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MANY IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED BY COUNCIL

Will Ask Ratepayers for $200,000 for General Street Improvements and $45,000 for Waterworks Extension—Macadamize Columbia Street to Brunette River—Another Contract for Harbor Equipment.

The council shadowed forth last night some of their money requirements to carry out their works for the year. Alderman Dodd reported for the board of works, that they wanted a bylaw submitted to the ratepayers or $200,000 for general street improvements and Alderman Bryson stated the water department would require $45,000 from the same exchequer. The bylaws will be submitted.

That the following streets be paved formed another part of the board of works report: Clarkson street from Church to Begbie; Blackie street from Columbia street to Carnarvon street; and Fifth avenue from Fourth to Sixth streets.

Macadamize Columbia Street

Important as affording a certain number of the city's rural neighbors and customers comfortable access to the city was the recommendation to expend $1500 for the macadamizing of Columbia street to Brunette river bridge. That, opined Alderman Dodd would give Burquitlam residents a decent road to the city.

Captain A. Peterson wrote claiming $150 for loss of logs which he was towing through the North Arm bridge He alleged that on the night of March 27 a piece of iron plate extending out on the south side of the south span about one foot caught the boom sticks and tore some away from the chain.

The matter was referred to the board of works and the finance committees for report.

Another Claim.

A letter from Mr. J. P. Hampton Bole contained the account of an accident to alady client, caused by her attempting to cross Columbia street whilst the street was in a dangerous condition from accumulations of ice and snow. She fell on the sidewalk, sprained her ankle and injured her back.

Mr. Bole did not specifically mention the pecuniary compensation his client expected, but preferred to trust to the generosity of the council, the reading of which passage caused an exchange of mirthful winks between two financiers on the board.

With the caution of the lawyer, Mr. Bole was however, careful to say his confidence in a generous council was limited to the extent of "without prejudice to his client's rights."

Referred to the finance committee for report.

Signal System.

Assistant District Engineer Lynn, of the B. C. Electric railway company wrote for permission to cross Brunette street with an iron conduit pipe for a signal system at the following places: At the west end of the bridge crossing the Brunette river 1000 feet west of the G. N. R.

This application was remitted to the board of works with power to act.

A petition from about twenty ratepayers residing in Keary street between Columbia and Brunette streets asked for a street lamp on Keary street.

It was referred to the lighting committee to act.

Harbor Equipment.

Alderman White, chairman of the harbor committee, asked that the council authorize the harbor engineer to accept the tender of the Dominion Equipment and Supply Company of Vancouver for the derrick iron with the stiff leg derricks except the engine bed and wire rope, delivered f.o.b. New Westminster, at $5600.

The necessary authority was granted.

Board of Works.

Alderman Dodd on behalf of the board of works submitted that committee's report.

Among the numerous recommendations made were that the passing track on Columbia street at Braid street be not more than 250 feet long and to commence clear of the store just built there. It is to be gravelled in between the tracks and the devil strip, and the existing track into the gravel pit is to be removed.

The council also visited Twelfth street, and agreed to pass the plans of the spur into the proposed workshops on Twelfth street between Queens avenue and Auckland street providing the sur is planked in between the tracks and to the extent of 12 inches on the outside, and that the portion on the east side of the street from Auckland street to Queens avenue is gravelled into the street line, including the track, and that where the entrances to the proposed new storehouse will come, the company will plank in opposite the entrance for a width of not less than ten feet.

Mr. Gilley, of the firm of Messrs. Gilley Bros., waited on the committee with reference to the supply of crushed rock for the coming season. The committee recommended that the city engineer be instructed to call for tenders for 20,000 yards of crushed rock and that Messrs. Gilley Bros. and the B. C. Transportation Co. be asked to tender.

That the application of Mr. F. W. Bennett and others for opening up a lane between Garrett and Fader street be deferred for the present until such time as there is more indication of its necessity. It is only 16 feet in width and the property is all accessible either from Garrett or Fader streets.

That the dykes on Lulu Island be improved and charged to 1912 bylaw

That the 6 foot sidewalk on Braid street, over water main, be renewed. Estimated cost $150, half to be charged to water department and half to the 1912 bylaw.

That Eighteenth street be cleared from Nanaimo street to Eighth avenue Estimated cost $1000.

Alderman Dodd said the board of works did not say they were going on with all that work immediately but they wanted to have everything ready and be prepared when the money was available. The report was adopted in all its details.

Alderman Lynch asked that permission be given to the chairman of the finance committee to place $2000 insurance on the electrical supplies belonging to the city.

Resolution of Condolence.

At the close of the meeting the clerk read the following resolution in reference to the death of Mr. W. W Forester.

"That in the death of Mr. Forester who was so suddenly called away on March 28, in the prime of life, the city has lost an upright and respected citizen, who sat at this council board for four years, where his services were highly appreciated.

"That a letter of condolence be sent to his widow expressing the deep sympathy of this council with her in the time of her severe trial."

BANK WILL ERECT PERMANENT HOME

Following Expiry of Leases Columbia Street Gains New Architectural Feature in Royal Bank.

Columbia street, which, during the past 12 months has undergone no little change, will, during the present year, see further important structural alterations made to it. In addition to the new building which the Dominion Trust company will shortly begin to have erected for them at the corner of Sixth street and Columbia, it is now announced that the Royal Bank of Canada intends to build a permanent home for themselves on the land adjoining this block on Columbia street.

The property in question was purchased by the bank for $88,000 twelve months ago last November, and, as the leases expire in October of this year, it is expected that building operations will follow their lapse in due course.

Of the nature of the building no particulars can at present be given, as the banking corporation has its own architect in Toronto whose work is to supervise its numerous buildings, and it is understood that plans are already being prepared by him for the New Westminster branch.

Judging from the policy adopted by this bank in respect to its buildings on the coast, notably at Victoria, it is likely that the front of the building will be one of the architectural features of Columbia street, and in all probability there will be offices above the bank itself for the convenience of the various departments connected with the business of the bank.

CHANGE PERSONNEL OF TELEPHONE STAFF

J. D. Johnston Succeeds A. A. Matthison as Commercial Manager of Westminster Exchange.

With the resignation of Mr. A. A. Matthison as commercial manager and the appointment of Mr. J. D. Johnston as his successor an important change took place yesterday in the personnel of the staff of the B. C. Telephone Company in this city.

Mr. Matthison, who has been connected with the local office during the past three years, during which time he has made a host of friends by his genial manner, has resigned his position to become manager of the insurance and collections department of the Westminster Trust Company.

His successor Mr. J. D. Johnston, has been connected with the B. C. Telephone Company for the past five years in various capacities. He comes here from North Vancouver where he held a corresponding position in the branch office of the company there.

Mr. Johnston comes at a time when the company have an elaborate scheme of system extension in hand for New Westminster which will mean the addition of many new phone services during the coming few months.

During Mr. Matthison's career as commercial manager of the B. C. Telephone Company in this city the work of the local office has increased tremendously, no less than 800 phones being installed during the three years he has held office.

NEW LORD LISTER SCHOOL COMPLETE

Most Modern Educational Building in the City Almost Ready for Occupancy.

The new Lord Lister school on Seventh avenue, just completed was inspected by several members of the board of school trustees yesterday, pending its opening for use.

The new school is a most handsome structure and was designed with the object of combining beauty and utility, which aims of the architects, Messrs. Gardiner and Mercer, have been fully appreciated by the contractor, the late Mr. W. W. Forrester.

The building contains many new features in the line of school construction in the city and is undoubtedly the most modern school in the city.

Unique Features.

The style is most unique, the construction being of wood with granite stone foundations and basement. The building occupies a site measuring about 50 by over 100 feet and is set apart from the old Seventh avenue school by about 100 yards.

It is two and a half stories high with three wide entrances and exits which are set at most convenient points. The doors are all fitted with anti-panic safety devices and open conveniently from the inside with the slightest pressure.

Large Assembly Hall.

There are four class rooms, teachers' room, cloakrooms, on the first floor four class rooms, teachers' room, principal's room on the second floor; a large, well lighted assembly room measuring 35x90 feet with small alcoves, on the top half storey, and a manual training, domestic science, boiler and ventilating rooms, lavatories, etc., in the basement.

The manual training and domestic

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BURNABY MAY ABOLISH WARDS

Two Warm Debates Feature Meeting Last Night—By-law Read.

Redistribution proposal and B.C.E.R. Franchise Question Left Over—Street Improvement

Edmonds, March 31.—Two of the warmest debates that have featured the weekly meetings of the Burnaby council for some little time took place this evening in which a majority of the councillors took part.

The abolition of the wards which was fathered by Councillors Macpherson and Coldicutt was brought up in the council chamber when these two gentlemen moved and seconded a motion that the bylaw covering same be given first and second readings.

Councillor Fau-Vel who on two previous occasions had opposed the abolition of the words, still maintained his position and as a counter move, asked that the redistribution bylaw, which would change the present boundaries of the wards, be proceeded with as this matter had been broached before the ward abolition idea was even mooted.

Municipal solicitor McQuarrie, who was present, when asked about the legality of the motion to abolish the wards, expressed doubt as to it standing, stating that the referendum passed upon favorably by the people in 1912 as to whether the wards should be abolished had been acted upon last fall when the motion failed on a vote. Still another argument, he submitted, was the fact that the referendum of 1912 was a matter for the council of that year and not for the 1913 council to handle.

Legal opinion, however, did not deter Councillor Macpherson from moving that the bylaw be given first and second readings, Councillors MacDonald and Fau-Vel voting in the negative.

The Other Debate.

The other debate took place in the committee rooms, the question being brought up by Councillor Macpherson who asked that all work be stopped on Second street, East Burnaby until the whole council had visited the scene of operations and judged for themselves.

A few weeks ago an appropriation was made by the council of $1400 to be used on the opening up of Second street clear through to the Burnaby car line. Everything appeared to be going on favorably until Chairman MacDonald of the board of works and Councillors Stride and Macpherson, while making a round of inspection, came across the gang at work on the street and not taking a favorable view of two ravines that exist near the car tracks came to the conclusion that the money was being wasted

Councillor Macpherson stated that the $1400 apropriation would be just a mere iota to what would have to be expended in order to make the road passable to the Burnaby car tracks and he was strongly opposed to allowing the work to proceed for the time being.

Spirited Repartee

Councillor Coldicutt waxed warm when he entered the debate and first of all stated that he thought it a matter of common courtesy for any councillor when visiting in other wards, to notify the representative of the ward so that the latter would be able to accompany him and point out needed improvements and at the same time hear suggestions

Councillor Macpherson retorted with equal emphasis declaring that it was

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RESIGNS AFTER LONG SERVICE

John Sprott, Road Superintendent Superannuated —Successor.

By the retirement of Mr. John Sprott as provincial road superintendent of the Surrey and Delta districts, ends a 35 year record of service in the employ of the provincial government.

Mr. Sprott left his office at 5 o'clock last evening and will now draw a pension from the government, having been superannuated.

His successor is Mr. Dougal E. MacKenzie, brother of Mr. Frank J. MacKenzie, the provincial member for the Delta constituency. It is understood that Mr. MacKenzie, the new incumbent will have his headquarters at Cloverdale.

Mr. Sprott, until yesterday, was the oldest road superintendent in the province, the doyen of the list in British Columbia. At the road superintendent's convention held in this city recently, Mr. Sprott's name was brought up by several of the speakers who regretted that illness prevented him from being in attendance.

A paper contrasting vividly the pioneer days of roadmaking and the present facilities by Mr. Sprott, was read at Victoria to his fellow superintendents.

CAUSES CESSATION OF PUBLIC WORKS

Resident Engineer Instructed to Suspend Work of Department Until Supply Bill is Passed.

Although strong efforts were made by Resident Engineer C. C. Worsfold to have the work continued at Canoe Pass near Ladner and also the clearing of a channel at Chilliwack, instructions were received yesterday morning from Ottawa to shut down on all work connected with the public works department until the appropriation bill had been passed by the house.

While the work at Chilliwack is not regarded as serious, although the jam of driftwood may cause another channel to be formed, the work of riprapping the banks of the river near Canoe Pass may lead to serious consequences when once the spring freshets begin to flow.

The work near Ladner was being conducted by about twenty men and would probably have been completed before the snow on the mountains begins to melt which cause the annual freshets.

Now, however, it will probably have to be delayed until the late summer months with the possible result that the strong current may break through the dyke protecting the farm lands at the south of the river and cause inestimable damage to crops.

INAUGURATE NEW POSTAL ORDER RATES

Order Reducing Charges 25 per Cent Takes Effect Today—Britain and Ireland Not Included.

Today a new schedule of rates for postal orders will go into effect at the New Westminster postoffice and all the other offices throughout Canada. The rates are a reduction of practically 25 per cent on the charges made heretofore and are applicable on all money orders being sent to the following places:

Any part of Canada, Antigua, Barbados, Bermuda, British Guiana, Cayman Islands, Cuba, Dominica, Grenada, Guam, Hawaii, Isle of Pines, Jamaica Monsterrat, Nevis, Newfoundland, Panama Canal Zone, Philippine Islands, Porto Rico, St. Christopher (St. Kitts) St. Lucia, St. Vincent, Tobago, Trinidad, Turks Islands, Tutuila, (Samoa), Virgin Islands and the United States.

The new rates are as follows: For sums under $10, 5c.; over $10, and up to $30, 10c.; over $30 and up to $50, 15c.; over $50 and up to $60, 20c.; over $60 and up to $100, 25c.

Cards for exhibition to the public containing the new rates will be printed and distributed as speedily as possible.

COQUITLAM COUNCIL SELECT COMMITTEES

New Administration Holds First Session—Appointment of Municipal Clerk.

The first meeting of the newly constituted district municipal council of Coquitlam was held yesterday afternoon in the Burquitlam Agricultural hall.

Mr. John Smith, J. P., and city clerk for Port Coquitlam, acted as clerk and swore in Reeve Peter Barth, Councillors Ewen Martin, R. J. C. Atkins, R. G. Mounce, W. Walker and J. Foster.

Make Appointments.

The election of A. Haliburton, Port Coquitlam as clerk, assessor and collector at a salary of $125 per month in room of Mr. John Smith, was unanimous.

Mr. E. H. Verner, road superintendent of the old municipality was reappointed road superintendent in the district municipality at a salary of $175 per month.

Dr. Sutherland was appointed medical health officer at an annual fee of $200.

Mr. A. J. McIntyre was appointed solicitor to the corporation at a retaining fee of $500 per annum.

Messrs. George Alderson, J. Tepish and J. Chisholm were appointed road foremen at a wage of $3.50 per day.

Mr. H. Mumby sidewalk foreman at $4.50 per day,

Select Committees.

The following committees were appointed.

Board of works—Councillor Atkins chairman, and whole council.

Finance—Councillor Martin, chairman, and Councillors Mounce and Walker.

Health—Councillor Mounce, chairman, and whole council.

Police—Reeve Barth, chairman, and Councillors Atkins and Mounce.

Water and fire—Councillor Walker, chairman and whole council.

Policeman Appointed.

Henry Pare was appointed policeman at Milliardville at $75 per month.

John Smith, Port Coquitlam, was appointed police magistrate.

It was resolved in the meantime, to

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REVENUE FROM CUSTOMS SURPASSES ALL RECORDS

For Fiscal Year Ending March 31, Increase of $141,880.56 Is Shown Over Previous Year—March also Shows Increase Over Corresponding Month in 1912—City Receipts also Show Satisfactory Improvement.

An increase of $141,880.56 during the past fiscal year was reported from the local customs office, this being the banner year of its existence in the city. The returns from this office have shown an increase every month during the past year and will undoubtedly make an impression when the official papers are forwarded to the head office at Ottawa.

Even during the month of March when nearly all the other offices had shown a decrease the customs department receipts jumped to $69,809.11, an increase of nearly $20,000 over the corresponding month last year.

The following are the figures given out:

March 1913	$69.809.11
March 1912	50,531.97
Increase	$19,277.14
Fiscal year 1912-13	$637,298.93
Fiscal year 1911-12	495,418.37
Increase	$141,880.56

Government Offices

Althought the returns at the Dominion land office and also the crown timber returns for the past month show a decrease, satisfactory progress is reported by the heads of the offices who state that just as soon as the weather begins to improve the returns will correspondingly increase.

The heavy snowfall during the month of February caused nearly every logging camp to close down with the result that the receipts at the different offices showed a decrease.

The weather of the past two weeks however, was allowed the lumbermen to again start operations and with accumulated orders to hand and others in sight the decrease will not likely be shown up very strong, in fact the deficit is likely to be wiped out.

Receipts at the Dominion land office during the month of March were $541.20, a total of $1143.05 being taken in during March 1912.

Mining land receipts also slumped only $85.26 being taken in last month as compared with $1513.82 during March 1912.

At the crown timber office the decrease was also shown, $1557.93 being taken in during March 1913 while $6100.07 was collected in March 1912.

The figures for the fiscal year which ended yesterday, are as follows:

Dominion lands 1913	$ 3,321.44
1912	11,931.16
Mining lands 1913	6,516.66
1912	11,215.51
Crown timber 1913	58,037.70
1912	58,452.15

In the latter case several accounts totalling several thousand dollars are still outstanding and when these are collected the results for the year will show an increase.

Splendid Increase.

A marked increase is shown in the receipts of the city treasurer's office for the month just ended and for the first quarter of the year which concluded yesterday, according to a statement issued last night by Mr. J. J. McKay, city treasurer.

The total for March from all the sources of the city's income was $19,800.76 as compared with $15,406.85 for the corresponding month of last year. The total for the quarter was $66,034.04, a most gratifying advance over $52,518.16, the figures for the first quarter of last year.

The most pronounced advance in receipts during the quarter and in March was shown in light and water, licenses and garbage. The receipts from the sale of licenses were just treble those of March last year, while the water returns for the month just ended were almost double those of the corresponding period of 1912.

The building receipts showed a shrinkage on the month but a marked advance on the quarter. The poor record for march was solely due to the adverse weather conditions which practically held up all building operations throughout the city and prevented the start of work on any new structure.

The market receipts for the first two months of the quarter showed a most marked setback. The receipts of the market for March have not been computed as yet.

Figures in Detail.

The following table gives the receipts of the various departments for March compared with March 1912 and for the first quarter in the year compared with the same period in 1912.

	March, 1913	March, 1912	Quar. End. Mar. 31, '13	Quar. End. Mar. 31, '13
Light	$10,529.12	$ 9,397.19	$35,526.65	$20,884.34
Water	6,959.69	3,984.01	20,358.24	16,856.67
Building	87.60	156.50	210.00	362.40
Licenses	960.50	371.50	5,559.50	2,332.00
Garbage	480.10	53.75	1,209.20	53.75
Plumbers Inspect	47.25	.....	145.50	.....
Police	736.50	1,140.50	2,662.50	1,621.20
Market	Not rec'd	303.40	* 362.45	* 407.50
Totals	$19,800.76	$15,406.85	$66,034.04	$52,518.16

*Two months only.

Plumbing inspection department was not established until May, 1912.

Market receipts for current month are not received until the following month.

Garbage department was not established until March, 1912.

Building Permits.

The permits for the month of March only totalled $78,980 as against $140,000 for February, the preceding month and $141,150 in March 1912. This striking difference can only be accounted for by the weather and not to any deplorable slackness in business or impecuniosity.

The continuous inclement weather stopped all building activity and contrasted with March 1912 when less than half an inch of rain fell throughout the 31 days, the reason can easily be inferred.

Builders have been waiting impatiently for better weather, and now that the month has gone out like the proverbial lamb and there is every liklihood of a genial April, an impetus to construction work is assured.

Police Records.

The police records for last month show that while there is a marked absence of serious crime, the drunks and disorderlys make over fifty per cent. of the total number of those handled professionally by the police.

PUBLICITY BUREAU ADOPTS NEW NAME

Will Hereafter be Known as the Fraser Valley Development League.

The Fraser Valley Development league, for that is the new designation adopted by the Fraser Valley Publicity Bureau met yesterday in the board of trade rooms and listened to a very valuable paper on the agricultural possibilities of the Fraser valley and more particularly in regard to its great pastoral capabilities, the facilities for raising stock and intensive and greenhouse culture.

Councillor Bell of Matsqui presented the report in question, in which he emphasized that the Fraser valley was an ideal dairy country. Dairying was not a gamble but provided a staple income. He thought the government might do much more in fostering this industry for instance by sending round dairy inspectors to give instruction and advice.

They had plenty of fruit inspectors and he would like to see more of the dairy variety.

Another suggestion to the government was that they might provide facilities for farmers to obtain the services of good pedigreed sires for their herds.

At present the great majority of the farmers could not afford to purchase really first class bulls and had to be content with inferior grades.

The report was referred to the committee who have the task of submitting a report to the agricultural commission.

Proposed Canal.

A discussion arose on the subject of the proposed canal between Port Moody and Coquitlam which would delight the heart of Alderman E. Morgan of Coquitlam.

Despite the opposition of Councillor Bell and Mr. Stuart Wade who considered that the league was exceeding their province and that the time was not ripe for action on the subject, the chairman was instructed to advocate the measure.

Mr. Heaps thought anything that provided facility of transportation assisted the farmers.

Must Desist from Attack.

London, Mar. 31.—The ambassadors of the European powers met this afternoon and handed in the approval of their respective governments to the proposed naval demonstration to force Montenegro to respect their demands to desist from her attack on Scutari and so evacuate Albania. It is understood that Great Britain and Austria-Hungary will undertake a naval demonstration in case Montenegro's reply, which has not been received, is unsatisfactory.

FRASER MAY BREAK RECORD FOR HIGH WATER

The disastrous floods in the Ohio valley last week have turned the eyes of many of the old timers to the Fraser river and the changes in the weather are being carefully noted in case of a sudden rise of temperature. It is well known that the snowfall this year was exceptionally heavy and of lengthy duration

It is felt that if the temperature should rise abruptly there is considerable danger of the snow melting suddenly and causing exceptionally high water on the lower Fraser this summer.

Though there is little indication of anything serious at present, flood conditions, while not possibly on as large a scale as those which occurred in the Ohio valley still of a dangerous character might result.

It is prophesied by some that should April remain fairly temperate and May or June develops into real hot months the high water mark of 1894 might be exceeded.

British Steamer Aground.

Tangir, Marocco, Mar. 31.—The British steamer Agadir is ashore in a bad position near Mazagan, Morocco. The Agadir has 150 pasengers aboard, and the French cruiser Friant has been dispatched to her assistance.

APPOINT SUCCESSOR TO H. A. BAYFIELD

John L. Nelson Accepts Position of Superintendent of Dredges—Head Office in Vancouver.

Mr. John L. Nelson is the new appointee of the Dominion government to the position of superintendent of dredges, taking the place of Mr. H. A. Bayfield, who resigned a few months ago following an investigation made by a special commission.

Since Mr. Bayfield handed in his resignation the work has been in the charge of Dominion Engineer C. C. Worsfold, of this city.

Mr. Nelson is understood to have had considerable experience in contract and dredging work in the east. His office is in the Customs building, Vancouver and from his office all work for British Columbia is looked after.

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THE PROMISE OF BETTER CONDITIONS.

March yesterday endeavored to make up for its long record of mortality among the world's great ones and its abnormal weather conditions by clear sunny weather, but now that we are arrived in April, the long delayed promise of the spring seems to be at hand.

One of the doleful announcements of the past month was that in reference to the high cost of living, which, it is asserted by the Dominion government, soared up 9 per cent during the year 1912, and, it may be supposed, is still upon the upward path. Although no general causes may be ascribed, it is sufficient for us to appreciate the possible causes of our own increased expenditure and, in doing so, it is good to note that both governmental and public enterprise is directing its energies towards bettering conditions in our own immediate neighborhood.

Amid the numerous measures passed at the recent session of the provincial parliament was an important amendment to the Agricultural Associations act, by which the farmers in any particular locality may organize with a capitalization sufficient to handle co-operatively their own produce.

They are required to put up 20 per cent of the capital stock, and by complying with other minor regulations, the government advances them a sum of money equal to 80 per cent of the capital stock for a period of 20 years, with interest at 4 per cent.

We note that a member of a Vancouver produce firm has been commissioned by the government to give a series of lectures throughout the Okanagan upon the best methods by which the farmers may avail themselves of this method of co-operation. It is to be hoped that by these steps on the part of the government there will be no repetition of last year's wastage of fruit, and that its speedy result will be a reduction in the cost of fruits to British Columbians.

From Lulu Island also there comes tidings of an attempt to organize the growers of market produce, which, it is claimed, will eliminate the middleman and will enable the white growers to compete upon more favorable terms with the Chinese market gardeners.

With the resumption of sessions in the Fraser valley by the Agricultural commission further light will doubtless be thrown upon the best means of applying the co-operative principle to the needs of the farmers in the districts whose interests are bound up with those of Westminster, and this, coupled with the efforts that are being made by the City Council, by the Board of Trade and by the Progressive Association, should have a very material bearing upon reducing the cost of some of our foodstuffs.

ADVANCED LEGISLATION.

Following up the advanced ideas, out of which have grown the great movements and struggle of the day in behalf of helpless children, there has come a new conception of the sacredness and worth of motherhood; and this is a conviction gained by the economic as well as sentimental viewpoint. No doubt this new conception of motherhood, of which eugenics is but a phase, will grow until it becomes the crowning work of modern social economics.

Back of our schooling, apprenticeship, and best achievements of manhood stands *mother as a goddess of* selflessness and sacrifice. In this sacrifice she is ever the queen and worthy of the crown, whether it be in the slum or on the avenue.

Public and legislative recognition of this fact will some day be proclaimed throughout the English-speaking world, and it will not be by any influence of suffragism, but by the grateful, and adoring appreciation of manhood that, day by day, is attaining unto a greater sense of general justice, and is constantly endeavoring to crystalize and visualize its lofty ideals of life in social relationships. Mother's day is coming as never before in the history of the world, and all will say, "God bless her," and, may it come soon.

An evidence of this is the legislative action of Utah, which became effective a short time ago. "Mothers who are compelled to work for a living will receive $10 per month to support one child, and $5 for every other child. The law's aim is to permit the mothers to remain at home with their younger children, in order to properly rear them."

This not only gives a public measure of recognition due to motherhood; but, as well, it protects the infant against unfortunate circumstances, and, as an asset to society in general. We predict that this movement will spread, until mother's pension becomes as common as any other tax measure.—Calgary Terald.

BRITISH AERIAL DEFENCE.

The British airship secret mysteriously hinted at in the house of commons a few days ago by Colonel Seely, secretary for war, was evidently that of the perfecting of an advanced type of aeroplane, concerning which Colonel Seely made an announcement in introducing his army estimates.

It is claimed for the new aeroplane that it is far superior to any in the possession of other nations, having two speeds, one over 80 miles an hour and one of 40 miles. As it has become apparent that British aerial defence must be carried out by aeroplane flotillas, rather than by airships of the rigid Zeppelin type, the information created somewhat of a sensation.

The lack of vigor by the war department in building up an aerial defence force, as a supplement to the navy, has been subject to harsh criticism, and seemingly the announcement was made to disarm fears of governmental negligence. One writer in the February Review of Reviews appealed for the starting of airship funds in Britain, that private enterprice might do for the defence of the country what the government was apparently too apathetic to do.

The situation on the surface, at least, has been none too promising in British eyes. Germany has an air navy of 25 large ships, the newest type, "L 1," having a carrying capacity of 27 tons, a radius of action of 1550 miles, and a speed of 50 miles an hour. The German aerial Dreadnoughts can remain in the air four days and four nights, carrying several machine guns, and can drop tons of bombs on land stations or ships beneath.

The new Seiss sighting instrument makes bomb-dropping an exact science. The German airship "Z 111," while manoeuvering at battle speed at 6000 feet altitude, shot to pieces in 17 minutes a target representing the silhouette of a whole village. On Lake Constance a small canvas float was riddled from an airship 3½ miles away and at an altitude of 3000 feet.

The long, sustained night cruises of these ships, and the fact that eight large stations have been constructed at Helgoland, Kiel, Cuxhaven, Wilhelmshaven, Dusseldorf, Frankfort, and Cologne, on the north and west, to house them, make it quite apparent that British territory would be easily accessible. The damage that could be done by these powerful aerial cruisers, quite over-reaching the regular naval defences, have made it imperative that Britain should create an aerial defence force capable of destroying all such invaders.

An aeroplane capable of traveling 90 miles an hour would be able to *manoeuvre around such airships with* great advantage. Inasmuch as Britain has no desire to create an aerial navy for other than defence purposes, the ponderous air-cruiser has no attraction. By next May the British army will have 138 aeroplanes, some of the new type, but this does not contrast favorable with the French program of having 1000 war aeroplanes in commission by the end of 1914.

For 1913 the French aerial war budget will amount to about $8,500,000. The perfecting of the new British machine ought to be followed by energetic construction, since not only for land, but for navy service is it extremely important.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

FIRST THINGS.

All Fool's Day.

The first observance of All Fool's Day, according to legend, was when Noah sent a dove out of the ark before the waters had abated, on the Hebrew first day of the month. Whether his error of judgment was greeted with cries of "April fool" cannot be learned.

The ancient Hindus had in their festival of Hull an observance similar to that of modern times, when innocent persons were sent on foolish errands. Plutarch mentions an old Roman festival, Festa Stultorum, as a day of pranks and hoaxes, and it is said that the rape of the Sabine women occurred on the first of April, and was considered in the light of a joke.

England and Scotland observed the festival of fools centuries ago, and the person fooled was called a "gowk" while in France the victim of April foolery is called "poisson d'Avril," or April fish, on the theory that a fish is a gullible creature and easily duped into taking a bait.

Since the days of the old Romans the Eternal City has been noted for its first of April pranks. A large part of the Roman newspapers today will be devoted to absurd and impossible stories, gravely told. The limit was reached a few years ago when a Roman newspaper printed a story announcing the marriage of the pope.

CANADIAN HISTORY TODAY

APRIL FIRST.

Among the crew which sailed with Captain Cook in 1772 was George Vancouver, then scarcely 14 years of age, but rated as an able seaman. He sailed again with Cook, as midshipman, on the last fatal voyage, and by some means in these early years acquired knowledge which later enabled him to command a ship and undertake important explorations. In 1780 he became lieutenant.

Ten years afterwards he was appointed second in command of an intended expedition to the South seas, and was expecting to sail in a new ship, the Discovery, which was being fitted up under his own eyes, when, owing to a threatened war with Spain over the seizure of the trading post of Nootka, the expedition was forbidden to sail, and the officers and men of the Discovery were scattered on different vessels.

But a few weeks later the dispute was arranged. Vancouver was appointed to receive back the territory seized by the Spaniards, and also to explore the west coast of America north of California, and, on April 1, 1791, he set out in the Discovery on his long voyage round Cape Horn to the great island which, after the successful accomplishment of his mission, bore his own name.

Forty-five years ago today, April 1, 1868, the Canadian postal system adopted a uniform three-cent rate. Prior to confederation, in 1867, each colony had its own post office department, and rates varied with the distance. With the ushering in of the Dominion government, one of the first cares was to provide cheap and adequate postal facilities.

The system was thoroughly reorganized, and on the first of April following the inauguration of the confederation the uniform rate of three cents—which had been in effect in the United States for five years—was adopted. At that time Canada had 3638 post offices, less than a third of the present number. The government expenditure on the service in the early days of the Dominion averaged about a million dollars a year. The reduction of the letter rate to two cents, the installation of a system of postal saving banks, and other great improvements and extensions of the service, are likely to be followed at an early date with the inauguration of a parcel post.

Early this year Hon. Rudolphe Lemieux introduced a resolution declaring "that in the opinion of this house, the establishment of a cheap parcel post system would be to the advantage of the consumers of Canada."

Although opposed by the express companies, and, to some extent, by the smaller merchants, the movement has many influential friends. The zone system, such as was adopted by the United States, is most favored, as the great distances in Canada make a flat rate impracticable.

Forty years ago today the Atlantic, a White Star liner, was wrecked off Nova Scotia. About 500 lives were lost, while 442, including Captain Williams, were saved.

SCRAP BOOK FOR TODAY.

Festival of Fools to Be Observed Today.

When you go to the office today, if you are a business man, a sober-faced office boy is likely to inform you that you are requested to call up Mr. Train at the railway station. You do so, and ask, with a rising inflection: "Mister Train?"

Comes a weary voice from the other end of the wire:

"Oh, you've mister train, have you? That is too bad. You are about the thousandth party that has mister train today, and called us up to tell about it. Ring off.

Then a sheepish grin overspreads your face, and you realize that today is the first of April, the festival fools, and that office boys must have their fun.

Or you may be asked to call for Mr. Skinner, at a number which connects you with the office of a certain lawyer, and you can fairly feel that legal luminary growing red in the face as he answers the call. Again, you may innocently call a hospital and inquire for Mr. Killem, as directed to do on a memorandum left on your desk. You are not likely to find Mr. Coffin when you connect with the number of an undertaker, and the barber may become peevish when you inquire for Mr. Cuttem. The telephone has become the mainstay of the April fool joker.

But if you are fooled despite all vigilance—and you are likely to be—do not wax exceeding wrath. You are in good company. Since Empedocles went salamander-gathering down Aetna-way, the festival of fools has claimed its victims among the wisest and the best.

"And take my word for this reader," quoth Charles Lamb, "and say a fool told it you, if you please, that he who hath not a drachm of folly in his mixture, hath pounds of much worse matter in his composition."

"O noble fool! A worthy fool! Motley's the only wear." Thus Shakespeare.

All peoples, in all times, have had a fools' festival. It fills a very human need, and, if not carried to excess, is doubtless beneficial. Few are so wise—except college boys and high school girls—as not to have need of the prayer, "God have mercy upon me, a fool."

Two Centenaries and Some Holidays

Two important centenary celebrations, falling on the Day of All Fools, will soon be celebrated in Europe. A year from today will be the 100th anniversary of the deposition of Napoleon from the throne of France, soon afterward to be banished to Elba. Two years from today the German people will celebrate the centenary of the birth of Bismarck, the iron chancellor.

Costa Rica, one of the most progressive of Central American states, will observe Independence Day today. It was on the first of April, 1829, that Costa Rica withdrew from the federation and became an independent nation.

In many of the coal mining districts of America, especially in Pennsylvania, today is observed as Mitchell Day, this being the anniversary of John Mitchell's victory in his fight for an eight-hour day.

In the tiny European republic of San Marino the ingresso, or inauguration of two regents or presidents, will take place today. The ceremony is an eleborate one, and marked by great pomp and display, although the administration of the regents lasts only six months.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION.
(By O. Terence.)

Speaker Lowther, 58 Today, Will Be Elevated to Peerage.

Members of the British house of commons will today congratulate their speaker, the Rt. Hon. James William Lowther, on his 58th birthday. It is not likely that there will be any facetious comments on the fact that the speaker was born on All Fool's Day, for in his robes, his wig and silver-buckled boots, with a huge golden mace in one hand, Mr. Lowther is a dignified personage, and not to be trifled with. While on duty he is surrounded by a retinue of attendants and a small army of satellites, and his every act is regulated by precedent and tradition.

He sits on a throne in semi-regal state and does not mingle with the legislators. Daily a sea of language rages about him, and waves and billows of words dash against his rock, on which he sits enthroned. When the tempest of partizanship rages fiercest, and threatens to engulf the Gibraltar of authority the speaker rises and commands, "Peace, be still." The storm of words subsides, and silence takes the place of pandemonium.

The speaker rules, and against his ruling there is no appeal. "I have spoken," says the speaker, and the matter is settled. Once in a generation there may be a protest, but he who protests goes against centuries of tradition that command instant obedience to the ruling of him who sits on the speaker's throne.

Mr. Lowther has been speaker of the house for eight years, and it is understood that he now desires to retire to the more peaceful atmosphere of the house of lords. When he lays down the mace for the last time he will be created a viscount, and if his party be in power will probably be given a high place in the government.

The speaker, like his predecessors for centuries, wears while on duty a robe of silk, knee breeches and stockings of the same material, and lacy-frilled collar and cuffs. Mr. Lowther, although he holds office under a Liberal government, is affiliated politically with the opposition. He is one of the several distinguished sons of the Hon. William Lowther and Charlotte Alice, daughter of Baron Wensleydale.

The Hon. William Lowther was a younger brother of the third Earl of Lonsdale, and Speaker Lowther is a cousin of the present earl, famed as a patron of boxing and other sports. The speaker is immensely wealthy and the owner of much property in the Lake district, where the Lowthers have long been landlords and petty princes. When off duty the speaker is jovial and democratic.

His ruling which caused the withdrawal of the women's franchise measure aroused the enmity of the militants, and perhaps their attentions have in part been responsible for Mr. Lowther's desire to retire.

Rostand Is 45 Today.

Edmond Rostand, internationally famous as the author of "Cyrano de Bergerac," will pass his 45th birthday today, having been born in Marseilles, France, April 1, 1868.

The creator of "Chantecler" has a talented wife, who has recently written a successful comedy, and a son who has already arrived as an actor. The latter, M. Maurice Rostand, known as "the Dauphin of Cambe," is a handsome youth and the pot of Parisian femininity.

An operatic version of M. Rostand's "Cyrano de Bergerac" was recently produced in New York, much to the French dramatist's indignation. M. Rostand alleges that the opera was produced without his permission, and the offer to pay him a royalty has not entirely assuaged his rage.

To Protect Miners.

An electric alarm that gives warning when a mine roof begins to move has been invented by an Australian.

Australia New Second.

As a butter exporting country Australia now ranks second, Denmark being first.

Footlights.

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See Redemption Today

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OUR POET'S CORNER.

DEEP-WATER SONG.

The bounding deck beneath me,
The rocking sky o'erhead,
White, living spume that whips her boom
And all her canvas spread.

Her top[illegible] rakes the zenith,
Where planets shoal and spawn.
And to her stride God opens wide
The storm red gates of dawn.

Then walk her down to Rio,
Roll her 'cross the line;
Chinee Joe's a-tendin' door
Down to Number Nine.
Deep they lie in every sea,
Land's end to the Horn,
For every sailorman that dies
A sailorman is born.

Along the battered sea wall
Our women in the rain,
Full wearily have scanned the sea
That brings us not again.

Oh, I'll come home, my dearie;
Aye, one day I'll come home,
With heaped-up hold of Spanish gold
And opals of spun foam.

Then walk her down to 'Frisco,
Lay her for Hong Kong,
Reeling down the waterfront
Seven hundred strong.
Deep they lie in every sea,
Land's end to the Horn,
For every sailorman that dies
A sailorman is born.

Tall languid palms that glimmer,
Blossoms beyond belief.
Sea gods at play in shouting spray
On sun-splashed coral reef.

O, falling star at twilight,
O, questing sail unfurled;
Through unknown seas I follow these
Down-hill across the world.

Then walk her down to Sydney,
Through the Singapore;
Dutch Marie and Ysabel
Waitin' on the shore.
Deep they lie in every sea,
Land's End to the Horn,
For every sailorman that dies
A sailorman is born.

—John Reed, in Century.

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Fairy Tales Surpassed By Morgan's Wizardry

No man of recent times has occupied a more prominent place in American financial history than John Pierpont Morgan. He was in the banking business for more than half a century, and during the latter years of his life he was unquestionably the financial dictator of the United States.

When a panic seized Wall Street in 1901 during the struggle for the control of the Northern Pacific railroad it was Mr. Morgan who came to the rescue. Again, when in the fall of 1907 the Wall Street panic was at its height, the financiers of the country instinctively turned to Mr. Morgan for aid and advice. He heeded the appeal, and within forty hours created a pool of $40,000,000 and saved the nation from a panic that threatened to topple over many of the financial pillars of the country.

Aside from these two incidents Mr. Morgan probably will be chiefly remembered for the important part he took in floating the United States Steel Corporation. The violent decline in the securities of the steel trust during the depression of 1903-04, and the storm of criticism that broke forth from the thousands of investors in the United States and in Europe who put their money into these securities, had been a thorn in Mr. Morgan's side, and his chief ambition in the years that followed was to see the steel securities in such position in the market that his most bitter critics would be forced to concede that he built the great trust on a substantial foundation.

As an example of business capacity of a remarkable kind, Mr. Morgan was almost without parallel. He was as capable as any of the Rothschilds in the money line and his achievements as an industrial organizer surpassed any similar feats performed by other operators in the United States or abroad. Among the concrete results of Mr. Morgan's financial genius were the reorganization of the Buffalo and West Shore, and its lease to the New York Central, the reorganization of Chesapeake and Ohio; the rearrangement of the Great Southern and the reorganization of the Erie. His influence was also materially felt in the Pacific system.

Some of the achievements which he made incidents to his money and railroad business are the present efficiency of the Japan and China carrying trade, the consolidation of the Western Union Telegraph and the American Bell Telephone company, combination of the coffin producing and steel industries and the launching of the Edison process of magnetic iron ore separation.

Finance in His Blood.

Mr. Morgan was born at Hartford, Conn., April 17, 1837. His early schooling opportunities were the best. He graduated from the Boston high school and was a student in the University of Goettingen, Germany. His father was a financier of prominence and it was not difficult for young Morgan to get a start in the business world. After his return from Germany young Morgan went into his father's banking business. As his experience in the business grew his father wisely placed upon his shoulders more and more of the firm's responsibilities.

He was sent to London as the firm's representative and there, in the counting room of Morgan & Peabody, he obtained a thorough grounding in the exceedingly complicated subject of foreign exchange. When he returned to New York he again entered his father's banking firm.

From 1864 to 1871 he was a member of the firm of Dabney, Morgan & Co., dealers in investment securities. About 1869 he attracted the attention of the whole financial and railroad world by saving and obtaining possession of the Albany & Susquehanna railroad, which Gould and Fisk had tried to wreck.

This was his first great success particularly remarkable owing to the fact that in the fight he was pitted against the two greatest and most unscrupulous stock and railroad manipulators of the country and beat them at their own game. In 1871 he became a member of the banking firm of Drexel, Morgan & Co., which later became J. P. Morgan & Co., the largest private financial institution in the world.

The history of the Morgan banking house reads almost like a fairy tale, so wonderful have been its achievements. In 1871 Mr. Morgan created a market in Europe for $25,000,000 of New York Central stock and sold it there at a profit which amazed old Commodore Vanderbilt. In 1877 he handled an issue of $260,000,000 of government bonds in preparation for putting the national currency on a gold basis.

In 1880 he provided $40,000,000 for the extension of the Northern Pacific railroad to the Pacific coast. In the same year he was instrumental in the reorganization of the Reading railroad and the Baltimore and Ohio, involving a loan of $10,000,000. In 1893 the Southern railway was created out of the Richmond Terminal and allied lines. In 1895 he rehabilitated the Erie road. Two years later he put the Lehigh Valley road on its feet and brought about a soft coal combination. In 1892 he performed one of his most remarkable feats. In company with August Belmont he undertook to and did maintain the gold reserve in the federal treasury, causing the suspension of the laws of exchange in

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SQUABBLING ABOUT ARMY FLYING MEN

Certain Exclusive Service Clubs Refuse Entrance to Members of Royal Corps.

London, March 15.—The efficiency of the Royal flying corps of the British army is seriously threatened because of the exclusiveness of certain English service clubs, and unless the clubs recede from their position, the corps bids fair to be deprived of the services of some of the most able aviators in England.

The corps needs flyers, and to get them it has had to take in civilians and give them the rank of officers. This new rank permits the civilian to join clubs previously open to army officers only, and it is to this condition that the clubs object. The newly created officers insist on their rights, and the clubs declare they will resist the invasion.

The royal flying corps will possess a total of 100 aeroplanes by the end of next month. This total will include the machines purchased by the war office and the admiralty at the Aero show; the 24 machines of the army type now being delivered by outside constructors, and the machines actually in use in the Central flying school on Salisbury plain, the naval flying headquarters at Eastchurch and the Royal Aircraft factory at Farnborough.

With this number of machines soon in hand the question of personnel has again become a problem. There are not enough men in the army and navy with sufficient knowledge and experience of aeronautics to man these craft, and so the corps had to go outside for civilian flyers and give them army rank.

The friction with the clubs is particularly acute on account of some men who had previously been denied admission, but who now, with their new rank, come knocking at the door with a demand for admission that they say the clubs cannot possibly refuse.

Born in the Minories, London, in November, 1913, Mrs. Eliza Sands has just died at Crowborough, Sussex. She was the daughter of a clocksmith and when she went to Crowborough 50 years ago she established herself as an expert in her father's trade. For many years residents from a wide area took their watches and clocks to her for repair.

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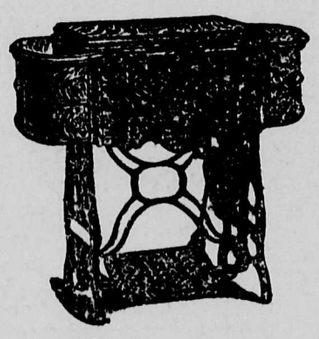

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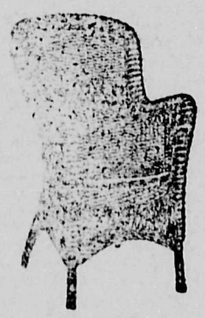

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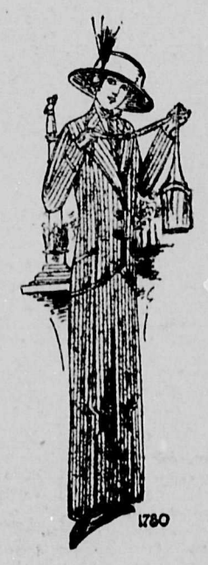

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SIXTEEN CANDIDATES FOR EIGHT SEATS

Interesting Election Expected for Aldermanic Board of Port Moody

—P. D. Roe First Mayor.

As was anticipated Mr. Perry Douglas Roe was elected first mayor of the city of Port Moody yesterday by acclamation.

The school trustees were also elected without opposition. They are as follows: Mayor P. D. Roe, Miss Florence M. Clarke and Mr. E. H. Paulson.

There are 16 candidates for eight aldermanic seats and the subsequent proceedings are likely to be interesting if not lively.

They are: Messrs. Frederick Wm. McNeice, broker; Arthur Edward Parsons, broker, Vancouver; J. H. McLean, lumberman; Esa oMisio, millwright; M. R. Ottley, merchant; Peter Reilly, James A. Clark, brokers; A. F. Latta, mill foreman; W. N. Cowley, farmer; Arthur Wilks, accountant, Vancouver; W. D. Mackay, broker; A. E. White, accountant; Joseph Cote, retired; Wm. T. Johnston, broker; John Murray, retired; Norval Britton, broker.

Polling takes place next Thursday.

New Lord Lister School Complete

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class rooms in the basement are features of the new school, though they have not as yet been equipped. Sanitary drinking fountains are also situated on each floor.

The heating and ventilating arrangements are of the most safe, simple and efficient nature and are regulated automatically on the thermostadt system.

The trustees will report at the next board meeting the results of their examination following which the opening of the school will probably be ordered.

One of the rooms is being used at the present time to relieve the congestion prevailing in some of the other schools in the city.

Fairy Tales Surpassed By Morgan's Wiza dry

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order to accomplish the result.

Steel Corporation.

Another important deal was the organizing and the floating of the securities of the United States Steel Corporation, with a capital of $1,100,000,000. The violent decline in the securities of the steel trust during the depression of 1903-4 was as promptly relieved by the influence of Mr. Morgan, and he made it his business from that time on to prevent, as much as possible, all violent fluctuations in that stock.

The most recent financial deal of great importance engineered by Mr. Morgan and his associates was the purchase in November of 1909 of the controlling majority of the stock of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, formerly owned by Thomas F. Ryan. Mr. Ryan bought the controlling interest in the company, the assets of which, according to the last statement issued previous to the sale, amounting to $475,000,000, from James H. Hyde, former president of the company.

The acquisition of the control of the Equitable brought the total of the capital and the resources of insurance companies, banks and trust companies controlled by Mr. Morgan and his associates to the gigantic sum of nearly $1,750,000,000, made up as follows: Equitable Life Assurance Society, $472,000,000; New York Life Insurance Company, $557,000,000; National Bank of Commerce, $244,000,000; First National Bank, $184,000,000; Guaranty Trust Company, $100,000,000; Mercantile Trust Company, $75,000,000; Equitable Trust Company, $62,000,000; Bankers' Trust Company, $48,000,000; Astor Trust Company, $17,000,000.

Despite a life of strenuous endeavor, Mr. Morgan found time for other things. He gave away millions in charity, but nothing perturbed him more than to have it mentioned to him. He was a devout Christian and vestryman of St. George's Episcopal church, where he could be seen every Sunday morning when at home passing the silver salver for the collection.

Patronized the Arts.

He took an active interest in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and possessed one of the most magnificent private galleries in the world, part of which he kept in his London mansion, while the smaller part adorned the palace in New York or was stored in the magnificent and thoroughly fireproof library building which he had built and which also sheltered one of the most valuable private collections of books, manuscripts, works of art, etc., to be found anywhere in the world.

A deep student of mediaeval history he collected without regard of cost, many priceless objects of mediaeval art, missales, Bibles, clerical ornaments and ornates, embroideries, tapestry and masterpieces of the gold and silversmith's art. At one time he bought a cope which had been stolen from an old church in Italy and when the fact became known that the cope had not been the rightful property of its former possessor, Mr. Morgan showed his magnanimity by returning it to the rightful owners free of cost.

During all his years Mr. Morgan enjoyed life to the utmost. He was passionately fond of dogs, and his kennels at Cragston were the wonder of breeders the world over. He rode and shot and angled enthusiastically, and was fond of yachting. His yacht Corsair was one of his favorite recreations. He belonged to numerous societies and clubs in the United States and Europe.

It is impossible to estimate with any degree of accuracy the size of the Morgan fortune. It has been variously estimated in recent years at from $75,000,000 to $200,000,000. If it is anywhere near the latter figure it is equally true that Mr. Morgan made as much for others.

In 1861 Mr. Morgan married Miss Amelia Sturges, who died the following year. In 1865 he married Frances Louise Tracy, by whom he had one son and three daughters. The son, J. P. Morgan, jr., is now a man of middle age, and for a number of years has been the active head of the Morgan banking house in New York.

ENGLISH NEWS.

E. Johnston, chief ranger of the Earl of Waveney Foresters' Court, Harleston, initiated 86 members on one night, and signed his name 700 times at one sitting.

Made by Antonio Stradivarius, a fine tenor violin which had been exhibited at the Royal Albert Hall exhibition of musical instruments realized £750 at the Glendining's, on a recent Monday.

First Class Petty Officer Oscar George Bischop, of the naval gunnery school at Whale island, Portsmouth, was injured recently by recoil while testing a gun, and died almost immediately.

The funeral took place at Ashford Kent, of Mrs. Catherine Keeler, aged 94, whose husband, a naval officer, was drowned in a shipwreck a few months after their marriage, and who was for 70 years a widow.

The Duchess of Albany paid a surprise visit to the Church Army's Children's sanatorium, at Fleet, on her birthday, taking with her half her birthday cake for the little inmates' tea, and playing with them.

Just after leaving Sydenham-road council school, at Croydon, Doris Lockwood, aged six years, was run over by a motor bus proceeding along Northcote road. The wheel passed over her head, killing her on the spot.

The Erpingham, Norfolk, district council are inviting applications for new cottages, with half an acre of garden, at £7 a year, to be paid at the rate of a shilling a week, and the balance at harvest time or Michaelmas.

As the result of an accident to her spine a woman named Hatherley, of St. Mary church, Torquay, took to her bed ever since. In the same room for over seven years lay her deaf and nearly blind mother, who has ujst died at the age of 97.

Being unable to stop before the complete opening of a double bridge carrying traffic to the docks from a main thoroughfare of Goole, the steamer Ezardian cut off half the structure and this sank. The steamer sustained slight damage.

Ernest Baker, of Peterborough, shouting "Here goes!" jumped from the platform of the G. N. R. station in front of a goods train, but Inspector Harman and a ticket collector jumped after him and pulled him out of danger. He was taken to the police station.

At the inquest on Gunner Sidney Anderson, aged 26, who shot himself in Preston barracks, Brighton, it was stated that he had written that he could not face another operation for appendicitis. He left a letter apologizing to the officers and adding, "I have done my duty."

On the ground that the proposed new dock, to occupy half the length of the sea front at Dover, would be ruinous to the town as a residential and visiting resort, Dover corporation decided actively to oppose the bill of the harbor board.

The Smith's prizes for essays in mathematical subjects at Cambridge university have been awarded, to S. Chapman, of Trinity college, first; and H. S. Jones, of Jesus, second; and the Rayleigh prizes to R. H. Fowler, of Trinity, and R. O. Street and T. L. Wren, both of St. John's.

After a strike extending over seven weeks the dyers in Bradford and district decided to accept the terms offered by the Bradford Dyers' Association. They agreed to piece-work on a collective basis, with certain safeguards. The men's unions have paid out nearly £20,000 in strike pay.

It was shown at the inquest at Godmanchester on a consumptive named Walter Sandifer that he paid the doctor for attending him, and while the medical man was receiptin the bill in another room Sandifer shot himself dead. The doctor said the man would have died a natural death within three days.

The death has occurred of Alderman C. W. Deacon, an ex-mayor of Wycombe and magistrate for the borough and county of Buckingham at the age of 63. Death was the result of a blow received on the leg by a cricket ball last summer while deceased was practising for a board of guardians cricket match.

Wedding dowries of £62 each have been granted to two domestic servants, Alice Elizabeth Johnson daughter of a railway guard, and Lily Harby, daughter of a groom, by the trustees of a fund of £4000 left by Mrs. Waldo-Sibthorp, who was three times married, to provide annually dowries to two poor Sleaford girls.

A Lucky Find.

A remarkable piece of good luck was experienced by Mrs. Holland, of the Old Dutch House, Bray, Berks, England, when she bought a quantity of old books for $5 at a sale at Woolley Hall, Maidenhead. Looking through the packet, she found a literary treasure—the first four and only editions of "The Germ," containing some of the early works of the pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood; the first version of "The Blessed Damozel," and contributions by Christina and William Rossetti. Mrs. Holland has now sold the work for $1,250.

TALES OF CATS.

Stories That Come From the Historic Tower of London.

Two stories of the intelligence and sympathy of our feline friends were told me during one of my numerous visits to the Tower of London while I was living in England.

Southampton was a prisoner in the Tower with the Earl of Essex during Elizabeth's reign. In some strange way or by some unrecognized faculty a favorite cat of his found his abode and suddenly appeared to him, having made an entrance down the chimney. After his release by James I., Southampton had his picture painted with his faithful friend at his side. The portrait, I believe, can today be seen at Wilbeck abbey.

The other tale is of Sir Henry Wyatt, who was committed to the Tower during the reign of Richard III. and suffered much from want of clothing and food. He would have perished if a cat had not come down into his room and warmed him by lying on his breast and saved him from starvation by bringing him an occasional pigeon caught on the leads. Although the keeper was under orders not to improve his food, he agreed to cook anything which Sir Henry provided, and the pigeons which the cat brought saved his life. He also had a picture painted showing the cat offering a pigeon through the bars of his cell.—Our Dumb Friends.

MOCK WINDOWS.

They Were Common In England When Real Ones Were Taxed.

The window tax in England, a very old tax commencing in the reign of William III., was not discontinued until Lord Halifax changed it to the house duty in 1851.

It must have caused a great amount of consumption, anaemia and other foul air maladies, for in 1850 there were only an average of six windows in English houses. Indeed, the British architects are not yet free from the bad influence of this tax.

In very many old houses in England today there may be seen mock windows painted on the walls for symmetry—hideous things. Not only were glazed windows taxed, but any hole in the wall was included. Indeed, in the early days only very rich people in England had glass windows, and so precious were these that they were carried from one house to another when people moved their quarters.

Curious dodges were practiced to escape the tax, such as extending one window across two houses or making a very wide division between two panes of glass. The loss to the nation must have been a hundredfold the revenues collected from this bad tax.—Boston Herald.

The Word "Set."

What is the favorite word of the English language? The Germans have their "schlag" and "zug," which cover many meanings. But we beat them in the one word—not "post"—which you might suspect of the supremacy of ambiguity—but "set." One always thought that "post" was the word that meant all things and nothing. The punster should watch the word "set," which has achieved nearly seventy columns in the new English dictionary. It is a small word, but its meanings are almost unlimited. You should set to work on the word, which you use every day in a hundred senses. And it would be a pleasant, popular game to set down the number of ways in which you have used that word during the day. "Set to partners" you might call it.—London Chronicle.

Hard Questions.

Oh, tell me, does the setting sun e'er feel a sinking pain? Why is (inform a "Puzzled One") a weathercock so vane? Do stars require a gun to shoot? What makes a bucket pail? What tailor makes the chimney's soot? Who writes the comet's tail?

And why are dogs so lovable, however much they whine? Pray tell me, Mr. Editor, what makes the fir tree pine?

Why is a vessel's hind part stern? Who sings an old hen's lay? Please tell me, for I'd like to know, who wears the close of day?—London Answers.

The Greek Figure.

Greek figures of men appear taller and more graceful than those of moderns. Modern artists make the upright figure seven and one-half times the length of the head. The Greeks made it eight times, lengthening the shin, and the longer sweep from knee to heel gave the figure increased grace and dignity. The same plan was frequently adopted by Lord Leighton, in whose paintings the same effect is obtained.

His Method.

"I always did make a hit with the women," bragged Henry VIII.

"With your wit, sire?" murmured the obsequious courtier.

"No," answered the monarch, with a sly smile, "with an ax."—Baltimore American.

She Was Anticipating.

"When he proposed to her she knocked him down."

"Gracious! What did he say to that?"

"He yelled 'Hold on, hold on! We ain't married yet!'"—Houston Post.

Words With the Teacher.

First Pupil—What makes you so late? Second Pupil—I had words with the teacher. First Pupil—Yes? Second Pupil—But I could not spell them.—Judge.

Sameness is the mother of disgust, variety the cure.—Petrarch.

See Redemption Today

GLITTER AND GLORY IN DURBAR PICTURES

One Long Procession of Magnificence, Loyalty Discipline and Varied Interest.

Magnificent! The Kinemacolor pictures of the Durbar, shown at the opera house last night were all that is claimed of them and more. Seldom has a finer show been put on than were these splendid pictures of one of the most stupenduously gorgeous scenes in history.

Up in this northern corner of the world, we often read of the colored splendors of the great British Indian empire, but while we read, we realize little of the dazzling pomp that in fact exists in that land of wild romance, that land of 350,000,000 alien peoples, governed in peace by a handful of Britishers.

But at last we have an opportunity of gazing at those colors with our own eyes. Through the medium of the latest wonder of the world, the Kinemacolor, we are privileged while the rain pours down without to go and bask in the sun of India, to revel in the bright and harmonious hues of that great country's crowds, to marvel at the sumptuous pomp of her native rulers and to glory in the military might, the wise judgment and the kindly rule that marshal white and brown together in the common service of the Indian empire and of the Kaiser-i-Hind, King George the Fifth, Emperor of India.

Guns Go By.

No Britisher could have been present last night and not felt a tingle of pride to belong to the same race as those white uniformed gentlemen who moved so quietly in command of those vast bodies of varied humanity that thronged the Durbar, or as those gallant gunners who galloped past the saluting point with the khaki guns jumping and trailing behind them over the dusty desert that served for parade ground for 50,000 troops.

But there were not only gunners here. Here come the Lancers, the Dragoons, the Black Watch and Tommy Atkins trudging it manfully through the heat. Here too are the gallant little Gurkhas chumming with the lanky Highlanders, here the bearded Sikhs and here the fine soldiers of Madras.

Next with hobbing necks sway past the camel regiments, followed by wild troops of small hill Rajahs while jewelled elephants, caparisoned with costly silks such as my lady in this less wanton clime can never hope to wear, arouse the wonder of us all.

Order and Discipline.

The variety is endless, bewildering were it not for the wonderful order everywhere. There was an order and they obeyed. A quiet word spoken by the officer in charge and a moment wheel working within wheel, the whole face of that vast arena, a mile and a half in diameter, is changed.

Troops march in and out, whole cities of men as we count them in the west, move and counter-move, yet is there no excitement, no hitch, no unseemly running to and fro. Order, discipline. And what inspires that discipline? Loyalty.

"Servants of the King are we,
Serving each in his degree."

And some of that same spirit permeates the audience. Hark, the band is playing "God Save the King." Here he is, King George the Fifth, our King. God bless him! and everyone rises to his feet and stands to attention as the grand notes of the National Anthem are played through.

And then there is a great welcome to Queen Mary, as she steps out in the sunlight, shaded by a huge sunshade of cloth of gold, carried by a dusky attendant in robes splendor.

Dominant Note.

Disciplined service, that is the dominant note of the exhibition, an exhibition especially sanctioned by the King with the express purpose of carrying an understanding of the British empire throughout the world.

Other things of great interest there are, pictures of elephants at their toilet, wisely taking their baths, wisely feeding and as everybody else, wisely obeying the man in command without question asked and without resistance given.

But not is our part to take the spectator through every foot of three miles of beautiful colored film. Enough to say that the whole show is one long procession of magnificent loyalty, discipline and a varied and wonderful interest that must appeal to the dullest mind, and arouse the most torpid imagination to some conception of the other worlds that exist outside of British Columbia, outside of this white world which forms our narrow horizon, a world into which it is given to few to enter with understanding, but into which it is a privilege to be given the opportunity of only peeping as a child into an illustrated book.

We cannot read the letter press but we can be fascinated by the pictures.

Baby Edna May Wilson in "A Bachelor's Baby" at the Opera House, Thursday, April 3.

TOMATO CULTURE.

It Is the Early Fruit That Brings Money to Growers.

Almost anyone with a garden or farm in a temperate climate can grow tomatoes with greater or less success but there is a great difference between the extent and quality of the crops grown by different persons in the same locality. These differences are due to several causes among which the varieties grown and methods of cultivation practised are perhaps the chief.

According to experiments carried on for years at the Experimental Farm at Ottawa, Ontario, of which there are several strains, is the best early [illegible] Best, Chalks' Early Jewel, are also good early kinds. Of later varieties Matchless Trophy, Livingston's Globe and Plentiful rank high.

It is the early fruit that makes the profit. In growing plants what should be aimed at is the production of a stocky, sturdy plant which will have some fruit set upon it when set in the field. After planting the chief work is cultivation which should be done both ways in the plantation.

In order to protect tomato plants from diseases, of which there are several, they should be repeatedly sprayed, even when quite young, with Bordeaux mixture.

These and many other points, which cover practically the whole field of tomato culture in the greenhouse as garden and field, are fully treated in pamphlet No. 10 of the Central Experimental Farm prepared by the Dominion Horticulturist, Mr. W. T. Macoun. This work is for free distribution to all who apply for it to the publications branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

"I am at the beautiful sea and I may walk into it. I am a mental and physical wreck," ran a letter stated at the inquest to have been received by Dr. James Anderson, of South Wigston, Leicestershire, from his wife, who was found dead at Southchurch, Essex, with a bottle of poison by her side. "Suicide while insane" was the verdict.

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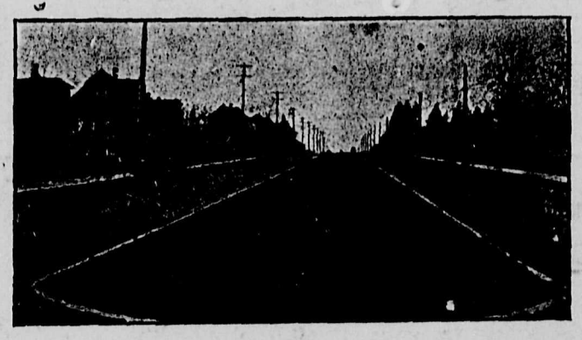

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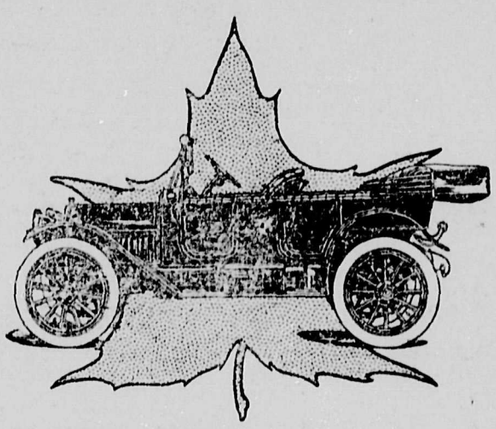

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NEW WESTMINSTER

PLAN FORMATION OF INTER-CITY LEAGUE

Coquitlam, North Vancouver, Vancouver and Westminster May Form Baseball Organization.

Now that the hockey season is a thing of the past the baseball magnates and fans of this city are beginning to get anxious as to the probable line-up of the City league and also the plans towards the formation of an intercity league taking in Coquitlam, North Vancouver, Vancouver and New Westminster.

The Balmorals will organize this evening in the Columbia pool rooms over the Royal theatre and Herb Ryall, the well known baseball, lacrosse and cue artist, hopes to lay a proposition before the delegates present whereby the intercity league will become an accomplished fact.

Yesterday afternoon he was in communication with Manager Turner of the North Vancouvers, Billy Watson, former manager of the Mainlands of Vancouver and also the Coquitlam delegates so that a joint meeting will probably be held in this city on Wednesday evening.

The dope on Columbia street yesterday has Ryall slated for the position of manager of the Balmorals, although the gentleman himself would not state whether he would accept the position. Bill Maiden had charge of the bunch last season and while he made a good start, showed a tendency to switch the players around too much so that the end of the season found them at the foot of the ladder.

"J. D. Rockefellow and his millions never had anything on managing a baseball team," stated Bill when quizzed yesterday as to prospects, "and about the only job I'll take this year is official scorer.

The meeting in the Columbia pool parlors is open to every one and it is hoped that every fan in the city will turn out and do his part towards the furtherance of the game in the city this coming summer.

NANAIMO TO PLAY BEST IN PROVINCE

Scotty Grant to Select All Star Eleven in Order to Lick Unitedo—Game Attracts Attention.

Nanaimo, March 31.—Scotty Grant, the genial manager of the New Westminster Rovers, the boss of the mainland soccer world this season, has conceived a great ambition, the result of the recent defeat of his pets in Nanaimo at the hands of the Nanaimo United.

The ambition is no less than the defeat of the Nanaimo United team. He does not care particularly with what team he is going to defeat them but it is going to be with eleven men. New Westminster is not going to supply all the men either for Scotty has declared that he is going to scour the whole mainland for all the soccer stars still in the game.

He has senior division men from the old country, the stars of all the New Westminster and Vancouver teams and players from farthest east. This star aggregation he intends bringing to Nanaimo on April 13 to meet the United.

Thirteen has an unlucky sound but Scotty says it will be the local team that will be hoodooed and not the visitors.

Nanaimo United versus all the rest of British Columbia will be some game. The date is April 13 and Scotty says that he will be here without fail.

LACROSSE MOGULS OFF FOR THE EAST

Westminster Delegate Unable to Take the Trip With Jones, Yorke and Hewitt.

Messrs. Con Jones, Lionel Yorke and Jimmy Hewitt left for the east on Sunday where they will discuss matters pertaining to the proposed national lacrosse commission and incidently take a peek at some budding eastern players who may possibly attach their John Handcocks to a Victoria contract for this coming season.

Alderman Fred Lynch, secretary of the B. C. L. A., was supposed to have made the trip, but business cares would not permit him leaving the city at the present time. At the eleventh hour Mr. Gowan McGowan undertook to take Mr. Lynch's place but early Sunday morning it was decided to default and let Jones and company complete the arrangements.

By this time next week the west should be in a position to know the result of their trip as to whether Victoria can secure enough players capable of holding their own against the Vancouver and Westminster teams.

NORVAL BAPTIE BREAKS HIS OWN RECORD

Victoria, March 31.—By leaping 12 barrels this evening, Norval Baptie, the worlds champion skater, beat his own record of 11 barrels. Baptie cleared the 12 barrels, laid side by side with a wonderful jump and the feat was greeted with pronlonged and well earned applause. He went over 10 barrels backwards.

QUEBEC TEAM AGAIN DEFEATED

Western All Stars Pile up Huge Score on Champions of N. H. A.—Eddie Oatman Hurt.

Vancouver, March 31.—The Quebec team wound up its series on the coast this evening by being scundly licked by the Western All-stars to the tune of 9 goals to 3. The Ancient City septette were outclassed from start to finish, the picked team from Westminster and Vancouver making a runaway race in every period.

A large crowd was in attendance, anxious to take a peak at the champions of the N.H.A. but their showing this evening led many to believe that the Westerners have it over the East when pro hockey is mentioned.

Kendall, Ran McDonald and Jack McDonald showed up prominently for the homesters while Joe Malone was the star on the Eastern team. Eddie Oatman, the Westminster, star sustained a broken nose by colliding with Paddy Moran, the Quebec custodian.

Billy Fields and Odie Cleghorn handled the game.

Tonight's contest brings the coast hockey season to a close, many of the players being prepared to trek to their homes in the East and middle West.

SPORTOGRAPHY
(By "Gravy.")

SUCH A FINE LARGE DAY.

This promises to be a fine large day for the sporting editor, and already the wires are groaning beneath the weight of many messages of mighty import to the fans. At the minute of chasing to press the following newsy items had percolated into the office.

Dan Morgan, manager of Jack Britton, admits that Packey McFarland was the victor in the recent bout at New York.

Manager McGraw declares that the Giants haven't much chance to cop the rag this year and picks Brooklyn as the probable winners.

Detroit has decided that Ty Cobb is no longer fast enough for the majors and has sold him to the Bungtown club of the Northwestern Kansas league.

Tom Sharkey, former heavyweight boxer, noted for his openhanded generosity, has contributed a million dollars to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Oysters.

The London Times publishes an editorial in which American athletes are praised as gentlemen of muscle and refinement, free from every taint and suspicion of professionalism.

So confident are the St. Louis fans that the Browns will win the American league pennant this year that they have got together a pool of a million dollars to wager on that team.

Luther McCarty is so sure of his ability to defend the pugilistic honors of the white race that he has offered to meet Jack Johnson, Sam Langford or Joe Jeanette on a winner take all basis.

Finally the sporting editor of this great journal has resigned his job and will leave at once for England where he has fallen heir to the title of the Duke of Dingbat and an estate of 423,567,421 acres and an annual income of two million pounds.

A racing classic is scheduled for decision in England today. it is the Lincolnshire Handicap, value $7500 to the winner, over the straight mile for three year olds and upward. On this side of the Atlantic the followers of the ponies are gathered today at Jamestown, Va. After the Norfolk meet the horsemen will go to Pimlico and then to the New York tracks and Canada.

TODAY IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS.

1903—Charley Hughey defeated Jack McCormick in 10 rounds at Boston.
1908—Willie Lewis, American, defeated Jeff Thorne in 10 rounds at Paris.
1910—Packey McFarland knocked out Dick Lee, English, in the ninth round at London.
1911—Sam McVey and Sam Langford, colored heavyweights, fought 20 rounds to a draw at Paris.
1912—Joe Mandot defeated Owen Moran, English lightweight, in eight rounds at Memphis.
1912—Ray Bronson outpointed Clarence English in 15 rounds at St. Joseph, Mo.
1912—Charley White outpointed Steve Ketchel in 10 rounds at East Chicago, Ind.
1912—Joe Jeanette knocked out Griff Jones in four rounds in New York.
1912—Bobby Wilson knocked out Dick Hyland in second round at Utica, N.Y.

A HINDU IDOL

Its Strange History Caused Mme. Carnot to Order It Destroyed.

When Mme. Carnot, widow of Sadi Carnot, died and her will was read a clause in it caused considerable comment. This was to the effect that a certain small Hindu idol carved from a hard stone which would be found among her property must be taken out and crushed until completely destroyed. Many marveled at this apparently singular request, for the idol seemed a harmless, ugly little thing, but her instructions were carried out to the letter.

The idol had been presented to Sadi Carnot years before he had ever thought of the presidency of France by a friend who had brought it from India. Later he learned that there was a legend attached to it which asserted that whosoever would retain it in his possession would rise to the fullest height of power in his chosen profession, but die of a stab wound when at the zenith of his career.

M. Carnot traced the history of the idol and found that for 500 years the rulers who had possessed it had all died either in battle or by assassination from stab wounds. Yet he laughed at the story, called the facts adduced by his search a mere chain of coincidences and retained the idol. He died by a dagger in the hands of an assassin; hence Mme. Carnot's strange request.

LURE OF THE MISTS.

Curious Experience in the Clouds in an Aeroplane.

It was at Manchester. Aeroplanes were sweeping the skies in the circuit of Britain race. Vedrines had lauded, and impatient at the rules that made him wait ten minutes before taking up the race, went about jabbering in French. One of the officials asked him what kind of a trip he had had. Vedrine's answer was to hold up his hands expressively.

He was quiet for many seconds, then he said:

"I was blanketed in clouds so that I could not see ten meters before me. Below me was nothing but rolling mist that gradually took on all fanciful shapes and colors. I caught myself wanting to descend, to drop suddenly into it and see what it was like. To escape this feeling I flew higher and higher, until, venturing to look down again, I saw wonderful lights and shadows that never before had been revealed to me from the sky. I saw a dreamy city, a wonderful mirage, and I believe I would have forgotten everything but those exquisite colorings, released my levers, and"— (He laughed) "But I was fortunate, for I became sick—as sick as a dog—away up in the clouds."—Edward Lyell Fox in Harper's Weekly.

Cheapest Hams Ever Sold.

Sometimes an error creeps into the published announcement of a big store, due to the negligence of the proofrender or to the compositor in the printing office of the paper. It is rarely funny in its results, although it may make humorous reading when first issued. One day a department store in New York advertised "Sugar Cured Hams at 4c a lb." Rather cheap, you say? Well, 130 odd persons thought so too, for that was the number that asked for the ham at this ridiculously low price the morning the ad appeared. It transpired that the printed proof O. K'd by the grocery buyer had sent down to the newspaper office for insertion in the day's issue read "14c a lb." The first numeral had simply dropped out of sight; 125 sales were made at a loss of 10 cents per pound.—Woman's Home Companion.

Poetry and the Child.

Read poetry to the child. Read easy, simple verse, read nonsense verse, read real poems, read sometimes such poems as "Thanatopsis" and bits of "Paradise Lost." Of course the child will not understand the thought, but he will enjoy the sound, and he will unconsciously learn the words. Poetry was never meant to be read to oneself, but always to be read aloud or recited. It is harder than prose. The order of the words is often like our everyday speech, and the words themselves are frequently different. Here especially children need help. If they find it they learn to love poetry, and there are few things that so sweeten life as a genuine love for poetry for its beauties and for the helpful lines that come to one's mind in hard places.—Home Progress Magazine.

A Good Stove Lining.

A good stove lining, one that will last two years or more, can be made from pine clay. Brick clay or one that does not contain much sand, is good also. Clay found in salt water marshes is one of the best for stove linings. The clay must be reduced to a paste about like putty. The bed for lining should be brushed clean and moistened before the clay is applied. Put on with hands, smooth with a trowel or thin piece of board.—National Magazine.

Won by His Blarney.

Irish Magistrate—Haven't you been before me before? Astute Prisoner—No, yer honor; I never saw but one face that looked like yours, an' that was a photograph of an Irish king. Magistrate—Discharged! Call the next case!—London Answers.

The Way It Goes.

"I want a nice book for an invalid."
"Something religious, madam?"
"Er—no—he's convalescent."—Boston Transcript.

Truth is an honest man's statement of a fact.

A court of inquiry, which sat at Newcastle with regard to the abandonment of the London steamer River Meander in the North Atlantic, found that when the vessel left New York the hull was not in a good and seaworthy condition, but that her equipment was satisfactory.

Last night was citizens night at the theatres. The excellent cards on at the various shows brought many people into town who would have otherwise have stayed at home and the Royal, Edison, and City Theatres and the Opera House were all equally well patronized.

At the Edison.

At the Edison, Napoleon's Retreat from Moscow in two parts, and "Cleopatra" were the principal attractions. "The Retreat From Moscow" produced by the famous French firm of Pathe Freres, was presented in a most realistic manner, while nothing could have been more stirring than "Cleopatra," presented in five parts, every one of which were full of interest.

A pleasant feature of the Edison program was a song by Miss Frances Hamilton entitled "Arab Love Song."

City Theatre.

The program at the City theatre left nothing to be desired as far as being attractive was concerned. The feature film was an Eclair special entitled "The Return of Lady Linda."

The two comedies named "Just Hard Luck" and "The Commuter's Cat" caused no end of amusement, while "Calamity Ann's Inheritance" was of a most impressive nature.

The Royal.

Although "Redemption" was the drawing card at the Royal theatre last night the rest of the show was excellent and the large audiences showed their appreciation freely.

Redemption is one of those feature pictures that leaves a good impression. It is a story with a moral. It has to be seen to be fully appreciated.

The Wizard of the Accordian is the way Adolpho bills himself and he sure can make that instrument talk. The audience encored him until he was apparently out of music.

The Privettes & Co. offer a black art novelty. Only one person appears before the footlights, but still there are three in the act. Pete Murphy puts over a couple of ballads and the usual run of comedy pictures are shown. Taken as a whole it is an interesting program.

A BACHELOR'S BABY.

A play that is said to possess newness and freshness is to be the offering at the opera house on Thursday. The piece is none other than Wright's presentation of Francis Wilson's New York and London success, "The Bachelor's Baby," with Henry Buckler in the stellar role.

The theme of the play is based upon the hatred of children by an old bachelor, who is suddenly left guardian of an orphan niece, and brings forth laughter and pathos by many exceedingly ludicrous situations.

"MADE STOMACH LAUGH."

Lord Charles Beresford and a Testimonial For a New Sauce.

As an illustration of the kindliness of his nature and willingness to help a friend, Sir Henry Lucy, in "More Passages by the Way" tells a story of Lord Charles Beresford which had a somewhat amusing sequel. An old acquaintance, retired from the Navy, called upon him one day, and said that he had invented a sauce which would make a fortune for them both. Lord Charles, however, declined to enter the sauce trade, but said "if a specimen of the product were sent to him he would taste it, and, if it were found agreeable, would write the inventor a letter of approval. The sauce duly arrived, and was not bad. Lord Charles wrote a letter of moderate tone, stating that he had tried the sauce and found it very good.

"The inventor had hit upon what he regarded as a rather striking title, and proceeded to adverise it. Presently 'Trelawney's Tickle' appeared prominently in the advertisement sheets of the papers, accompanied by the following note, purporting to be addressed to the proprietor: 'Sir, I have tried your sauce, and find it excels all others with which I am acquainted. I may say that a spoonful of Trelawney's Tickle made my stomach laugh.—Yours faithfully, Charles Beresford.'"

Things have changed somewhat since, but a story of the days when Lord Charles was made a Lord of the Admiralty in 1886 is significant of the lackadaisical manner in which business at the Admiralty was at one time conducted. Lord Charles has himself thus described the incident.

"One morning," he said, "a clerk came in with a wet quill-pen and said:—

"'Good morning. Will you sign the Estimates of the year?'

"I said, 'What?'

"He said, 'Will you sign the Estimates for the year?'

"I said, 'My good man, I have not seen them.'

"'Oh, well,' he said, shoving a little astern, 'the other Lords have signed them. I will be very inconvenient if you don't.'

"'I'm very sorry,' I said, 'I'm afraid I'm altogether inconvenient in this place. Certainly, I sha'n't sign Estimates I've not seen.'

"'I must go and tell the First Lord,' said the horrified clerk.

"I assured him that I didn't care a fig whom he told.

"Being at the time the Coal Lord, I knew the coal was not half enough to supply the Fleet as it stood, and the Fleet wasn't near enough the strength it ought to be. So I flatly refused to sign, and the Estimates were brought into the House without my signature. The omission was noted, and an explanation demanded.

"'Really,' said the First Lord, 'it does not matter whether the Junior Lord signs the Estimates or not.'"

The incident blew over, but Lord Charles's conviction that things were wrong in the Navy was so deeply rooted that, after something less than two years' experience at the Admiralty, he declined to share its responsibility.

Coquitlam Council Select Committees

(Continued from page one)

meet in Burquitlam Agricultural hall if arrangements could be made with the Agricultural society, the next meeting to take place on Wednesday evening, April 9, at 7 o'clock and thereafter fortnightly on Wednesdays at 7 o'clock in the evening.

It was further agreed to continue to do banking business with the Bank of Vancouver.

The council will make a personal inspection of all the roads within their jurisdiction tomorrow.

G. N. R. Encroachment.

On the motion of Councillor Atkins the solicitor was instructed to take immediate proceedings against the G. N. R. company for encroachment upon a portion of the North road of from two and a half to three feet.

Another resolution was adopted to communicate with the minister of railways at Victoria to the effect that should any question be brought up in his department pertaining to the municipality and the G. N. R. company the municipality should be heard before any decision was arrived at.

A copy of the letter was ordered to be sent to Mr. W. J. Manson, M.P.P. for Dewdney riding.

Mr. Haliburton, the new municipal clerk, was formerly manager of the branch of the Bank of Vancouver at Westminster Junction.

Retiring Clerk.

Mr. Smith in his letter of resignation expressed regret that after 14 years' service he should be forced by exigency of business to resign. He felt the separation keenly and thanked the members for their past courtesies.

The council reciprocated the kindly relations subsisting between their late clerk and the former council and acknowledged his long and faithful services.

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Notice of any complaints must be given to the Assessment Commissioner in writing at least ten days previous to the sitting of the Court.

Dated at New Westminster, B.C., the 17th day of March, 1913.

W. A. DUNCAN,
(882) City Clerk.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 4, of Block 19, of part of Section 3, Block 3 North, Range 7 West, District of New Westminster.

A certificate of indefeasible title to above property will be issued to Frank N. Trites, on the 12th day of April, 1913, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person or persons claiming an estate or interest therein, or in any part thereof.

J. C. GWYNN,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office,
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(b) Deed dated the 12th day of November, 1894, from Thomas Bennett to Arnold Bennett of the above described property.

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An ancient Norseman's saga sung in the language of the twentieth century; "Burnt Njal," divested of its blood-feuds, but with all its humor and quaint gossip of primitive men, their friendships and love of adventure—such is Roald Amundsen's book, "The South Pole: An Account of the Norwegian Antarctic Expedition in Fram, 1910-1912," just published by Lee Keedick.

Like the Icelandic saga, too, there are some half dozen heroes to be found in the pages of this stirring narrative of discovery. But the figure that tops them all is the modest, big-hearted explorer, who shoulders the responsibilities and shares the privations of the expedition, and who generously lets his comrades come in first at the goal of his own ambition.

Perhaps this fine magnanimity is one secret of the fascination exerted by this man when he tells the story of his memorable conquest of the Antarctic. Another secret is that, as portrayed by him, the whole big adventure, from the sailing of the Fram to the hoisting of the Norwegian colors over the boundless plateau in which lies the south pole, is so devoid of heroics, the exploit chronicled is apparently so easily within the grasp of the ordinary man. "Like everything great, it all looks so plain and simple," writes Nansen in his introduction to Amundsen's book.

Still another feature that enhances the interest of this latest saga from Norway is the simplicity of the accessories used in achieving their victory by these modern Vikings. Brain, muscle, and nerves of steel, unaided by the "latest discoveries of science," blazed the way to "Polheim."

Primitive Methods Used.

"Amundsen's victory is not due," says Nansen, "to the great inventions of the present day and the many new appliances of every kind. The means used are of immense antiquity, the same as were known to the nomad thousands of years ago, when he pushed forward across the snow-covered plains of Siberia and Northern Europe."

Without his dogs, as he calculated the chances and perils of the expedition, the south pole would have been unattainable for Amundsen. He contrasts his pack of 97, the number which he took with him from Christiania, with Scott's equipment of Manchurian ponies, the animals preferred to dogs for exploration in the Antarctic by the leader of the British expedition.

Although I had never seen this part of the Antarctic regions, (comments Amundsen), I was not long in forming an opinion diametrically opposed to that of Shackleton and Scott, for the conditions both of going and surface were precisely what one would desire for sledging with Eskimo dogs, to judge from the descriptions of these explorers. If Peary could make a record trip on the Arctic ice with dogs, one ought, surely, with equally good tackle, to be able to beat Peary's record on the splendidly even surface of the Barrier. There must be some misunderstanding or other at the bottom of the Englishmen's estimate of the Eskimo dog's utility in the polar regions.

Value of Dogs.

Certainly events have proved the admirable foresight shown by Amundsen in choosing dogs as his main reliance in carrying the final exploring party from Framheim, the winter headquarters of the expedition, on their overland journey of 870 miles to the south pole. When this party set out, on October 20, 1911, it consisted of five men, four sledges, provisions for four months, and 52 dogs. On January 25, 1912, the five men reached Framheim on the return trip, with two sledges and eleven dogs, "men and animals all hale and hearty." Considering the amazing thing that had been accomplished in this period of three months and five days, it is extraordinary that there were any dogs left at the home-coming.

Intoxicants were not tabooed on this expedition. A reasonable allowance was provided of all kinds of fiery refreshments.

The consumption of alcohol on the Fram's third voyage was as follows: One dram and 15 drops at dinner on Wednesdays and Sundays, and a glass of toddy on Saturday evenings. On holidays there was an additional allowance.

Discussing the "liquid rations," Amundsen says: "An occasional glass of wine or a tot of spirits were things that we all, without exception, were very glad of. The question of alcohol on polar expeditions has often been discussed. Personally, I regard alcohol, used in moderation, as a medicine in the polar regions—I mean, of course, so long as one is in winter quarters. It is another matter on sledge journeys; there we all know from experience that alcohol must be banished—not because a drink of spirits can do any harm, but on account of the weight and space."

Snug Little Home.

The hut in which the party lived at Framheim was carried from Norway to its destination on the shore of the Bay of Whales, at the edge of the "Great Ice Barrier." It resembled "an ordinary Norwegian house, with pointed gable, and had two rooms."

In their snug little home at Framheim a regular routine of daily duties occupied the nine men who composed the household. Thus, each week one of the men was detailed to take his turn at being the "orderly," whose duty consisted in sweeping the floor every morning, emptying ash trays, etc.

In this way Amundsen and his party lived for nearly nine months, counting the weeks until the right season would give them the start on their great undertaking. At times it was weary waiting; the daily routine grew irksome for men of such exuberant vitality. And then, the long-expected day came, October 19, ushering in the springtime of the Antarctic. The departure of the five adventurers was typically simple.

Well on Way.

Once under way, the dogs became the engrossing topic of interest to the travelers. It was a veritable survival of the fittest among these hardy animals, and nearly every night one or more of them—usually those that were not fitted for the task given them—dropped out, or was killed. There were few accidents. A blizzard kept the men in their tents for two days, and on another occasion Hanssen fell into a crevasse.

Arrived at the first of the great polar plateaus, the party was "weather-bound" for four days. And it was here that the tragic slaughter of 24 dogs, decided upon days before, took place.

And then came the momentous day—December 9, five days before the pole was reached—when the "Furthest South" was passed.

They waited to pay a tribute of admiration to Sir Ernest Shackleton, whose "name will always be written in the annals of Antarctic exploration in letters of fire," and then they pressed onward exultant as they had never been before. No obstacles hindered them as they swept over the great white plain lying between them and their goal. But their nervousness increased as they drew nearer to the magic spot on that snowy waste which had so long occupied their imaginations. What had happened during their long sojourn at Framheim? they asked themselves. What would they find here? Had some one slipped in ahead of them and reaped the glory of the discovery?

At length the great day arrived—December 14. The weather was of the finest, and breakfast was dispatched rather more quickly than usual.

"The going on that day," Amundsen writes, "was rather different from what it had been; sometimes the ski went over it well, but at others it was pretty bad. We advanced that day in the same mechanical way as before; not much was said, but eyes were used all the more. Hanssen's neck grew twice as long as before in his endeavor to see a few inches further. I had asked him before we started to spy out ahead for all he was worth, and he did so with a vengeance. But, however keenly he stared, he could not descry anything but the endless flat plain ahead of us. The dogs had dropped their scenting and appeared to have lost their interest in the regions about the earth's axis.

The Goal Achieved.

"At three in the afternoon a simultaneous 'Halt!' rang out from the drivers. They had carefully examined their sledge meters, and they all showed the full distance—our pole by reckoning. The goal was reached, the journey ended. I cannot say—though I know it would sound more effective—that the object of my life was attained. That would be romancing rather barefacedly.

"I had better be honest and admit straight out that I had never known any man to be placed in such a diametrically opposite position to the goal of his desires as I was at that moment. The regions around the north pole—well, yes, the north pole itself—had attracted me from childhood, and here I was at the south pole. Can anything more topsy-turvy be imagined!

"We reckoned now that we were at the pole. Of course, every one of us knew that we were not standing on the absolute spot; it would be an impossibility with the time and the instruments at our disposal to ascertain that exact spot. But we were so near it that the few miles which possibly separated us from it could not be of the slightest importance. I was our intention to make a circle round this camp, with a radius of 12½ miles, and to be satisfied with that. After we had halted we collected and congratulated each other. We had good grounds for mutual respect in what had been achieved, and I think that was just the feeling that was expressed in the firm and powerful grasps of the fist that were exchanged.

Planting the Flag.

"After this we proceeded to the greatest and most solemn act of the whole journey—the planting of our flag. Pride and affection shone in the five pairs of eyes that gazed upon the flag as it unfurled itself with a sharp crack, and waved over the pole. I had determined that the act of planting it—the historic event—should be equally divided among us all.

"It was not for one man to do this; it was for all who had stared their lives in the struggle, and held together through thick and thin. This was the only way in which I could show my gratitude to my comrades in this desolate spot. I could see that they understood and accepted it in the spirit in which it was offered.

"Five weather-beaten, frost-bitten fists they were that grasped the pole raised the waving flag in the air, and planted it as the first at the geographical south pole. 'Thus we plant thee, beloved flag, at the south pole, and give to the plain on which it lies the name of King Haakon VII's Plateau.'

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Citizens of New Westminster by the appointment of a score or more of special commissioners by the government have every opportunity to hand to place their names on the new lists long before the date above mentioned. A number have already performed this duty but others failing to realize the importance of the act or being unacquainted with the necessity of registering have not done so. To the latter special attention is called to the list of commissioners and offices given below from which application forms can be secured and properly filled in:

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T. J. Trapp & Co.
City Hall.
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In addition to these commissioners declaration may be made before the mayor, any justice of the peace, notary public, government agent, assessor, mining recorder, judge of any court, county clerk or assessor.

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Col. Inv. & Loan Co.		Blce. of Spt.	4	S.III.	225.88	16.243	$36.69
De Beck, Clarence H		3	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
De Beck, Clarence H.		4	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
De Beck, Clarence H.		5	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
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De Beck, Clarence H.		12	....	.....	36.70	.....	5.96
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Wade, Charles Stuart		19	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
Wade, Charles Stuart		20	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
Wade, Charles Stuart		21	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
Armstrong, James K.		22	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
Dynes, Margaret	S.pt.	3	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Pantelas, S.		4	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Dickie, John		5	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
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Harvey, Minnie E.		7	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Glass, James		8	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Body, W. A., Ramey, E. B.		9	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Welock, Fred. W.		10	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Baker, Alice E.	S.pt.	11	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Garrett, Alexander		12	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Warnock, Jas. D.		13	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Woolven, Alice		14	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Dickie, John		15	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
Dutton, Hugh W.		16	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
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Craig, George		18	....	.....	32.80	.....	5.33
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Begg, David		20	....	.....	48.74	.....	7.92
Begg, David		21	....	.....	48.74	.....	7.92
Little, Ezra B.		22	....	.....	48.74	.....	7.92
Little, Ezra B.		23	....	.....	48.74	.....	7.92
Taylor, John		24	....	.....	48.74	.....	7.92
Warnock, James D.		25	....	.....	48.74	.....	7.92
Watson, Robert		1	19N1-2&20S1-2	..	32.80	.....	5.33
Watson, Alice C.		2	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Dalrymple, G. E.		3	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Fullerton, H. M.		4	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Mershead, Fred.		5	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Watson, James		6	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Watson, James		7	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Watson, James		8	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Flack, Samuel		9	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Flack, Samuel		10	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Carter, Fred C. Jr.		11	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Carter, Albert E.		12	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Carter, Fred C. Sr.		13	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Carter, Fred C. Sr.		14	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Hankey, G. Alers		15	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Hankey, G. Alers		16	....	.....	59.60	.....	9.68
Boggie Alexander		17	....	.....	59.60	.....	9.68
Aitchison, Hugh		18	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Aitchison, Hugh		19	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Airth, Harry C.		20	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Comer, Henry		21	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Wilson, Amelia		22	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Henley, Jennie S.		23	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Henley, Jennie S.		24	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Balcombe, H. K.		25	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Best, James		26	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Watson, Marguerita		27	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Ericksen, C. W.		28	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Ericksen, C. W.		29	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Thornwaite, Henry		30	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Rae, Jane Ann		31	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Murray, George		32	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Ditcham, Hannah		33	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Tesky, James		34	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Mershead, Fred		35	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Banes, Thomas L.		36	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Banes, Thomas L.		37	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Banes, Thomas L.		38	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Lindstrom, Charles		39	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Lindstrom, Charles		40	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Robertson, Jas. & W. & J.		41	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Mead, Mathew R.		42	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Quick, Hannah C.		43	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Quick, Hannah C.		44	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
James, Edward		45	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
James, Edward		46	....	S.III.	39.70	16.243	$6.45
Hilliker, John H.	47&S	10' of 48	....	.....	49.70	.....	8.07
Hilliker John H.		48 Npt.	....	.....	49.60	.....	8.06
Target, Geo. E.		49	....	.....	59.60	.....	9.68
Target, Geo. E.		50	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Thompson, John		51	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Ross, John		52	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Murray, Herbet		53	....	.....	39.70	.....	6.45
Target, Geo. E.		54	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Target, Geo. E.		55	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Burkett, John		56	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Burkett, John		57	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Aitchison, Hugh		58	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Aitchison, Hugh		59	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Sharp, Harry E.		60	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Erdewa, Elnora		61	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Bee, Jane Ann		62	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Vayson, J. T.		63	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Tesky, James		64	....	.....	39.80	.....	6.46
Godsen, Richard & Susan		A	1, 2, 3	20N 1-2	63.20	.....	10.26
Godsen, Richard & Susan		B	1, 2, 3	....	63.20	.....	10.26
Thompson, John		C	1, 2, 3	....	82.80	.....	5.33
Carlton, J. W.		N.pt.	4, 5, 6	....	79.60	.....	12.93
Vasseur, Martin & Adele		S.pt.	4, 5, 6	....	79.60	.....	12.93
Vasseur, Martin & Adele		N.pt.	7	....	33.50	.....	5.44
Tyner, John B.		S.pt	7	....	16.20	.....	2.63
McEwen, James			8	....	49.70	.....	8.07
McEwen, Agnes			9	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Moore, Geo. H.		N.pt.	10	....	24.85	.....	4.04
Dom. Per. Loan Co.		S.pt.	10	....	24.85	.....	4.04
Dom. Per. Loan Co.		N.pt.	11	....	24.85	.....	4.04
Baker, Annie		S.pt.	11	....	24.85	.....	4.04
Hassard, James			12	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Hassard, James			13	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Dom. Per. Loan Co.			14	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Rennie, Mary S.			15	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Pollard, Mary			16	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Pollard, Mary			17	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Wells, Mabel M. (Est.)			18	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Cawker, Samuel Jr.			19	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Pollard, Harry Jr.			20	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Pollard, Harry Jr.			21	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Tisdale, Joseph (Est.)			22	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Ostrom, Ceuretta			23	....	49.70	.....	8.07
McCallum, C. W.		N.pt.	24	....	48.00	.....	7.80
McCallum, C. W.		N.pt 25&S.pt of	24	....	51.40	.....	8.35
Cameron, Chas. C.			26	....	49.70	.....	8.07
Montgomery, Sarah			1	21	32.81	.....	5.33
Doncaster, J. Albert			2	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff S.			3	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			4	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			5	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			6	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			7	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			8	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Stein, Clarence A.			9	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Hair, James C.			10	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Hogg, Archibald			11	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Cormack, Ann			12	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Ritchie, Wm. D.			13	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Blair, Jas. C.			14	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			15	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			16	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			17	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			18	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			19	....	32.81	.....	5.33
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			20	....	32.81	.....	5.33
McComb, Wm. J.			21	....	34.50	.....	5.60
McComb, Wm. J.			22	....	34.40	.....	5.59
McComb, Wm. J.			23	....	34.40	.....	5.59
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			24	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			25	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			26	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			27	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			28	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			29	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			30	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			31	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Thomas, Marianne			32	....	34.50	.....	5.60
Thomas, Marianne			33	....	34.40	.....	5.59
Leavitt, Fred. J.			34	....	34.40	.....	5.59
Leavitt, Fred. J.			35	....	34.50	.....	5.60
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			36	....	34.40	.....	5.60
Cairns, S. J.			37	....	34.40	.....	5.60
Elgh, Catherine			38	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Alexander, David			39	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Watt, M. W. & Co.			40	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Watt, M. W. & Co.			41	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Chapman, Robt.			42	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Chapman, Robt.			43	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Worthington, M.			44	....	33.05	.....	5.37
Worthington, M.			45	....	33.05	.....	5.37
McComb, Wm. J.			4	....	34.50	.....	5.60
McKay, Wm. M.			47	....	34.40	.....	5.59
Larsen, Peter M.			48	....	34.40	.....	5.59
Irwin, Joseph			49	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Irwin, Joseph			50	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Irwin, Agnes			51	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Blair, Jas. C.			52	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Blair, Jas. C.			53	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Ward, J. A. & Elizabeth			54	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Ward, J. A. & Elizabeth			55	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Blair, Jas. C.			56	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Blair, Jas. C.			57	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Chasty, Eveline M.			58	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Chasty, Eveline M.			59	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Cheale S.			60	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Ramey, Gertrude M.			61	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			62	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Bowell, Emily L.			63	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Bowell, Emily L.			64	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Bowell, Emily L.			65	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Bowell, Emily L.			66	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Mathey, Janie			67	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Creedo, Rocco			68	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Blair, Jas. C.			69	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Powers, Fred.			70	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Bowell, Samuel			71	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Bowell, Samuel			72	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Blair, Jas. C.			73	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Irwin, Agnes			74	....	34.80	.....	5.65
James, Mary A. & Edward			75	....	34.80	.....	5.65
James, Mary A. & Edward			76	....	34.80	.....	5.65
Williams, Arthur G.			77	....	36.40	.....	5.91
Burgess, Mary M.			78	....	36.20	.....	5.88
Stein, Kate M.			79	....	36.20	.....	5.88
Clarke, Amelia F.			80	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Smith, Eustace & Bristol, C. F.			81	....	33.00	.....	5.36
DeBeck, Ewin K.			82	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			83	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			84	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Buchanan, G. E. & Huff, S.			85	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Boulton, Hope Violet			86	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Boulton, Hope Violet			87	....	33.00	.....	5.36
Lanner, Mary			88	....	36.40	.....	5.91
Crook, Charles			89	....	36.20	.....	5.88
Crook, Charles			90	....	36.20	.....	5.88
Total					16021.97		$2602.39

Notice is hereby given that the Corporation of the City of New Westminster intends to pass a Local Improvement Assessment By-law assessing the property in the schedule above mentioned the sums of money annually for thirty years set opposite each lot, and a Court of Revision for the trial of complaints and appeals against the assessment so proposed to be made will be held on Tuesday, the 29th day of April, 1913, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Council Chamber in the City Hall, New Westminster, British Columbia, and any notice of appeal from such intended assessment must be served upon the Clerk of the Municipal Council at least eight days prior to such Court of Revision.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

Dated this 1st day of April, 1913. (932)

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER

SAPPERTON SEWERAGE SYSTEM. SECTION NO. 2.

Assessment Over District "A" for Mains and Connections.

Schedule showing the real property immediately benefited and the proportion in which the assessment is made on per foot frontage. Frontage of irregular subdivisions taken on area over basis of 132 feet depth:

Name of Owner.	Re-subdi'n.	Subdi'n.	Lot.	Blk.	Feet Front.	Rate. per ft. front. cents.	30 Years Annual paym't.
Hankey, G. Alers			Reserve	S.II.	94.01	16.243	$15.27
Methodist Church		1	1	.....	59.84	.....	9.72
Drummond, Mary A.		2	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Kihachi, Fuknota		3	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Lawrence, Emelia		4	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Slater, Arthur R.		5 W.pt.	....	.....	25.00	.....	4.06
Coulson, George		5 E.pt.	....	.....	25.00	.....	4.06
Coulson, George		6	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Coutts, Annie		7	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
McRory, John T.		8	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Wood, Eliza M.		9	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Hutchinson, Sarah J.		10	....	.....	50.00	.....	8.12
Nelson, Nels	1&2	11	....	.....	57.55	.....	9.35
Nelson, Nels		3	....	.....	51.00	.....	8.28
Nelson, Nels		4	....	.....	51.00	.....	8.28
Nelson, Nels		5	....	.....	51.00	.....	8.28
Nelson, Nels		6	....	.....	51.00	.....	8.28
Nelson, Nels		7	....	.....	37.10	.....	6.03
Nelson, Nels		8	....	.....	51.59	.....	8.38
Nelson, Nels		9	....	.....	35.17	.....	5.71
Nelson, Nels		12	....	.....	49.50	.....	8.04
Nelson, Nels		13	....	.....	49.50	.....	8.04
Nelson, Nels		14	....	.....	111.20	.....	18.06
Moore, Arthur G.		1	2	.....	76.11	.....	12.36
McLeod, W. E.		2	....	.....	64.07	.....	10.41
McLeod, W. E.		3	....	..

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Eclipse Soap, per carton ..20c
Gaseue Naptha Soap, 4 pkgs. 25c
Royal Crown Washing Powder, per pkg. 20c
Day, and Martin's Bag Blue 2 for 5c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans for 25c
Macks' No-Rub, the ideal laundry help, 6 for 25c
Liquid Blue, per bottle.. ...10c
Glass Wash Boards, each...45c

Have you sampled our Special Tea? The Tea "par excellence." .....50c pr. lb.
Davies' Eggs. Listen! 3 doz. for $1.00
Westholm Creamery Butter, 3 lbs.....$1.00
Try a pound of Wiltshire Bacon, per lb. 40c
18 nice large, juicy, unfrozen Oranges 25c

THE **Public Supply Stores**
L. L. ADAMS S. K. BRIGGS
PHONE 2.

Are you working hard so that some one will not have to struggle as you have?

Then while well and strong you should give careful thought to the manner in which your estate will be disposed of after you are gone.

Neglect to make a Will means that the public administrator will do the best he can, but the law does not allow him to use discretion. He must as quickly as possibly dispose of your estate and divide the residue as according to law.

He cannot even try to continue to build up the estate as this company may if appointed executor and trustee under Will.

There may be some friends or relatives whom you would like to receive a larger share than others, but the administrator knows nothing of that. Making provision for one's estate after he has gone is one of the most important things in life. You will do well to consider the matter carefully and you will find us ready to help you in many ways without any cost to you.

Would it not be well to call at our office today, meet some of the Directors or Officers and discuss the matter. We recognize the sacredness of a trust and will consider anything you have to say as quite confidential.

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645 Columbia Street Phone 453

LOCAL NOTES

UNION LABEL 4

A meeting of the Burnaby board of trade will be held in the Moreton hall, Edmonds, tomorrow evening at eight o'clock.

A. Hardman, the cake man. Get good bread. Eighth Street Bakery. Telephone 231. (968)

Division Engineer W. G. Swan of Canadian Northern Pacific Railway is confined to his home suffering from lumbago.

P. R. Pearse, piano tuning; order at Todd's or Major's music house. (923)

Permission has been granted to the Progressive Association to hold a special meeting in the city hall on Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

On Chong Co., merchant tailors. New arrival of spring goods. Ladies and gentlemen's suits at reasonable prices. 413 Columbia street, Burr Block and 24 McInnis street. (969)

The fire laddies at No. 1 station are holding drills three times a week on the new ladders and also practicing jumping into the new fire net.

The branch of the Bank of Montreal at Sapperton will be closed for business on and after March 29. (845)

Mr. Jack Eadie, of Messrs. T. J. Trapp & Co., left for Polmont, Scotland, yesterday to return in about three months with his bride.

City Grocery—We are now open for business with a full line of groceries. Prompt delivery service. Tel. 1100. Corner Second and Princess streets. (951)

Master Gordon Houghton was the winner of the boy's prize given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Columbian hospital for the sale of tickets for the Kirmess and not Master Gordon, as stated yesterday.

The city council's initiation of a civic labor bureau has been successful to a creditable degree. During the month since its inception Mr. T. Turnbull has enrolled 175 men for work the great majority of whom secured jobs.

Court of revision of the assessment roll will be held on Wednesday, April 16. All property owners should bear in mind that notices of appeal against the assessment on their properties must be made at the city assessor's office ten days previous to the sitting of the court.

W. Day, electrician, agent for Hot Point irons; fixtures and wiring of all kinds. Phone 1268, 28 Sixth street, opposite Postoffice. (760)

Messrs. T. J. Trapp & Company, Ltd., have moved into their new palatial building on the south side of Columbia street. Their old quarters at the corner of Lorne and Columbia streets will be occupied shortly by C. A. Welsh, the grocer, and the Canadian Swift Packing Company.

Yung Sai and Co., importer of Chinese and Japanese silk dry goods, groceries, provisions, boots and shoes and general merchandise. Corner Columbia and McInnis streets. Phone 114. Labor contractor. (970)

Mr. J. W. MacDonald, postmaster, yesterday inspected the new post boxes which have been installed in Queensborough. The new boxes are located as follows: Letter box and parcel box at the sub-postoffice, Ewen avenue; letter box at the corner of Ewen avenue and Furness street; letter box Ewen avenue and Stanley street.

Send your spare table, chair, refrigerator, sewing machine or anything else you wish to dispose of to Benzie's Auction Mart, 638 Clarkson street. Prompt returns. (786)

Mr. John Duncan had a long letter in evidence at the city council meeting last night over the fixing up of the driving wheels of his steam wagon. Mr. Duncan pleaded that the "fixing" would put him out of business. The board of works were, however, inexorable and intimated that he must fix the wheels of the wagon in the same manner as the city had done theirs or he will be prohibited from using the city streets.

To Contractors and Builders. We are now prepared to furnish you with sand, gravel, crushed rock, cement and lime. Office phone 826. Wharf phone 880. B. C. Transport Co., Ltd. (856)

The Easer holidays of the school children terminated yesterday with the resumption of studies in the various public halls of education throughout the city. The attendance at the schools for opening day was exceptionally good, thought there still remain a few benches to fill up. Owing to the fact that the school board has not as yet taken formal possession of the building the new Lord Lister school, with the exception of one room, was not opened yesterday.

Dancing. The usual weekly dance will be held at Fraser Mills tonight, Tuesday. First class 5-piece orchestra. P. Douglas, M. C. Gents 75c. Ladies free. (972)

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As a recognition of faithful service with the local typographical union, Mr. R. A. Stoney was yesterday presented with a beautiful gold locket by the members of the local. The locket was engraved with suitable lettering and also had the union label of the typos marked on it in a prominent position. Mr. Stoney was secretary of the union since its organization in 1908, retiring from the position a few months ago. The presentation was made by President Joseph Tyler.

A most successful Sunday school entertainment was given by the pupils and the teachers of the Salvation Army Sunday school last night in the citidel.

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The "B.C.P." the halibut steam trawler, arrived in harbor yesterday with 25,000 pounds of fish on board. The vessel has been fishing west of Vancouver Island.

By a score of 29 to 23 the local Y. M. C. A. team was knocked out of the running in the senior provincial basketball championships which are being competed for in Vancouver this week. The Vancouver Y. M. C. A. team were the victors.

Two vessels stranded on the south bank of the Fraser opposite the city yesterday morning. The St. Mungo cannery fish boat "Star" and the Dominion Fisheries boat "Swan."

John J. McNamara will apply to Judge Howay in the county court on Thursday for bail. McNamara is being held for the alleged theft of T. J. Trapp's automobile.

OBITUARY.

FORESTER—Before a large assemblage of friends and relatives the remains of the late William Forrester, pioneer, were laid to rest in the Oddfellows cemetery yesterday afternoon. Previous to the interment the solemn funeral rites were held at the family residence, corner of Fifth street and Sixth avenue. Rev. J. S. Henderson and Rev. M. G. Melvin, who officiated, made several stirring references to the sterling character of the departed.

The graveside was covered with wreathes and floral tokens which bore mute testimony to the respect in which the late Mr. Forrester was held.

The late Mr. Forrester passed away suddenly on Thursday at noon. He was a contractor by trade and constructed many of the important buildings in the city, including the new Lord Lister school. He had lived in this city for some thirty years and was a native of Scotland. At death he was 52 years of age.

The pallbearers at the funeral were, Messrs. J. C. Brown, A. L. Mercer, W. D. Reid, J. Irvine, F. H. Cunningham and J. B. Cross.

BURNABY NOTES.

East Burnaby, March 31.—A most enjoyable concert was given by the members of the East Burnaby Methodist church choir at the church this evening. The program was of a varied character, the musical numbers being particularly pleasing to the large audience present.

The chief contributors to the program were: Messrs. Holden, Lowther, Foster, McAuley, Ather and Bowlsby, Mesdames Bowlsby, Holden, Hall, Ather, Dool and Clark, and the Misses Dool and Burgess.

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Contract Let for Buildings Containing 80 Rooms—Cost $15,000.

A criterion of the steady growth of the city was brought out yesterday when a permit was taken out at the building inspector's office for two buildings costing $15,000 which will take the form of bachelors' cabins, suitable for the working men of the city.

The site of the two buildings will be at the corner of Agnes, McInnis and Tenth streets, a total of eighty rooms being shown in the plans submitted.

The owner of the property and also the person who has awarded the contract is Mr. Arthur Jones of Victoria, who has extensive holdings in other parts of the city.

The Smith Contracting Company have secured the contract, work on which will start immediately.

CENTRAL PARK POULTRY ASSN. APPOINT JUDGES.

Central Park, March 31.—At a meeting of the executive of the Central Park Poultry and Co-operative association held in the Agricultural building this evening plans were advanced for the holding of what is proposed to be the largest poultry show in British Columbia which will take place here the last week in November. Mr. Elmer Dixon of Oregon City, Ore., and Mr. C. H. Brunette, Jr., of Seattle were appointed judges. They are said to be experts in the poultry business throughout the Pacific coast.

Mr. J. A. Smith of Central Park, was appointed superintendent with Councillor W. Walker, Burquitlam, as assistant. Mr. F. E. Harmer of Central Park was appointed assistant show secretary.

The next meeting will be held on the evening of Thursday, April 10 at Central Park.

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In The Courts

Albert George Goulburn, the colored C. P. R. porter, who is alleged to have stabbed Albert Thomas, a commercial man, from Calgary during an altercation on board the train on March 18, elected yesterday before Judge Howay for speedy trial.

The crime is stated to have been committed while the train was approaching Westminster Junction.

The trial was fixed for Monday, April 7.

Mr. G. L. Cassidy, of McQuarrie, Martin and Cassidy, is counsel for accused.

Levee May Be Broken.

Frankfort, Ky., March 31.—Acting Adjutant General Ellis received a message tonight ascribed to the mayor of Columbus, Ky., on the Mississippi river below Cairo, stating that the levee there had broken. Wire communication failed before details could be learned.

BURNABY MAY ABOLISH WARDS

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nothing but high impertinence for any councillor to make such statements as Councillor Coldicutt had done He felt it was a needless waste of public money to allow the work on Second street to preceed and he for one would not vote for any extraordinary expenditure in the future before he had been able to make a personal inspection of the proposed work.

Councillor Stride backed up the statements of the last speaker stating it was unreasonable to allow the work to proceed and supported the motion to close down on the job

The motion carried with Councillor Coldicutt voting in the negative the councillors agreeing, however, to visit the scene next Monday morning.

Councillor MacPherson before the matter died down, stated that a movement was on foot to have Sixth street opened up to Burnaby lake and considered that this street was far more important than Second street, and he for one could not see his way clear to support both propositions.

The Burnaby Building bylaw which will regulate building in Burnaby received its first and second readings.

A communication was read from the municipal solicitors stating that Mr Laurson, the solicitor for the B.C.E.R. had not yet received instructions from Mr. Sperling, general manager of the company, to assist in preparing the franchise bylaw and for that reason the franchise matter was laid over for one week.

The matter of poles on Kingsway from Edmonds to Tenth avenue, New Westminster was brought up for discussion. Mr. Conway, chief engineer of the B. C. E. R., mentioned in a letter that metal poles along the street would cost $45 each. He suggested that specially prepared wooden poles be planted along the street, which when painted would not look averse and on which the company was prepared to shoulder part of the cost. The matter was left over until next week.

School Bylaw.

The Burnaby school board wrote requesting that the council prepare a bylaw to be submitted to the electorate calling for $25,000. As the letter did not indicate just what the money was to be spent on the matter was left over until next week.

The police will be notified to prosecute any persons found tampering with survey stakes in the municipality. The surveyors completing the new resurvey complained that their stakes were being removed and placed further out in the road by some parties. A fine of $500 or five years in the pen is the risk being run by those persons.

At a meeting between the Richmond council and the Burnaby representatives held in Vancouver this morning the matter of changing the boundary of Richmond to the midle of the North Arm of the Fraser instead of it taking in all the river bed as far as the water line on the Burnaby side of the stream was discussed.

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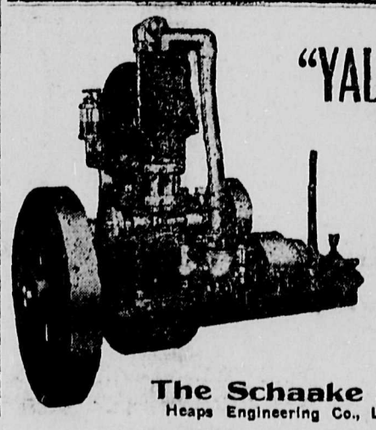

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