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Ready for Anything

It is nice to be good natured enough to smile and look pleasant in any kind of weather. Life might be more enjoyable to some, perhaps, if this Spring's Zephyrs were more inclined to balminess.

You'll just have to stick to Warm Garments for a week or so, and take advantage of the Store's daily opportunities in Summer Goods, to be ready for the Hot Time when it comes.

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Marshall Smith

PRIZES FOR SCHOOLS.

Teachers and Pupils Will Have a Chance at Dominion Fair.

New Westminster, B. C., May 12.—A British Columbia school exhibit is to be made one of the features of the Dominion Exhibition. The educational advantages enjoyed by residents of this province, with various samples of results, will be shown to people from other parts of the world, and in order that the display may be on as large a scale as possible it is necessary that teachers and pupils begin at once to prepare exhibits. Handsome prizes will be offered for collective displays and for individual work. These will include products of manual training, kindergarten, brush work, penmanship, drawing, composition, etc. The minister of education, who is deeply interested in the proposed exhibit, has been asked to permit the superintendent of education to take charge of it.

A Good Suggestion.

Mr. C. B. Wainwright of Lemon City, Fla., has written the manufacturers that much better results are obtained from the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy in cases of pains in the stomach, colic and cholera morbus by taking it in water as hot as can be drank. That when taken in this way the effect is double in rapidity. "It seems to get at the right spot instantly," he says. For sale by F. J. MacKenzie.

BASEBALL.

A meeting of all those interested in the welfare of this pastime will be held on Monday evening next, at 8.30 o'clock, in C. F. Green's office, for the purpose of arranging a schedule of games and other business of importance to players.

The Council meeting which was to have taken place to-day is postponed until Monday next, 15th inst., at 2 p.m.

Rev A. N. and Mrs. Miller left on Wednesday morning for Vancouver for the purpose of attending the sessions of the Methodist Conference.

Live Stock.

The efforts made by the leading stockmen of Canada with the encouragement of the Dominion Minister of Agriculture, for a National system of recording pure bred live stock were successfully culminated at Ottawa last week, when leading stock-breeders from throughout Canada representing various breeds signed agreements with the Minister of Agriculture for the co-operation of his department and appointed a National Record Committee to take the responsibility of managing matters of common interest to the various Record Societies. As a result of the agreements, the Minister undertakes that the seal of his Department shall be attached to all certificates of registration when approved by an officer appointed by him.

The following were elected as the Executive Committee:—Chairman, R. Miller, Stouffville, Ont: Robert Beith, Bowmanville; Wm. Smith, Columbus; A. W. Smith, Maple Lodge; J. E. Brethour, Burford; John Dryden, Toronto and R. Ness, Howick, Que. A. P. Westervelt, Toronto, was appointed Secretary.

The Record Society representatives with delegates from the various provinces met and adopted a constitution forming the Canadian National Live Stock Association. A membership representative of the different provinces and of the large exhibitions and a representative Board of Directors is provided for. The following officers and directors were elected:—President, John Drydon, Toronto; Vice Pres. R. Ness, Howick, Que.; Executive Committee, Col. J. A. McGillivray, Toronto; G. A. Gigault, Quebec; Arthur Johnson, Greenwood; Sec Treasurer, A. P. Westervelt, Toronto. These with the following form the Board of Directors: — W. W. Ballantyne, Stratford, Ont.; Nap LaChapelle, St. Paul l'Hermite, Que.; Andrew Graham, Pomeroy, Man.; T. A Peters, Fredericton, N. B.; Prof. M. C. Cumming, Truro, N. S.; F. L. Haszard, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; A. G. Mutch, Lumsden, Assa.; P. Talbot, M. P., Strathcona, Alta.; J. R. Anderson, Victoria, B C.; and the secretaries of the various provincial live stock associations. A. P. Westervelt was appointed Secretary.

J. Burritt has planted about 90 acres, most of which is in barley The stock here are looking fine, an evidence of the good management on the part of Mr. Burritt, of whom J. Grauer is justly proud.

J. A. Paterson has a large house, 36x40, well under way, fronting on the Trunk road, opposite the Agricultural Society's grounds. He has moved back his fence and is moving up his barns from the Slough bank.

The Delta Sawmill Co. have just about completed the last of three scows, 18x60, which have been built for the Deas Island Cannery, of which H. J. Kirkland is manager. The mill company will build one for themselves next about 18x55. The mill is kept very busy now after having been shut down for some time for repairs. Box making is expected to be very good this season.

Westham Island.

Peter Carrick made a business trip to Chilliwack this week.

G. W. London was a visitor to Westminster this week.

Mrs. F. Kirkland paid a visit to New Westminster on Wednesday.

M. Palmer is on the Island again having resigned his position on the Str. Vulcan.

J. A. Savage and Jas. Tamboline went over to the Stock Sale on Wednesday.

Harry Trim left on Friday on a business trip to Ladysmith, Nanaimo and Vancouver with his launch.

Miss E. Jackson of Vancouver returned home on Monday after spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Albertson.

THE TENT.

The tent mission begins to-morrow morning and evening with a live song service and sermon by Rev. E. H. Shanks. Mrs. Shanks will sing and all will be interested in these meetings. The character of these meetings are interdenominational and members of all churches are cordially invited, and no doubt will be interested. Mr. and Mrs. Shanks have just returned from an extensive tour of Australia and after some months in the province they are to spend two weeks in Ladner. All the meetings are free and everybody is heartily welcome.

"Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

Meetings all the week in the big tent near the Baptist Church.

H. Creech had the misfortune on Thursday evening, to have his left hand split open, just between the two last fingers. It was found necessary to stitch it up, but he is able to work.

John Ellis and wife drove to New Westminster on Monday en route to Markdale, Ont. Mr. Ellis received word on Saturday last that his mother was seriously ill and lost no time in starting for his old home.

J. W. Rudd returned home on Wednesday from Victoria, whither he had gone on account of the death of his eldest daughter and the serious illness of his second son, who is engaged in the engineering department of the Quadra.

Rev. T. E. A. Rogers, Synod Evangelist, will preach in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, tomorrow, at 3 p.m., and at the East End at 7:30 p.m. There will be a congregational meeting in St. Andrew's, Ladner, on Monday evening next, 15th inst., at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of moderating a call for a minister.

There was a very pretty race, yesterday morning, between the Pheasant and the Transfer on their market trip. The Pheasant is considerably faster than the Transfer. On the down trip in the evening the Pheasant came in quite a while ahead of the Transfer, but the passengers were about evenly divided. Tommy Caldicott, formerly steward on the Transfer, is now purser on the Pheasant.

Stock Sale.

Wednesday last was a red letter day for Delta. The inauguration sale at the Delta Stock Yard was a success and it is to be hoped that the next sale will be much more successful. This first sale has shown the farmers where they are lacking. Had the stock been in first class condition, that is, had the fat cattle been really fat, there is not the least doubt but that more might have been sold. The sooner the farmer realizes the fact that it is he who must do the fattening, and not the butcher, the better it will be for him.

Mr. Rich deserves great credit for introducing this institution into the district, as it will, no doubt prove a boon to both buyer and seller. In order to facilitate matters, farmers will do well to make their entries soon as possible after notice has been given that a sale is to take place on a certain date. This will admit of more extensive advertising being done.

Among the heaviest buyers were: P. Burns & Co., J. Grauer, Delta Meat & Commission Co., Reichenbach & Co., C. Morrow, L. Monkman, Stokes & Cullis, Alex. Davie, T. E. Ladner, W. Holmes, Pyke Bros. and others.

On the whole very fair prices were realized, with occasional bargains. Very little buying was done by the farmers themselves.

The next sale will take place next month, of which due notice will be given.

Among the visitors from New Westminster were: Messrs. T. J. Trapp, Chris. Brown, C. A. Welsh J. Montgomery, J. Watson, T. J. Armstrong, J. D. Taylor and J. Archibald.

L. H. Nicholson came over from Vancouver on Saturday last and was the guest of F. W. Harris.

KING'S BIRTHDAY.

A meeting was held at C. F. Green's office on Tuesday evening last to consider ways and means of holding the annual celebration of the King's Birthday on Saturday, 24th June next. The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to carry out the day's amusements: Messrs. Marshall Smith, W. Livingstone and F. J. Green to have charge of the horse racing and Messrs. R. E. Walker, W. H. Smith, P. Shirley and J. Guichon the games and sports.

It was decided to devote about $700 to sports on that day, to consist of baseball, lacrosse and football games to commence in the morning and horse racing in the afternoon. The programme of horse racing, so far as arranged, will have a 2.40 class, a 3 minute class trotting or pacing, and a farmers' novelty trotting or pacing mile dash, the winner to be the horse doing the mile nearest to 4 minutes without the aid of a watch, also two running races for horses and ponies. There will also be bicycle and foot races for men and boys.

The committee hopes that everybody will turn out on that day and help make it a success. Posters and programmes are being prepared and will be distributed as soon as they can be got out.

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Reading notices 10 cents per line for each insertion.

Birth and Death notices, 50c., Marriages $1.00.

Any special notice, the object of which is to promote the pecuniary benefit of any individual or company, to be considered an advertisement and charged accordingly.

All advertisements charged for until ordered out and paid for.

Correspondence invited on matters of public interest. Communications to editor must be accompanied by name of writer, not necessarily for publication, but as evidence of good faith. Correspondence must reach this office by Thursday evening.

GEO. R. MANLEY,
Manager.

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 1905.

ROAD MAKING.

On Thursday we were treated to an exhibition of road making on the Trunk road by the "road grader" which has been sent here on approval.

On examination of the work, taking note both Thursday and yesterday, it was, apparently, the general opinion that the same amount of work could be done in less time with the same amount of power attached to plows and scrapers,

This machine is a road grader, pure and simple, and, no doubt, would do good work in trimming up macadam or gravel roads which have worn into ruts, but for such work as it has been given to do we are of the opinion that the $400 might be used to much better advantage.

A TIMELY CAMPAIGN.

The two archbishops, nearly all the bishops, and very many of the clergy of the Church of England, have initiated a national campaign, to begin in June next, against the alarming growth of the secular Sunday. In this they will be heartily seconded by the ministers of the free churches, many of whom have already sounded the note of warning against this crying evil. The crowds of cyclists that pour out of town on Sunday morning, the over loaded pleasure trains that run out of Paddington and the southern termini, the crowded parks and pleasure-spaces, bear witness to the growth of Continental habits which have marked this country, and especially London, during the last ten years. It is high time that a serious crusade should be undertaken against the breach of the Fourth Commandment.—Ex.

CONVENTIONALISM.

All over the country deep and earnest prayers are being sent up for the religious "awaking" which seems so long in coming. There are many hindering causes—sin, indifference, half-faith, and others. There is also a sin, not so easily detected, but operative in most of our churches, It may be variously described as "precedent," "conventionalism," "the fear of man." We are afraid of what others may think and say if we give way to our inner promptings, and speak out that which is within us. Thus many a bright witness for the Master is paralyzed on trembling tongues; many an ardent parent prayer is stifled as it struggles out of halting lips. It is one of the great sources of strength in revival meetings that this barrier of silence is broken through, and many suddenly discover that the gift of utterance has been given to them. This is one of the remarkable features of the Welsh revival, and it must come in England if the Word of the Lord is to have free course.—Ex.

Surrey Items.

Miss McLean, of New Westminster, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. Kenny, of Hazelmere, has returned home.

Miss Grace Armstrong, of Clover Valley, who had been visiting friends in Westminster for the past few weeks, has returned home.

Messrs. McKonkey Bros., of Manitoba, has purchased the Newman ranch at Hall's Prairie, and are making extensive improvements thereon.

Messrs. Piemont & Pierce, who have been logging on the Nicomekl for the past two years, are moving their camp to new claims on the Burrard Inlet

Mr. Tait, who recently purchased the old Walworth place at Glenwood, has just completed a fine large house. P. Peebles, Westminster, was the contractor.

Settlers still continue to arrive in numbers and places that have been idle and desolate looking since the boom time are being taken up and clearing and seeding are taking the place of the brush.

Geo. M. Thrift, of the Hazelmere Lumber Co., who was badly scalded on Good Friday, is getting on as well as can be expected and hopes in another week he will do away with the sling for his arm.

The weather remains dry and sultry, crops are looking fine everywhere. There is also a very large showing for fruit this year and if nothing interferes we may look for a bountiful crop of both large and small fruits.

Dunn & Kenny, of New Westminster, who recently purchased the shingle mill at Hazelmere, have just completed a large dry kiln 20x110 feet, and commenced operations about the 3rd of the month. They have installed two new machines of the Johnston make, and are turning out a first class article.

The G.N.R. has at last appointed an agent at Cloverdale. This district has been trying for some time to have an agent here, but since the advent of the fast train between Vancouver and Seattle the business could not be handled satisfactorily and so J. J. has seen fit to give us a man. The millmen were especially handicapped, heretofore, by being obliged to do all their shipping through the Westminster agent.

SMELTER AT FAIR.

New Westminster, May 12.—One of the latest attractions secured for the Dominion Exhibition to be held here from Sept. 27 to Oct. 7 is an exhibit that will be illustrative of mining and smelting operations, arrangements for which have been made with the Hall's Mines and Smelting Company of Nelson, B. C.

J. H. Cameron of Dawson, recently reported accidentally killed has been heard from by D. McGregor and is all O. K.

Notice.

There will be a Box Social and High-class Concert, at the Scott Road School in aid of buying an Organ for Church Services, on Friday, May 19th, at 8 p.m.

Ladies come and bring boxes. Gentlemen come and eat the contents of the boxes. All enjoy the concert.

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A. O. U. W.

Delta Lodge, No. 12 meets first and third Tuesdays of each month in Oddfellows' Hall.

W. C. PYBUS, M.W.
GEO. R. MANLEY, Recorder.

I.O.O.F.

Delta Lodge, No. 21.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. Visiting Brethren cordially invited to attend.

W. R. ELLIS. N.G.
DR. A. A. KING, Sec.

C. O. F.

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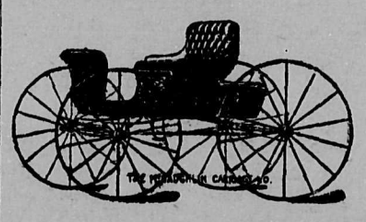

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CHURCH NOTICES.

ALL SAINTS.

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Holy Communion, 1st and 3rd Sundays, at 11 a.m. Other Sundays at 8.30 a.m.

Morning prayer, 11 a.m.

Evensong, 7.30 p.m.

Sunday School at 10 a.m., Friday evening, Litany and choir practice.

Rev. Canon Hilton, vicar.

CATHOLIC

Reverend Father Edm. Peytavin, O.M.I. Services first and third Sunday of each month at 10:30 a.m.

METHODIST.

To-morrow being Conference Sunday, and Rev. A. N. Miller being engaged on same, there will be no service.

Class meeting, 10.30 a.m. every Sunday.

Sabbath School at 2 p.m every Sunday. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 8.

Rev. A. N. Miller, pastor.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Services next Lord's Day at 3 p.m

Sabbath School at 2 p.m Midweek meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock

According to The Commercial, of Winnipeg, the visible supply of oats in the United States and Canada, east of the Rocky Mountains, is 15,857,000 bushels, compared with 8,899,000 bushels a year ago.

A certain young man of our acquaintance, took a trip to Chilliwack on Saturday last, and, we understand he had a double purpose for so doing. He is still enjoying single blessedness. Too bad he had to go so far.

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Cars leave Westminster for Vancouver at 5.50 and 6.50 a.m. and hourly thereafter until 11 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays at 11 p.m.

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Dated at Ottawa this 31st day of March, 1905.

McGIVERN & HAYDON,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

SURREY COUNCIL.

Council met in the Town Hall, Surrey Centre, May 6th, the Reeve and all members being present.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Supt. G. N. R. R. saying there would be no objections to the construction of the road to the spur at Surrey Station, providing the material is not taken from their right of way, the ditches are not filled up, and it in no way interferes with the Company property. Received.

From H. W. Kent, Supt. Telephone Co, saying he would make arrangements to have the old poles removed from the ditches as soon as possible. Received.

From H. G. Ross, endorsing the request of Alex Young to have roads opened near their places, and also requesting to have the Johnston road completed. Received and referred to Coun. Wales to deal with.

From Howay and Reid, as owners of the N. W. ¼ Sec. 32 Tp. 7, calling the attention of the Council to the fact that the works constructed on the Hall's Prairie road opposite this property have the effect of bringing large quantities of water upon the property which did not originally come thereon and thereby causing them damage. That they feel sure the Council will look into the matter without delay and remedy what is a considerable hardship without any other steps being necessary than their calling their attention to the matter. That they would be pleased to meet them at any time and discuss the matter or go over the property with them. Received and the Reeve and Coun. Boothroyd appointed to attend to the matter.

From J. Gaudin, Agent of Department of Marine and Fisheries, saying he had been instructed by the Minister of the Department to enquire into the complaint of several residents of Surrey Centre relating to the obstruction to the navigation of the Serpentine river for the want of a draw in the Johnston road bridge, and report fully to the Department, that he intended to visit the locality the first week in May and would be pleased to meet some member of the Council and see what can be done in the matter; that he understood that the complaint was of long standing and would urge the necessity of at once taking some steps to have a draw put in the bridge. Received, and referred to the Reeve and Coun. Johnston.

From F. Stanley Spain, regarding a complaint from Mr. Opperman that some parties had been shooting his stock, and saying he had been instructed by the Govt. to take up no cases in Municipalities unless the costs were paid by the Muncipality, and saying if they wished the matter investigated to notify him at once. Received and the Reeve instructed the Clerk to investigate the matter.

From W. J. Walker, Chartered Accountant, stating he had struck the Dyking rates as follows;—General Tax, Interest 45½-100 mills, Sinking Fund, 34-100 mills Local Tax, Interest 3¼ mills, Sinking Fund 2½ mills. Received.

From J. E. Murphy making application to purchase 44 lots in Subd. of lots 7 and 8 Group 2. and tendering $10 per lot. Tender accepted.

The following appropriations were made:—

Ward 1, $40 for the C. M. road, tenders to be in at the next meeting. $40 for grading Lattimer road, do. $40 for clearing tail drain C. V. road.

Ward 2, $100 for gravelling Scott road, tenders to be in at next meeting.

Ward 3, 40 rods of corduroy for K. and M. B. roads.

Ward 5, Coun. Lawrence was empowered to have certain works done.

The following contracts were awarded:—

Ward 1. Tp. Line road, J. D. Cameron at $6 per chain.

Ward 2, Fill on Johnson road, H. Wade for $132.50.

Ward 4. Graveling McLellan road, J. A. Wilson at 65 cents per yard.

The Surrey Revenue By-Law was reconsidered and finally passed.

A note for $1,000 account of Temporary Loan was ordered signed and placed to the credit of the general account.

The usual monthly accounts were ordered paid.

The Council then adjourned to meet again on Saturday, June 3rd, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Very Best.

"I have been using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and want to say it is the best cough medicine I have ever taken," says Geo. L. Chubb, a merchant of Harlan, Mich. There is no question about its being the best, as it will cure a cough or cold in less time than any other treatment. It should always be kept in the house ready for instant use, for a cold can be cured in much less time when promptly treated. For sale by F. J. MacKenzie.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

On Tuesday afternoon the str. Beaver tied up at the wharf, having on board the Knights of Pythias' excursion party from New Westminster. The committee in charge was composed of Dave Walker, Fred Maxwell, George Blakely, F. Mcintyre and Capt. Ackerman. About the same time Piper Dunn landed with the music that always charms. The steamer had scarcely tied up, when Sir William, or better known here as Squire, Ladner was run into the ring, when our old highly respected Chief Ackerman of the Hyack days, who did noble service in the Royal City long ago, introduced Reeve Ladner in a neat-rounded speech, which was cheered time and again, and finished with a tiger.

Mr. Ladner in reply welcomed the Knights of Pythias on behalf of the Delta municipality. The veteran's reference to the Delta as the Land of Goshen, was loudly cheered.

The ladies representing the Rathbone Sisters numbered about fifty, the Knights one hundred and fifty and if your correspondent mistakes not, the excursionist throughly enjoyed their trip and we throughly their presence.

Why Suffer From Rheumatism?

Why suffer from rheumatism when one application of Chamberlain's Pain Balm will relieve the pain? The quick relief which this liniment affords makes rest and sleep possible, and that alone is worth many times its cost. Many who have used it hoping only for a short relief from suffering have been happily surprised to find that after awhile the relief became permanent. Mrs. V. H. Leggett of Yum Yum, Tennessee, U. S. A., writes. "I am a great sufferer from rheumatism, all over from head to foot, and Chamberlain's Pain Balm is the only thing that will relieve the pain." For sale by F. J. MacKenzie.

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Cedar Shakes, Fence Posts, Drain Boards and Barn Posts.

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WOMAN'S AIM.

A Louisville woman laughed so heartily in a theater that she went into convulsions. Perhaps she had noticed that the leading lady didn't have her sunburst wig on straight.—Denver Post.

"A woman," said the corn fed philosopher, "gets mad at a man if he be awkward in making love and gets madder if he makes love as if he had lots of experience."—Indianapolis Journal.

In the anxiety to miss none of the great acts on the world's stage it should not be overlooked that a Denver woman threw a stone at a man and succeeded in knocking off his hat.—Denver Republican.

An Ohio man was struggling with a thief, when his sister ran to his assistance, and, striking at the thief with an ax, killed her brother. And yet we speak of the aim of the new woman.—Richmond Times.

PRINTERS' INK.

There are 22,000 publications in North America which print advertisements.

The aggregate annual circulation of the world's periodicals is 12,000,000,000 and consumes 700,000 tons of paper.

It is estimated that there is $150,000,000 spent annually in North America for newspaper and magazine advertisements.

The grand total circulation of the publications which print advertisements in North America amounts to 8,500,000,000.

The first English newspaper was The English Mercury, pamphlet shaped, issued in Queen Elizabeth's reign. The Gazette of Venice was the original model of the modern newspaper. The Acta Diurna (Day's Doings), published in the latter days of the Roman empire, was the first newspaper the world ever had.

TOWN TOPICS.

When a man ill uses his mule in New Orleans, he is fined $25. Boston fines a man $10 for beating his wife.—New York Times.

That the people of Easton are generous to a fault is exemplified by the fact that they pay $2 per 1,000 cubic feet for gas.—Philadelphia Press.

The ser of a Chicago burglar was determined by the extra large size of the footprints. It is unnecessary to state what it was.—St. Louis Star.

Eternal vigilance and a few sharp prosecutions are the price of clear air for New York. The health board has begun its crusade against the smoke nuisance. It should receive the earnest support of the people.—New York World.

The Judge's Slip.

A mistake which caused a ripple of amusement to run through a western courtroom was made by an absentminded judge.

He had to pass sentence on a highwayman. After stating clearly the disgrace which the man had brought upon relatives and friends by his lawless and dishonest life the judge said, "And in consideration of these many offenses against the law, committed by you, you are hereby sentenced to seven years' hard labor in the legislature."

"Penitentiary, your honor," hastily corrected the prosecuting attorney in a respectful whisper.

"What?" said the judge blankly. "Oh, yes; the penitentiary. But the difference is only a slight one. Of course I should say"—

Here his honor abruptly ceased, and what he should have said was left unsaid.—Youth's Companion.

Arab Music.

Who shall define Arab music? It has been described as the singing of a prima donna who has ruptured her voice in trying to sing a duet with herself. Each note starts from somewhere between a sharp and a flat, but does not stop even there, and splits up into four or more portions, of which no person can be expected to catch more than one at a time.

John Oliver Hobbes says there is a great law of infidelity in the human race. A man must be faithless to something, either to a woman or his deity or his most cherished belief. The Arab musician is always unfaithful—to his stave and his keynote. But faith unfaithful makes him falsely true to the ears of his hearers, and they enjoy and applaud his wrangles with harmony. Their singing reminds one of the wails of a bereaved Thomas suffering from an acute attack of gastritis, complicated with neuralgia.—Cairo (Egypt) Sphinx.

POLITICAL QUIPS.

It is a paraphrase—the colonel or the tiger.—Syracuse Herald.

Whichever ticket (Roosevelt or Van Wyck) wins the Dutch will take New Holland.—New York Tribune.

About all you can say in favor of an officeholder is that when he begins he has the best intentions in the world.—Atchison Globe.

So far Ohio has had three secretaries of state in one administration. And the first term administration is not half over. Of course, if there are other vacancies, Ohio will fill them. Noble state!—Baltimore American.

Going for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

Don't put yourself in this man's place, but keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. There is nothing so good for Colic, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery and Diarrhoea. It is equally valuable for Summer Complaint and Cholera Infantum and has saved the lives of more children than any other medicine in use.

When reduced with water and sweetened it is pleasant to take.

You, or some one of your family, are sure to need this remedy sooner or later and when that time comes you will need it badly; you will need it quickly. Why not buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency? Price, 35 cents.

DIED.

SLATER—On Friday, May 5, at Olympia, Wash., after a brief illness, Gordon Hugh, third son of Wellington Slater. Aged 25 years.

CANNELL—On Tuesday, May 2nd, 1905, after a brief illness, Mrs. Elizabeth Norton Cannell, aged 22. "Bessy," eldest daughter of Mr. John W. G. N. Rudd.

Good-bye, little brown love, until I reach you, but 'tis very lonely for father.

LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. E. H. Shanks and wife arrived last evening.

Mrs. Wm. Stokes visited the Royal City yesterday.

Harry Furr is making rapid strides towards recovery.

Mrs. D. A. McKee returned home last evening on the Pheasant.

Rev. Mr. McLeod, of Vancouver, was among last night's arrivals.

W. Stokes is gathering strength of late, though he is far from well yet.

The funeral of the late Mr. Lefroy, of East Delta, takes place today at 2 p.m.

Miss Crisp, sister of Mrs. Marshall Smith, came over from Vancouver yesterday.

Mesdames Benson, McDiarmid and Fenton returned home on Monday evening's boat.

Seeding is about over for this season and the farmers would like to see a little more rain.

Mrs. A. Clausen, who had been visiting in Vancouver this week, returned home last evening on the Pheasant.

Mrs. H. G. Taylor is laid up with an attack of pneumonia and is so low that a trained nurse had to de called in.

Wm. Witter, who was very ill last week, is much improved. Mrs. Witter, at latest accounts, is improving steadily.

Mrs. W. A. Kirkland returned home, yesterday, accompanied by her parents, W. Cosman and wife, from Vancouver.

Mrs. M. E. Wharton, accompanied by her sister, Miss Goostrey, drove over to Aldergrove on Thursday, for a week's visit.

J. Grauer was accompanied by his son George, this week, on his purchasing tour. George promises to make even a better buyer than his dad.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will meet, on Thursday next, at the home of Mrs. T. W. Kerr, when a good attendance is requested.

W. H. Ladner shipped, to-day, a carload of Shorthorn bulls to J. Bulman, Kamloops. Mr. Bulman has made some heavy purchases here during the past week.

E. Flick has purchased a 40-acre block on the Point Roberts road, and has built a nice cottage and cleared about half an acre for this season's work. He is making a chicken ranch out of this property.

LOCAL ADS.

Pure Extracted Honey at the City Bakery.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD made from pure whole wheat at the City Bakery.

John Richardson, of Mayne Island, was in town this week.

Miss Ladner returned home, on Tuesday, from a short visit to Victoria.

Wm. Bath returned home on Saturday last from a visit to Picton, Ontario.

Misses Budge, of New Westminster, arrived, Thursday, on a visit to friends on Crescent Island.

Mrs. F. W. Harris, and Mrs. Hilton ccompanied L. H. Nicholson and wife to New Westminster on Monday.

Miss Shildrick, of New Westminster, who has been visiting with Miss C. Green returned home Thursday on the Transfer.

Rev. E. H. Shanks will preach in the tent, near the Baptist Church, Morning subject, "Triumphs of Truth"; evening subject, "Necessity of New Birth". All cordially invited.

With the Royal City calling here for passengers, next week, things will be rushing around the wharves. Yesterday the Rithet, Pheasant and Transfer were tied up at one time, which made things quite lively for a time.

Roadmaking is now in progress on the Delta. Another half mile of the Trunk road from the Green to the Paterson road is being macadamized. This will be a nice addition to the present permanent work done last year.

A meeting of the Directors of the Delta Creamery Co., Ltd., was held at the Secretary's office on Saturday last, when it was decided to pay 22 cents per pound for butter fat supplied during the month of May, and to hurry the contractors for the completion of the cold storage which is well under way.

GORDON SLATER DEAD.

The death occurred on Friday, the 5th inst., at Olympia, Wash, of Gordon Hugh the third son of W. L. Slater, of this place. The young man was a native of Parrsborough, New Brunswick, and leaves a wife and one daughter to mourn his loss. The funeral took place on Monday last. W. L. Slater, deceased's father, went over to Vancouver, on Saturday last and completed arrangements for the funeral, he being unable to attend the funeral personally at Olympia.

The sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved ones.

Lost.

A Black Ribbon Belt with Brass Buckle. Finder please return to THIS OFFICE.

Notice.

There will be a Box Social and High-class Concert, at the Scott Road School in aid of buying an Organ for Church Services, on Friday, May 19th, at 8 p.m.

Ladies come and bring boxes. Gentlemen come and eat the contents of the boxes. All enjoy the concert.

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English prints, 36-in,	12½c
Imported ginghams,	15c
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Oxford (heavy) do,	12½c
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Special line napkins, per dozen	$1.25 to $2.75
500 yds dress muslins,	yd 10c
1500 yds do	yd 15c
Fine imported qualities:	
3000 yds, immense variety,	25c
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Compare this with any 30c line.	
40-in pillow cotton	17½c
Imported direct, best made.	
Victoria lawn 15c line for	10c
(write for sample)	
Other lines at 15c, 20c and	25c yd
Bath towels, 21x42, sell at	35c pr
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Special values in white Turkish, brown linen, linen huck towels, bath mats, kitchen linens, apron linens, etc., etc.	

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400 Dress Skirts in stock, special sizes made for very stout ladies.

Black Cheviot skirts,	$2.95
Man Tweed skirts,	$2.95

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Other lines of spring styles in Mohair, black or blue lustres, canvas weaves, Venetian, broadcloth, pretty Tweeds, etc. Prices range $5, $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $10, $12, $15; we sell a few at $25 each.

150 shirtwaist suits, all new from the maker, in black, brown and navy and shot silks, plain and shot lustres, fancy Tweeds; colored voiles, fancy linens, Pongee silk and everything that's new. We fit you here.

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J. P. McPherson

Ladner, B. C.

For Sale.

A number of Fine, Purebred White Wyandottes and Buff Orpington Cockerels for mating.

H. J. KIRKLAND.

For Sale.

A No. 1 Melotte Separator, in first class condition (owner is installing larger one, same make).

For further particulars apply to N. MITCHELL, Crescent Island.

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MR. H. N. RICH has received instructions from Mrs. Clark to Sell by Auction, at her residence, in the Village of Ladner, at 2 o'clock, on Tuesday, May 30th. 1905.

TERMS CASH.

NOTICE.

All accounts due McKee Bros. must be settled on or before the 15th inst., at which date the partnership heretofore existing will be dissolved by mutual consent.

JOHN McKEE,
DAVID A. McKEE.

Ladner, B. C., May 3rd, 1905.

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