extent, "We reasoned from effects to cause. It is admittedly easier to find causes than to anticipate results."

Mr. Holgate declared that with the results of the Quebec bridge inquiry and what will be shown during the course of next year by experiments it ought to be possible to produce an economical and safe design for bridges.

### ASSOCIATION WILL GUARD LUMBER INTERESTS

Capital of \$25,000,000 Represented in New Organization—Duty on Imports.

Ottawa, June 25.—The Canadian Lumbermen's Association was formed yesterday to act as a general advisory body to deal with matters affecting the trade. The capital represented is about \$25,000,000. The new president elected was J. R. Booth, Ottawa, who presided; vice-president, J. B. Miller, Toronto; treasurer, S. Cameron. A permanent secretary will be appointed.

Afterwards a deputation asked the premier and minister of customs to impose a duty on southern pine and hemlock brought into Canada. Sir Wilfrid Laurier will consider this, but intimates that no restrictions will be considered that would act as an obstacle to western people receiving what lumber they required.

The lumbermen said the duty would not have effect in the west, where white pine is mainly used.

### APPEAL FOR FRENCH LANGUAGE IN CANADA

Passionate Pleas to Keep Customs Unswayed by Foreign Element.

Montreal, June 25.—Passionate appeals to French Canadians to preserve their language and their customs unswayed by contact with their English-speaking fellow countrymen, were made in an address delivered last night at the St. Jean Baptiste demonstration in the town of St. Louis. Canon Lepailleur pointed out that the French language was being contaminated by the use of English words, especially in the industrial and business world and he said the St. Jean Baptiste Society should make it a business to provide the proper nomenclature of French business and industrial terms.

Arthur Brossard, K. C., pointed out the danger there was by the foreign element that was pouring in, especially in the northwest but said if Quebec, the bulwark of French Canadian nationality stood firm, there was hope for those settled elsewhere.

The gathering was estimated at 20,000 people.

C. F. R. EARNINGS.

Montreal, June 25.—C. F. R. earnings for the week ending June 21st decreased by \$322,000.

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PROROGATION HIS DRAWING NEAR

LEAD BOUNTY BILL PASSES COMMITTEE STAGE

Opposition Withdraws Request for Further Investigation Into Hodgins' Charges.

Ottawa, June 24.—The government bill providing an extension of the lead bounty for five years passed the committee stage of the House this morning without any decided objections from the opposition.

MONTREAL HIGHWAYMEN.

Montreal, June 24.—With a bullet in his head, an Italian has been attacked by a couple of highwaymen thought to be Italians on the lower Lachine road, Euclid Gratton, a travine in the employ of Gratton & Co., tobacco dealer, called at police headquarters to report the circumstances.

KING IN ATTENDANCE AT WARD-REID NUPTIALS

U. S. Ambassador's Daughter is Honored by England's Royalty.

London, June 24.—With King Edward and Queen Alexandra smiling approval from the private gallery, Miss Jean Reid, daughter of Whitelaw Reid, the United States ambassador to Great Britain, was married yesterday afternoon in the Chapel Royal at St. James' palace to Hon. John Hubert Ward, brother-in-law of the Earl of Dudley, and quarry-in-waiting to the King.

3,000,000 LOSS AT THREE RIVERS

TAFT PARTY TO ANTI-INUNCTION PLANK

Platform Not Retreat From Roosevelt Policy, as Asserted by Bryan.

ARCHBISHOP MATHESON, D. D.

Winnipeg, June 24.—A cable states that Cambridge has conferred the degree of Doctor of Divinity on Archbishop Matheson, of Rupertland.

AIRSHIP TRIAL PROVES SUCCESS

EVOLUTIONS ARE HIGHLY SATISFACTORY

Enormous Mass Circles Over Prussian Soil Under Perfect Control.

Frederichshaven, June 24.—A second ascent was made last evening by Count Zeppelin in his new airship with a view to testing an improved side steering gear which has just been invented. On the first ascent Count Zeppelin declared that he was satisfied with everything excepting the side steering arrangement which had not come up to expectations.

LIGHT DAY IN POLICE COURT.

Only Three Cases on Docket and All Remanded For Various Reasons.

CLAIMANTS TO CHUCK FROM HEART OF LONDON

Montreal Professor Sails to Old Land on Romantic Quest.

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Thanksgiving Offerings of 250 Bishops Likely to Reach \$5,000,000.

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NOTED DEMOCRAT IS NO MORE

GROVER CLEVELAND WAS TWICE PRESIDENT OF U. S.

Lost Power in Second Term Through Financial Panic of 1893.

Princeton, N. J., June 24.—Grover Cleveland, former President of the United States, died suddenly at his home at Westland here at 8:45 o'clock this morning. Death was due to heart failure, complicated with other diseases. The passing away of Mr. Cleveland was not immediately announced, but was delayed until an official statement had been prepared by the physicians who had been attending him in various periods of his illness.

INFANT BURNS TO DEATH.

Charlotte, P. E. I., June 24.—On board the steamer Perry, which stranded recently at Hawkesbury, were two little children, one of them a girl three years old, who were sent in charge of the ship's officers by their father from Boston, addressed to their grandmother, Mrs. John Hughes, St. Patrick's road. They made the trip all the way to live with the grandmother. On Monday the little girl was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her grandmother's house.

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TEHRAN PARLIAMENT IS SHELLED BY ARTILLERY

Seventy Casualties During Outbreak in Shah's Capital—Fighting all Day—Brutal Behaviour of Cossacks

Bomb Starts Bloodshed.

London, June 24.—A special dispatch from Tehran to the Times says that the killed and wounded in yesterday's fighting totalled 70, the casualties being heavy among the Nationalists. Several deputies were killed. The foreign residents are in no danger as the town is in the hands of the Russian General Liakhoff.

LIFE AT BELLA COOLA.

Bella Coola, June 16.—Mr. Fadget, who has been in the valley for about two months after big game, has just come down to the front. He has been unsuccessful for he has seen very little of any sort of game.

GALT HAS SHOCKING GATTLE MAIMING CASE

Valuable Horses Fatally Injured in Revolt of Fashion—Man Arrested.

EASTERN BANK GOES TO THE WALL

Total Assets of Defunct St. Hyacinthe Institution Are \$1,576,443.

MAJORITY OF THREE.

WATERWAYS COMMISSION.

JOINED IN WEDLOCK AT NANAIMO CITY

Mr. J. W. Heaps and Miss Gertrude Horne Principals in Interesting Ceremony.

BLAZING CHICAGO EXACTS ELEVEN MORE DEATHS

Change in Wind Brings Relief From Awful Torrid Wave.

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DRUNKENNESS NO EXCUSE.

Hamilton, June 24.—Mike Arom, a Pole, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary yesterday for amusing himself by shooting with a revolver at passing street cars.

RACING AT CONEY ISLAND.

New York, June 24.—Justice Blanchard, in the supreme court to-day adjourned until Monday the hearing on the Coney Island Jockey Club's application for a continuance of the injunction restraining the police from interfering with the races at Coney Island track.

REBELLION BREAKS OUT IN DUTCH SUMATRA

Tax Regulations Cause Rising of Entire Native Populace—Europeans in Danger.

COSTLY FIRE.

Port Chester, N. Y., June 24.—Forty families homeless in Port Chester.

THREE SCALDING FAT

Imlay City, Mich., June 24.—Thomas Gibbs was killed at Wm. Brown and Broken were fatally scalded when a Grand Trunk railway engine exploded yesterday.

ELECTRICAL STORM RAGE IN

Heavy Damage in Province—Party S by Lightning.

FIREBUG AT CUMBER

J. N. McLeod Loses Stable Mare.

Nanaimo, June 23.—Fire night, supposedly of incendiary origin, destroyed the J. N. McLeod and also Mrs. McLeod and also Mrs. McLeod and also Mrs. McLeod.

THREE RIVERS PREY TO FI

HEART OF EASTERN CITY MASS O

Banks and Hotels Dis \$2,000,000 Blaze—efficient Fire Prote

Three Rivers, June 23.—F high wind, the fire which here yesterday afternoon in of a carter named Duval di in its work of destruction greater part of the lower taining the business section had been consumed. With More than 200,000 loss, ances of firemen summoned trains from Montreal, Qu brooke and Grand Mere, last night before the conflict brought under control.

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The inflammable nature of the buildings in the path of the fire made the task of the fire most impossible one.

Military to the Res

Outside the town is loc of the military district, and the fire started a thousand sent in to help fight the local brigade was directed when it came to coping with conflagration and the soldie the best assistance they the bucket brigade was n the task of it was not f four hours after the fire h threatening dimensions that used effort, the means for drawn from other towns.

Among the buildings bu dition to those mentioned the Roman Catholic Paro Drolet Lamonde & Co.'s mental store, at Dufré; the Dominion and Richelleu telegraph offices and the Bel Company's exchange.

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BACK TO PORT

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Timing of Vancouver in connection with the purchase of...

THREE RIVERS IS PREY TO FLAMES

HEART OF EASTERN CITY MASS OF RUINS

Banks and Hotels Disappear in \$2,000,000 Blaze—Inefficient Fire Protection.

Three Rivers, June 23.—Fanned by a high wind, the fire which broke out here yesterday afternoon in the stable of a carter named Duval did not pause in its work of destruction until...

Almost every building of any consequence in the burned section of the city was destroyed including the post-office, the city hall, every hotel worthy of the name, with one exception...

Outside the town is located a camp of the military district, and soon after the fire started a thousand men were sent in to help fight the flames.

A special to the Starburg says that British representatives have been instructed to re-negotiate the present provisions...

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The fire broke out in the large building of the Burns livery stables, occupied in part by the Borden Condensed Milk Company.

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Heavy Damage in West of Province—Party Struck by Lightning.

London, June 23.—Several electrical storms raged over Western Ontario last night and probably heavy damage was done in this city telegraphs, telephones and electric lights were put out of business.

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PRAIRIE WEATHER

Floods in Red River and Assiniboine Damage Property.

Winnipeg, June 23.—With the exception of Regina and Carman districts, but little rain has fallen in the prairie west during the past twenty-four hours, and cool weather and drying winds are giving the excessive precipitation of the latter part of last week a chance to run off without seriously damaging the grain.

LOGGERS FIGHT FIRE

Vancouver, June 22.—The employees of A. H. Allison's logging camp at Chatham Channel had a hard task last night in fighting back a forest fire which threatened to destroy the buildings and machinery. They were eventually successful.

AMERICA'S 'TURVEYDROPS'

Teleo, Ohio, June 23.—Two hundred men and women from all parts of the United States and Canada are here in attendance at the annual convention of the United Professional Teachers of America.

TRIO OF SISTERS DROWN TOGETHER

RICKETY PUNT COLLAPSES IN ONTARIO RIVER

Two Men Lose Lives in Quebec Rapids—Telegrapher's Marvellous Escape.

Ottawa, June 23.—The three daughters of John Jeffries, of Killaloe, aged seventeen, nine and seven years respectively, were drowned in the Bonaventure river, near the head of Golden Lake on Sunday evening.

The loss will be considerably over two million dollars, and it is stated that the insurance companies will be hard hit, though none of them will lose any considerable amount...

YORK LOAN AFFAIRS

Toronto, June 23.—The committee representing the various classes in the York County Loan Liquidation have decided to drop all appeals from the decisions of Referee Kappelle.

CHINA'S WELCOME TO U. S. FLEET

Amoy, June 23.—Admiral Sab, commanding the Chinese squadron of the Chinese navy, is at Amoy with the cruiser Hai Yang to make preparations for the visit of the American battleship fleet.

CANADA IN GRIP OF CIGARETTE FIEND

Consumption During Last Ten Years Shows an Enormous Increase.

Ottawa, June 23.—According to a return prepared by the inland revenue department, the consumption of spirituous liquor last year was .839 of a gallon per head of population as against .842 in 1906.

PAPER MILLS CLOSE DOWN

St. Catharines, Ont., June 23.—The Stord Paper Mills Company at Merriton has closed its sulphite mill for an indefinite period owing to the scarcity of orders, and seventy-five men, most of them married, are thrown out of work.

RIGHT OF WAY AT ALBERNI

Alberni, June 23.—Messrs. Carmichael and Moorehead, having completed the contract for the last ten miles of the right of way for clearing for the railroad into Alberni, and also a smaller contract for railway yards between the two towns, have discharged their gang of workmen and will break up camp shortly.

PACIFIC WILL BE FUTURE COCKPIT

OPINION OF SENIOR ADMIRAL IN BRITISH NAVY

Sir James Erskine Gives His Views on Battleships of the Future.

San Francisco, June 23.—Sir James Elphinstone Erskine, senior of the six admirals of the British fleet, is here on his way around the world, accompanied by his wife and family. In an interview he is quoted as expressing the opinion that the Pacific will be the scene of the next ocean warfare.

His Career. Sir James Elphinstone Erskine, K. C. B., was born in 1838, and as far back as 1852 entered the Royal Navy.

STEEL-COAL DISPUTE

Montreal, June 23.—J. H. Plummer, president of the Dominion Iron and Steel company, says all the reports regarding the settlement of the steel-coal dispute are absolutely without foundation.

NELSON'S PATRIOTISM

Nelson, B. C., June 23.—This city will send a contribution to the Quebec Battlefield Association. An entertainment will be given in the new armory tomorrow night in aid of the fund, and at least \$100 will be sent.

DROWNS IN CISTERN

Chatham, Ont., June 23.—Three-year-old Clarence Brown fell into a cistern yesterday and was drowned.

BUSINESS STREETS ARE TO BE KEPT CLEANER

Effort Being Made to Keep Prominent Thoroughfares in Presentable Condition.

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LADYSMITH BOY IS KILLED AT PLAY

Horsham, June 23.—A sad accident occurred in the Catholic church grounds last night by which a small boy, named Steve Marusch, met with his death.

MAYORALTY RECOUNT

New York, June 23.—In yesterday's recount of the mayoralty election 468 boxes were examined, yielding a gain of 160 votes for Hearst.

BIRTHDAY OF HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., June 23.—Halifax yesterday celebrated the 159th anniversary of the foundation of the city.

LYNCH LAW RAMPANT IN TEXAS

RACE WAR AS OUTCOME OF WHOLESALE MURDER

Nine Negroes Die by Bullet and Rope to Avenge White Men.

Houston, Tex., June 23.—During Sunday night nine negroes met death at the hands of a mob in the vicinity of Hemphill. Yesterday both races secured arms, and the tension is so great to-night that a clash seems imminent.

TRANSIT SAFE IN NORTHERN WATERS

(Special to the Times.) Nome, June 23.—The trimallia has arrived here safe out of the ice. The whaler Bowhead arrived yesterday with the crew of the lost William Baylies.

KING EDWARD TO OPEN OLYMPIC GAMES

Fashionable London, Headed by His Majesty, Attends Horse Show.

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Madrid, June 23.—A son was born to Queen Victoria of Spain this morning. The Queen had been staying at La Graga, officially known as San Ildefonso, the royal palace. The royal physicians were called early yesterday afternoon.

INSTANCES OF JUSTICE LONG DELAYED

Washington, D. C., June 23.—The jury in the case of Frederick A. Hyde and John A. Bryson, Jose T. Schneider and Henry P. Dymond, who were indicted over four years ago for alleged conspiracy to defraud the United States out of large tracts of public land in the state of Oregon in the criminal court here reported that they had not reached an agreement.

PUBLIC LAND FRAUD TRIAL IN U. S. A. OVER FOUR YEARS OLD

New Haven, Conn., June 23.—A suit has been brought by a number of security holders by which Machee & Co., of New York, which company has been handling the securities of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railway Company, seeks of the supreme court of errors of Connecticut, an affirmative decision sustaining the action of the New Haven Company in issuing securities of the subsidiary companies issued under the authority of the legislature of Connecticut, but without first obtaining the consent of the legislature of Massachusetts. This suit is brought, it is understood, because of attacks made upon the securities of the New Haven Company during the discussion of the various bills bearing upon the proposed merger of the New Haven Company with the Boston & Maine system.

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WHAT MR. ADAMS SAID.

Cannot Mr. Matson's organ prosecute its municipal mission, which is to promote the cause of the Esquimalt Water Works Company...

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ABOUT "STATUTORY OBLIGATIONS."

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FOR DAINTY WOMEN.

Excessive perspiration is the bane of many a woman's existence in summer. It leaves its disagreeable odor on the garments; it keeps one uncomfortable in mind and body. "Talcum Powder" used to be the standby, but women have found that Talcum and a host of other talc powders give only temporary relief at the best...

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL.

A very enjoyable social, attended by a large number, principally young people, was given last evening in the First Presbyterian church, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. A very delightful programme was carried out by Miss Fullerton, Miss Fleet, Miss Wilson, Mrs. Gregson, Miss Cameron, Miss Stewart, Mrs. McDonald, Mr. Gordon, Miss Semahit, Mr. Struthers, R. Morrison, J. Morrison, Mr. Fraser, Mr. Redman and J. G. Brown.

ARE YOUR NOSTRILS DRY, SORE?

Do they burn, feel sore to the touch, running cold one day, stuffed up the next day. This is Catarrh, the remedy is "Catarrhzone." It soothes, heals and cures quickly. Not a case of throat trouble, not a symptom of Bronchitis or Catarrh it won't cure. Nothing like Catarrhzone for colds, get it to-day; the dollar size is guaranteed; smaller sizes 25c. and 50c. All dealers sell Catarrhzone.

CONDITION OF J. S. SHERMAN.

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FINED FOR VIOLATION OF IMMIGRATION LAW.

Captain of Steamship Wyneric Found Guilty and Assessed \$100.

P. G. Niven, captain of the British ship Wyneric, was fined \$100 and costs in the United States court Tuesday at Seattle in a decision handed down by Judge C. H. Hanford, respecting a charge against the defendant for violation of the immigration laws. This decision may prove a precedent for similar cases.

H. M. S. ALGERINE.

British Sloop-of-War Which Arrived at Esquimalt To-day from China Station.

The sloop-of-war H. M. S. Algerine, which arrived at Esquimalt to-day from China Station, was a large vessel with a complement of about 400 men. She was commanded by Captain John C. Eaton, R.N., and was on a patrol duty. The sloop had been engaged in a search for pirates in the South China Sea.

J. C. EATON PARTY ARE IN THE CITY.

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AMATEUR EVENTS FOR LADYSMITH SPORTS.

Main Features of Dominion Day Celebration for Amateurs Only.

(From Thursday's Daily). J. G. Brown, of this city, is in receipt of a letter from J. Adam, chairman of the sports committee of the Ladysmith celebration, to be held on July next, stating that it is imperative that cash prizes are to be competed for in the five-sided football competition, water polo contest, four-canted race and relay race. In all of these events and many others, medals and trophies are being offered.

CLOSING EXERCISES.

St. Ann's Kindergarten Held Interesting Ceremony—A Good Programme.

IS HACKENSCHEMIDT DEAD?

London, June 25.—An unconfirmed report in circulation here that Georges Hackenschmidt, the ex-champion wrestler, is dead. Hackenschmidt had been in a hospital at Aix La Chapelle, where an operation was performed on one of his knees.

the jubilee of the St. Ann's convent was made. "Night Wind" was recited by one of the boys and "Little Boy Blue" was rendered by a scholar of the opposite sex. Both recitations were given with great pleasure to the people who were present.

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(From Thursday's Daily). The appeal in the case of Meston has been decided, late alderman with costs, a penalty of \$1,000 has been imposed. It was the decision of the Full court registrar here receives the judgments of the Full court granting a new trial. The amount was not reduced, and is still \$22,000. The date for the new trial has not yet been fixed.

CAPT. P. SHADFORTH AND MEXICAN TRADE.

Steamer Newington Will Likely Be Put On as Fruit Carrier.

Capt. P. Shadforth returned on the steamship President last evening from San Francisco and San Diego, where he has been on business connected with the proposed operation of the steamer Newington between San Blas and the California ports as a fruit-carrier in conjunction with the San Blas Fruit Company.

REPAIRING CORNWALL CANAL.

Cornwall, June 25.—The work of repairing the Cornwall canal began to-day giving two hundred men employment.

AT HANDS OF COMPANION.

Three Rivers, June 25.—Duping, the young man who was accidentally shot by a companion last Saturday, is dead.

HONOR FOR C. P. R. OFFICIAL.

Montreal, June 25.—H. S. Vaughan, assistant to the vice president of the C. P. R., has been appointed president of the American Association of Master Mechanics.

DIPLOMATIC CHAIR.

Kiel, June 25.—Emperor Wilhelms II is at Kiel to attend the yacht race and the celebration of the centenary of the birth of the Emperor. The Emperor will be accompanied by the Empress and the Crown Prince and Princess.



NEW TEACHERS WERE ENGAGED I. R. POLLOCK SELECTED FOR THE NORTH WARD

Miss McDonald Has Resigned the Position of Secretary.

(From Thursday's Daily.) The school board, at its meeting last night, confirmed the purchase of two sites for school buildings of a total value of \$17,700.

Letters were received from three local architects, Ridgway Wilson, E. M. Rattenbury and H. S. Griffiths, who were asked to prepare plans for the ten-room school to be erected on Queen's avenue.

Trustee Jay explained that the city has not yet sold the debentures under the \$70,000 school loan by law passed last January and that the funds for the purchase of the school sites were not in hand.

Trustees Mrs. Jenkins and McNeill, a special committee for the purpose, reported that the desks in use at all the schools were in need of repairing and general repairs.

The committee recommended the purchase of 144 single desks and 150 double desks and 15 double seated desks.

Tenders for the repairs and additions to the Kingston Street school and the erection of two single room portable schools were opened.

For the Kingston street work, Tubman & Clayton were successful, their bid being \$2,785, while George Calder's tender for \$1,900 each for two one-room buildings was also accepted.

Other tenders received were: W. M. Ross, \$4,800 Kingston street, and \$1,850 portable schools; C. H. Merkle \$1,078 for portable schools; and Kingston street additions, \$3,450; Tubman & Clayton, portable schools \$1,238; W. M. Wickmeyer, portable schools, \$1,478; Geo. Calder, Kingston street additions, \$3,390; T. Ash, Kingston street additions, \$5,025; portable schools, \$1,477; Wm. Appell, Kingston street additions, \$3,864; portable schools, \$1,465.

The appropriation set aside for this work was the chairman announcing \$35,500, so that with the figures of the above accepted tenders the school board was well within its limit.

The building and grounds committee reported that the sanitary arrangements in the North Ward were very bad and that an entirely new system was found to be necessary.

Chairman Jay said it had been hoped that students would be able to take the completed course in the high school to the applied science course in Vancouver.

of the high school on Friday evening for an emergency meeting of the institute. The request was granted. He also wrote stating the necessity of teachers being provided for at least \$2,000 for the year.

Superintendent E. E. Paul was empowered to obtain typewriter supplies and repairs for machines in use at the high school.

Application for the position of principal in the South Park school, assistant in the high school and for ten vacancies in the teaching staff in other schools were received and considered.

At the close of the meeting Miss McDonald, who for ten years past has been secretary of the board, was asked to confer with her on the matter.

It was decided to call for applications for the vacancy and also for a musical instructor at \$75 per month.

DENIES THAT FUNDS HAVE BEEN DIVERTED

Dr. Fagan Made Statement Relative to Vote for Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

(From Thursday's Daily.) The Anti-Tuberculosis Society met yesterday at the Balmoral hotel where the question of the alleged diversion of the funds voted by the provincial government was gone into.

He denied that any such diversion took place as had been stated at a recent convention of the Women's Council. The facts, he said, were:

It is not now, nor has it ever been, for one moment, either in thought or intention, contemplated by the society to "divert" these funds, even if such a course were as possible as it is manifestly not.

The question of locating a hospital for advanced consumptives is a difficult one, and one that has engaged the thought and attention of the executive for some time past.

Attempts have been made unsuccessfully during the past three months to find a suitable site, and finally the question of whether such hospital should be placed at Transcona, adjacent to the hospital for incurable cases, was being seriously advanced.

The board of directors consider the matter so serious that it should be lightly decided upon; and, accordingly, instructions were given to write to all the foremost authorities among the sanatoria throughout Europe, America and Canada, asking for their opinion on the subject.

With respect to the action of the government in deciding that hospitals receiving provincial aid should provide for advanced cases of consumption, Dr. Fagan explained that the order in council before being passed had the approval of many of the medical men in Victoria, including H. L. Fraser, O. M. Jones, H. H. Bennett, M. Robertson, J. Holmeken, Edward C. Hart, J. L. Milne, R. V. Dolbey, Frank W. Hall, George Hall, P. Thurland Stainer, A. E. McKimling.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Sleight-Holmes, who died recently in the Old Ladies' Home, took place this afternoon at 2 1/2 from the parlors of the E. C. Furnish & Co., presided over by Rev. St. Barnabas' church, where services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Grundy. Many friends of the deceased lady were in attendance, and several floral offerings were placed on the casket.

NO ADDITIONS TO THE LAMPS CITY IS UNABLE TO SUPPLY MORE LIGHTS

Electric Plant is Now Being Operated to Its Full Capacity.

The city has quite a proposition to deal with in its street lighting, owing to the fact that the present plant is now being taxed to its utmost capacity and that the council is not in a position to put in any additional lights until improvements have been made.

He says the steaming capacity of the present boilers, which are in the best of condition, is amply sufficient to run an engine of another type which would operate to its full capacity the existing electric light plant and any additions which may be now started.

Discussing the whole matter yesterday, Mr. Hutchison said that the plant now in use is a direct bearing on the electric light plant for Mr. Hutchison is of the opinion that if the city decides to go to either Goldstream or Sooke for a water supply a power plant should be located near the place selected and the electrical current for street lighting purposes transmitted from there to the present plant from where it could be distributed as usual.

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corresponding illuminating power. If the city had a water power this would make no difference, although it did affect the present plant to some extent.

Regarding extensions, Mr. Hutchison pointed out that the city was practically all covered by wires at present and that all future additions to the numbers of lights could be made very much less expensively than in the past as soon as the city was in a position to supply them.

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PREPARING FOR HIGH PRESSURE SERVICE Specifications for the Pumps Now Being Drawn Up by City Electrician.

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A PRETTY WEDDING AT ST. JAMES' CHURCH Miss Vincent and Mr. Robert Jameson United in Matrimony. (From Thursday's Daily.) One of the prettiest weddings of the June season took place at St. James' church last evening when Miss Florence Emily Vincent, daughter of Mr. Vincent and Mrs. Vincent, was united in marriage with Mr. Robert Jameson, son of Mr. R. H. and Mrs. Jameson, of Thirloo, Oak Bay avenue.

BOWES' FOOT POWDER Can be earnestly recommended; it gives relief, is both safe and hygienic; keeps the feet sweet and dry. Only 50c per box at this store. GYRUS H. BOWES CHEMIST Government Street, Near Yates. WE HAVE SAID SOME STRONG THINGS ABOUT OUR CLOTHING IN THE PAST

FINCH & FINCH THE EXCLUSIVE STYLE STORE HATTERS 1107 GOVERNMENT ST. and Mrs. Nolte; photo frame, Mr. Newby; one-half dozen spoons, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Winter, Vancouver; one-half dozen spoons and lace collar, Mrs. Henry J. Scott; bon bon spoon, Miss Hazel Jagers, dolly, Mrs. N. K. Johnson, Agassiz; tray, Hugh Austin; brass candlestick, Miss Maud Munroe; toast rack, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Morley and Miss Morley; ink stand, E. Tidmarsh; brass and enameled cushion, Sidney Booth; centre piece, Daisy and Madge Corrance; sideboard, Mrs. A. H. Lomas, Duncan; tea cloth and tray cloth, Miss Blossom Fawcett; cushion, Miss Finlayson; dark ash cloth and serviettes, Mrs. and Miss Armstrong, Vancouver; lace handkerchiefs, Mrs. E. Dickenson; pair picture, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ritchie; silver name and prayer book, Mrs. J. E. Smart; breakfast cruet, Chow Kee, Vancouver; Chinese silver tea service, from the mother of the bride; dinner service, Mr. and Mrs. Jameson; cut glass vase, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hewitt; cut glass bowl, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wootton; cut glass bowl, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jameson; glass bowl, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodd, Taylor; brass vase, Mrs. and Misses Lugin; stiching, Miss Emily Nicholles; china cups, saucers and plates, Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. F. Powell; picture, Mrs. Jack Hinton; silver, Mr. and Mrs. Rattenbury; glass vase, Mrs. E. H. Hewitt; glass vase, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wootton; brass vase, Mrs. G. Simpson; toilet cover and pin cushion, Miss Prevoist; brass vase, Mrs. and Miss Goodacre; oak writing table, Hinton Electric Company; pepper and salt and tea case, Mrs. Grace MacDonald, Vancouver; two pictures, Miss Winnie Lugin.

SCALP DISEASE CURED BY ZAM-BUK Mrs. Albert Goedike of 485 Amherst St., Montreal, says: "My three-year-old girl Anna suffered intensely and died from scalp disease, and we could not get rid of this irritating disease. On March 10th, 1908, someone recommended my husband (who is elevator man) to use Zam-Buk. I bought Zam-Buk Balm and Zam-Buk Medicinal Soap. From commencing to use these remedies we saw an improvement and after nine days' treatment the child was cured completely without Zam-Buk. It is Nature's skin remedy and without equal as a healing balm. All druggists and stores, 50 cents a box."

SHORT SESSION OF CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS DISPOSED OF WITH DIS

(From Tuesday's Daily.) It took less than an hour to dispose of the business of city council last evening, but time several important matters dealt with besides the usual routine.

A letter from W. E. Oliver, Oak Bay, relative to water question between the two municipalities referred to the city solicitor on at the next meeting.

Joseph Peirson, on behalf of section Press, on behalf of the use of cement blocks considered in connection with the construction of the proposed new Mayors Hall building and of cement blocks.

Ald. Fullerton explained they were simply being called for proof building, and this matters of cement blocks a matter.

Mayor Hall thought this should be called distinctly brick and cement buildings, could might do, but to encourage. All industries in the city are encouraged.

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A request from Peter Coy, permission to paint and barbed the fence on the corner of the front of the Adelphi building Government and Yates streets.

The city solicitor reports provincial secretary's department agreed to a change in the title of the last five sets of authorized by the ratepayers \$1,000 to \$100 each, and the finance committee received the payment of accounts to \$26.63 for current expenditure on account of school loan.







### RISE REGIMENT

#### Prizes to No. 2 Medal for Ribbon.

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METHODIST.  
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### EXPLAINS NEW CHINESE BILL

#### WILL COMPEL PAYMENT OF HEAD TAX

#### Defects in Immigration Act Amended—Debate on Second Reading.

...An interesting debate on the bill to amend the Chinese Immigration Act which passed its third reading yesterday took place in the House on June 24th, when Hon. Frank Oliver moved the second reading. Mr. Borden, the leader of the opposition, asked for a brief explanation, which Mr. Oliver gave as follows:

...This bill is intended to cure two or three defects in the act as it stands at present. One of the amendments is to define the word "minor." There have been abuses under the act in that there being no definition of that word, and people who are not properly entitled have secured exemption from the head tax. Another section provides for the punishment and deportation, on occasion, of Chinese who come into the country without payment of the head tax. It has been found in practice under the present law that if a Chinese succeeds in getting into the country without paying the head tax there is no means either of compelling him to pay or of deporting him because he has not paid. These are the principal amendments.

...Motion agreed to, bill read the second time, and House went into committee thereon.  
Section 2: Persons exempt from payment of entrance tax.  
Mr. Foster: What change is made?  
Mr. Oliver: The principal changes of the bill occur in this section. Previously, the act, in defining those who were exempt from the tax, spoke of children without prescribing the head tax, and minor children, and as a consequence persons who were not minors were securing admission free of the head tax. Evidently the intention of the act was to limit the exemption to minor children.

Mr. Foster: What is the limit of age?  
Mr. Oliver: The limit of the age of a minor is 21 years. Then, the other provision in the same act is to limit students to the age of 17. Formerly there was no limit to the age of students. Any person over 17 years of age, though he professes to be coming to attend some educational institution, must pay the head tax.

Mr. Foster: Why do you do that? Should not a man have the right to be a student if he is 15 years of age?  
Mr. Oliver: The difficulty, as I understand, is that the privilege was abused.

Mr. Foster: You have power to substantiate the person?  
Mr. Oliver: It appears that there is a good deal of difficulty in dealing with the question, and it was thought advisable to draw the line considerably tighter than has been done in the past.

Mr. Gallinger: There is a distinct objection on the part of the people at the coast to men attending the same school as small children. That is one of the chief objections. Men from 20 to 30 years of age were attending school and learning English with children of 7 and 8.  
Mr. Foster: It appears pretty arbitrary for you to say that a man shall not be a student because he is over 17 years of age.

Mr. Gallinger: We feel that way about it anyway.  
Mr. R. L. Borden: Sub-paragraph 5 seems to be new. I do not see it in the original statute.

Mr. Foster: Such regulations as may from time to time be made by the governor in council duly certified teachers.  
Mr. Oliver: That is new also, but that is not important in the same sense as the other two are.

Mr. M. S. McCarthy: I asked the minister of the interior (Mr. Oliver) on the 15th December, 1907, how many Chinese had come into British Columbia since the 15th January, 1907, and I was told that there were 1,325. Could the minister tell me, without consulting the department of immigration, if that number included minors? Do I understand that the figures that were given to me then were simply taken as the number of Chinese upon whom the head tax had been collected? From what I could gather from the explanation of the minister, the reason for introducing this legislation was that a minor should not be able to get in, under certain conditions, without paying the head tax.  
Mr. Oliver: I cannot answer my hon. friend. Of course, he is aware that the administration of the head tax is under the department of customs, and in commerce, but it is administered by the department of customs. In the immigration department we have no knowledge of it. It would depend on how the question was framed. If it were a question as to how many Chinese came in it would include all Chinese. If it were only how many Chinese paid the head tax and would not include minors, students who were over 17 years of age, and other people who, although they were not minors, came in as the children of merchants and the wives and children of clerymen, etc.

...who paid the head tax and those who did not.  
Section 4:  
Mr. Herron: What certainty have you that these Chinamen are not liable to slip off the train at any place they desire to?  
Mr. Oliver: The amendment provides that these people may pass in bond subject to regulations by the customs department, which apparently was not provided for before.

Mr. R. L. Borden: It is exactly the same as it was before except that you are enabling persons of Chinese origin to pass in transit from a port or place in Canada to a port or place in the United States without the payment of a tax. The statute at present permits them to pass from a port or place out of Canada to another port or place out of Canada, as well. The minister is not providing for further restrictions than under the existing act.

Mr. Oliver: This section is evidently intended to apply to those who are entitled to come in without the payment of a tax.  
Mr. R. L. Borden: It does not seem to me that it fulfills that intention.  
Mr. Oliver: On looking over section 3 of the bill, I see that it is not intended to take place in the senate, the intention of the section would appear to be that the payment of the head tax may be deferred until a person of Chinese origin arrives at his destination in Canada. Instead of paying the tax at the port of entry he may be bonded through to his point of destination and the head tax paid there.

Mr. Ralph Smith: The object of this section is to give the particular province where a Chinaman lands the opportunity of collecting the 50 per cent. of the head tax to which the province is entitled. The complaint has been that hitherto British Columbia has been getting the advantage of the 50 per cent. of the tax while the particular Chinaman may be intended for another province. I should think this provision is fair to all the provinces.  
Mr. Herron: Is there any provision by which our officer at a port where these people might land shall notify them in any way, or does a Chinaman travel as an ordinary passenger? Unless there is some way of following these people, I think it would be impossible to collect the tax at an ordinary port.

Mr. Oliver: The collection of the tax is in the hands of the customs officials. As my hon. friend will see, by this section it is intended that the travelling of a person of Chinese origin from the port of entry to his destination shall be under the regulation and supervision of the customs department, who would be responsible for the collection of the tax at the point of arrival.  
Mr. R. L. Borden: If that is the intention it is not very apparent in the

company is responsible until the Dominion official in Ontario notifies the Dominion official at Vancouver that the \$500 tax is paid.  
Mr. R. L. Borden: I am not finding any fault with the section as it is understood by my hon. friend, but I am pointing out that the amendment as framed does not carry out very well, and I am endeavoring to suggest a method of carrying out the intention. It is needless to say that any arrangement between this government and the Canadian Pacific railway or any other railway company cannot override the statute.

Mr. Ralph Smith: What I mean to say is that the bonding privilege at the present time is carried out exactly as I have said.  
Mr. Oliver: I think perhaps it would be just as well to satisfy ourselves that the section is right, so that I think we had better let it stand for further consideration.  
Section 4 allowed to stand.

Section 5:  
Mr. Herron: The penalty in this section is a fine of \$500 or 12 months' imprisonment. This is not proportionate to the imprisonment for a Chinaman. He would stay in jail for some years for \$500.  
Mr. Oliver: There is no provision in the existing law enabling us to deal with a person of Chinese origin who had been successful in getting into the country without paying the tax. He could not pay the head tax and he could not be deported. This provides for his deportation.

Mr. R. L. Borden: There has been some change in the language but there apparently is no intention of changing the meaning except in the respect the minister has mentioned.  
Mr. Oliver: I see that a certain provision contained in the original section 27, and which seems to be very necessary, must have been left out by mistake. Section 27 provides a penalty for Chinese coming in contrary to the law and also a penalty in the case of every one who wilfully aids or abets such persons coming in. As we are letting section 4 stand, I think it would be well to let section 5 stand also so as to rectify this omission.  
Section 5 allowed to stand.

Section 6: Enforcement of deportation.  
Mr. R. L. Borden: Would it not be better to introduce this section as section 27, as it would seem to more naturally follow the provisions of section 27 of the original act?  
Mr. Oliver: If my hon. friend will put it into shape that way, I will accept it.  
Mr. Lake: Has the minister any information as to how many immigrant Chinese have come in from the 15th of December last, when the answer was

given to my hon. friend from Calgary to the present time?  
Mr. Oliver: I have no information. The department of trade and commerce has control over Chinese immigration, but the act is administered by the customs department. The interior department has nothing to do with it.  
Mr. Lake: The immigration department does not include Chinese in its returns?  
Mr. Oliver: No.  
Progress was then reported.

### IDENTIFIES NEGRO AS HER MOTHER'S SLAYER

#### Little Mary Morrison Says Jim Jenkins is Hazelmere Murderer.

Vancouver, June 22.—Little Mary Morrison, the 8-year-old daughter of Mrs. Morrison, who was murdered two weeks ago at Hazelmere, this morning at Bellingham identified a negro named Jim Jenkins, as the man who killed her mother.

The girl had no hesitation at all in declaring that the negro was the man. Jenkins was arrested at Wicksburgh, Wash., on June 12th, and was held as a suspect. A charge of vagrancy served to keep him in jail till he could be conveniently brought to Bellingham.

This morning Constable Spain took the Morrison girl to Bellingham and in the county jail the girl identified the negro as her mother's assailant. Sheriff Williams was the officer who in the first instance caused the arrest of Jenkins. The latter was nervous and frightened when arrested.

### CANNIBALS ARE IN REVOLT

#### SERIOUS SITUATION IN PORTUGUESE GUINEA

#### Heads of Soldiers Carried on Poles, White Bodies Are Eaten.

Lisbon, June 23.—News has been received here of a serious state of affairs in Portuguese Guinea. "The natives everywhere are reported to be in revolt. Even on the Island of Timor several interior posts have been driven in, settlements have been destroyed, and Europeans have been killed or carried off into captivity."

The Portuguese troops have taken refuge at Bissau, where they are surrounded. A French warship has arrived for the protection of French subjects. The newspapers here attribute the revolt to the cruelties practised by the troops while collecting the "hut tax." It is their custom to levy heavy sums, and if payment is refused to flog the natives, burn the villages, and sometimes capture the wives and children of rich chiefs and hold them for ransom.

A chief of the Coulange tribe stated the revolt by seizing a sergeant and seven Portuguese troopers decapitating them and displaying their heads on poles. Anxiety to avoid the fate of Europeans captured as the natives are cannibals. After a recent engagement the troops observed the natives devouring one of their dead like a pack of wolves.

### COURT OF REVISION IS SITTING TO-DAY

#### Several Appeals Against the Assessment Have Already Been Disposed Of.

The annual court of revision for the purpose of hearing appeals against the valuations placed upon property by the city assessor opened this morning at 10 o'clock and when the sitting closed at noon most of the complaints had been disposed of, some of the modifications being made. The court will finish the business before it this afternoon.

The court consists of Mayor Hall and Aldermen Pauline, Hild, McKowen, Henderson. The city assessor and the city solicitor are also in attendance. The first appeal taken up was that of George Morphy on behalf of Mrs. Mary J. Hughes against the assessment of her property on Government street, south. The house is valued by the assessor at \$5,000 but Mr. Hughes swore that the fair price was only \$2,500. Mr. Northcott said that he was willing to take \$500 off the assessment, but Mr. Morphy held out for a reduction of \$1,000 and the case was held to allow him to produce the evidence.

Mrs. C. E. Dobbs, of Oak Bank, Manitoba, appealed against an assessment of \$800 on a lot at the corner of North Park and Grant streets. The assessment was sustained. James Phair's appeal against being assessed for a building valued by the assessor at \$200 was allowed at the structure has been removed.

Bodwell & Co. appealed on behalf of Mary Godfrey against an assessment of \$3,000 on the White Horse livery and two cabins at the corner of Humboldt and Victoria streets but the court refused to make any change. George H. Hughes had the assessment of his house on Harrison street reduced from \$2,500 to \$2,200, the amount which he swore it cost him to erect.

The appeal of J. R. Sutherland, of Calgary, against being assessed for 2½ acres at the corner of Lillian and Water streets, whereas a survey showed that he had only 28 3-5 acres was allowed. He was assessed for \$25,390 and this amount will be reduced in proportion to the acreage in the assessment.

The assessment of W. Y. McCarter on his property on Hillside avenue was sustained at \$1,300 for the land and \$5,500 for the house. It was against the latter that Mr. McCarter appealed, pointing out that he was being assessed higher for a six-roomed house than was Capt. Balmor for a twelve-roomed one. Members of the court drew attention to the fact that the Balmor house had been erected twenty-five years ago, while Mr. McCarter's was a new one. In the discussion it came out however that Capt. Balmor has had an addition built to his house and which he has not assessed. Notwithstanding this information no change can be made this year.

J. Leigh & Son appealed against being assessed for three houses at the corner of Garbally and Gorge roads, where they own only two. Mr. Northcott explained that Messrs. Leigh had taken out a permit for three houses but had erected only two. Their assessment was reduced by the value of one house, \$1,500.

The assessment of Robert Sinclair on his house on Ontario street was reduced from \$1,400 to \$1,150, the valuation of the land remaining the same. The assessment of Roy L. Dobie for \$1,200 for a house on Simcoe street, was struck off, as the building is not completed.

The appeal of the city water commissioner, asking to have the assessment of the lots purchased for a site for the Smith's hill reservoir changed from the late owners to the city, was granted. Capt. Thomas Brown appealed against an assessment of \$2,400 on his house on Catherine street, Victoria West. The amount was reduced \$400. Manton & Wright appealed against a total assessment of \$410 on 22 sites on Ruby, Pearl, Myrtle, Amythest streets and Lansdowne road. The lots have an acreage of 42 1-2 acres and are being used for nursery purposes. The ground of the appeal was that adjoining unsubdivided property used for the same purpose was assessed at only \$600 and \$700. Messrs. Manton & Wright were allowed a reduction of

### ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS.

#### Pupils Will Undergo Tests at End of Present Month.

The High school entrance examinations will be held in all the city schools on June 26th, 29th and 30th. This is rather later than usual, it having been the custom in the past to adjourn for the holidays on the last Friday in the month. This year, however, the regulations have been changed, and the holidays will not commence until Wednesday of next week, the closing exercises being held on Tuesday. The promotion examinations are in full swing, and in some cases are almost completed.

The subjects for examination are as follows:  
Monday—Subject, "British History," 9 to 10:30 a.m.; "Nature Lessons," 10:45 a.m. to 12 a.m.; "English Literature," 1 to 3 p.m.; "Reading," 3 p.m.  
Tuesday—Subject, "Arithmetic," 9 to 11 a.m.; "Grammar and Spelling," 11 to 12 a.m.; "Grammar and Composition," 1 to 3 p.m.; "Reading," 3 p.m.  
Wednesday—Subject, "Drawing," 9 to 11:30 a.m.; "Geography," 1 to 2:30 p.m.; "Canadian History," 2:30 to 4 p.m.

The examinations in Victoria will be presided over by E. B. Paul, M. A., city superintendent of schools. These examinations are open to pupils of both city and rural schools. Examination papers are the same in either case except that a special paper in drawing is set for the country pupils.

### COURTS PREPARING FOR THE VACATION

#### Business is Nearing Completion—Mining Case Now Being Argued.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)  
In the Full court yesterday afternoon a hall was called in the argument in the oil claims case in South-east Kootenay.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K. C., after addressing the court for some time in reply to the appeal brought by R. T. Elliott, K. C., on behalf of

### SAYS MAJORITY MUST RULE

#### STRIKING EDITORIAL IN ONTARIO PAPER

#### Rapidly Developing Sentiment That Obstruction Anomaly Must Be Ended.

Majority rule is the essence of responsible government. No system of popular government has yet been found possible save on the principle that the majority of the people should direct the course of public affairs. Nor is it conceivable that a system of responsible government could exist, founded on any other principle. The people of a country are rarely or never unanimous in support of a line of policy. Commonly, if not always, there is a part or portion or party of the people who favor one line and another part who favor a different mode of procedure. One or other of these differing parties must rule. Under responsible government the larger party decides which course the national affairs shall pursue. Under irresponsible government the smaller party determines the course and whether the smaller party comprises a king and a circle of favorites, or a body of popularly selected representatives, so long as they are the smaller party and so long as they are the majority, and for that reason has no license to prevent the purpose of the majority, nor to seek to replace the policy of the majority by its own policy.

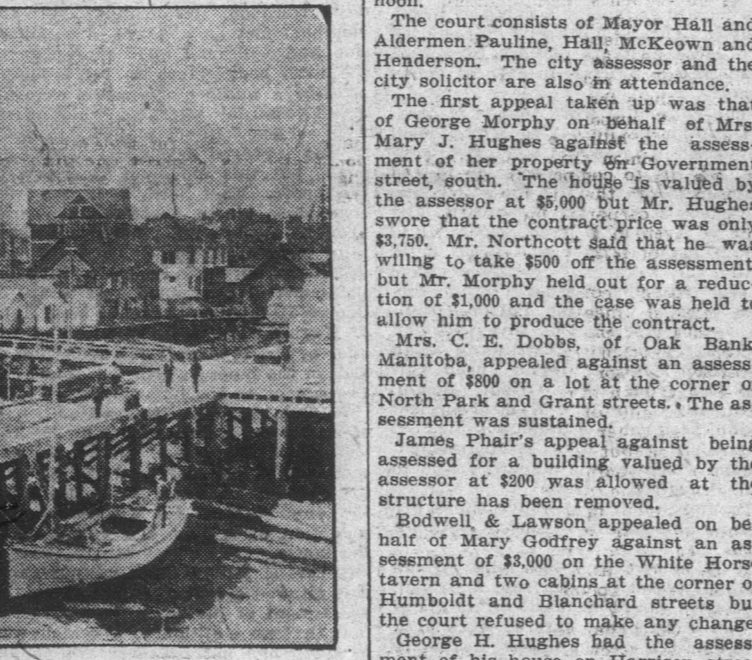
The Canadian people are to-day faced to face with the necessity of reasserting and defending the principle of majority rule if they wish to maintain their system of responsible government. Parliament has been in session since November last. The order paper has been filled continuously with business of public importance, much of it of surpassing importance. Yet this business has not been transacted. Much of it has not been touched. Much more of it has been cursorily considered and pushed aside. Day after day week after week, month after month, progress with business has been prevented by protracted discussions on subjects of minor importance and issues which have been thoroughly threshed out in preceding sessions. That the government was anxious to get along with business has been abundantly manifest from the persistent pressure brought to bear to hurry on the work, from the daily appearance of important items on the order paper, and during the last week by the adoption of morning sessions of the House, and the proposal to sit also on Wednesday evening. Yet they have been prevented and consistently prevented from doing so by orations on almost every conceivable subject on which a speech could be strung together. The irresistible conclusion is that for some reason, be that what it may, the opposition have resolved to prevent so far as they can do so, the will of the majority of the people being carried into effect.

Unfortunately our parliamentary system gives the opposition this power. The House possesses no means of closing a debate, however puerile or irrelevant, in order to take up business, however pressing or important. Discussion may be started on any subject and continued for any length of time to the paralysis of business. This broad liberty offers the opportunity to turn a parliamentary session into a long-distance talking race; and this opportunity the opposition have seized and worked to the limit. The public service throughout the country is handicapped and partially paralyzed for lack of money, and projects of immense public concern remain untouched on the order paper.

Yet the talk goes on, but it does not go on. This position now is that should the House sit until next November and devote every hour strictly to public business, the time as spent would be no longer than the time that has already been wasted. That the session will continue so long is not to be supposed. The upshot is, therefore, that after wasting six months in talk the business of the country will be crammed through in a few weeks at the close of a long and tiresome session, by weary and uninterested members.

There is a pronounced and rapidly developing sentiment, both in parliament and in the country, that this anomaly should be ended. It is not permitted in the British parliament nor the United States house of representatives. In both those Houses effective measures have been taken to stop the flow of language and expedite the course of business. Unless the Canadian people are to abandon the principle of majority rule and turn over the direction of their affairs to a party they have declined to place in power, similar measures must be taken by the Canadian parliament. The business of parliament is to transact the business of the people; the majority in parliament will be negligent of the duty imposed upon them if they content themselves to permit that duty to be frustrated by the minority.—The Advertiser, London, Ont.

—For the week ending yesterday the Victoria bank clearings amounted to \$1,624,164.



PRINCE RUPERT.  
Showing the G. T. P. hotel in the rear, and to its right the big rock bluff through which a "thorough" cut is now being made. The Gilmore Murray hotel, on top of the hill to the cliff, is now being contemplated.



PRINCE RUPERT.  
The above shows the first cut on the G. T. P. at Prince Rupert. The grade is now 200 feet long and the face of it cut is 33 feet deep in solid rock. In wet weather the large tarpaulin rolled up is stretched across the cut to protect the men while muckin'.

### BOUNDARY FISHERIES.

San Francisco, June 23.—President David Starr Jordan of Stanford university has been appointed United States representative on the international commission which will investigate the fishery laws governing the American and Canadian border waters. He will start for Esquimaux, Maine, to-day to meet the British commissioner.

### POLITICIANS FIRE ON COSSACK SOLDIERY

#### Troops Supporting Shah's Authority Shot Down on Streets.

Tehran, June 23.—A serious clash between Cossacs and members of the political clubs occurred here to-day. Early this morning a force of Cossacs and soldiers surrounded the Parliament buildings and the adjutant mess hall, and asked parliament to give them some of the persons whose arrest the Shah had ordered. This parliament refused to do so and the members of the political club fired on the Cossacs, killing several of them. Reinforcements entered the city at nine o'clock with artillery. The firing continued until 10 o'clock.

### CRICKET V. GOLF.

The golf players are taking to cricket. During the hot months of the year golf is practically abandoned locally and many of the members turn their attention to the defending of wickets. A cricket match has been arranged for July 11th between the Victoria Cricket Club and the Victoria Golf Club. A number of members belong to both clubs, and in this case it is doubtful which side they will play for. The golfers claim that they have many of the best of the men, and that if they do not win they will put on a good match. Whichever wins the game will certainly be interesting.

**JUBILEE WEEK  
AT ST. ANN'S**

**PREPARATIONS FOR  
THE CELEBRATION**

**Sisters of the Roman Catholic  
Convent Busy at  
Home.**

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

When fifty years ago four brave ladies, two of whom are still alive and resident in this city, first set foot on the shores of Vancouver Island from an arduous trip from Montreal via Panama and San Francisco, and through winter storms off the Oregon coast, little thought, perhaps, had they of the great work that would be the outcome of their long journey so bravely taken in the interests of the few residents then here, and when they were finally housed in the little two-roomed log hut, that to-day stands boarded over on a lot over which, a little perhaps, did they think of the fine edifice which to-day stands across the road from the little hut which for many long and dreary years sheltered them from the snow storm, wind and rain; little maybe did they realize that the work to which they had devoted their lives would be crowned during their lifetime as it is to-day by the fiftieth anniversary of their advent to the island.

It is fifty years ago this week that the four sisters of St. Ann's convent, Montreal, landed in Victoria, having come out via the Panama and San Francisco at the urgent request of Bishop Demers, the first bishop who set foot in the then wild territory of British Columbia. These ladies, their strength in their love of their life's work and their faith, answered the urgent call, sent by circuitous route to the headquarters at Montreal, and followed the same circuitous route through snow storm and peril, to the work which awaited them here, and which to-day stands as a monument for all time to their steadfastness, courage and intensity of purpose.

Their reward to-day is in part only, for two of their number are long gone at the call of death, and what pleasure is theirs in the coming celebration is mixed with sad memories of departed sisters. These, and many other old memories, have been awakened within the last few weeks, during the plans for the coming event, and among two surviving ladies, who are now well on in the eighties, in talking of the times gone by, have during the past days found themselves drawn to their memories of the time when, at that time, its work and its almost monumental success. To-day as a monument of their work their stands beside the little log hut, their little abode, the handsome academy on Humboldt street with the memories of the splendid humanitarian work done in the long years, and of the reflex of this work down through educational means from the daughters of the officials of the old Hudson's Bay fort, to their children and their grandchildren who to-day are the pupils of the university academy.

This week is commemorative week and the golden jubilee of the academy, when the present scholars will hold four days of celebration beginning tomorrow with the annual commencement and ending with the solemn high mass of thanksgiving on Sunday.

For this occasion the pupils of years gone by have been invited to attend, and many have signified to the Superior their intention of being present. From the nearby States word has been received from many of the old scholars. From the many graduates of British Columbia others have written that they will be here to renew their acquaintance with the home of their girlhood, while from far off lands expressions of regret that distance prevents their presence on this occasion, have been received from other pupils of the academy. The Superior has also extended an invitation to the citizens of Victoria to be present at all or any of the days, and while special invitations have been sent to many, there are numbers who will be welcomed without any special invitation, and doubtless gladly avail themselves of the pleasure of assisting in the convent's golden jubilee.

In the records of the academy are large folios which, written by Sister Mary Matthews, contain the records of the institution through the long years it has been established. In these is contained the history of the first log hut presented to the four nuns in June, 1858, by Bishop Demers, and record is there of how in 1860 a small addition was made to the little establishment by the addition of a wing, and how the next year the two-story building on View street was built on the site where now stands the bishop's palace.

Then, year by year, the progress is recorded of the commencement of the present building in 1871 and the building of the kindergarten in 1899, till the completion of the present academy as it now stands to-day. Not alone in Victoria has the work progressed, for in 1864 a home for little boys was built at Qualicum, and one year later at Nanaimo. The Red Fir mill there was established in 1868 at Mission city, the Indian college was established, and St. Joseph's hospital, in this city, was built seven years later.

Two years after the convent at Nanaimo was erected, and was followed by the Kamloops convent school in 1890. The next establishment was at Douglas Island hospital, and school were erected one year later. In 1888 the Vancouver convent was finished and followed by the convent at Kuper Island convent by one year. St. Ann's convent, Victoria, holds the proud position of being the oldest school north of San Francisco, and from the windows of St. Cecilia's school on the south side can be seen the little hut which was the beginning of it all. The hut was at the time of the first addition in 1860 boarded over, and in later years when the convent had advanced beyond repair and was pulled down the

original logs of the hut itself were found firm and staunch and apparently good for another half century. This little historical landmark will be of great interest during the coming celebrations and will doubtless be viewed by many of the visitors. Coming down to the present there are in the academy itself many splendid examples of the work of the present students shown in hand-painted china, pencil drawings and oil and water colors.

The programme for the celebrations has been arranged as follows: Tomorrow the fiftieth annual commencement will be held at 2:30 p. m., commencing with music and literary exercises which will be followed by the high mass composed of Miss K. P. Lyter, of the class '09.

The awarding of the two medals, the presentation of the governor general's, the conferring of certificates and testimonials of honor and the address will follow. Miss Lyter's poem is entitled "A Vision Realized."

On Friday there will be commemorative exercises at Institute hall at 8 o'clock, at which the following programme will be given:

Slavische Tanze, No. 2 (Anton Dvorak), Misses Smith and McElhinny first piano, and Misses Quirk and McGee second piano.

Address by A. E. McPhillips, K. C., M. P. P.

Chorus: "Golden Bells of Jubilee," accompanist, Misses Bailey and Lyter.

Poem: "Record of Fifty Years," Miss K. P. Lyter.

Chorus: "Crowning of Alma Mater" (Chopin)

Hungarische Tanza (Brahms), Misses Smith and Quirk.

Tableau Drama: "A Scene in the life of St. Ann." An Invitation by Valérie Masson Smith, MacDonald, McElhinny and Redmond.

Address: Very Rev. A. J. Brabant, D. D.

"God Save the King."

On Saturday afternoon will be the recitation of former pupils and friends from 3 till 8 o'clock at St. Ann's academy, and on Sunday the Golden Jubilee will terminate with the solemn high mass and sermon at the church, St. Andrew's cathedral, and a sermon by Rev. Clement Calne.

Of the four nuns who came first to this city fifty years ago two of them are still here, pursuing their duties at the convent on Humboldt street. They are now enjoying the rest of long years of service and take no active part except that of supervision of their life. Their life has been one of devotion, spent in the sanctity of convent life and in doing good works for their fellow creatures, in which they have now found their reward after fifty long years. Their work has not alone been devoted to adherents of the Catholic religion, for the annals of the convent go to show that the academy has received the benefit of the nuns' teaching are more of other religions than of the Catholic faith. These pupils are now scattered broadcast throughout the world. Many live in the homes of their descendants living here who attend the classes daily and among them are the grandchildren of the daughters of the official of the old Hudson's Bay fort.

For the coming celebration the grounds of the convent are fast taking on a festive appearance. The decorations are being carried out on an extensive scale. At the entrance a huge arch is being erected and the building the scholars are busy with the manufacture of decorative hangings, which are being hung from all the windows of the academy. This being made to make the celebration worthy of the great occasion.

**LABOR UNION CASE  
BEFORE FULL COURT**

**Judgment Has Been Reserved  
in Grahame vs. Knott.**

Grahame vs. Knott was the appeal which came up before the Full Court yesterday afternoon. Harold Knott appeared on behalf of the appellant, Knott, with R. T. Elliott, K.C., for Grahames.

Mr. Robertson outlined the case, showing that the defendants were a married person, and in their official capacity.

Grahame, who came here from Calgary, went to work with Baulther, who is one of the defendants, and he got him to join the union. There were certain regulations in joining the union which plaintiff failed to comply with.

The union officials wrote a letter to Baulther, practically demanding the dismissal of Grahame.

Chief Justice: That is just where the union should step in, but Grahame had as much right to earn a living as the members of the union.

Mr. Robertson, however, proposed to show through a judgment of the Privy Council that Grahame had a right to refuse to work with Grahame.

Chief Justice: Would it be a reason that the man was a Roman Catholic? Mr. Robertson: No, I do not think so.

Mr. Robertson: The union has a right to strike or threaten to strike to raise their wages, but not to secure the dismissal of a non-union man.

Mr. Robertson: I propose to show a number of decisions both English and American, to bear out my decision.

Chief Justice: If you reside the States of the Union you can find any kind of decision you look for. There the judges are elected and the judgments are political in nature.

Mr. Robertson: I read my case on English authorities, not American. Lord Watson, who deplored the quarrels among workmen, but stated that the men in a similar case acted within their rights. It was to the advantage of the employer to know that the men would not work with others.

the employer they would have injured the employer.

Chief Justice: Is it not a fact that he engaged for a week and then forced this man out of his employment?

Mr. Robertson: It had that effect, but the law lords have held that that is a perfectly justifiable course of action.

The chief justice intimated that it was not necessary to read all the authorities as it was a very important matter and judgment would be reserved.

They could look up the references if a list were handed in.

Mr. Elliott then commenced his address.

Mr. Justice Clement: If the man had been engaged for a week and the union had secured the dismissal before the end of that time there would have been a breach of contract.

Chief Justice: Do you contend that the union is not to be bound by the law of a contract?

Mr. Elliott: No, it is not within the scope of a trade union to do so and if they do so it is punishable by law.

Mr. Elliott argued that there was really a contract, as the employer was satisfied with his work and would not have dismissed him had it not been for the interference of the union.

The chief justice said there was a doubt in his mind just how far a man might legally go in interfering with the employment of another.

Mr. Robertson showed that even where the union has the certainty of employment there was no breach of contract.

Judgment was reserved.

**PRETTY JUNE WEDDING  
AT CENTENNIAL CHURCH**

**Dr. E. A. McMicking and Miss  
Bona United in Marriage  
To-day.**

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

A very pretty wedding took place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church, Gorge road, when Miss Maud Ethel Bone, the eldest daughter of Mr. W. H. and Mrs. Bone, of Rockland avenue, was married to Dr. E. A. McMicking, of the fourth floor of Mr. R. B. and Mrs. McMicking.

The ceremony was performed at the church by Rev. S. J. Thompson and the officiating was assisted by his sisters, Misses Lena and Genevieve Bone. The bridegroom was supported by Dr. Geo. Hall as best man. Mr. Arthur Gifford and Mr. John McArthur acted as witnesses.

Mrs. Gifford officiated as the soloist. "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden," and the wedding march was played by Mr. Edward Parsons, organist of the Metropolitan church. The bride, charmingly attired, was given away by her father. The church was profusely decorated by the girl friends of the bride.

In addition to the above there are trunks and sailing vessels to be dealt with.

It is noteworthy that only an occasional vessel coming from a foreign port goes directly to Vancouver, but while half a dozen of the steamship lines referred to above send their vessels from Victoria to the Sound, afterwards making direct sailings to other ports.

These vessels which make their first entry here en route to Vancouver are dealt with by the local immigration officials as all stayaways and other persons liable to deportation are dealt with under the provisions of the law.

This renders it harder for them to evade any regulations when the vessel is entered.

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**LUMBER DEPRESSION.**

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**DETENTION SHED  
BADLY NEEDED**

**INCREASED SHIPPING  
AND IMMIGRATION**

**The New Building Will Fill  
A Long Felt  
Want.**

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Work on the new detention hospital and immigration building on Ontario street is proceeding very satisfactorily and the first story has already been erected. It is expected that the building will be ready for occupancy at the beginning of next year.

The need of this building has been felt for some years past by the local immigration officials, as the foreign steamship business to this port is constantly on the increase. Victoria enters more vessels from foreign countries than any other port of Canada and every one of these has to be met by the immigration officials, who deport objectionable characters, refuse landings to those who do not comply with the statutory law and treat immigrants who arrive suffering from minor ailments.

Every day four or five vessels from American ports have to be met, and in addition to these, there are a host of other vessels coming from the Orient, Mexico, Australia and other foreign ports.

Last month the number of vessels entering from foreign ports was 94, while the passenger traffic to the city was 6,000.

At the present time the local immigration officials have no proper place of detention for rejected immigrants or stayaways who are to be treated.

It is necessary to place objectionable characters and stayaways in goal until the sailing of the vessel on which they are to be deported.

Many provisions of the immigration law it would be both unjust and inadvisable to consign them to the city lock-up, which is under the control of the Dominion government.

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**GUGGENHEIMS AND P.L.**

Reported Sale of Seattle Newspaper for \$1,000,000.

Seattle, June 24.—A story is in circulation to the effect that the Guggenheims have purchased the Post-Intelligencer. The report cannot be confirmed here, as John L. Wilson, owner, and Ernestus Brainerd, editor, are both the East.

**CHOLERA IN PHILIPPINES.**

**Dread Disease Breaks Out Among  
Troops.**

Manila, June 24.—Cholera has broken out among the troops at Camp Gregg. Three scouts and one civilian have died from the disease and the camp has been placed under quarantine regulations.

The situation with regard to the cholera outbreak in the province of Pangasinan, on the island of Luzon, is very serious. Ninety-three cases have been reported in the last twenty-four hours, sixty of which have proved fatal.

The steamer Caesar has arrived with the submarines which are intended for this station on board.

**ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.**

Toronto, June 24.—George Weeks, Fred Rankin, Harry Good, Robert McCaul, John McCuaigh and Edward Westerfield were arrested at Weston yesterday on the charge of assaulting T. J. Moffatt, jr., and five non-union molders in the works of the Moffatt Stove Company, as they were coming out of the Methodist church on Sunday night.

The following is the list of outside appeals and list of changes to be made in the roll. He recommended the following increases, the description of the property, amount of the roll, and the name of the owner being given:

Part of lot 663, assessed at too low a sum, to \$4,500; Geo. A. Powell & Sons, House omitted on lot 24, block 42-3, Spring Ridge, \$3,000; B. C. Corporation, Limited.

Alteration, remodelling house, lot 1063, block 7, \$800; Dr. A. T. Dickson. House too low, lot 1061, block 7, \$300; Geo. E. Smith.

Ten transferred, lots 1213-4, block 44, \$1,700; George A. Keefer.

The following is the list of outside appeals and list of changes to be made in the roll. He recommended the following increases, the description of the property, amount of the roll, and the name of the owner being given:

House burned, part lot B, block 5, \$1,200; Fred L. Smith.

House burned, part lot B, block 6, \$2,000; Victoria E. Cox.

No house on sub-lot 15, lot 1978-2003, \$600; E. H. Anderson.

No house on lot 1455, block 24, \$150; Frances Anne Bagshaw.

No house on lot 1434, block 48, \$600; Dr. G. L. Milne.

No house on lot 1061, block 7, \$300; Geo. E. Wilkerson.

Undervaluation on house, lot 70, block 69, Fernwood, \$500; Mrs. Jessie Hartz.

No house on lot 84, block 69, Fernwood, \$750; L. Goodacre.

Overvaluation on house, lot 83, block 69, Fernwood, \$1,000; Mrs. M. C. P. Wilson.

Overvaluation on building on lots 68-9, of lots 68-9, block K, \$500; T. M. Brayshaw.

These recommendations were all adopted, thus completing the work of the court of revision.

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This concluded the work of the afternoon and the board adjourned to meet again at the call of the mayor within a few days, when the revision of the assessment roll will be formally wound up.

**FUTURE OF CRANBROOK  
IS FULLY ASSURED**

Many Industries Showing  
Great Promise Are  
Tributary to City.

There is no longer any room for speculation as to the future of Cranbrook City. Surrounded by a rich mineral district, inhabited by a thrifty and enterprising class of business men and citizens; the railway centre of a vast empire, being the terminus of all roads and trails that lead to and from every mining and lumbering camp in Southeast Kootenay, Cranbrook is not only the largest city in the district, but it is the most important by long odds, from a commercial standpoint. It is the distributing centre for its vast territory of mineral fields and agricultural lands which surround it. It is also the centre of an immense lumbering country. Vast areas of fine farming, grading and fruit lands are tributary to Cranbrook.

Prospectors, miners, lumbermen and farmers, from Pilot Bay to Elk River, from the international boundary to the Windermere district, are dependent upon its merchants for supplies, consequently they must make their headquarters within the gates of the city of Cranbrook. There is no argument then, patent to the common judgment, why Cranbrook at the present time, and in the future, will not be the leading city of this large and growing district. No railways to be constructed in the future can escape us, and its promoters will not try, as public enterprise stands ready to-day to build to or from this city. There is no doubt that Cranbrook, now, and ever will be, the railway, lumbering, agricultural as well as the commercial centre of this district. These facts are patent to all and the march of progress is on and cannot be stopped. The new era is about to dawn that will make Southeast Kootenay the banner fruit and agricultural district of British Columbia with Cranbrook as its capital.—Cranbrook Prospector.

**PROHIBITION OF OPIUM.**

Moncton, N. B., June 24.—Important recommendations, including the prohibition of opium and intoxicating liquors, were contained in the report of the temperance and moral reform committee submitted to the session of the New Brunswick and P. E. I. legislative council.

as it is the same as that of adjoining properties.

Mary Peddle appealed against being assessed for \$500 for a lot on North Park street, and \$600 for the house which stands on it. She was allowed a rebate of \$100 on the house.

The appeal of E. Milloy against an assessment of \$750 for a lot on St. Andrew street was not favorably considered. Neither was one of Misses E. A. and E. H. Woods against an assessment of \$1,000 on a lot, and one of \$420 on part of a lot on Grand street.

A. W. Enouf asked that he be allowed a reduction on an assessment of \$650 on a lot on Work street. His request was not entertained.

The appeal of T. Hodgson for J. W. Phillips against a valuation of \$750 on a cottage on North street, one of \$1,100 on a lot at the corner of Michigan and Oswego streets, and another of \$1,000 on a lot at the corner of Superior and Oswego streets, were thrown out, as they had not been presented in proper time.

B. S. Helsterman asked to be relieved of an assessment of \$600 on a building on lot 662-3, next to the Victoria Government street, saying that he intended to tear it down. Mr. Northcott said that he had told Mr. Helsterman that if he would commence the work before this sitting adjourns, he would strike off the assessment, but he had not done so. The assessment was, therefore, confirmed.

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**ADVERTISING  
VICTORIA CITY**

**AGGRESSIVE CAMPAIGN  
FROM TOURIST ROOMS**

**Extensive Publicity Will Be  
Given to This  
Place.**

Although the Tourist Association this season is getting out a nice line of booklets, etc., for distribution, as in former years, and new policy is being adopted with regard to their circulation, hitherto a large mailing list has been used, compiled largely from inquiries received as well as from agents and similar offices.

This year the association is making a new departure. The newspaper and periodical press in the Old Land, in Canada, on the prairies and in the Middle West, and North-west of the United States, is being employed, catchily advertisements being inserted and the literature of the association being distributed in these advertisements for the cost of postage, the association have more in view than the economy of postal expenses which will this effect, being desirous particularly of eliminating the idly curious correspondents who are always sending something for nothing, and who values it correspondingly when he obtains it. The executive believe that if a man sends a small amount, even if only five cents, he will value the booklet more than if he obtained them for nothing.

The campaign from Minneapolis west is being opened this week, and is being followed for a month in order to travel as far as possible in the month which follows the closing of the schools. These advertisements will appear in the hottest parts of Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Minnesota, etc., at a season when the weather is unacceptably warm and when the cool breezes of the Pacific are longingly desired by residents there.

The American cities and towns in which the campaign is being carried on, are in Spokane, North Yakima, Walla Walla, Lewiston, Pendleton, Portland, Baker City, Boise, Salt Lake City, Helena, Anaconda and Minneapolis.

"Through the mediums employed in these places there will be reached during the four weeks' campaign over a million and a half of readers, and the whole Northwest will be covered from the Mississippi to the coast.

In England the Standard of Empire "Canada" and the "Colonizer" are being employed, and through the common mediums of a million of readers will be reached. In Canada the eastern centre of Montreal and Toronto will be explored, while to further stimulate the travel, which the cheap excursion rates to the coast, the newspaper advertising will be carried in Winnipeg, Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and Saskatoon. These advertisements will appear in the hottest parts of Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Minnesota, etc., at a season when the weather is unacceptably warm and when the cool breezes of the Pacific are longingly desired by residents there.

**Wanted**

**Agents Wanted**

# Want to Rent or Sell a House? Advertise It Here--Now

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### BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

#### Agents Wanted

**MEN WANTED**—In every locality in Canada to advertise our goods, take up showcards in all conspicuous places and distribute small advertising matter. Commission of salary, \$55 per month, and expenses \$4 per day. Steady work no year-round; entirely new plan; no experience required. Write for particulars, Wm. R. Warner Med. Co., London, Ont., Canada.

#### Bakery

**For CHOICE FAMILY BREAD, CAKES, Confectionery, etc.**, try D. W. Hanbury, 30 Fort St. Orders will receive prompt attention.

#### Barber Shop

**INDEPENDENT SHOP**, 3 chairs, opposite 22 & N. station, corner Cormorant and Store streets. Hair cutting, 25 cents; beards trimmed, 15 cents.

#### Blacksmith

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL**—Having purchased the blacksmith and carriage shop of W. A. Robertson, Douglas and Government streets, I am now prepared to do all kinds of carriage and painting and horse shoeing, etc. I make a specialty of shoeing horses with corner quarter cracks, etc. Attention is called to my change of address, and all old customers and new ones are cordially invited to give me a call. L. J. Fisher, 14 Discovery street.

#### Boot and Shoe Repairing

**NO MATTER** where you bought your shoes, bring them here to be repaired. Hibbs, 4 Oriental Ave., opposite Vancouver Theatre.

#### Builder and General Contractor

**WILLIAM F. DRYSDALE**, Contractor and Builder, 418 Work Street, Victoria, B. C.

**"CODLING'S THE MAN NOT SHOUT"** to do your repairs and redecorations. Estimates given for all kinds of painting, carpentering and paperhanging. 1224 Codling, builder, 306 Menzies street, Victoria, B. C.

#### CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS

**W. M. CLAYTON**, Contractor and Builder, corner Fort and Blanchard Sts. Prompt attention given to all kinds of contracting, building and carpentering. Phone 714.

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**JAMES SCOTT ROSS**, 84 Pandora Ave., expert paperhanger and decorator; rooms papered or painted cheap. Signs, Estimates. Write or telephone A158.

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**SEE ROSES GROWING** at Flavin's Garden, 198 Heywood Ave. The exhibition table is not the best place to choose garden roses. You ought to see the plant which produces the bloom.

#### Hotels

**PANDORA HOTEL**—Corner Pandora and Blanchard. Re-decorated and re-furnished. Electric light, hot water, and reception rooms. Fully licensed. Over car line. Phone 147.

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### BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

#### Machinists

**L. HAFER**, General Machinist, No. 124 Governor's street. Tel. 290.

#### Employment Agencies

**THE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY**, MRS. E. K. TURNER, 631 50 Fort St. Hours, 10 to 4, Phone 1162.

#### THE DEVEREUX EMPLOYMENT, REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENCY

Rae St., Victoria, B. C. Phone 447. Hours, 10.30 to 4.

#### ANYONE WANTING WORK

Apply Employment Bureau, corner Quarry and View streets. Old wanted as mother's help.

#### JAPANESE, HINDU AND CHINESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE

All kinds of labor supplied at short notice. 181 Government street. Tel. 150.

#### ALL KINDS OF Chinese labor supplied

Yin Thom, 1239 Government street. Phone A199.

#### WING ON—Chinese Labor Contractor

All kinds of Chinese help furnished; wood chime, land clearing, house work, cooks, farm hands, gardening, scavenging, etc.; also wood and coal for sale. 1176 Government St. Phone 249.

#### CREDIT ON CLOTHING

We have a large stock of fine imported woollens on hand, ready for immediate shipment. In all styles please call on our place and we will fix you out on very easy terms. J. Storrison, merchant tailor, 43 Government street, opposite Trounce avenue (up-stairs).

#### WING POOK YUEN, 21 ST. CORMORANT

Street. Clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired.

#### Motion Pictures—A new supply of first-class "Fatho" film and projecting lanterns for sale at Maynard's Photo Shop House, 115 Pandora street.

**EDISON, POWERS**, and all standard makes of machines and supplies at lowest prices, ready for immediate shipment; also slightly used films from 50 per foot up, try our 25th century rental service; shipments prompt, prices right; write to-day for prices list to Canada's first and largest exchange, Dominion Film Exchange, 31-34 Queen St., East, Toronto.

#### Nursing Homes

**NURSING HOME—Private and comfortable, with best of care and attention.** 525 Fernwood road, Tel. 351.

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### Houses to Rent

**FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT**, 637 Hillside avenue, 4 doors off Government street.

**TO LET—Two seven roomed modern houses**, close in, 138 per month, give lease. Apply 627 Rishet St., after 5 p.m.

**TO LET—Two furnished cottages**, on Dallas road, bath, hot and cold water, and electric light. Apply Mrs. P. C. Smith, Seaview, 124 Dallas road, or 637 Fort street.

### Houses for Sale

**A SNAP—Pandora avenue**, seven roomed house, bath, all modern, \$1,000 cash balance to suit purchaser. Box 320, Times office.

**FOR SALE—A small 2 roomed cottage**, in splendid condition, beautiful garden and full street lot, \$500 cash and balance on terms to suit. 422 1/2 Fort street.

### Houses Wanted

**WANTED—To rent, 4 roomed house**, with 3 miles of centre of city. Apply Box 324, Times.

### Lost and Found

**FOUND—A watch**, on Johnson street, yesterday. Apply Times office.

### Miscellaneous Goods for Sale

**FOR SALE—One team young horses**, wagon harness and wood rack. Apply Joseph Bland, Esquimalt road. Phone M77.

**FOR SALE—Well established bakery** business in city of Victoria. Complete set of machinery, capacity of 700 loaves, 3 horses, 2 wagons, also, in connection, large and profitable store, located on Westminister avenue; proprietor retiring and going to Europe. Apply railroad agent, J. R. O. Box 87, Vancouver, B. C.

**FOR SALE—Four-seater surry**, in good condition, also good driving horse. Apply Cozy Corner, Box 288, Times.

**FOR SALE—Good boiler, smokestack** pipes, etc., suitable for greenhouse, used for dry kiln purposes; will be given away for right price. Apply 523 1/2 Douglas street.

**FOR SALE—Good strong saddle** pump, cheap. Can be seen at Prairie Hotel, Esquimalt.

**FOR SALE—Building Society** appropriation of \$1,000. Flint & Co., Truine Ave.

**FOR SALE—Span mares**, weight about 120 lbs. Apply 126 Pandora street.

**LATE CABBAGE**, 2c per 100; 3c per 100. Late cauliflower, 2c per 100. J. M. Tomlin Nursery.

**FOR SALE—Family rowboat**, at a great bargain. Can be seen at Maynard's Auction Room, Broad street.

**FOR SALE—Riveted overalls**, 5c pair; regular H. Men's shirts, 5c; regular 50c. Call at Bittancourt's Show Room, No. 328 Bastion Square, Open afternoons.

**BICYCLE FOR SALE—Almost new**, Gent's Royal, rider model, at a bargain. Pilmley Cycle Depot, 833 Government street.

**FOR SALE—Fine family rig**, reversible seat for four persons. 618 Cook street.

**FOR SALE—Brand new rubber tired** buggy, 2 months in use only, very cheap. 122 Gladstone Ave.

**FOR SALE—Taken standard brood mare**, drive well double or double; a Gladstone and set of single harness; also lady's riding cap and saddles. Apply 523 Douglas street.

**FOR SALE—Gramophone**, 35 records, \$10; Cleveland bicycle, \$20; army boots, \$2.50; safety razor, \$1.50; night-gown, marline glass, \$1.50; roller skates, \$1.75; stiff hats, \$5; socks, 5c; rompers, 5c. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 88 Johnson street, four doors below Government St. Phone 118.

**FOR SALE—A few new burglar, latest style**, second-hand burglar's wagon and carts, two good fresh calves cow; also all kinds of horses. Apply at E. J. Fisher's Carriage Shop, 648 Discovery street.

**SLAB WOOD FOR SALE—MIR slabs** cut into short lengths, at 25c per cord delivered to any part of city. Taylor Mill Co., Ltd., Phone No. 844. Order also taken at Robt. Gray, Storrison St.

**FOR SALE—Boiler**, 36 inches diameter, 14 feet long, 28 tubes; also wood sawing and chopping machine. Apply B. C. Land Co.

### Property for Sale

**FOR SALE—11 acres**, cleared, frontage on E. & N. Highway, 260 feet, frontage on Lampton street, 50 feet; also lot on Esquimalt road, 50 feet, frontage on road, depth 250; with stable on Esquimalt road. Apply Joseph Bland, Esquimalt road. Phone M77.

**FOR SALE—Near Prince Rupert** town-site, 80 or 100 acres; cheap. Write to Owner, A. G. Newberry, 7th Ave. and Pine St., Vancouver, B. C.

**FARM FOR SALE**—17 acres, all good land, two buildings, furnished cow, horse, sheep, horse and light wagon, farming implements, a head of cattle, chickens, necess. This is a bargain at \$1,000. Inquire No. 128 Fort street.

**TIMBER**—Before burning or setting timber in B. C. call and see my list, comprising more than 100 of the best properties, aggregating a total cut of twenty-five billion (25,000,000,000) feet. A. T. Framp-ton, Mahon Bldg., Victoria. Phone 1565.

### Wanted—Miscellaneous

**ADVERTISER** desires lot in good location, about \$700, will pay cash. State full particulars. Box 45, Times.

**WATRESS** within position. Apply 1815 Blanchard street.

**WANTED**—Clean cotton rag. State Times office.

**FOR SALE**—About 700 cords of wood, R. Oskwa, 515 Flagstad street.

### Miscellaneous

**FOR SALE—Chestnut mare**, suitable for lady to drive. Apply Rock Bay Grocer, Piano street.

**NOTICE**—The B. C. Steam Dye Works, 521 Yates street, has suspended business until further notice. Customers having goods at above place can have same by addressing J. C. Renfrew, 1125 Johnson street.

**TEACHERS WANTED**—Applications from teachers with B. C. certificates for positions on the Saanich teaching staff will be received by the undersigned until the 30th inst. or until the B. C. Education Office, 1505 Douglas street, receives them.

**MONEY TO LOAN**—On approved security, at current rates. A. W. Jones, Limited.

**N. B. MAYSMITH & CO.** will move to offices in the Mahon Bldg., on Government street, on Monday, June 22nd.

**N. B. MAYSMITH & CO.** real estate, insurance, etc. Phone 1550. P. O. Box 622, Office, Mahon Bldg., Victoria, B. C.

**WIDE AWAKE KODAK STORE**—Fifteen years' experience, 712 Fort street, in Balmoral Annex.

**THE LATEST sheet metal electric signs**, J. Merkert, maker, Victoria, B. C.

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### Rooms and Board

**TO LET**—Furnished furnished rooms, board if required, 2 minutes from sea shore, opposite cricket grounds, 1025 Park street, Esquimalt. Phone 1187.

**UNFURNISHED ROOMS**—in a fine central, suitable for nurse or lady employed in the day time. Apply 631 Fort.

**ROOMS and board** in a pleasant country home, close to sea, lovely beach; bath, hot and cold water, electric, upstairs. Apply Cozy Corner Tea Rooms.

**TO RENT**—Furnished sitting room and 1 or 2 bedrooms, electric light and gas of bath, moderate rent, situation broad part of Pandora street, Box 388, Times.

**FURNISHED ROOMS**—Low rent, bath, dining room, Pandora Hotel, for Pandoras and Blanchard. Phone 1437.

**TO RENT**—Well furnished rooms, bath and phone. Apply 1272 Alfred street.

**FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET**—Bath and phone. 1955 Fort St., cor. Moor St.

**TO LET**—Furnished rooms and board, piano and phone, Victoria, Quebec St. third house from Parliament Buildings.

**WELL FURNISHED ROOMS**, with use of kitchen, bath, phone, 1138 Yates St.

**TO LET**—Furnished room, with or without board. Maplhurst, 1817 Blanchard street.

**FURNISHED ROOMS** TO LET—New, Mrs. K. W. W.

**FURNISHED ROOMS**, 98 Fort street.

**PRINCE RUPERT HOUSE**, Bastion Square. Furnished housekeeping 2nd single rooms.

### Situations Wanted—Male

**WANTED**—Wagon painter. Pacific Wagon Works, Government St.

**WANTED**—Responsible young man to share large front room with another. Scotch. Apply Box 424, Times Office.

**ENGLISHMAN**, strong and healthy, wants work on a farm, or with fruit growers, and will accept all farm work. Box 233, Times Office.

### Wanted—Female Help

**WANTED**—Work by the day, will assist with light house work, wash dishes, or would clean one of two offices. Mrs. S. Wilkes, 759 View street.

**LADY** desires post as housekeeper to gentleman without children for 12 to 18 years in one place. Address Box 423, Times Office.

**LADY**, young, experienced, wishes position as supervising housekeeper; can certify to references; neat, clean and able (widow). D. E. McMurry, Dundas, Ont.

**WANTED**—A competent improver, at least also an apprentice. Apply Millinery Department, Henry Yates & Co.

**WANTED**—Immediately, young woman to assist with house work and go with visiting to seaside resorts for next two months. Apply 1283 Pandora street.

**WANTED**—A young girl to wait on table and assist with children, 1219 North Park street.

**DRESSMAKING MADE EASY**—At the school of ladies' dressmaking, British Columbia, hereby gives notice, pursuant to the requirements of Section 7, of the above mentioned Statute, that the said Council has this day applied by petition to the Governor in Council for approval of the site and of the plan of the wharf extension proposed to be constructed on and over the foreshore abutting on subdivided parts of Lots 122 and 123, Block B, and the harbor terminals of the said City of Victoria, B. C., according to the Official Map of the said City of Victoria.

**WALKER GETS  
A NEW TRIAL  
JUDGMENT IS NOT  
A UNANIMOUS ONE**

**Mr Justice Morrison Dissents  
From Full Court  
Finding.**

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The case which attracted most attention when the full court assembled to deliver its judgment this morning was that of Rex vs. Walker, and in that, two of the judges decided that a new trial should be granted, but from this Mr. Justice Morrison dissented.

When the judges were seated on the bench the chief justice announced that they had not prepared any lengthy judgments, but that they thought it better to give their decisions now than to reserve them until after the vacation which was just about to commence. The first case called was that of Rex vs. Walker and in that the chief justice and Mr. Justice McKinnon would be granted, but Mr. Justice Morrison dissented. Mr. Justice McKinnon had prepared a judgment dealing with the case and with that he concurred.

"I regret very much that I do not concur in the view of this case entertained by the majority of the court. However, it may be of public advantage if the case should go to the Supreme Court of Canada, as then the points about which there is such uncertainty now may be finally settled as the only instance in which an appeal will lay where the court is not unanimous as in this case."

Mr. Justice McKinnon then read a dissenting judgment as follows:

The indictment against the accused upon which he stood his trial before His Honor Judge Kane contained two counts, viz.:

1. That G. A. W. on or about the month of February, 1907, at the city of Vancouver, in the Province of British Columbia, did counsel or procure one B. B. of the said city, a single woman, to commit an indictable offence to wit, the said B. B. then being with child by the said G. A. W., with a certain drug to wit, "ergot," knowing that the same was intended to be unlawfully used by the said B. B. with intent to procure a miscarriage of the said B. B.

2. That the said G. A. W. at the city of Vancouver, in the month of February, 1907, did unlawfully supply one B. B., a single woman then being with child by the said G. A. W., with a certain drug to wit, "ergot," knowing that the same was intended to be unlawfully used by the said B. B. with intent to procure a miscarriage of the said B. B.

Upon this indictment the accused was tried and convicted on both counts. The learned judge reserved the three questions following for the opinion of this court pursuant to section 1014 of the Criminal Code 1907, viz.:

1. Is counselling a person in Canada as charged herein against the accused to submit in the United States to a performance upon said person in the United States of an abortion by an instrument or other means, an offence against the criminal law of Canada the person counselling and the person counselled being in Canada when such counsel was given?

2. Is there any corroboration whatever of the evidence given in this case by the woman to whom the drug "ergot" is alleged to have been supplied and upon whom the abortion is alleged to have been performed, she being a consenting party to the taking of said drug and the performance of said abortion?

3. Was sufficient evidence given that any drug or noxious thing was supplied to said woman by the accused with intent to procure her miscarriage?

At the same time leave was given the accused to apply to this court for a new trial pursuant to section 1021 of the code on the ground that the verdict sustained was wrong or in error. The facts as substantially found by the learned trial judge were that B. B. was with child by the accused and that while in a critical stage of pregnancy she advised certain treatment and administered as well ergot pills to her with a criminal intent. These experts having failed she then advised her to go to certain town within the province to have a criminal operation performed upon her. This she refused to do. There is nothing in the proceedings before us to preclude the opinion that the learned trial judge relied upon this evidence in finding the accused guilty on the first count of the indictment. That the criminal act was not committed as counsel or at all does not avail the accused. When a person with criminal intent solicits or advises another to commit an offence which the other does not commit at all, such soliciting by whatever means it is attempted is an act done and that act done is punishable by indictment. It would be a slender upon the law to suppose that such an offence is not indictable in a case such as that of Higgins, 2 East 17.

"That brings me to that part of the evidence which relates to what happened before us to preclude the opinion of the counselling to proceed there for the purpose of counselling a criminal act, which was shortly after the previous counselling."

It is indisputable that the laws of Canada can be no force or effect proprio vigore in a foreign country, in this case the United States. It has therefore been urged upon us that the act counselled to be committed abroad as if it had not been committed and

consequently all the evidence relating to those incidents is inadmissible, and its reception has brought about an illegal trial, a conviction arising out of which cannot stand.

With deference I submit that evidence is relevant and admissible as going to prove guilty knowledge or intention as well as to show the condition of health. The testimony of it is to prove and to confirm or corroborate if necessary the proof already given that she was endeavored by the accused. It is not inadmissible by reason of its having a tendency to prove or to create a suspicion of a subsequent felony. Although conduct on other occasions is never admissible to prove the actus reus it is admissible to prove the mens rea. *E. v. Goering* (1845) 13 L. J. M. C. 215.

And Bayley J., in *Reg. v. Ellis* (1826) 6 B. & C. 145, said: "I think it was in the discretion of the judge to consider the prosecution to the proof of one felony or to allow him to give evidence to other acts which were all part of one entire transaction, all the evidence in this case tended to show that the prisoner was guilty of the felony charged in the indictment."

A transaction in the criminal sense may be a continuous one extending over a long period. In such a case the acts or statements accompanying such continuous are admissible as part of it—*Rowan v. Halgh* (1834), 2 Buis 99.

Then coming to the second question dealing with corroboration. Upon a trial on a charge of this kind the law does not require corroboration. The conviction here cannot be quashed for want of corroboration. There is a clear distinction between corroboration as required by law and that required as a rule of prudence or procedure. In the former case a conviction on uncorroborated evidence would be illegal, whereas in the latter case it would be perfectly valid.—*R. v. Stubbs* (1855), 25 L. J. M. C. 16.

But counsel contend that inasmuch as the learned judge stated he had found corroboration that he would not have convicted in its absence, and he proceeded to show that there is no evidence of corroboration. The transcript of the discussion of the question of corroboration between counsel and the learned judge does not sustain this contention. This is the way the discussion terminated.

"I am not going to put corroboration in there, because the law does not require it."

Mr. Martin—But you have required it.

Court—I have not, but I have found it for my own satisfaction here which makes it stronger in my mind. Will I put in "corroboration," but I will tell you I do not think it should be there at all.

As to the third question it has been held that if a man who believes a thing to be a noxious drug and induces a woman to take it, he is guilty of attempting to procure abortion by an instrument although as a matter of fact the commission of the offence by the woman is impossible in the manner proposed.

Dealing with the application for a new trial we must apply the same principle as is invoked in similar application in civil cases. The reason it seems is that original cases are tried by courts whose normal jurisdiction is civil and therefore the prisoner entitled to the benefit of the civil procedure.

The cases should be very rare indeed. I can conceive few cases where I would do myself, where I would sanction or encourage an appearance of questions of fact which had been fully thought out and examined by the court of first instance. Applying that principle to this case, here it is by successfully contending that the learned judge convicted against the weight of evidence. Lord Ashbourne in *Guilford v. General Steam Nav. Co.*, 1908 A. C. 101.

Though on the whole case as submitted I think it should be referred back to the trial judge for amendment or retrial under section 1017, subsection 3, and while I think the question (1) is hypothetical and question (2) is answered in the negative would not carry the matter any further, because the way of finding on the judge, nor affecting in any way the validity of the conviction, yet I venture to think that the authorities sustain the contention that the act done of counselling is an indictable offence by the common law regardless of where the act counselled is to be committed.

The King vs. Cole s. c. c. 330 is authority for this that the common law jurisdiction as to crime is superior to that of the province and it is operative even in cases prejudicially by the code unless there is such repugnancy as to give prevalence to the latter law.

In Stephens' Criminal Law of England the learned author deals with counselling as embodied in question (1) opposing his own doubt to the authorities then extent with a scrupulousness which given the scope of law would do less than justice. The uncertainty raised or views there expressed seem to have been adopted by later writers, but as has been said, text books are written on a daily repetition by subsequent authors does not necessarily make those dicta law.

Subject to these observations I would answer all the questions submitted in the affirmative, and as to the application for a new trial I would refuse it. I feel the more inclined to do so having regard to section 1019 of the code, as well as to the power bestowed on the minister of justice to review the whole proceedings in case of a conviction and sentence.

The court at any rate should be most careful not to substitute themselves for the jury nor to be astute to invade the functions of a trial judge acting as a judge and jury.

Mr. Justice McKinnon in giving his reasons for ordering a new trial, said that Judge Kane had given leave to apply for a new trial, and the matter of the weight of evidence it was necessary to discuss.

That the accused had counselled the girl, Blanch Bond, to submit to an operation in Nanaimo. The judge did not, however, seem to have found on that point. He had reserved a case on certain points and these must be accepted as affecting the decision and not as academic questions.

The first question which was put was whether or not the counselling of the committing of an abortion in the United States was contrary to the laws of Canada. He answered this question in the negative and stated

that a number of the cases which had been quoted did not touch the one before the court. This one stood alone as the crime counselled was to have been committed by the United States and therefore could not have been against the peace of Our Lord the King. He found a case in England which had not been quoted by the counsel which bore on this case. In that the hypothetical case was propounded as follows:

"If A, in England, incites to commit a robbery in France is he guilty of a crime?" The learned judge who tried the case decided not. In the matter of murder there is a statute which governs but not in any other crime. It was stated that the law of England had nothing to do with the law of France and no matter how highly defensible it might be between civilized countries to have a law which would cover such cases, this was a matter for legislation and not for the courts.

Mr. Justice McKinnon said he had also found another ruling which said that in the procedure English law is to be applied. The fresh juices of oranges, apples, figs and prunes are separated from the pulp, and then combined in such a way that the medicinal action is intensified.

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Continuing, the learned judge said that the ergot incident was a long story and he was not a serious question as to the admissibility of certain evidence. If there was a mis-trial it was his duty to direct a new one and he so directed in this case on both charges. He answered each of the questions propounded in the negative. The chief justice concurred.

**EFFORT TO CLEAR UP  
WEST COAST MYSTERY  
Constable Cox Again Goes to  
Nootka—Difficulties in Investigation.**

Nanaimo, June 25.—C. A. Cox, chief constable for the West Coast, returned from Nootka on the 18th inst., where he had been investigating the disappearance of the Waters brothers and searching for the one whose body has not yet been recovered. Next day he was called to Victoria to give evidence at the coroner's inquest, and left again for Nootka on Sunday for Nootka, where another effort will be made to obtain more information.

According to the medical evidence at the coroner's inquest it appears that a portion of the skull or side of the head, which was missing in the body recently brought to Victoria, and if the missing piece can be found its appearance or position may help to identify a man who believes a thing to be a noxious drug and induces a woman to take it, he is guilty of attempting to procure abortion by an instrument although as a matter of fact the commission of the offence by the woman is impossible in the manner proposed.

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**MANY SPEND THEIR  
HONEYMOON HERE**

What Victoria may possibly lack in the way of establishing a record for June weddings, she is more than making up in the record she is establishing for June honeymoons, and may well be called the honeymoon city of the Sound for there are at the present time fifteen honeymoon couples resident here in two of the hotels alone. The newly married people have all arrived within the last two days and come mostly from the American side and from the mainland.

For years the summer here has attracted tourists and at intervals has been the place chosen for many honeymoons. Before, says the hotel people who are supposed to know, have there been the same number of newly married couples here at the one time.

Last year Victoria established a record for eleven honeymoon couples came here in the one week, but this year the old record is beaten by four and that within the last two days. At the Dominion hotel there are now a honeymoon couple and at the King Edward there are three, who have united within the last few days been united in the holy bonds of matrimony and in Victoria as the spot wherein to spend the first week of unalloyed happiness.

The twelve who are registered at the Dominion are Mr. and Mrs. L. J. W. Froyer, of Tacoma; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Peterson, of Friday Harbor; G. M. Schwartzbough and Mrs. Schwartzbough, of Seattle; C. E. and Mrs. Bolds, of Portland; E. W. and Mrs. Bennett, of Seattle; and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bingham, of Eugene, Ore.; Rev. C. Wellesley-Whittaker and Mrs. Wellesley-Whittaker, of Vancouver; John and Mrs. Wills, of Mt. Vernon; and Mrs. Mrs. Irvine, of Independence, Ore.; George and Mrs. Whitney, of Spokane; A. Allan and Mrs. Allan, of New Westminster; and L. E. and Mrs. Stearns, of Bellingham, while the King Edward is responsible for A. T. Graham and wife, of Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Johnston, of Seattle, and Mrs. H. J. Garden and Mrs. Garden, of Vancouver.

Some of the gentlemen when spoken to on the matter replied that the choice had in the main been left to the young brides, who all appear to have been in the matter of the choice of their honeymoon place wherein to spend the honeymoon. Questioned on the significance of the choice of all falling on the one city, in spite of the fact that the young couples are all strangers to one another, one bridegroom remarked that it was evident that the charms of the city of Victoria were well known throughout the province of British Columbia in the adjacent states of the union.

A fly so minute as to be almost invisible ran three inches in half a second, and was calculated to make no less than 50 steps in the time a man could breathe here. The price paid for the six a day could run twenty-four miles in a minute.

**Orange Juice and Health  
FOR STOMACH AND SKIN.**

Few of us realize what an important part the skin plays in keeping us well or making us look well. The millions of tiny glands, or pores, are intended to rid the system of waste matter, which the blood brings to the skin. It is a well known medical fact that the impurities which are carried off more Urea or waste matter than the kidneys. Just think how much poison remains in the system when there is any skin trouble.

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**LADYSMITH WANTS  
VICTORIAN ENTRIES**

Handsomeness Prizes Offered for Outside Crews at Dominion Day Regatta.

Ladysmith, June 25.—The committee that has charge of the sports for the big celebration here on the First of July, is encountering considerable difficulty. The athletic programme has all been arranged and promises to be a huge success. The regatta, however, is not going so well. The Indians who had been offered \$5 a paddle are asking for \$8, and this the committee absolutely refuses to give. "The would rather put up a handsome trophy for competition for Victoria four-oared crews, but the date is rather inopportune and it is doubtful if it can be worked.

The Victoria clubs who are rather tickled on the amateur question. They take the ground that as cash prizes are being offered the whole thing is being run under professional auspices, and that, therefore, they do not compete.

This is wrong. Professional and amateur events can be brought off at any athletic meeting so long as they are distinctly specified and the professional does not compete for the special amateur. The regatta will be strictly amateur, and the committee are very anxious to get the Victorians to come.

They are prepared to put up really handsome prizes for water polo, relay races, the swimmer race, and a four-oared competition. The Y. M. C. A. and the J. E. A. A. could enter a couple of crews each or more for the event, and the committee would be glad to have them.

The winners would feel proud to possess it. It is at least hoped that the special difficulty will be removed, and that the Victorians will be up and in large numbers. Their attendance is all that is necessary to make the day a great sporting success.

**PERSONAL MOVEMENTS.**

Mr. and Mrs. P. Hutchinson and daughter left town on Saturday for St. Louis.

Miss Lepanavsky came down from Nanaimo this morning.

Miss Gourlay returned this morning from a short visit to Nanaimo.

Joe Meissner was in town to-day. Mr. and Mrs. W. Myles are on a visit to relatives in Seattle.

Mrs. P. Cain and family are spending a couple of weeks in Vancouver.

**GRAND DISPLAY  
OF FIREWORKS  
VESUVIUS ATTRACTED  
IMMENSE CROWDS  
Spectacular Effects at Royal  
Athletic Grounds This  
Evening.**

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Just before 10 o'clock last night, when the historic feast of lanterns was represented at the Royal Athletic Club grounds, to the music of the band and "Vesuvius" belched forth smoke and flowers and rockets, there were hundreds of children on the grass in front of the stand, having jumped the surrounding fence as soon as the eye of the management was removed to the eruption. There was not a vacant seat in the stand and along the fences there were also more. Perched on the outside fence was every man that could sit there and outside the grounds for miles the roofs of houses were occupied with observant humanity.

Long before 7:30 last night people were seen moving in crowds from all directions towards Cook street and the grounds. The Royal Athletic Club grounds had all been taken. The spectacular effects produced by the eruption of Vesuvius were most entrancing. Many who attended last evening will undoubtedly be present to-night so that there should be a record attendance this evening.

The arrangements for seating the crowd are excellent. The grand stand has been enlarged so as to accommodate hundreds more than the permanent one would hold.

The opening part with the march past and exciting scenes drawn from a fete day in Naples was diversified with the marching band playing all of which made a pretty effect.

Then the feast of lanterns took place, and the populace yelled, and Vesuvius belched forth all kinds of fireworks. The walls fell and the real fireworks began with a shower of rockets. Set pieces represented a ship, the last rose of summer, acrobats and the Falls of Niagara, silver and golden rain, fountains and other exhibits that go to make up a fireworks show were seen to advantage, and the large attendance went home satisfied.

To-night the set pieces will include a reproduction of the Falls of Niagara, a scene together with a fine portrait of the most beautiful woman of Victoria—according to the selection of an un-biassed committee. The acrobatic monkey will be given for the special pleasure of the little folks, and Chinese table rockets, the Sun of Empire, the Maple Leaf, and other strong pyrotechnical features will be added, so that the fireworks display will be a rare treat.

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**LICENSE BY-LAW BEFORE  
LADYSMITH COUNCIL  
Measure Proposed is Same as  
That Recently Adopted in  
Victoria.**

Ladysmith, June 25.—Ald. Matheson introduced a by-law at to-night's meeting of the council, which may raise a loud outcry from the licensing trade. Hitherto the city has had no by-law for the regulation of licensed premises and had relied on the provincial law. Ald. Matheson's proposed measure is virtually a copy of the by-law recently adopted in Victoria, and embodies all its chief provisions.

An application for the transfer of a license is to be accompanied by a fee of \$25. The windows of licensed premises are to be darkened to a height of five feet from the sidewalk, the top portion to be left clear so that a person can see into the barroom. No person under the influence of drink is to be permitted to remain in a barroom, and no female customer is to be allowed to enter the bar.

Clause 7 is the most important, providing, as it does, for the hours of closing. No barroom is to open on a Monday before 4 a. m., and all barrooms are to be closed all day on Sundays at 12 o'clock p. m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, and at 11 o'clock p. m. on Saturdays.

The penalty for any infraction of these provisions not otherwise provided for in the statutes, is not to exceed \$50.

The by-law was read a second time and will be taken in committee at the next meeting of the council.

There is a man in Victoria who apparently has a strong sense of his duty and likewise a complete absence of any sense of the ridiculous. He is a driver of one of the sprinklers employed by the city. During the rain this afternoon he continued to sprinkle the streets on his beat as though it were the driest day in the history of the city. His object may have been to enable the city authorities to say that for once at least this season the streets on his beat as though it were the driest day in the history of the city, even if the city sprinklers did not have very much to do with it.

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**TOOK FAREWELL OF  
PASTOR LAST NIGHT**

Metropolitan Methodists Made Presentations to Mr. and Mrs. Adams.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Last evening a farewell was taken of Rev. G. K. B. Adams and Mrs. Adams at the Metropolitan Methodist church. Several presentations were made by subsidiary bodies to the church as well as by the congregation, the pastor and his wife both being remembered. Owing to the absence of the chairman at the beginning of the affair Mrs. Jenkins presided until the arrival of Rev. George W. Dean.

The preliminary part of the programme was taken up with musical selections which included the following: Song, "The Bonnie Banks of Loch Lomond," Mr. Waddington; organ solo, "Le Salut d'Amour," by Sir Edward Elgar; duet by Miss Muriel Hall and Mr. Waddington; song, "Wherein You Walk," Mrs. Bethune; song, "The Silver Ring," Miss Muriel Hall; song, "Adown the Vale," Mr. Griffiths; Miss Hall and Mr. Bethune responded to encourage.

Following this came the presentations. Mrs. Adams was the first to receive attention. She was called-forward and Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Whittier, on behalf of the Ladies Aid, presented her with a very handsome dressing case. Mrs. Adams replied in a suitable manner, thanking the ladies for their kind remembrance.

Then followed the Sunday school. A. E. Lewis, on behalf of that body, presented Mr. Adams with a fish set, emblematic as he said of one of the great industries of British Columbia. He referred to the fostering care Mr. Adams had given to their branch of the church work. In a general way too he spoke of the excellent services Mr. Adams had done and of the excellent company of noted preachers he had followed. He said that they would watch his career in the future with great interest, and wished him every success wherever he might go.

Mr. Adams replied suitably. He asked the congregation to rally round their new minister, remembering that nothing would so much tend to the upbuilding of the church as the loyal support of the minister by the congregation.

The business department of the church then took a hand in the proceedings. Arthur J. Pauline, recording steward, and F. J. Hall, the treasurer, read an illuminated address, and F. J. Hall, president of the quarterly offering board, presented the quarterly offering with a purse of gold. The address was as follows:

Dear Sir and Brother: In the good providence of God you have been permitted to spend four weeks in the service of the Methodist church as pastor of the Metropolitan church, Victoria, and now that the happy relationship is about to be severed we wish to express our appreciation of your life and work in our midst.

In your personal life and conduct you have ever set an example of Christian righteousness that will be a fragrant memory to us, and will inspire us to a closer walk with God. Your Christian character has been beyond reproach and has been the means of attracting many of your ministry. Each Sunday has been our faith and inspiration as a preacher of the gospel of the Son of God, and your labors have been a rich blessing to many. Your work as a leader of the official boards has been of material assistance in providing a church upon the sound financial basis that it has to-day, and we shall ever be grateful for the manner in which you have conducted the temporal side of our work.

To Mrs. Adams we extend our heartfelt wishes for her future welfare, knowing as we do what a real helpmate she has been in all good work. We realize that her presence in the councils of the societies to which she belonged will be greatly missed, and as a hostess in the parsonage she has ever proved herself ready and willing to welcome one and all.

We pray that you both, with your family, may enjoy God's richest blessing in the parsonage at Winnipeg; and that you may meet with your abundant success in your new sphere, which is such a joy to a preacher's heart.

We beg of you to accept the accompanying purse of gold as a small token of our friendship and esteem. Rev. Mr. Adams in replying alluded to the many kind words that had been spoken to him during his pastorate. He had endeavored to do his duty and would ever remember the love and sympathy of the congregation, the church, the congregation, he said, should not forget the work that was done by the officials. These men gave of their time and energy to make successful the work of the church.

The congregation then rose and sang the beautiful farewell hymn: "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again."

The butchers of Berlin have a curious way of informing their customers of the death of which fresh sausages are made by placing a chair, covered with a large clean apron, at the side of the shop door.

**\$1.00**

**LONDON TIMES CHANGES HAND**

LORD NORTHCLIFFE IS SOLE PROPRIETOR

Napoleon of Journalism Attained a Long Cherished Ambition.

London, June 25.—Lord Northcliff is the principal proprietor of the Mail and many other public papers. He has acquired the sole proprietorship of the London Times. The preliminary arrangements have been kept secret and the sale of the paper is now in progress. It is expected that it will be sold to the Times, within my knowledge that it is the intention to sell the plant and equipment of the company to its purchase by C. Arthur will create astonishment in the world.

The purchase was complete within the last few days. Arrangements for the transfer of the paper will be made in a few days unless precipitated by what is regarded as a premature announcement of the sale.

"While I am unable to be much Lord Northcliffe's latest acquisition, I can say I wish the good will of the machinery alone. I paid \$400,000 this being the amount put upon it by the Times, within my knowledge that it is the intention to sell the plant and equipment of the company to its purchase by C. Arthur will create astonishment in the world.

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Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between John Piercy and Frederick Arthur Pauline, carrying on business as wholesale dry goods merchants at Yates street, Victoria, B. C., under the style or firm of J. Piercy & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 25th day of December, 1907. All debts due to and by the firm of J. Piercy & Co. will be received and paid respectively by Frederick A. Pauline, who will continue to carry on the said business.  
Dated 22nd May, 1908.  
JOHN PIERCY,  
F. A. PAULINE.

**TEACHER WANTED** for the Lower Bella Coola Assist. School. Duties to commence 1st July with beginning of school term. Musical young lady preferred. Apply Mrs. B. B. Jacobsen, secretary, Bella Coola, P. O., B. C.

**TWO EMPRESSES BOUND ACROSS THE PACIFIC**  
China Left Yokohama Sunday and India Yesterday for Victoria.

Two Empresses are at present crossing the Pacific on their way to this port within a day of each other. A cablegram from Yokohama states that R. M. S. Empress of China left that port for Victoria at 10 a. m. on Sunday last with 100 saloon and 620 steerage passengers. The China has 150 steerage passengers and 50 tons of freight to be landed here.

Yesterday R. M. S. Empress of India left Yokohama, on schedule time, for Victoria with 50 saloon and 345 steerage passengers. She has 75 steerage passengers and 50 tons of freight to be landed here.

This is the first time on record that two of the Empress liners have crossed the Pacific in such proximity. The Empress of India was scheduled to leave Yokohama on June 11th, is just twelve days behind time. It is expected that she will arrive in Victoria on the 2nd or 3rd.

Chicago, Ill., June 25.—In the States District Attorney Sims' crusade against the alien women, an "underground" road, similar to that used by civil war in smuggling negroes south into northern states, unearthed by immigrant inspectors, secret service men.

The system of bringing alien into the United States, by way of the