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NORTH VANCOUVER HIGH SCHOOL

The following is a list of pupils attending the North Vancouver high school taking the highest rank in the October examinations:

Matriculation Class—1, Chas. Lawrence, 2, Sybil Chaloner.

Junior Grade—1, Annie Heard; 2, Hester Melville; 3, Lillian McNair.

The highest marks in the different subjects are as follows:

Grammar and literature, Hester Melville; composition, Bessie Cuthbert; botany, John Woods; Latin, Lillian McNair; French, Ethel Jarvis and Hester Melville, equal; Algebra, Bessie Cuthbert; Geometry, Annie Heard; physics, Annie Heard and Charles Lawrence, equal.

Preliminary Grade—1, Lillian Bull; 2, Madge Gill; 3, Charles Graham. Highest marks in different subjects—Spelling, adge Gill; drawing, Edward Little; arithmetic, Charles Graham; algebra, Lillian Bull; geometry, Wallace Shore; composition, Colin Cameron; literature, Constance Wismer; grammar, Wallace Shore and Colin Cameron, equal; Latin, Colin Cameron; French, Edward Little.

BUILDING PERMITS

421—W. McCready, lot 32, block 237, subdivision 545-546, 28th street east, to build a dwelling.

422—Mr. McManners, lot 6, block 19, subdivision 548-549, 18th street, to build a dwelling.

423—R. Haws, lot 14, block 20, subdivision 548, 18th street, to build a dwelling.

424—L. D. Whiffen, lot 6, block 69, subdivision 550, 11th street east, to build a dwelling.

425—E. Brewster, lot 2, block 29, subdivision 548, 17th street, to build a dwelling.

NORTH VANCOUVER'S "DEATH TRAP"

Statement by Chairman of Board of School Trustees

Mr. A. R. Stacey, chairman of the Board of School Trustees, made some interesting pronouncements to a representative of the Express on the nature and substance of the fire chief's report upon the school on 4th street as submitted and discussed at the council meeting on Tuesday of last week. He was informed that the school had been described as a veritable "death-trap."

"I wish then to tage exception," he said, to the unwarranted action of the newly-appointed fire chief. The school board is an elected body answerable to the people, and if any recommendation was required, it should have been made to the trustees rather than the council. I also take exception to it," continued Mr. Stacey, "as a statement manifestly unfair, inasmuch as every precaution has been exercised by the board for the protection of the children in the event of an outbreak of fire. Chemical extinguishers have been installed throughout the building while a hose is regularly attached in the basement convenient to the furnaces. A janitor is in attendance during school sessions and the furnaces are not situated under the stairway as the report states. There are three exits from a building which only contains six rooms and Trustee McDowell and myself visited the school unknown to the entire staff, rang the fire gong and without previous notice the entire building was emptied in thirty seconds."

"Every precaution necessary," concluded Mr. Stacey, "has been adopted for the safety of the children by the present board, and as a citizen of North Vancouver I disagree with the council's action in entertaining the fire chief's statement as a public report likely to have a damaging effect."

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

A general meeting of the Horticultural society was held last week, the president, Mr. W. L. Keene occupying the chair.

After the present situation of the society had been discussed fully it was unanimously decided that the directors be empowered to execute a new mortgage to the extent of $12,000 with the idea of improving and taking over the B. C. Athletic ground which has been offered to them on a long lease.

Regret was expressed that members did not take sufficient interest in the society, which financially is now in a sound condition.

BIRTH

On Nov. 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Bromley, of 21st street and Mahon, a son.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

For the first time for many years the first fall of snow has been witnessed on the North Vancouver mountains in the month of November.

Information reached the police that Sunday dances were being carried on at a rooming house on First street east. Inquiries elicited that christening celebrations were in progress.

Mr. W. D. McFarlane has returned to North Vancouver after a sojourn in the east during which his son had the misfortune to contract measles.

The union meetings of the Baptist, Methodist and Presbyterian churches of this city are continued this week in St. Andrew's church every evening.

Mrs. J. L. Johnston, 223 Keith road, will receive for the first time since coming to North Vancouver on Thursday, Nov. 9th, from 4 to 6 p.m. and afterwards on the first Thursday of each month.

A farewell tea and presentation took place at the residence of Mrs. Keene last week in honor of Mrs. Morell, who for some time past has been identified with the St. John's Women's Auxiliary. Mrs. Morell is leaving the city this week and returning to Toronto to join her daughter there.

A social is arranged for Thursday of this week at the home of Mrs Archibald, North Lonsdale in aid of St. Thomas' church, from 6 p.m. and the program promises to be especially interesting, containing vocal and instrumental music, mock auction, hat trimming contest, needle and thread contest and guessing contests.

On Saturday afternoon a wagon skidded over an embankment near the corner of 16th street and Bewicke Ave. with the result that the driver, B. Ryan, working temporarily for the Brackman-Ker Milling Company, had to pull himself as best he could from an entanglement of wheels, hay and horses. He had sustained no more serious injury than a few bruises and a shaking.

The revision court, which sits in May and November, was in session at the city hall yesterday morning when business was transacted in relation to the Richmond electoral district, 1,469 names being added and 240 struck off. According to the clerk's statement, over 2,000 names have been added since last November the list as it now stands representing over 5,000 persons.

The body of Mr. John Shaw who was drowned from a launch off Hollyburn a week ago, was recovered at Dundarave, West Capilano on Saturday night. An inquest wes held on Monday morning and a verdict returned to the effect that the deceased "came to his death by drowning through falling off the launch." A recommendation was made that all launches be required to carry at least one life preserver.

WEDDING BELLS

In St. Andrew's church, North Vancouver on Friday evening, Nov. 3rd, Miss Jeannie Sim Shearer of Paisley, Scotland, was united in marriage to Mr. C. C. Scott of North Vancouver. Rev. Ronald Macleod officiated. The church was decorated with flowers and autumn leaves. Mr. and Mrs. Scott will reside in this city.

HOCKEY

North Vancouver Defeat Vancouver

In the first match for the B. C. league cup the home team had an easy time winning from Vancouver last Saturday, the final score being 3-1.

The game was somewhat slow owing to the referees very properly insisting upon the rules being adhered to. At half time the score was one each.

In the second half North Vancouver had all the game and but for erratic shooting should have won by a considerably larger score, their backs and goal keeper having little or nothing to do owing to the fine play of the half backs. McNaughton, Humphries and Ted Baylis played finely for the home team, Nicholls and Wainwright showing up well for the losers.

The next match is against the 72nd Highlanders on Saturday next on the Boulevard grounds.

A SIDEWALK ALL THE WAY

The Express is particularly gratified to be able to advise the public that there is now a good sidewalk all the way from Lonsdale Avenue to these premises—as this sidewalk is twelve feet in width there is ample room to accommodate even our host of friends and patrons, so "come one, come all," we are yours to serve.

City Council in Session

School Board's Reply to Fire Chief's Report

Considerable interest was attached at last night's meeting of the city council to the reply from the school trustees to the fire chief's recent report on North Vancouver school buildings. A long letter was read from Mr. George Campbell, the board's secretary, dealing fully with the fire chief's allegations and deploring the publicity which has been given to his pronouncements. The communication intimated that the school trustees desired to "severely condemn the action taken by the fire chief in the face of actual circumstances, to emphatically refute the allegation of inadequate fire protection and to strongly disapprove of the grossly exaggerated tone of his report as being calculated to convey erroneous impressions and thereby militate against the progress of the schools."

In relation to the building on 4th street and Chesterfield, which was alluded to in the report as a death trap inasmuch as the furnace was situated beneath the stairway, the trustees stated that the furnace was so situated that the top of it was 12 feet distant from the soffit of the stair and therefore not in dangerous proximity to the stair which the report implied. Also it was directly over unexcavated soil 14 feet distant from the centre-line of the furnace. The hot air pipes were well wrapped in asbestos paper in the customary manner. The stair itself was of good construction and in sound condition, was 6 feet wide with a straight lead to the main exit. There were two subsidiary exits, so that a building of six rooms was thus provided with three exits

With regard to the Lonsdale school, to which the fire chief referred in like terms, the trustees pronounced his statements to be absolutely inaccurate. They contended that the heating chamber was wholly surrounded by brick walls and was distinctly separated from the stairway. All the precautions adopted in the school on 4th street were adopted here also, namely, in addition to those stated above, the placing around of chemical fire extinguishers, the constant attendance of a janitor during school hours and frequent indulgence in fire drill so that the school could be emptied in about 37 seconds.

The trustees also pointed out that the schools were erected in full accordance with the local building bylaws, and that no complaint had ever emanated from the building inspector. The letter finally bemoaned the publicity which the press had given to the matter, seeing that it would seriously affect the attendance at the schools should the parents accept the alarming statements in the spirit in which they were conveyed. It was the board's earnest desire that equal publicity be given to their contradiction of those statements and to their assurance that the dangers alleged were non-existent.

Mayor McNeish then informed the council that he had made it his business, together with the fire chief and the building inspector, to see what was really wrong in this connection. It was unfortunate that so much had been made of the matter in the first letter. His worship was quite of the opinion that the fire chief was only desirous of performing his duties conscientiously to the city. He had, however, gone personally, unnoticed to the Chesterfield school and had sounded the fire gong without any warning to the staff. He had timed the experiment carefully and was in a position to state that in 34 seconds every living soul was out of the building. There was not very much danger in that. His worship, in reference to the report that they had just heard read, said that the distance of the furnace from the stair was correct. Also it was true that the furnace was under the stair. It was impossible to have a furnace anywhere else to properly heat the school. While the council might reasonably consider further suggestions from the building inspector, the public need not have any fear for the safety of their children.

Ald. Dick moved that the report of the trustees be received and accepted, and that the fire chief be asked not in future to provide "yellow" stuff for newspaper publication. He had given them adverse advertising all over the world and Ald. Dick considered that the fire chief was open to censure. The matter in hand rightly belonged to the building inspector's department.

The mayor in reply said that he believed that the fire chief was conscientious. It was only unfortunate that so much had been said concerning his letter.

Ald. Kittson also cosidered that the chief had meant well. He hoped the press would give as full publication to the trustees' letter as their space would allow.

Ald. Biss did not think that the chief had exceeded his duty seeing that it involved upon him to put out any fire that might occur.

Ald. Smith laid emphasis on the unfortunate fact that the fire chief's letter had got into the papers.

Whereupon Ald. McRae sought to pulverise the press with a suggestion that the council were too fond of making remarks on letters as soon as they were read. They should be dealt with in committee. Thus the matter subsided, Ald. Dick's motion in modified form being finally seconded and carried.

Certain minor maters were discussed by council during the session.

A request from Hutchinson, McMillan & Co. on behalf of Mr. Howard B. Stoker for the grading of 14th street as far as lot 11, block 51 district lot 541, was referred to the board of works.

A plea from the Rev. A. J. Prosser for a plank sidewalk between 11th and 12th streets for the convenience of those attending the First Baptist church was filed with other similar pleas that are tabulated to come up in regular order.

Cormack and Biddlecombe wrote complaining that while driving along First street west of Lonsdale their rig was damaged and the harness broken in consequence of the dangerous and unsafe condition of the road. Their horse ,according to the letter, "went up to the shoulders in mud and their plant had been damaged to the extent of $1."

Ald. Dick suggested that danger signals be erected along First street and Ald. Henderson submitted that the street should be drained. Subsequently, the matter was handed over to the waterworks committee.

The city engineer reported that he had checked over the funds allowed for the operating of the rock crusher and had found that the said funds would be used up in about another week's time.

This reminded Ald. Henderson of the fact that the stone had been split by hand preparatory to being put in the crusher. He was in favor of acquiring a compressor drill to do that in place of hand labor.

This would be in the end a less expensive method.

Ald. Dick admitted that the process would be a more rapid one but pointed out that the boulders were strung over a considerable distance and unless they corded up these boulders it would mean getting their power and changing it every hundred feet along the line. Every time they split rock that was not adjacent with their work it became expensive.

Ald. Henderson advocated having a compressor as portable as the rock crusher. The latter he was given to understand, could be moved to any part of the city with great facility.

The mayor interposed to the effect that it was a problem that need not be dealt with in the council chamber.

The Ratepayers' Association submitted a resolution passed at their last meeting petitioning for the grading and macadamizing of Forbes avenue from the Esplanade to 16th street.

After referring the matter to the Board of Works the mayor said that while they would like to do that, it was fairly understood that it could not be done with the present funds.

Ald. McRae wished that it was more generally understood that the board of works would willingly macadamize all the streets in the city if it were in their power.

The question of appointing a janitor and stenographer for the police court work as recommended by the board of police commissioners, was referred to the finance committee.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Tuesday, Nov. 7th—Meeting of School Trustees at Central School at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday, Nov. 8th—Meeting of Lynn Valley Ratepayers' Association.

Wednesday, Nov. 8th—Cinderella Club Dance, Horticultural Hall.

Thursday, Nov. 9th—Meeting of Municipal Council, Lynn Valley.

Monday, Nov. 13th—Badminton Club Dance, Horticultural Hall.

CONSERVATIVE CLUB

The rooms of the North Vancouver Conservative Club in the Aberdeen block above the post office are now open both day and evening. The rooms are steam heated, comfortably furnished and are provided with magazines, games, etc. The executive is very desirous that these permanent quarters be made of the greatest possible usefulness and all Conservatives are requested to frequent the rooms as much as they can.

Today at New Westminster application is being made by this city for a water record on Lynn Lake. Mr. Hanes, the city engineer, and Mr. Shepherd, the city clerk, are at New Westminster representing North Vancouver.

JUMPING FROM WHARF TO FERRY

Vancouver Man Immersed and Rescued

An exciting incident took place on the North Vancouver ferry wharf at 11 o'clock on Sunday night. The number three boat had tooted its customary warning of departure and the gangway was rattling upwards when a would-be passenger in the shape of H. F. Peters of Water street Vancouver, appeared in sight. He was apparently very determined to catch the boat and declined to recognize certain insuperable obstacles which lay in his path. Three of the crew yelled to the effect that he was too lte, the gangway being then half way up and the ferry in gentle motion, but Peters who evidently overestimated his athletic prowess, took a leap at the gangway and missed it. He fell heavily into the water and was followed immediately by Mr. Jack Newton, one of the number three crew, who despite the dangerous backwash and other perils and inconveniences, went pluckily to the assistance of the athlete. Meantime two bells had been sounded and the engines quickly reversed, and with great promptitude the crew had lowered life-buoys and a ladder with the aid of which the two men in the water were pulled on board. So that H. F. Peters can truthfully say that he caught the boat even if the trip istelf was not a physically comfortable one. He should feel mightily obliged to Jack Newton who did not give himself time to dwell when the possibility of being drawn under the wharf by the heavy backwash. He is happily none the worse for the immersion, describing himself yesterday as being "in the pink of condition."

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R. M. Richmond, teacher of violin, 1417 Jones Avenue. 17-11

Miss L. H. Bertram of Vancouver, teacher of piano and singing. Lessons given in North Vancouver. Terms $5 per month. Beginners a specialty. Apply Express Office, Box A3. 10-11

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—One fishing dory. W. G. Thompson, Hollyburn P. O. 1-12

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fresh mushrooms daily at the Grotto. 3-12

FOR SALE—Fine lot of young hens, just starting to lay. Fish Market, 1st street west, city. 10-11

FOR SALE—First growth dry wood for $4.75 per cord, 4 ft. G. McIlade, Phone 82. t.f.

MUSHROOMS fresh daily at the Grotto. 3-12

FOR SALE—Real estate office with fire and life insurance agencies. Two years' lease and fixtures, fittings etc. for sale—no good will See James McIlwaine, Realty and Business Exchange, 36 Lonsdale Avenue. 1-11

Five roomed cottage and cleared lot 33x299 in Lynn Valley few yards from carline. $1700. Terms. Palmer (late Ward) Burmester and von Graevenitz, 467 Lonsdale Avenue. Phone 71. t.f.

FOR SALE—The Kandie Kitchen fixtures and stock at valuation. Splendid going concern doing $2,000 trade monthly. Must be sold and is a snap to anyone with the cash to handle it. James McIlwaine, Realty and Business Exchange, 36 Lonsdale Ave. 1-11

Four-roomed bungalow, new, bath, toilet, furnace, lot cleared and fenced, $2250, $500 cash, balance arranged. Palmer (late Ward) Burmester and von Graevenitz, 467 Lonsdale Avenue. 71. t.f.

FOR SALE—Three 50-foot lots on Queen street, five minutes' walk from Lonsdale. Terms. Apply K., Express Office.

FOR SALE—Two lots, block and a half west of Lonsdale on 22nd street, $750 for both. Terms. Apply owner, 42 Lonsdale Avenue. 20-11

FOR RENT

ROOMS FOR RENT—Housekeeping. 218 2nd Street east.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms Apply to Mrs Russell, cor Keith road and Jones Avenue 7-11

ROOMS TO LET—With or without board. Apply Miss Burton, 133—4th street west. t.f.

Good room and board for 3 or 4 men at Mrs. Tierney's, 8th street, 1st house east of Boulevard. 7-11

Board and room for two gentlemen, $6.50 per week. Apply A. R. Fulton, Furniture Co., Esplanade west. 7-10

TO RENT—Nice 6-roomed flat. Apply Lonsdale Supply Stores, 1111 Lonsdale Avenue. t.f.

TO LET—Furnished room. Apply 260 Second street west. Entrance temporary off Third street. 10-11

TO RENT—Choice modern suites on 3rd street. Apply Alex. Smith & Co., North Vancouver. t.f.

TO RENT—Two unfurnished rooms in modern house. Boscobel apartments suite 3, cor. 8th and Chesterfield. 10-11

FOR RENT—Rooms with or without board. Apply 436—2nd street E. One minute from car. 17-11

FOR RENT—Five-roomed bungalow, modern, 8th street east, near Victoria Park. John Diersen, Colonial Apartment House, 8th street, phone 210. tf

MISCELLANEOUS

J. Loutet and North Lonsdale

Get it at Lonsdale Pharmacy Phone 99

Good young stock Bull, corner 19th street and Mahon Ave. 14-11

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We close Sundays. Phone 324. J. H. English, O. K. Grocery, 13 Lonsdale Avenue.

Don't buy your dolls before the great doll sale, Nov. 28th, St. John Parish Hall. 10-11

North Vancouver Fish and Produce Co. Fresh and smoked Fish a specialty. 131 First street west. 24-11

M. H. Rayment for first class dressmaking. Second house, 8th street E., adjoining west of Boulevard and car line. tf

The City Dye Works, on corner Esplanade East and Lonsdale are enabled by virtue of their large plant in the city to not only clean the cloth but the lining, pockets, etc. of every suit they dry clean at the same moderate prices they have always charged. t.f.

The Truth students class will meet every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Gallagher, Keith road, near Ridgeway. Students desiring higher spiritual unfoldment are cordially invited to attend. tf

B. C. Livery and Board stables—Light rigs and ladies' saddle horses for hire. Stabling for horses. General delivery and heavy teaming. H. Dumas, 4th street west. Phone 347 t.f.

Sewer connections done by expert pipe-layers. Work guaranteed to pass city engineer's office inspection. Only first class Scotch pipe and prime Portland cement used. Estimates furnished. Apply K. R. Paykull at office of North Vancouver Coal and Supply Co., Ltd. 1-12

WANTED

Expert accountant desires bookkeeping, work evenings. North Shore only Apply Box A9, Express Office. 10-11

WANTED—Tenders for plastering Summerfield, cor. 11th and Ridgeway, after 5.30 p.m. 7-11

WANTED—Dressmaking, style and fit guaranted. Mrs. Bowes, "Boscobel" 8th street and Chesterfield Ave. 14-11

WANTED—Tenders for clearing and grading lot 6, block 19, district lot 786. G. Hughes, P. O. Box 2469. tf

We specialize in North Vancouver property and wish to list properties direct from owners. SCANDIA INVESTMENT CO., 916½ Cordova Street west. 10-11

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North Vancouver, B. C.....November 7, 1911.

THE MOODYVILLE ROAD

The vexatious delay which is being experienced in carrying out the plans of the provincial government in the matter of the construction of a new road through Moodyville is causing a great deal of adverse comment from property owners whose holdings lie to the east of Moodyville and from other sources. The situation is as follows: The present road through Moodyville belongs to the provincial government and was suitable for its purpose so long as it was intended only to reach the waterfront at that place. Now, however, that those wharves are abandoned and developments have followed another trend the main purpose to be served by a road through that locality today is to give ready access to the tracts of property lying beyond Moodyville to the east which the owners may desire to open up. For this latter purpose however, the route followed by the existing road is altogether unsuitable for the reason that it not only involves a heavy grade to get down to water level as at the present time, from the western end, but it also involves an almost impracticable grade to get up again to the required level, by continuing the present road from its present eastern terminus.

In order to overcome this difficulty and in order to provide the property owners concerned with suitable means of access to their property, it is the desire of the provincial government to construct a new roadway on a line in direct continuation of First street eastward from its point of contact with the boundary between the city and Moodyville. This roadway would run somewhat to the north of the present road and would give an excellent grade throughout. The provincial government has been in negotiation with the owners of the Moodyville property for some months with a view to procuring the necessary road allowance in exchange for the new roadway and has made repeated efforts to reach an amicable arrangement but without result. Meantime the road gangs which were at work on a portion of the new road have been recalled, the usefulness of the work already done by the government is suspended and property owners are denied their unquestioned right of reasonable access to their property. While conditions such as these are unavoidable at times and it is therefore necessary that progressive property holders should learn to possess their souls in patience and to hold their plans for improvements in abeyance, when occasion demands, it is certainly reasonable to conclude, nevertheless, that it will not be permitted that obstruction in matters of public import such as the construction of necessary roads shall be unduly prolonged, more particularly under circumstances such as those obtaining in the present instance, in which the property to which reasonable access is denied is situated in such close proximity to the greatest centre of population in the entire province. Inasmuch as this important matter has already been held back for some months it is to be hoped that the government will proceed without further delay with such steps as may be necessary to take possession of the needed road allowance in order to provide the public with the required access to the large tracts of property which would be served by the proposed road

As germane to the topic under discussion, it is in order to make mention of the anomalous position occupied by the Moodyville property among the municipalities of the North Shore. This exceedingly valuable property occupies a most advantageous position and includes roughly speaking one mile of waterfrontage which will rank with the choicest foreshore on Burrard Inlet. This property profits in a general way by all the improvements which are carried forward by the city of North Vancouver or by the district of North Vancouver, it participates in the rapid appreciation of waterfront and other property values which has taken place on both sides of Burrard Inlet and yet it is exempt from a proportionate share of the taxation which is being paid by property holders on all sides of it, being called upon to pay only the extremely light rates imposed by the provincial government. While this is doubtless gratifying to the owners of the Moodyville property it involves a grave discrimination of rates as against those neighboring property owners who are paying municipal taxes in proportion to the advanced value of their property and in payment for the extensive public improvements which are being carried out in the city and the district It is reasonable to suppose that owners who can afford to hold intact, year after year, realty of the great value which attaches to the Moodyville property are financially able to assume their full share of the burden of municipal taxation with their fellow citizens whose property lies in adjacent locations and it would therefore fully coincide with the conceptions of common equity and of the general fitness of things which are held by the average citizen, if legislative expedients were found to render available for purposes of municipal revenue both the Moodyville property and any other property or properties throughout the province which may be similarly located in whole or in part within the general bounds of any municipality.

EMPLOYMENT OF CONVICTS

There exists an infinite variety of opinion with respect to matters of detail amongst those who have given special consideration to the methods to be followed with prisoners during their detention, under penalty for wrong doing, but all parties find common ground in the principle that the object in view is not merely that of punishing the one who has been guilty of crime but also that of affording the offender every encouragement to renounce his criminal practices and if possible to restore him to good citizenship. It is a deplorable fact that too frequently our methods not only utterly fail to accomplish this latter object, but have quite the contrary effect of forcing upon the mind of the offender a conviction that for one of his class to attempt to reform would be altogether useless and consequently to send him forth at the conclusion of his sentence, not only a more hardened criminal than when he entered, but also devoid of money or reputation, thus increasing the probability of his return to dishonest practices.

The remarks of Mr. Alexander Smith the president, at the board of trade banquet last week, with reference to this problem, were received with manifestations of approval by those present. Just what difficulties might develop in connection with the scheme proposed by President Smith, to the mind of those actually engaged in the care of prisoners, has yet to be ascertained, but to a layman in such matters, the suggestions appear to embody measures that would greatly promote the positive results that are so desirable in dealing with those who have come under the ban of the criminal code.

President Smith's plan in brief was to the effect that these prisoners be given employment in road building in remote sections of the province and that a nominal wage be allowed them while so employed. The advantages of such an arrangement are not far to seek. In the first place this labor would effect a considerable saving to the public exchequer and would more than offset the expense which the present system imposes upon that exchequer for the maintenance of prisoners. This is likewise a class of work for which it is unusually difficult to procure men, so that the danger of convict labor depriving law abiding citizens of employment would be reduced to a minimum. Again the regular out-of-doors employment would prove healthful for the prisoners and salutary likewise from a moral standpoint. This together with the payment of a small wage would disabuse the mind of the convict of the impression that he was being kept busy at more or less aimless and altogether profitless employment simply for the purpose of fulfilling the terms of his sentence. The consciousness of the fact that he was engaged in really necessary and helpful labor under healthful surroundings and that each day's work meant some addition to the store of money placed to his credit against the day of his release would doubtless exert a beneficial influence upon the minds of many of those under detention and would not only render their control easier during the period of their sentence, but would set them at liberty at its conclusion, under conditions that would afford the maximum propability of successful efforts at reform upon the part of those whose desires in that direction were really sincere.

The matter is one which might consistently be taken in hand by the local Board of Trade with a view to ascertaining to what extent this plan is feasible in this province.

CASH PRICES SATURDAY at the UP-TO-DATE GROCERY, 356 to 360 First street east. Phone L112.

B. C. Sugar, 18 lb. sack for $1.10
With 3 lb. of our Famed "Maypole" Golden Tip" Tea at ....40c per lb.
St. Charles Cream, ...10c per tin (large tins)
Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, 2 tins for 25c (new season pack)
Eggs, strictly fresh, 3 dozen for $1.00
Maypole Butter .....3 lb. for $1.00
Rice, Finest Japan .....6 lb for 25c
Oranges, sweet and juicy, 20c per doz.
Fresh ground Coffee, 25c per 1 lb. tin

"The roads are now in good order. Come in your thousands and avoid the crush."

tf S. RITCHIE.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Sewer Connections

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that all owners of real property fronting or abutting upon a street or lane in which or under which a main or common sewer is laid are hereby required to connect any building or premises upon such property with such main or common sewer.

Permits may be obtained from the Plumbing Inspector at his office at the City Hall between the hours of 9 a. m. and 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. and 2 p.m.

The following regulations govern the construction of house or building connections with sewers:

No house sewer pipe shall have a less fall than 1 to 40, unless special permission is granted in writing by the Council. Said pipes between the iron pipe, to the connection of the public sewer to be of the best quality standard salt-glazed vitrified clay sewer pipe, and shall have a diameter of not less than 4 inches. All pipes shall be sound and well burned throughout their thickness, impervious to moisture, with a clear ring, smooth and well glazed on interior and exterior surfaces, free from flaws, cracks, blisters, fire checks or other imperfections.

The pipes must be so laid in the trench that after the sewer is completed, the interior surface thereof, shall be to a true and even grade.

In making the joints, a gasket of oakum or hemp, freshly dipped in cement grout, must first be used and packed into place. The joints shall afterwards be tightly packed full and bevelled off with mortar, composed of one part by volume of approved Portland cement to one part by volume of approved sand.

All joints shall be made water tight, so that they will stand a head of 10 feet of water, when tested by the Plumbing Inspector at the owner's, plumber's or contractor's expense.

By order of the Council:

THOMAS SHEPHERD,
City Clerk. tf

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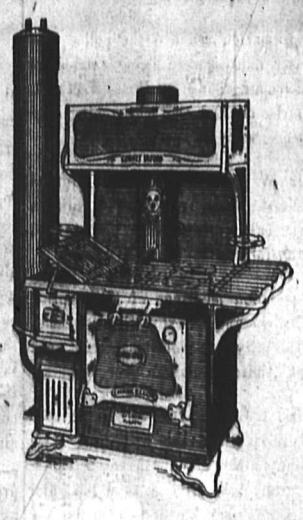

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A North Vancouver Deal

At the Vancouver assizes last week before Judge Murphy, Robert Allen, real estate dealer and insurance agent charged with obtaining money under false pretences, through the sale of a North Vancouver lot, was sharply censured. "You were convicted by the jury under circumstances that must be regarded as such that any honorable man would have considered long and hard before he would have taken such a course," said His Honor. People in a position of trust, handling other people's money must remember that if they commit a breach of that trust they are not like common criminals who proceed by means of violence. Your actions show you to my mind a criminal intent. I don't wish to be too severe, but I want it understood that when people come before me who have robbed others of the money entrusted to them they will be severely dealt with. I sentence you to two years in the penitentiary."

Andrew Louis was on Saturday morning fined $10 and costs for drunkenness. He did not know the meaning of guilty but agreed with the chief that he had been drunk.

B. C. GAZETTE

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in council has been pleased to make the following appointments:

Leonard A. Dodd of Yale, to be a registrar for the purposes of the marriage act for the Yale mining division in the place of William Dodd, retired

John Stillwell Clute, sr. of New Westminster, to be a member of the board of managers of the Royal Columbian Hospital.

William H. Cullin of Victoria ,to be king's printer for the province of British Columbia.

The following are appointed to be commissioners for taking affidavits in the supreme court:

Ashton Burton of Fernridge and Briggs Beedham of Murrayville, for the Delta electoral district

Joseph H. Dayton of Rose Hill, for the Kamloops electoral district.

F. F. Crowe of Victoria for the Victoria city electoral district; W. W. G. McAllister, of Alberni, for the Alberni electral district; James Murray, of Central Park, for the Richmond electral district; Joseph Hoskins of 748 Main street for the Vancouver electoral district; and John Caulfield, and Henry Ernest Miard of Coal Creek for the Fernie electoral district.

HOW LONDONERS GO TO WORK

Statistics, rightly handled, are full of interest and fascination, says Everybody's Weekly. They may appal with their tragic significance, and startle with their unexpectedness; they may arouse and terrify, or enlighten and amuse, as the case may be. Sometimes, when the figures are too immense when billions and the bigger monsters of mathematical calculation are set before us, the mind and fancy are beaten, and though not unimpressed, we are quite uninfluenced.

Such gigantic measurements are beyond us; they leave us cold. What have we poor erring mortals to do with these rows and rows of figures? As the noble savage cannot count beyond twelve, so civilized man commonly declines to count beyond millions. We cannot, for the life of us, say how we should expend an income of billions of pounds.

But the recent statistict concerning how we get to the city every day are full of pleasant suggestion. They make us anxious for further details. And that's one of the worst things about statistics—it isn't what they tell, but what they omit to tell, that's the really grave matter.

Altogether some 1,577,155 persons entered the city of London on a given day at the end of last April, but we are not told how many were men and how many were women—which is what we particularly want to know.

The largest number came on foot, 437,243, and 10,581 of these pedestrians pushed handcarts. Now why did they push these handcarts? Was it for costermongering purposes, or for healthy exercise? We are informed that pushing handcarts is recommended by the faculty as a cure for stoutness, and those who have tried it, especially in crowded city thoroughfares, say it is a long way better than golf—for more exciting.

Not a single person, happily, is recorded as dancing to his daily work. They came by railway and on omnibus. A gallant 12,000 cycled in. More than 30,000 are certified as having crawled in through alleys and passages—a suspicious form of entry. Can it be there are so many of our unconvicted criminal class within the jurisdiction of the Mansion House?

And not one day only, but every day, do a million and more of us invade the city, sitting cheek by jowl in overcrowded trains and motorbuses. What we do there remains a mystery for the most part to our neighbors; and how we, each one of us, manage to pick a living in this magis circle of the city is often a mystery to ourselves.

CAN I GET IN AT YOUR TELEPHONE DOOR?

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Is one telephone sufficient? There are about 12,000 telephones in the city and you may be called from any one of them; or you may be called by long distance from several thousand other telephones throughout the country.

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TIME TABLE

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WEEK DAYS

Leave Vancouver 6.20 a.m. and thereafter every 20 minutes until 7.00 p.m. Commencing 7.30 p.m. every 30 minutes until 11.30 p.m. thereafter 12.15 and 1.00 a.m.

Leave North Vancouver 6.00 a.m. and thereafter every 20 minutes until 7.00 p.m. Commencing 7.30 p. m. every 30 minutes until 11.00 p. m. thereafter 11.45 and 12.45 a.m.

SUNDAYS

Leave Vancouver 7.40, 8.20 and 9.00 thereafter same as weekdays.

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Minimum rate, 10c.

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Company not liable for delays, accidental or otherwise.

AGRICULTURAL DATA

The new number of the bulletin "The Publication of the International Agricultural Institute" gives the latest data concerning the wheat, rye, barley, oat and corn crops of the world.

Estimates of the wheat crop received by the institute from twenty countries of the northern hemisphere (Austria and the Ottoman Empire being the only important omissions) show a total of 3,048,927,000 bushels compared with 3,034,879,000 for the same countries last year. The 1911 production of the countries so far reported is thus 100.5 per cent. of last year's production.

No estimates have yet been made for the countries of the southern hemisphere, Australia, New Zealand, Argentina and Chili, whose harvest will begin in December.

For fifteen countries reporting the rye crop of 1911 is 1,364,804,000 bushels compared with 1,416,169,000 for the same countries last year.

Estimates for barley in 18 countries show a total of 1,127,858,000 bushels compared with 1,128,121,000 last year.

The oat crop of 17 countries so far reported is 2,838,22,,000 bushels compared with 3,151,125,000 last year.

Under the head of farm machinery a description is given of an electric wind motor used in English agriculture.

The apparatus includes a windmill, a dynamo, a battery with automatic accumulators, a switchboard and an automatic tension regulator for lighting purposes. The installation expenses for a farm with 40 incandescent lamps and a 3 to 5 horse power motor is said to be about $1435.

A method of determining the age of eggs is described. It is to float eggs in a large tumbler of water in which has been dissolved a tablespoonful of ordinary tablesalt. An egg one day old will fall to the bottom of the glass; if older, it does not reach the bottom, if three days old, it sinks only just below the surface and the older the egg, the more it protrudes above the surface of the liquid.

A SCHOOL OF OBSERVATION

The system of identifying criminals by fingerprints had a striging and unusual demonstration of its value at Montreal last week. A short time ago a loft in the wholesale district was broken into and $8,000 worth of loot carried away. In looking over the ground the next day the central office detectives found some finger prints in the dust which covered an empty and unused showcase in the rear of the establishment. Evidently the burglar had put his hand against it while groping about the place. This was the only clue that could be found. The show case was taken to police headquarters, the finger prints were photographed and experts of the department began comparing it with all other records in their possession. At length an identical set of prints was found. They had been taken from a man arrested for burglary over three years ago. Detectives were set on the man's trail, he was arrested and this week the grand jury indicted him on the mute evidence afforded by the careless placing of his hand on the dusty show case. So important is the Bertillion system of identification considered that a school has just been started at police headquarters here in which detectives are being instructed not only in the art of identifying finger prints but also in the observation of distinguishing marks about the nose, ears and physiognomical details regarded as of scientific value in identifying criminals. This school is under the direction of Captain Faurot who has just returned from studying the system as it is used in Paris. The students are all the detectives of the central office force.

Wealthy Beggars

That the income of a really first-class beggar exceeds that of most skilled laborers, ranging from five to eight dollars a day, is the testimony of Montreal's cleverest feminine mendicant who according to her own showing has been extracting more than $3,000 a year from the pockets of passers-by. All that is needed is a location on a prominent business street and the proper employment of professional wiles. Any sort of physical affliction likely to arouse sympathy is the chief requisite and if nature or accident has neglected to furnish the malformation there are plenty of experts who can counterfeit such afflictions for business purpores during working hours. As there are several persons in Montreal who make begging their regular profession to say nothing of the many more thousands who indulge in it occasionally, it is estimated that the thousands which they extract every year runs well into the millions.

The great violinist, Paganini was once kept in prison four years as a "suspect." During that time his violin had only one string; but by incessant practice he acquired so wonderful an execution that he could produce more music with one string than any other violinist could do with the usual number.

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BUNS AND BEETHOVEN

The Relations of Food to Music

If it were not for the fact that a banquet is frequently followed by music, the divine art would seldom, if ever, be associated with food. While Shakespeare wrote "If music be the food of love, play on," he never suggested that food itself should be the food of music, which is exactly the contention of Dr. Godlsbury in the Medical and Surgical Journal published at Boston. Writing generally on the subject of "nerves" the doctor observes:

Physical culture is an important form of stimulative treatment and sports, games and all forms of recreation benefit general or particular muscles and mental conditions.

The distribution of muscular activities often promotes restoration to normal tone better than mere cessation of effort would do. A growing child at bedtime craves natural sleep because all its members have become practically evenly tired.

On the other hand a man's work may tend to an overtaxing of mental effort of one kind or another, or to an overtension upon certain nerves or muscles. To recuperate from such forms of overtaxation, rest of the part is, of course, necessary in its place; but restoration may be hastened by particular lines of counterstimulation or of exercise by groups of muscles and nerves.

It is the purpose of the writer to prove that the special senses as nerve organs, no less than the other organs, and muscles, need for their healthful development this same adjustment of rest and stimulation, and, as the brain must be related somewhat by readjustment of energies within itself, the different sense-organs may be refreshed by varying and qualifying forms of stimulation peculiar to themselves. Physical culture seeks to recreate by variations of the expressive or muscular activities. Why should not variations of stimulation for the avenues of impressions, the special senses, be used for their tonic effect?

The eye may be rested after protracted use by merely closing the lid. A photographer who does a good deal of delicate and trying work or retouching negatives tells me that the simple habit of closing her eyes when they begin to feel tired from the work has helped her to keep them in very good condition. But further rest may be obtained by the playing off of one sense against another by diverting activity.

If we stand and watch a circus parade for any length of time, our eyes soon become tired by the sights and features but the bursts of music from the bands, by stimulating the ear, relieve and freshen the eye. Musical comedy of the present day presents an excellent opportunity to show how the tax upon the eye by the costumes and colorings and lights is relieved by the interpolation of music and songs. In other words, opera, light or heavy, is a complex of song and color harmonies so adjusted as to balance admirably the strain of stimulation on the senses of sight and hearing.

It does not require a very sensitive organism to be fatigued by the clatter and chatter of an afternoon tea, by the sound of many voices all pitched in the strained key of excitement. But the refreshments served on all such occasions perform a useful function. They relieve the tax on the ear by exercising the sense of taste as well as the muscles of digestion.

The writer experiences a very much stronger desire for food after attending a symphony concert or recital than after an operatic performance. In the former case the stimulation is applied to one sense with the consequent result of overexercise; in the latter the distribution of stimuli between two senses is less likely to produce overtaxation. The popular concert where foods are served has a physiological basis.

A person who had been a proof-reader for twenty years states that he believes his good eyesight is due to the fact that he early formed the habit of looking up from his work every two or three minutes and allowing his eyes to gaze at some distant object through the window.

Such habits are probably very common among those engaged in work which requires such short focusing of the eyes. They have unconsciously acquired the habit of gazing off, as they found by experience that it rested the eye.

SHALL SHE SMOKE, SWEAR OR VOTE?

A contemporary says there are three things which a man does not want to see a woman do—smoke, swear or vote. Smoking, it is said, is only indulged in by women who are "not nice," though the term "not nice" is rather vague. Most literary women smoke in public places apart from the tiny bohemian restaurants. Must we, then, class all these women—some of them the cleverest women in England—with the women who are "not nice"? The women who swear are few and far between, and there can be no hesitation in saying that the woman who does swear is "not nice." So that there only remains the voting woman. Which of the three indulgences is man-kind going to allow to the weaker sex? If the opinion of nine men out of ten was asked would the verdict be given in favor of the vote?

MUSHROOMS fresh daily at the Grotto. 3-12

"Young man," the rising statesman said to the reporter, "newspaper notoriety is extremely distasteful to me, but since you have asked me to give you some of the particulars of the leading events in my life, I will comply. I do so, however, with great reluctance."

Here he took a typewritten sheet from a drawer in his desk and handed it to the reporter.

"I suppose, of course," he added, "you will want my portrait, and although I dislike anything that savors of undue publicity, I cannot do less than comply with your wish."

Here he took a large photograph from a big pile in another drawer and gave it to the reporter.

"Anecdotal matter concerning myself," he added, "you will find in this printed leaflet, as well as particulars of my hobbies and tastes. When this appears in print, you may send me 250 copies of the paper."

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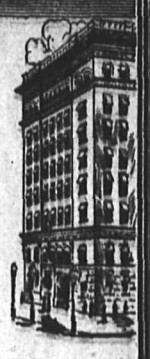

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WATER NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V. of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a licence in the North Vancouver Division of New Westminster District.

(a). The name of applicant in full —The Corporation of the District of North Vancouver.

(If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. .....

(b) The name of the lake, stream or source (if unnamed, the description is)—Unnamed stream commencing at or about the southeast corner of District Lot 624 and flowing thence through District Lot 471 and 543 to the North Arm of Burrard Inlet.

(c) The point of diversion is on the Keith road at or about the southeast corner of District Lot 624.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) .03 cubic feet.

(e) The character of the proposed works—Small tank intake fed by wing ditches, with overflow into creek.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—The District of North Vancouver.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—Municipal purposes.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage—Not for irrigation.

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference in altitude between point of diversion and point of return—Not for power or mining.

(j) Area of crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works—None.

(k) This notice was posted on the 24th day of October, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 28th day of November, 1911, at 11 a.m.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet—J. C. Keith, of Vancouver.

(q) The boundaries and area of the District of North Vancouver are as set forth in the letters patent of Incorporation dated 10th August, 1891, and published in the B. C. Gazette, but excepting the area of the City of North Vancouver specified in schedule "B" of the North Vanvcouver City Incorporation Act Amendment Act, 1907.

(r) Approximately the number of inhabitants of the District at present is 2,500.

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GROWTH OF CANADA'S TRADE

The total trade of the Dominion for the first half of the current fiscal year has been $400,270,855, an increase of $40,000,000 over the first six months of last year.

Imports for the six months totalled $258,406,094, an increase of $35,000,000. Exports of domestic products totalled $129,606,982, and of foreign products $12,257,779, increases respectively of $2,000,000, and $3,000,000.

September's trade totalled $69,868,429, an increase of $5,250,000 over September of last year.

CANADA AND THE NAVY QUESTION

Now that Reciprocity is dead and damned, says the Montreal Star, one of the leading daily papers in the Dominion, the problem of next importance before the nation is that of its share in the defence of the empire by whose strength it lives.

No one imagines for a moment that Canada divorced from the British empire, would be safe. Nor would its safety be any surer if the British Empire were to be suddenly bereft of its commanding power to protect its outlying sections. That power, in turn, rests absolutely and finally upon the supremacy of the British navy.

Therefore it follows, that if the British navy loses command of the sea, the integrity of Canada is at once put in peril.

For the patriotic Canadian there is a more intimate matter at stake than "Imperial Defence." That more intimate matter is the defence of Canada through the years of her weakness while she is gathering power to defend herself.

Both of our political parties, indeed, admit that we should do something toward our naval defence. It is not necessary then to argue the point. When the German war scare clouded the horizon, it became simply a question at Ottawa with men whose opinions were worth counting in what fashion we would assist in keeping the command of the sea for the British flag.

The then government, misled possibly by the fetish of autonomy, decided for a Canadian navy. They never made a greater mistake. The construction of a Canadian navy is a theoretical error, a political blunder and a financial folly.

Duty Demands It.

Canada has no need for a navy. The British empire, on the other hand, has supreme need for one. It requires a most ingenious mind to think of circumstances under which even an efficient local navy would be of any use to us if the British navy were still riding the seas; and it takes a mind of unmeasured daring to imagine us possessed of a navy which would be of use after the British navy had been smashed.

But the British empire lives by its navy. Without command of the sea it would go to pieces in a week. And one of the fragments to be flung off in fatal weakness and isolation would be the Dominion of Canada. We would lie a ready prey to the first power which found us; the Monroe Doctrine is very intimately associated with the continued predominence of the British fleet.

Now we have a clean slate. And what are we going to write on it?

Certainly first and foremost that we will do more and not less for British naval defence. We intend to help support British sea power. Our people will not listen for a moment to a policy of paltering and hesitation or cowardice on this point. We will stand by the navy as the navy stands behind us. The only thing we are prepared to debate is the matter of methods.

ADMINISTRATION OF FOREST LANDS

According to an article in the Omineca Herald of Hazelton, B. C., The progress of the conversation policy of Canada, as applied to forest resources, depends moreupon the forestry branch of the department of the interior than upon any other organization. Upon the technical knowledge and executive ability of the officers of the forestry branch depends the future of the forest on 16,000,000 acres of Dominion forest reserves, as well as upon the large area of non-agricultural forest land in western Canada, which for the good of the country may be set aside as permanent forest reserves. In addition to looking after Dominion lands the forestry branch is now being asked by eastern land owners to furnish advice as to the best means of securing at the earliest date a profitable crop of timber on waste land or wood lots. The proper administration of forest lands requires a special knowledge of the tree best adapted to each origin, of their uses, and of the markets. Further there is needed knowledge of the habits of all trees especially of the merchantable species so that it may be known how rapidly they grow, how they produce their seed, when and under what conditions the seed germinates, and in what way the seedlings and young trees are affected by their surroundings Such knowledge is gained only by long study and experience.

LYNN VALLEY NOTES

The St. Clements church has purchased the old institute hall and site.

An individual communion set has been presented to Knox church by two of the members.

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Monday at a dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Carmichael at their residence, Dovercourt Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McMelege have moved into their new home on Doran road which was built by Mr. J. Roberts.

The managers of the Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting this evening in the church after the usual service.

A meeting of the Lynn Valley Ratepayers' Association is called for tomorrow evening in the Institute Hall. It is rumored that the meeting will probably prove one of exceptional interest in vie wof the probable developments with reference to the approaching municipal elections.

Mrs. J. P. Crawford was a passenger by the R.M.S Zealandia on Friday bound for the Pacifis Islands and Australia. Mrs. Crawford will visit the Hawaii Islands, New Zealand and Australia. From Melbourne she will proceed to Calcutta, Ceylon and Egypt. Here she will spend a few months continuing her trip to Europe and the British Isles. Mrs. Crawford is expected to return in September via the Atlantic making a round the world trip.

A number of listings of real estate were found early Wednesday morning. The Presbyterian church for sale by May & Burns, Lynn Valley stores by S. Allman, $6 down and $6 per month and others too numerous to mention. The Lonsdale Dairy found their milk wagon in Lynn creek, the Sanitary Grocery's delivery, parts on Mills road and Ross Road.

BISHOP ON THIN ICE

Breathe, Not Speak Through the Nose

"It is regrettable that Canadian children should lack culture and be unable to speak pleasing English, a condition which leads many employers to prefer English boys to Canadian boys in their offices. This might largely be overcome if Canadians acquired a softer and more musical intonation in their vowels," declared Bishop Farthing in the course of his address of welcome to the Protestant teachers at a Montreal convention.

He urged on the teachers the necessity of inculcating high ideals of culture in the children under their charge, and said, "teach them to speak English. to breathe through their noses, and speak through their mouths, as God intended them to do, instead of reversing the order, for I do not consider it desirable even in the Eastern Townships, for speaking through the nose to be encouraged."

Bishop Forthing acknowledged that he was probably treading on dangerous ice in giving utterance to such expressions but stated that he was nevertheless firmly convinced of the correctness of his deductions.

COMPLICATIONS

One of the perplexing problems which clergymen frequently meet with when a couple present themselves for marriage is to ascertain the exact degree of affinity or consanguinity that may exist between them, says the "Western Catholic." The genealogical tree, if one may mix metaphors, is the asses-bridge of theological students. It was a test of patience in the days when marriage was marriage, but now that divorce has become fashionable, it is almost impossible to see one's way in the maze. How, for instance, could a searcher, lay or clerical, solve the problem that is now before the courts of New York if affinities had to be considered?

In 1879 a certain Robert Tysen married Ida Rowe. After a divorce in 1892, Mrs. Rowe-Tysen married Harry Kane and Tysen married Fannie Dawson, who had been divorced from William Pollock, while Pollock, not to be left in the lurch, married a Mrs. Kernochan. After a few years the second wife of the original Tysen divorced him and married J Campbell Thompson, while Tysen made a third venture and married a Mrs. Benrimo; Mrs. B's. husband meantime mating with an English actress named Robertson. A fourth time the terrible Tysen appears on the scene and seeks to get rid of Mrs. Benrimo. To make it easier for himself, the judge appoints J. Campbell Thompson as a referee. But Thompson is objected to, for he or his homonym had been married to one or other of the Tysen wives in 1899. Bad as the muddle is another complication arises. The former husband of the Tysen-Benrimo woman appears, and asks to be a party in the divorce proceedings, so that he might know where he stood in this matrimonial circus with regard to Helen Robertson. What the court did to Benrimo is too technical for any one but a lawyer to make out.

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Vancouver, B. C.,
1st October, 1911.

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3. Clearing, grubbing and grading road in west half D. L. 787.
4. Clearing, grubbing and grading road to D. L. 1053 and D. L. 1064.

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