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MRS. FRANK DOANE KILLED ACCIDENTALLY BY HER SON

Lad, Aged Nine Years, Explodes Shot Gun Causing Death.

Victim Enters House, Receiving Full Charge of Shot.

A shocking shooting accident which resulted in the death of Mrs. Frank Doane of this city, occurred yesterday at Pitt Meadows. Word reached here about 4:30 to the provincial police. Chief Stevenson and Constable Harris leaving for the scene by motor boat and returning with the body at 11 o'clock last night.

The accident took place at 4 o'clock when the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Doane, Lionel, aged nine years, picked up a loaded shotgun which was lying back of the door at the house they were staying at. Mrs. Doane was coming through the door at the time and in some manner the trigger was pulled, the charge entering the groin. Death was instantaneous.

Mr. and Mrs. Doane, who reside at the corner of Tenth street and Seventh avenue, were staying at Pitt Meadows for a few days where Mr. Doane was looking after a subdivision in the interests of the Co-operative Investment company, of which concern he is secretary.

Deceased was well known in the city, being a relative of Sir Richard McBride. An inquest over the body will be held some time today, the arrangements being in the hands of the provincial police.

TEACHER HAD TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES

Schools in Burnaby Without Adequate Supplies—Board Adopts New System.

The inauguration of a new system of running the affairs of the schools was adopted by the Burnaby school board last night which will distribute the responsibility upon the chairmen of the different committees instead of upon the secretary. Chairman Herd's recommendations were adopted although opposition was continually shown by Trustee Coulter who would have continued the old system.

Trustee Burnes of the finance committee, will conduct an investigation into the present bookkeeping system and see what finances are available.

A new innovation was recommended in that tenders be called for all new school sites from owners of property within a given area. Open competition among architects will also be undertaken.

In connection with school supplies several of the trustees made known that several schools had been without adequate supplies for several months, Trustee Burnes citing one instance where the teacher of the Hamilton road school, Burquitlam, had purchased supplies and paid for them herself.

Of the 1913 government grant $6000 was found to be still available but this has to be spent before March 31. The Victoria authorities will be approached for an extension of time so as to enable the board to erect an addition to the Broadview school in North Burnaby.

Held Fast in Ice.

Curling, Nfld., March 19.—Six men sent by Consular Agent Gould boarded the abandoned United States naval tug Potomac today after a trip of 100 miles overland and sea ice. The Potomac was found at the mouth of the Straights of Belle Isle, still fast in the ice. Her hull is apparently sound and there was little water in the hold. Another party with pumps and dynamite is on the way to the tug.

PREFERS ELECTRIC CHAIR TO LIFE IN PRISON

New York, March 19.—"I would rather go to the electric chair than to spend twenty years in prison," said 19 year-old Harry Schaeffer to his parents in the supreme court today when they urged him to plead guilty in the second degree at his trial on the charge of first degree murder for the killing of W. T. Martin, a Toronto milliner, last August. Taking the stand in his own defense Schaeffer told how he and another man wrapped a towel around Martin's neck so tightly that death resulted, after Martin had been lured to a west side flat.

The case will go to the jury tomorrow.

Celebrates Anniversary.

Winnipeg, March 19.—The nineteenth anniversary of the consecration of his grace, Archbishop Langevin, O. M. I., to the bishopric of St. Boniface was celebrated this morning at St. Boniface cathedral. Pontifisial high mass was sung by his grace in the presence of a large congregation, and about 100 priests from the diocese.

BOSTOCK SUCCEEDS LATE SIR GEO. ROSS

Appoint Senator from British Columbia as Leader of Liberals.

Ottawa, March 19.—At a meeting of the Liberal members of the senate this afternoon Senator Bostock, of Kamloops, B.C., was chosen leader of the opposition forces to succeed the late Sir George Ross. The choice was unanimous.

Hewitt M. Bostock was born in Walton Heath, Surrey, England, on May 31, 1864, the son of Samuel and Marian Bostock. First educated by private tutors he went through Trinity college, Cambridge, as a law student, being called to the bar at Lincoln's Inn, London, in 1888. He never practiced, however. In 1891 he married Miss L. J. McCombie. Coming out to British Columbia in 1893 he turned his attention to politics, being elected to the house of commons for Yale-Cariboo in 1896. From that time to 1904 he was in the political spotlight, being appointed a senator when Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in power. Senator Bostock at one period turned his attention to journalism, starting "The Province," first a weekly in Victoria and subsequently a daily in Vancouver. His British Columbia address is The Ranche, Monte Creek.

NOW BETTING ON FATE OF TORREON

Villa Says He Will Effect Capture by March 31—$1000 Is Placed that He Will Not.

Juarez, March 19.—A letter dated at Torreon on March 16, was received here today by way of Eagle Pass, Tex., indicating, it is said, that Torreon was still in the hands of the federals on that date and that the rebel leader, General Villa had not closed the railroad.

General Villa telegraphed a friend today saying: "Bet all your money that my forces will capture Torreon by March 31."

The recipient found a federal sympathizer who wagered $1000 American gold that Villa not only would not make his boast good, but that the federals would still have Torreon at the end of April.

General Aguirre Benavides telegraphed that his command, the Zaragoza brigade, had joined forces with those of General Rosaldo Hernandaz, Manuel Chao and Maximo Gercia, and that the entire army was slowly approaching Torreon. The telegram was filed at Termo, south of Escalon, and seventy miles north of Torreon. A desert waste separates the two cities. Benavides advised that he had been unable to communicate with General Urbano, operating to the west of the main column, and had sent couriers to him. General Villa is reported at Bermejillo.

It is doubtful if the monoplane which was wrecked in trial flights here can be repaired in time for use at Torreon unless Villa's attack is long delayed.

FIFTY DROWN IN ADRIATIC SEA

Torpedo Boat Collides With Small Steamer—Many Women and Children Lose Lives.

Venice, March 19.—A torpedo boat today collided with a small passenger steamer which plies between Venice and Lido, a chain of sandy islands separating the lagoon of Venice from the Adriatic, and fifty persons were drowned.

The sharp nose of the torpedo boat went through the stern of the steamer, which sank almost immediately. Although many Americans are visiting Venice at the present time it is not believed that any were aboard the steamer. The victims included many women and children.

Fifteen persons who were on deck at the time were saved by the crew of the torpedo boat. The others were caught in the cabin and were carried down with the wreck. The Italian sailors dived many times in an effort to rescue those who sank with the steamer, but without avail. Intense excitement prevails because the names of the victims are not yet known.

TO DECIDE FATE OF HAGEL TODAY

Defence of Winnipeg Lawyer and Westlake Concluded.

Krafchenko on Trial for Murder of Bank Manager Continues at Morden.

Winnipeg, March 19.—The defence closed its case in the Hagel-Westlake trial today at 3:30 and all the witnesses have now been heard. An adjournment was granted until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning when counsel for the defence and crown will address the jury. The case should thus go to the jury some time tomorrow afternoon.

Henry Wallace, a bartender, was the first witness called during the afternoon session. He testified that he was with Hagel practically all night on Jan. 9, the night of the escape. He testified that there was no conversation between Hagel and Buxton in connection with any matter about the Burris block. His cross-examination did not consume more than ten minutes. The afternoon proceedings were dull in comparison to what has gone before. The visiting crowds have dwindled down to two or three ladies and members of the legal fraternity.

Krafchenko's Trial.

Morden, Man., March 19.—Evidence by eye witnesses of sections of the Plum Coulee tragedy who were placed on the stand today by the crown, was the feature today in the case against John Krafchenko, charged with the murder of H. M. Arnold, and with the robbery of the Bank of Montreal at Plum Coulee.

After disposing of the photographer and surveyor, who respectively identified photographs and plans bearing on the Plum Coulee affair, the crown called John Weibe of Plum Coulee.

According to his evidence he had been on the point of entering the bank at the time of the crime, and through the doorway had seen the back of a man who was facing Arnold. Weibe could see Arnold with his hands above his head. Arnold said something that Weibe did not understand, but interpreted to mean that he was not wanted in the bank and accordingly he went on down the street. He had proceeded but a few yards when he turned and saw a man, wearing a dark overcoat, dash out of the bank and walk very quickly around the corner, Weibe noticing something like a revolver in his left hand. The witness turned toward the bank again and heard a shot. He crossed the road and saw Arnold lying on an ash pile. The other man stepped over Arnold's prostrate form and gathered up some money he had dropped in his flight. He then turned and ran to the automobile which awaited him about a block away.

J. D. Suffield, counsel for Krafchenko, cross-examined Weibe but both cross-examination and the preceding examination by Mr. Hastings were much delayed by the court interpreter being unfamiliar with the dialect of Weibe, who is a Mennonite. Another interpreter experienced the same difficulty and finally Dr. McTavish, a witness who will later appear, was sworn in, his residence in Plum Coulee having familiarized him with dialects such as Weibe's.

Called Help Once.

Weibe's cross-examination concluded, Cornelius Thiesen was called. Thiesen had seen the bank manager chase the man in the dark overcoat who came out of the bank; had seen the manager suddenly fall and then heard a crack, which he believed was the firing of a shot. The man in black he said had turned back and from around the prostrate body of the stricken banker had gathered up the money which was scattered on the ground, resting one hand on Arnold.

The manager had called "help" once. The man had then run down the lane and he had seen that his face was masked. Asked why he said masked, the witness stated that he was masked "from below up to the nose." Asked as to the material the mask was made of, witness said "it looked hairy." Referring back witness said the banker caught hold of the man from behind putting his arms around the man's body. At this time he did not see if either Arnold or the man had anything in their hands. He did not look quickly enough.

Court then adjourned.

On His Way Home.

Winnipeg, March 19.—Thomas Meredith of New Westminster, president of the Canadian Pacific lumber company who is on his way home from London, states that money is quite easy in London, but that all the big financiers view with satisfaction the tightening up. He states that every financial corporation that he discussed financial affairs with in London expressed great interest in Vancouver and New Westminster and a keen desire to assist in every way in their development.

Incorporate Press Association.

Ottawa, March 19.—The Canadian Press association had its incorporating act passed at the private bills committee today. The powers are of a general character. H. B. Donly, president of the association, stated that the membership embraced the publishers of 95 out of 130 dailies, 400 out of 750 weeklies, in addition to 75 literary and other publications.

THE PASSING OF DERBY, B.C.'S FIRST CAPITAL

The granting of an application for the cancellation of the townsite plan by his honor Judge Howay yesterday, of the old townsite of Derby, known latterly as the old Langley townsite, the first seat of the government house of British Columbia passed out of official existence. The application was made by J. R. Grant on behalf of squatters who located on the townsite as far back as 1878 after Derby had been relegated to the discard, when first Sapperton and then New Westminster were selected for the seat of government for the then crown colony now the mainland portion of British Columbia.

J. P. Hampton Bole on behalf of the Helmcken estate, Houat estate, Spring estate and Spring Bros., Victoria, the only known owners of lots in the old townsite asked for compensation if the townsite plans were cancelled and an agreement on the basis of $25 on each lot held by these estates and Young Bros., was reached with Mr. Grant. Tihs compensation will likely be paid by the government as the squatters have been located on the land for over 20 years and are entitled to ownership under the Squatters act.

Difficult Question.

In dealing with the request for compensation Judge Howay stated that it was a doubly difficult question to deal with for two reasons. The first was that it seemed quite possible that a good many lots were now part of the Fraser river and secondly that the owners had probably lost all claim to the property because of the uninterrupted occupation by the squatters for over 20 years. On the basis arranged the compensation to be paid will only amount to a few hundred dollars.

Rise and Fall of Derby.

The cancellation of the plans of the old townsite in court recalls the spectacular rise and equally as spectacular fall of Derby. The old townsite was laid out originally about 60 years ago by the late Governor Seymour as the seat of the government house for the crown colony. The government house, the governor's residence and the headquarters of the Anglican church for the colony were located in the townsite together with the barracks of the royal engineers.

Real Estate Boom.

When the townsite was laid out originally it was subdivided into lots which were thrown on the market at Victoria and had a tremendous sale. One old timer, who was in attendance at court yesterday and recollected the time the townsite was opened up, states that for one day only $60,000 was realized from the sale of the lots in Victoria. Then, as in recent years, real estate speculation it seemed was quite active.

Derby property was bought wholesale on the assumption that it was the established capital of the crown colony and would at some later date develop into a place of some importance. The buyers were doomed to disappointment and great financial loss, however, as when Col. Moody took the command of the royal engineers and sappers and miners, what is now Sapperton was fixed on as a better location for the government seat of the crown colony at that time.

To Ruin and Decay.

A new townsite was laid out at Sapperton and the government house, governor's residence, barracks and See house were removed to the new site while Derby was deserted and the old government buildings went to ruin and decay.

In 1878 and the few following years, squatters seeking a desirable location to settle and farm, hit upon the old townsite and have occupied it continuously ever since. Now it is one of the best agricultural districts in the valley. Efforts have been made on several occasions to secure the cancellation of the old townsite plans by the settlers in order to obtain the title to the land for themselves for which they were fully qualified from point of residence but it was only yesterday that their desires were met.

Acres Washed Away.

Since Derby was vacated as the government seat it has greatly reduced in size, consequent upon the washing away of several hundred feet of the townsite bordering on the Fraser river. No exact plans of the townsite as it was laid out originally are available and when surveyors recently went over the land they were unable to locate any of the old stakes.

Will Have to Pay Taxes.

The townsite originally comprised about 640 acres. Concellation of the plans means that the former townsite becomes part of Langley municipality and can be assessed by that district for taxes. Throughout their long residence on the land the squatters occupied the singularly fortunate position of never having to pay any taxes. The first squatter was Jason Allard who located on the land in 1878.

Derby was situated near the Salmon river on the south side of the Fraser about opposite Port Haney. In his history of New Westminster and vicinity, Judge Howay devotes considerable space to Derby.

LAST LAP OF SPECIAL ASSIZES

All Charges Against Miners Disposed of—Sentences Will Be Meted Out on Monday.

The hearing of the miners' cases at the special assize came to a conclusion yesterday when Richard Griffiths, one of the men who held out against the settlement by refusing to plead guilty, retracted from his former stand and entered a plea of guilty on the minor charge of unlawful assembly. A. D. Taylor, K.C., immediately withdrew the other charge of riot against Griffiths and he was released on his own cognizances until Monday at 11:30 when he will come up for sentence with the other miners convicted and who plead guilty.

Crown Prosecutor Taylor also entered a stay of proceedings on the charge of receiving stolen goods preferred against John Place, M. L. A., now in jail awaiting sentence. Had this charge not been withdrawn and Mr. Place tried and convicted upon it he would have been invalidated, and could no longer retain his seat in the provincial legislature. A stay of proceedings in the case of Rex vs. Moore wherein the accused was also charged with receiving stolen goods was also entered by Mr. Taylor.

Yesterday's sitting of the assize concluded about 11 o'clock and the court was adjourned until Monday at 11:30. The jury was freed from attendance until Tuesday morning at 11:30 when two criminal cases apart from the miners' will be heard.

Two Girls Asphyxiated.

Chicago, March 19.—Two little girls were found dead today in a gas-filled house. Their parents and baby brother were unconscious and, according to physicians, may die. The police investigation showed that the father and the little girls were in bed when they were overcome. The mother, Mrs. John Lindstrom, was found fully dressed lying on the kitchen floor with the baby boy in her arms.

Judgment for $75,000.

New York, March 19.—A judgment for $75,000 was filed here today against John G. Leishman, former American ambassador to Germany, in favor of Raymond, Pynchon & Co., New York bankers and brokers. The amount was due on a judgment recovered in Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, for money loaned and stocks bought and sold in New York city.

Grocery Store Burns.

Lethbridge, March 19.—A grocery store at number six mine was completely destroyed by fire this afternoon with the loss amounting to several thousand dollars.

SENOR RAJOS MAY SUCCEED HUERTA

United States Welcomes Offer to Resume Peace Parleys—May Send Commission.

Washington, March 19.—The United States government will welcome a reopening of negotiations with the Huerta government or the Constitutionalists and will be glad to consider any proposals that will tend to draw the various factions together in a plan for the restoration of peace in Mexico.

This is the attitude of the president as revealed today after reports reached here saying that Senor Portillo Rojas, minister of foreign affairs in the Huerta cabinet, had gone to meet John Lind, Mr. Wilson's personal representative, to seek a resumption of the peace parleys. Senor Rojas has been mentioned as the man who would succeed Huerta if he retired, and the object of the visit to Mr. Lind, it has been reported was to acquaint the president's envoy with his personality. What the president emphasizes in his informal discussions on the Mexican situation is that he, as president of the United States, has never sought to approve or disapprove of the individuals who may aspire to the presidency of Mexico, and that he has no list of men whom he holds under so-called ban, because of alleged complicity in the assassination of Madero. His refusal to recognize Huerta, it may be stated on the highest authority, was not based on any personal antagonism to Huerta, but on the ground that the Constitutionalists would not be reconciled to the man who had overthrown Madero and Suarez, and that governments set up by arbitrary force and not representing the popular will should not be dealt with by the United States..

One of the suggestions made to the president lately contemplates the sending of a commission of Americans of prominence to investigate conditions in Mexico. Unofficial reports have had it that both Carranza and Huerta would receive such a commission.

Well Known Mariner Dies.

Boston, March 29.—Captain Geo. W. Eldridge, of Vineyard Haven, author, chart maker and navigator, died suddenly here yesterday. He was widely known as a seafaring man, having designed the first simplified charts of fishing boats and other small craft.

Chief of Police of Regina.

Regina, March 19.—E. G. Berry, chief of police at Brandon, will be the new chief of the Regina force. His appointment was made today. Chief Berry will commence his duties by May 1. His salary will be $3000 for the first year. Sergeant Roch, who has been acting as chief, was made deputy chief.

NO DEFENSE FOR MME. CAILLAUX

Murderer of Editor Will Appeal to Mercy of the French Court.

Minister of Marine Resigns from Cabinet—Look for Demonstrations at Funeral Today.

Paris, March 19.—Public opinion continues to be deeply occupied with the Calmette tragedy and the resulting political agitation, although interest was less outwardly manifested today. The general interest of the pleasure-loving Parisians was centred in the Mi-Careme parade of which confetti battles in the boulevards were a feature.

A few excited students in Paris and Versailles attempted demonstrations against M. Caillaux, but the police had no difficulty in dispersing them.

Minister Resigns.

The principal development of the day was the resignation of Ernest Monis from the ministry of marine and it is understood that his withdrawal from the cabinet will be permanent, not temporary, as was at first expected, whatever may be the finding of the investigating committee.

Various names were mentioned in the lobbies of the chamber for the post of minister of marine, but Premier Doumerge has decided to take no action for the present.

Expect Demonstration.

While some kind of a demonstration by the anti-Republicans is certain to be attempted at the funeral of M. Calmette tomorrow, the police do not anticipate serious trouble. Nevertheless M. Hennion, the prefect of Paris, has made extensive preparations to preserve order.

Saint Lazare prison, where Mme. Caillaux occupies a cell, was again the object of interest today by many hundreds of persons who seemed deeply interested in those who passed within its doors.

Mme. Caillaux, it is said, is beginning to show the effects of her imprisonment. Her young daughter by an earlier marriage, Juliette Claretie, is allowed to visit here daily. Her husband and her attorney, M. Labori, called this afternoon and found her in a depressed and nervous state.

To Appeal for Mercy.

M. Labori informed Mme. Caillaux, it is said, that she had no alternative but to throw herself on the mercy of the court and that in her defence he could not make any reflections on M. Calmette. In fact, he explained, it was only on this condition that he agreed to undertake her defence and he had made this plain to both the family of his late friend, M. Calmette and M. Caillaux.

The former minister of finance said he understood M. Labori's attitude and approved of it, adding:

"I have asked you only to defend my wife; I do not want you to attack M. Calmette."

Consider Case.

The senatorial committee, under the presidency of M. Ribet, to which the chamber's bill to confer full judicial powers on the Rochette investigating committee was referred, took the matter under consideration today.

Senator Richard considered that full judicial powers were not warranted and presented an amendment giving the committee power to punish witnesses, who either refused to appear or take the oath, and providing for a punishment of from two to five years' imprisonment and a fine for those bearing false witness or suborning witnesses before the committee.

It is understood the government will accept the amendment and that the bill will pass the house tomorrow.

ACQUIT DUKE ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Nephew of Millionaire Tobacco Manufacturer Found Not Guilty of Manslaughter.

Seattle, March 19.—Laurence Duke, nephew of James B. Duke, the tobacco manufacturer, was found not guilty by a jury in the superior court late today of the charge of manslaughter preferred after his automobile had ran down and killed Henry N. Farr, a saloon keeper, on the country road eight miles south of Seattle the night of Oct. 15 last. The jury returned the verdict of acquittal after five minutes' deliberation.

The state alleged that Duke was intoxicated and recklessly drove his car into Farr's party who were standing in the road repairing their automobile. The defense denied the charge of intoxication and introduced evidence to prove that the accident resulted from the breaking of the steering gear on Duke's machine. In support of this contention a letter from the eastern manufacturers of Duke's car was read stating that several cars sold by them in Seattle were defective and had to be repaired by the company.

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B. C.'S BANK.

There is occasion for a distinct feeling of satisfaction, not only for those who are directly interested in it, but for every British Columbian who believes in the development of B. C. as far as possible by provincial institutions that the Bank of Vancouver, the bank with its headquarters in this province, has carried sail so well in the financial storm through which the whole world has just passed and at the end of the gale has been able to so readjust itself to new conditions that, if possible, it is on a sounder financial basis than ever.

That the older banks of Canada would be perfectly safe in spite of the recent hard times went without saying. That the Bank of Vancouver, though a young institution, also would be sound was a foregone conclusion, but that it has carried itself so well in the face of difficulties, many of which are not part of the troubles of older banking sisters, is a matter for congratulation and a credit to both the bank and the province.

The establishment of the Bank of Vancouver was the result of a popular demand for such an institution in British Columbia. The people of the west are nothing if not independent and they desired to see a bank of their own doing business here. This feeling did not reflect on the other banks whose headquarters are in the east, for there are opportunities in this province for them all. It was simply the westerner's desire to show that, while he was willing that eastern financial houses should handle much of his business, still he wished it known that he was able to do some of it for himself. The Bank of Vancouver was the direct outcome of this sentiment and its successful career in the face of many difficulties has earned it not a few friends.

CAPT. GEO. BROWN DEAD AT VICTORIA

Aged Pioneer Master Mariner of British Columbia Coast Has Passed Away.

Victoria, March 19.—A highly respected pioneer resident of Victoria, and one who, up to the time of his death at an early hour yesterday, had the honor of being the oldest living navigator on the Pacific coast, has passed peacefuly away in the person of Captain George Brown. He was taken ill on Sunday and the end came in sleep, not unexpected, owing to his advanced age. The late Captain Brown was a native of Liverpool, where he was born on December 24, 1832, and was therefore in his eighty-second year.

Five children survive—Mrs. R. T. Scott, and George William, John Henry, Robert and Richard Brown, all residents of this city.

Captain Brown came of seafaring stock, his father being engaged in the coasting trade in the British waters. At the age of thirteen he took to the sea himself, becoming captain's boy in the service of the Cunard line between his home port and New York. After some years of this he sailed on clipper ships, and as an apprentice on the ship Adam Lodge he rounded the Horn on a voyage to San Francisco. This was about 1850.

Came to B. C. in 1852.

In 1852 he again sailed to this coast, this time on board the barkentine Annie Moore. The vessel originally sailed to the Golden Gate, but, business offering in this direction, she was brought to Victoria. Captain Brown remained with the barkentine for six months after her arrival here, when he left her and determined to make his home in this city, with which he was greatly taken.

Going into the service of Joseph Boscowitz, Captain Brown did a great deal of coasting and trading with the Indians on the West Coast. For four years he was in command of the Annie Beck, a well-known schooner of those days. Later he was placed in charge of trading stations, first at Nootka and afterwards as Kyoquot.

Took Out Sealing Schooner.

In the early days of the sealing industry he took out the first schooner for Mr. Boscowitz, the Annie Beck, the only other schooner then operating being Captain Spring's Alert, which was in charge of Captain Christiansen.

In more recent years Captain Brown was in the service of the Canadian Pacific Navigation company and continued in the service with the British Columbia Coast service of the Canadian Pacific railway. For a time he was master of the Maude on the West Coast run, and was an officer on the Princess Louise and other steamers on the northern run. He also spent six months in the north in charge of the Boscowitz boat, which was chartered by the late Mr. William Ogilvie. Seven years ago Captain Brown decided to retire.

Never Shipwrecked.

Captain Brown had many experiences at sea, but was never shipwrecked. On his first voyage around the Horn, however, he came near it. The Adam Lodge, which was carrying a cargo of coal from Cardiff to Benicia, had put into the Falkland islands to endeavor to stop a leak which could ont be located at sea, and the captain had gone to Port Stanley in search of two sailors, who had deserted on the ship's arrival. A hurricane sprang up and for some time the ship was in great danger, but she weathered safely.

As a trader Captain Brown was a great success, and he had the confidence of the Indians. He believed in treating them firmly and fairly, and always pursued the policy of absolute truthfulness with them. He declares that as an ordinary matter of business this paid, as the Indians sooner or later found out if statements made were not according to book, and fought shy of the traders whom they found to deceive them. He was very scrupulous in the matter of liquor with the Indians, and so well were his opinions on the point known that only once did he detect the natives drinking and very seldom did he see any of those about his stations under the influence of liquor.

His life in Victoria and on Vancouver Island covered the entire period since the city was laid out. He saw the port grow from the smallest beginning to be the Canadian port with the largest tonnage of deep-sea and coasting shipping calling at its wharves, and was looking forward to beholding the greater development which will follow the completion of the harbor improvements and the opening of the Panama canal.

WRITE STORIES FOR MOVING PICTURE PLAYS

New, Spare-time Profession for Men and Women—One Man Makes $3500 in Six Months.

Owing to the large number of new motion picture theatres which are being opened throughout the country, there is offered to the men and women of today, a new profession, namely, that of writing moving picture plays. Producers are paying from $25 to $150 for each scenario accepted, upon which they can build a photo play.

$3500 in Six Months.

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MORE CONGRATULATIONS ON NEW ROYALTY POLICY

Victoria, B. C., March 19.—Many are the compliments received by the Hon. William R. Ross, minister of lands, for the timber royalty bill in which the principle of profit-sharing in the timber resources was a feature. Prominent Canadians and residents of the United States, including members of the cabinet of that country, have sent letters warmly commending the new act.

Mr. Sifton Writes.

Hon. Clifford Sifton, president of the Canadian commission of conservation, writes congratulating the minister of lands, and says: "I have repeatedly said during the last year that British Columbia was the most advanced province in the Dominion so far as attention to the question of forest protection was concerned, and I may now say the same thing in regard to the question of disposition of timber belonging to the province."

Pleased at Progress.

Henry S. Graves, chief forester of the United States, writes: "I have just learned of the recent action by British Columbia with reference to the royalty on public timber. I want to express my pleasure at the great progress which has been made in your country and to extend my heartiest congratulations. The recognition of the right of the public to share in the increasign value of public timber is, in my opinion, a vital one."

Agrees With Policy.

The secretary of the department of agriculture of the United States writes: "The plan of readjusting stumpage values of timber at stated intervals in sales from public lands whereby the public will derive a fair share of the increase in lumber values is one with which I am in hearty accord. You will doubtless be interested in learning that a provision of this character is included by this department in all contracts for sales of timber from national forest lands where the period of contract is in excess of five years, and that it has been accepted as equitable by timber operators. I feel that you are to be heartily congratulated on this progressive legislation."

ANOTHER ECHO OF BANKERS' TRUST

Man Who Gave Note for Misrepresented Stock Must Pay Up. Is Court's Order.

Victoria, March 19.—A judgment handed down by Judge Lampman, of the county court, yesterday, declares that the note drawn by Julius Brethour, of Sidney, in favor of the Banker's Trust company, and later discounted by J. H. Baker, must be paid. The decision is of the utmost importance because of the peculiar circumstances. The amount of the note is $300. It was given to Frank Skidmore in part payment of a block of shares in the now defunct trust company. Since then it has been shown that the stock was sold through misrepresentation. However, as Mr. Baker acted innocently in discounting it, the court holds that he is entitled to recover the money invested. There are a number of other notes outstanding which have been discounted under similar conditions. To these the judgment will apply, so that many of those who purchased holdings in the corporation now in liquidation will be directly affected.

Text of Judgment.

Following is the complete text of judgment:

"There is a claim on a promissory note for $300, made by the defendant to his own order and endorsed by him and held by the plaintiff. The note was given to defendant by one Skidmore in part payment for shares in the Bankers' Trust, and before its maturity the plaintiff discounted it for Skidmore. It is admitted that there was fraud and misrepresentation by Skidmore in procuring defendant to subscribe for shares and giving the note.

"At the time of taking the note the plaintiff was a director of the Bankers' Trust, and Mr. Taylor, for the defendant, contended that plaintiff could not dissociate himself from his position of director as to be treated as an outsider by reason of the fact that he did not attend to his duties as a director—that had he looked into the company's affairs he would have found out that Brethour had applied for shares and had given notes, and so would have known that Skidmore was selling the notes which really belonged to the Bankers' Trust.

"Baker made no inquiries except as to the financial standing of Brethour. He says that he understood from Skidmore that he received the note as payment of his (Skidmore's) commission. I have no difficulty in finding that Baker had no actual knowledge of fraud and I do not think he had any suspicion about the note at all. All he seems to have considered was the financial standing of Brethour, as he naturally wanted to be assured that the note would be paid.

"That motive must be imputed to him because of the fact that he was a director I do not think is warranted. . . . Judgment will be entered for the plaintiff for the amount claimed, with costs."

MILLION DOLLAR WHALING DEAL

Alaska Whaling Company Disposes of Vessels, Equipment and Stations for Large Sum.

Seattle, March 19.—One of the biggest marine transactions of recent years was closed yesterday when the Pacific Sea Products company, of which John Lind, President Wilson's representative in Mexico, is a stockholder, bought the vessels, stations and equipment of the Alaska Whaling company, in which Capt. Otto Sverdrup, the Norwegian explorer, was interested. Property valued at a million dollars changed hands.

The deal was closed by K. B. Birkeland of Minneapolis, president and general manager of the company who has been in this city for several days conducting negotiations with the owners of the vessels and equipment.

Included in the transfer of property are the whaling steamers Unimak and Kodiak, built at the plant of J. F. Duthie and company on the east waterway at a cost of $112,000; the big Norwegian steamer Admiralen, which has been lying idle at Eagle Harbor and a whaling station at Akutan, on which the Alaska Whaling company spent over $200,000.

To Build New Whaling Station.

The new corporation some time ago purchased the barge Fresno and she will leave in tow of the tug Pioneer on April 1 for Akutan with a cargo of supplies.

The Admiralen is practically a floating whaling factory, with equipment for boiling oil from the whale carcasses, but her operation in the service has been found unprofitable. It was announced yesterday by President Birkeland that his company will sell the vessel. A new whaling station is to be built in the north where both the whale blubber and carcasses will be refined on shore. This plant complete will cost $300,000.

Interested in the company are some of the best known business men and capitalists of Minneapolis, where the general offices are now located, including John Lind, personal representative of Presiden Wilson in Mexico, and W. S. Dwinnell, owner of large tracts of timber land in Oregon and British Columbia. Mr. Dwinnell holds the office of treasurer of the new corporation.

To Go into General Fishing.

The Pacific Sea Products company will eventually expand into general fishing. It is planned to do some cod fishing this year on a small scale.

The services of Capt. Earling who has had long experience as a whaler, have been obtained, Capt Earling will be the operating manager of the company in the north. Since boyhood days he has been on Norwegian whaling expeditions and for the past eight years has been active in the whaling industry on the Pacific coast and in Alaska.

IMPORTANT MINING CLAIM DECISION

Wickersham Act Interpreted by Court in Lawsuit for Claim in Chisana.

Cordova, Alaska, March 19.—Judge Frederick M. Brown, of the federal court, yesterday handed down a decision in the Chisana mining case of C. H. Likaits vs William A. Johnson, involving claim No. 1 above discovery on Bonanza creek. The decision establishes the right of the defendant to title to the ground, and is one of the most important rulings ever made in Alaska, as it is the first interpretation of the Wickersham act of August 1, 1912.

Contention of Plaintiff.

Action by the plaintiff was based on the contention that the agent of the defendant had failed to comply with the law governing the location of placer claims, inasmuch as he had failed to file a power of attorney for his principal in the district in which the ground was located, previous to locating the ground.

Evidence was introduced by the defence showing that the claim had been staked for Johnson by William E. James on a power of attorney drawn in Dawson, dated June 1, 1909; that when James had gone to Chisana he had taken the power of attorney with him, but had left it at his cabin, 40 miles from the headwaters of the Chisana, when he had made the discovery on Bonanza.

Hears of Law.

Nelson, his partner, had gone to Dawson for more provisions, and had learned for the first time the change in the mining laws providing that powers of attorney must be filed with the recorder of the district. Immediately upon his return to Chisana from Dawson, in June, 1913, he informed James of the law. James sent a man named Gates to his cabin on Beaver creek to obtain the power of attorney that the same might be filed when the recorder for the new mining district opened his office.

Gates met with an accident which delayed his return to Chisana until August, 1913.

Stakes the Claim.

In the meantime James, as attorney in fact for Johnson, had performed all the acts required by law in the matter of making the discovery and marking the boundaries of the claim. On August 7 he had filed notice of location and recorded power of attorney from Johnson to James.

The plaintiff arrived on the ground August 20 and located the claim on the following day.

The decision of the court related to a construction of the intent and language of the Wickersham law relating to recording of powers of attorney.

The *sole question* was, "Does the act require the power of attorney to be recorded prior to the location of claims?"

One of Series of Acts.

The court held that the recording of a power of attorney was but one of a series of acts necessary to constitute a valid entry, that the order in the time in which the acts were performed was immaterial, provided all were performed before the rights of other locators accrued.

The decision in this case has no bearing on the territorial act which expressly provides that the power of attorney must be recorded prior to agents staking claims for the principal. The ruling in this case, which was argued before the court on an agreed statement of facts, also applies to the cases of Foster versus Johnson, involving No. 1 Chathenda creek, and Nikell & Foster versus Johnson, No. 8, Bonanza. Maurice Leehey was attorney for the defendants. The court adjourned until the 30th, to bring witnesses from Chisana in other cases.

TIDE TABLE—FRASER RIVER.

For Week Ending Sunday, March 22

	Westminster. Time. High.	Low.	Sand Heads. High. Time.	Ht.	Low. Time.	Ht.
16	8:40	3:40	7:38	12.6	2:10	7.5
	22:55	17:55	21:57	11.9	14:50	1.7
17	9:10	4:25	8:10	12.2	3:06	8.8
		19:00	23:27	11.8	15:47	1.7
18	0:25	5:20	8:45	11.6	4:12	9.9
	9:45	20:05			16:49	1.9
19	2:00	7:00	1:02	12.0	6:00	10.5
	10:30	21:00	9:30	10.9	17:54	2.2
20	3:20	9:25	2:18	12.4	8:26	10.0
	11:40	22:05	10:40	10.1	19:00	2.5
21	4:10	10:40	3:08	12.6	9:31	9.1
	13:25	23:05	12:26	9.5	20:00	2.9
22	4:45	11:30	3:45	12.6	10:08	8.1
	15:10	23:40	14:10	9.5	20:51	3.2

CARLYLE AND CABBY.

How the Medical Students Tricked the Jehu Into Losing a Patron.

The famous Dumfriesian was a favorite with jehus in several towns. Of all the literary celebrities of the last century few were better known to London drivers. For some years the philosopher engaged a particular man from the rank and insisted on having no other. The "whip," however, "put his foot in it," and lost the sage's custom in a singular manner.

A number of medical students getting to know of his preference for this particular man, and finding the driver inquired if he knew who his regular fare was. On receiving a reply in the negative the students informed him that he was one of the most famous and eccentric authors of the day. They then gave him a book with the advice to have it open and to appear to be reading whenever he approached the rank.

The cabman, without any suspicion of a trick, acted on their advice and kept a good look-out for the prophet, and seemed to be deeply engrossed in the pages of a pretentious volume when he came along the cab rank.

"Hillo, what's that 'er readin', man?" inquired Carlyle critically. "A most hout-an'-hout, tip-top, splendid book about that er- bloomin' French Revolushun," was cabby's gushing reply.

"Eh! What dae 'e say? Will 'e show it to me?" said the famous fare as he held out his hand. "Oh, certainly, sir," and the driver put an edition of his own "History of the Revolution" into his hand.

"Well, ma man," said Carlyle, after turning over the volume, and with apparent delight, "are 'e sure that 'er readin' this work intelligently?" Pulling himself up and with an air of great confidence, the man replied, "O, certainly, sir." Then, thinking that he ought to say something in praise of the book, he added, "Why, sir, it's haimost as good as 'The Newgate Calender'."

The grim old Ecclefechanite glared at the cabby, fixed him with a look that he never forgot, and after grunting something, turned abruptly on his heel and engaged the next cab.

The driver got time to repent of his folly, and was often like to "eat his fingers off" for having been led into such a trap. Carlyle would not even look at him afterwards, but stuck to his second man, who had had the honor of driving some of the most distinguished men of the day.

Cabby number one had something emphatic to say to the budding doctors when they came along to learn the result of their suggestion. His "langwidge" wasna canny.—G. M. R., in Border Magazine.

Shackleton Stories.

Some amusing stories of his lecturing experiences are told by Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer.

One day when in Scotland golfing, after his first expedition, he received a letter from Harrow School asking him to give a lecture. He did not want to go, so he wrote fixing a prohibitive price as he thought—a fee of $150, exclusive of expenses. To his amazement the offer was accepted, and he gave the lecture. On the strength of that he wrote to the authorities at Eton and offered his services at an equal rate. The reply came back, "Dear Sir,—This is five times as much as we pay to really first class lecturers."

His audience at Leith was once so small that he went to the cabman he had left outside and said, "I will pay for some one to hold the horse, and you can come in and hear the lecture." "Oh, no, thank you," said the cabman; "I am all right where I am." Afterward, with his wife, he was counting his losses and said, "Twenty-five people at 1s. a head — that makes a total receipts £1 5s." "But," said his wife, "you must deduct 2s. from that. I sent the cook and one of the maids."

Wanted Ugliness In Olden Days.

Some bygone housewives appear to have regarded ugliness as a quality to be desired in their servants. When Eliza Coke, daughter of Coke of Norfolk, was about to marry, she wrote to her prospective mother-in-law: "Pray have the goodness to decide as you think best about the pretty housemaid. I wish she were less pretty and less fond of dress; but if her conduct and principles are good neither are really objectionable faults. I think our establishment will be a pattern of morality, particularly if Mr. Stanhope engages the squinting butler and the terrible housemaid he mentioned to me." — London Daily Chronicle.

Made Room For Somerset.

Some people would ascribe the old history of Somerset House to its association with sacrilege. To make room for the great home he planned for himself, the Duke of Somerset cleared away the palaces of the Bishops of Worcester and Chester. He pulled down the church which stood on the present site of St. Mary-le-Strand, in order to secure building materials, and further he demolished the cloister on the north side of old St. Paul's Cathedral, so that he might use the stones for the erection of his mansion. But there is a modern touch in that opposite Somerset House was the first stand for hackney coaches in London.—London Daily Chronicle.

Origin of Name.

A correspondent signifies gratitude for the information that the Australian mining town of, Bendigo was named after the prize-fighter, confessing that he has always had a hazy belief that the man was an Australian who took his name from the place. The topsy-turviness is more venial, perhaps, than that of the lady Imperialist who thought Lord Melbourne set such a good example by taking his title from the capital of Victoria. It would only be going one better to imagine that the Queen was named after the colony — London Daily Chronicle.

Walla Walla, Wash., March 19.—A divorce from David S. Huntington, Northern Pacific conductor between Walla Walla and Pasco, is asked by Lillian Huntington, who charges that her husband has a violent temper and has choked her till her neck was black. They were married March 6, 1901.

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The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

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COUNCILS DISAGREE ON INSANITY CASE

Commitment of a Patient to Asylum Basis of Dispute Between Langley and Surrey.

At the last meeing of the Surrey municpal council communications were received as follows:

From the Campbell River Lumber Co., Ltd., stating that they would at once take steps to see that the drainage along side the spur track of their Cloverdale mill was properly taken care of.

From the Surrey school board, asking that the council remove the stumps from the road frontage at the Anniedale school house and that the right of way cleared to permit of proposed improvements on the school grounds. Received and referred to Councillor Triggs and the engineer for attention.

From R. A. Payne, C. M. C., of Langley, stating that their council declined to pay the costs of a commitment of a patient from their municipality to the hospital for the insane, owing to the fact that the matter was completely taken out of the hands of their chief of police by the police department of Surrey. Received, and council advised that Chief of Police Matheson took no action towards the commitment of the person in question until he had consulted Chief Blair of Langley by long distance telephone, the latter consenting to the commitment being made by Surrey and Langley would stands the expense thereof.

From Geo. Wakelin, secretary R. P. A., Ward 1, stating that he had been instructed to ask the council to supply the association with copies of the minutes of the 1914 meetings, also to put a stipulation in all contracts that resident ratepayers be employed in preference to all others. Received and decided to let these matters stand just as they are.

From McQuarrie, Martin and Cassady, re Mackensen vs. Surrey, stating that they had been served with notice of trial in this action for Tuesday, April 21st next at 11 a. m. at the court house, Vancouver.

From Robert Kelly, calling attention to the unfinished condition of the Boothroyd road bridge across the Nicomekl river, and suggesting that the Boothroyd road be opened and built down to the bridge. Received and laid over.

From J. P. Evans, E. Feifman and others, petitioning for the opening of the road between Anderson station and the southwest corner of sec. 27, township 7. Received and referred to Councillor Bradshaw.

From E. D. Belyea and others, petitioning that the Graham road east of the Latimer road be put in a fit state for traffic. Received. Council cannot see their way clear to do work on sub division roads except under local improvement.

From J. Norman Kennedy and others, petitioning that the Duark road be graded east from the Hall's Prairie road to give access to the various properties in that locality. Received and referred to Councillor Hebron and the engineer.

From R. J. Anton, secretary-treasurer Strawberry Hill Farmers' Institute, asking if the council could see their way clear to gravel the remaining ungraded portion of the Gladstone road from the Scott road to the institute hall. Received and referred to Councillor Bradshaw and the engineer.

From T. S. Annadale, asking for improvements to the road leading to Ocean Park. Received and referred to Councillor Bradshaw and the engineer.

From C. A. Welsh, T. H. Smith and F. J. Hart & Co., asking for improvements to the road from Elgin to Crescent. Received and laid over.

From E. S. Withers, secretary Royal Columbia Hospital, New Westminster, enclosing detailed statements of various account. Received and accounts laid over for further investigation.

Tenders on contracts were received and the lowest on each contract accepted, as follows: Boothroyd Road, Messrs. Smith, Herman & Hornby, at $867.20; Borgstrom road, F. Klein, $600, and Sandell road, I. M. Clemens, at $705.00.

Various accounts were passed and ordered paid, and the council adjourned to meet against Saturday, March 28th, at 2:30 p. m. at the municipal hall, Cloverdale.

NO DECISION ON C.N.R. APPLICATION

No Proposal Presented by Government to Caucus But Railway Matters Are Considered.

Ottawa, March 18.—It is definitely learned that the government presented no proposal to the Conservative caucus this morning regarding the application of the C. N. R. for a guarantee of the bonds of that railway. The question was considered, however, in all its aspects and there were advocates of granting the company a guarantee of its bonds. There were also opponents for the guarantee, but no decision was arrived at by the caucus. The following official report of the proceedings was handed to the press by Mr. Borden:

"There was a caucus of the government members this morning at which several matters of interest were discussed. Among others the position of the unfinished transcontinental railways was considered and the opinion of the senators and members of the commons was invited thereon. After an interesting discussion in which many members took part, and in which the subject was debated in all its aspects, the caucus adjourned at 1 o'clock. J. E. Armstrong the permanent chairman of the government caucus, presided. The government did not present any proposals to the caucus, which was not called for that purpose.."

BLIND IN GREAT BRITAIN TO BE LOOKED AFTER

London, March 18.—The announcement has been made that it is the intention of the government to appoint an inter-departmental committee to consider the welfare of the blind, of whom there are 34,000 in the British Isles. A sympathetic discussion ensued on the motion when it was introduced in the house. Mr. Wardle, a Labor member, calling attention to the inadequacy of voluntary effort and suggesting that the state make provision whereby those who are capable be helped to support themselves the incapable being maintained in a humane manner.

The pathetic plea of Mr. Wardle showed that there were 5000 in workhouses, 5000 in receipt of parish relief and 700 begging, while the workers were sweated. The only objection was raised by Sir John Rees, on the ground that the effect of the motion would be an incalculable expenditure on the already burdened ratepayers.

Mr. Lewis intimated that a forthcoming announcement of the board of education would be a scheme for the blind, and the government recommended that general action by an enquiry committee was first desirable.

The new premises of the national institute for the blind will be opened shortly before the king and queen.

VILLA, A TIGER, BUT BIG-HEARTED

Another View of the Mexican General Who Has a Reputation for Murder.

"E. J. A.," writing in the Montreal Star, throws a new light on the doings of the Mexican general, Villa. He says:

That Francesco ("Pancho") Villa, constitutionalist leader and murderer-at-large in Mexico, is not the tiger he is painted as being, but rather a warm-hearted, impulsive soul, badly in need of a sympathetic interpreter, is as startling an idea as it is an original one. We have all come to regard Villa, particularly since the Benton murder, as very much of a "saw head and bloody bones," and we using him as a most effective bogey man for refractory Mexican children.

But give a dog a bad name, and hang him, applies as strongly south of the Rio Grande as elsewhere. We are informed, and certain gentlemen have set about proving, or rather declaring for proof is lacking, that the man who shot Benton is rather a decent sort of chap, when you once come to understand him. Hitherto the trouble has always been the getting to understand him, for which it must be admitted Signor Villa himself has been somewhat to blame.

It is scarcely to be expected that United States newspapers should be found singing his praises. Neither, since the death of Benton, need we look for undue enthusiasm in the British press. Paris journalists seem to be alone, at least so far, in seeing something of the Garibaldi-Hofer-Koscinszko type about this half-Indian, half-man eating tiger that is so much in the public eye at the moment. He is merely a Latin soul seen through Anglo-Saxon eyes, according to the Pais Temps, and what can you expect when that happens through misunderstanding. His origin is obscure, but he has the Spanish grandeur in prowess, the gesture of the man of the cap and sword. He can organize victory, create an army out of a ragged horde and stand gloriously at bay. Hannibal himself, we are reminded, did no more. He is capable of inspiring a veritable worship among his followers. He strikes terror into his enemies. His is no negative campaign, purposeless, like Zapata's, boastful like Huerta's. He is constructive, energetic, victorious.

The essence of Villa's spirit is expressed by his nickname of "the tiger." Here is a genuine tiger in this man, says a writer in the Paris Figaro, a something feline and, odd as it must appear, even feminine. The Indian mothers of Mexico have handed their savagery down to their sons, we read their suppleness going with it, and their cat-like furies and their indirections. Porfirio Daiz had an Azetc mother, like Huerta, and those men can be cool, calculating. Villa is on the mother's side pure native Indian. Hence his hopeless illiteracy, his moments of blind rage, his incapacity to act rationally instead of instinctively. He has the blood-lust of the tiger when brought to bay and the vigor of that animal in aggression. There is a suggestion of the tiger in him as he eats, holding a bone with two figures and crunching it ferociously. He is absolutely incomprehensible to a European mind, admits our contemporary, but to his followers he is an idol. The peasantry feel that he is one of them, understands them, has suffered their wrongs. He is alien to the well-bred Spaniard stock which has ruled the land in the capital for so many years. Villa creates no army in a German "pipe-clay sense" with its disciplines and drills. He heads mobs every member of which obeys him implicity.

However much we may admire the Arcadian simplicity of his early life—we learn that until he was 18 he had never seen a book or worn "real" trousers—we must admit that homicide has become too much of a habit with him. While we may deplore his early poverty, we cannot overlook the fact that what galled him most about it was that it prevented his buying a gun and killing somebody for almost two years. When he got the gun he went gunning, and French papers narrate with a shudder of fascinated horror that he soon had 43 notches carved on this same gun, every one of them representing a human life. No doubt he had certain reasons for acquiring the scalps he did; the Diaz government offered a reward of $10,000 for him following his murder of a government representative, and it was his life or that of his pursuers most of the time. Finally he fell in with the Maderos and his fortune was made, for the time being at least. So long as Francesco Madero ruled at Mexico City, Villa was safe. When Madero fell it was all to begin over again. His activities have been largely associated with front page horrors in heavy type for some time now. An English military expert declares him a born soldier of the maximum of fighting efficiency in his own particular field.

Whether he is the half-Indian, half wild beast, the United States papers declare him to be, or the romantic deliverer of his oppressed country, remains for the future to decide. For the time being those 43 nicks on his gun loom very large.

SIR WILLIAM LEVER SUES EDITOR OF LONDON PAPER

London, March 18.—A sensational libel suit, both politically and socially will be heard in the London courts shortly. Sir William Lever, baronet and multi-millionaire soap manufacturer, who recently donated Stafford house to the nation as a museum, is about to bring suit against Cecil Chesterton, editor and owner of the New Witness, which published an article suggesting that Lever's lavish expenditures were really in the form of a bribe. Lever says that the article implies that as the price of his baronetcy he subscribed largely to his party's funds and purchased the ducal mansion for public use.

The suit originated accidentally. Lawyers searching the files of the New Witness in connection with the Marconi libels, discovered the article Sir William complains of.

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Victorian Order of Nurses.

The advisory committee of the Victorian Order of Nurses meets this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the board of trade rooms.

A meeting of the contract holders of the Canadian Home Investment Company will be held in the Board of Trade rooms, City Hall, on Monday evening (March 23) at 8 o'clock, to discuss matters of interest to contract holders. (3115)

Board of Trade.

It is likely that amalgamation with the Progressive association will be formally discussed at the regular monthly meeting of the board of trade tonight at 8 o'clock. The council will meet in the morning to prepare business for the regular session.

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Special Session.

The special meeting of the council to consider the offer of James Brooks of the Westminster Woodworking company, to lease certain city property on which to build a plant will be held this evening at 5 o'clock.

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P. B. Brown will sell by auction at Moreton hall, Edmonds, on Saturday, March 21, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a quantity of apple trees, removed for convenience of sale. These trees were grown in the neighborhood and are thoroughly declimatized and will be sold in quantities to suit buyers. Terms cash. (3108)

Positively Identified.

A verdict of death by drowning was returned at the inquest held over the body of Alex. Campbell found in the Fraser river on Wednesday, at Murchies' undertaking parlors last night. The body was positively identified as that of Campbell by a brother, Capt. Campbell of Gilley's tug. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'cock from the undertaking parlors to the Fraser cemetery.

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New Manager.

Oscar C. Neilson, formerly of Vancouver and well known to baseball fans in this locality, has been appointed manager of the local Western Union telegraph office, vice C. P. Briersmith, who has been transferred to Ellensburg, Wash.

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Increase, Not Decrease.

City Assessor Broad requests The News to correct a statement that appeared in the evening paper in this city last night in respect to the 1914 assessment. This report states that the assessment for this year is $17,000 less than last year, while in reality it is $17,600 greater. The total assessment for 1914 as prepared by Mr. Broad is $16,970,750, whereas last year's assessment was $16,953,150.

Insure in the Royal, the world's largest fire company. Agent, Alfred W. McLeod, the Insurance Man. (3009)

Grab Charley Again.

An interesting case which is expected to bring out a few sidelights as to the means employed in supplying Indians with liquor is booked for this morning's police court when Dago Charley and Jack Peterson will answer charges of illicit sales of liquor to the redmen. Charley was mixed up in a police case at the end of the 1913 fishing season on a similar charge, but was released after a severe warning from the magistrate, after the police had failed to locate the Indian. He was again placed under arrest yesterday morning by Chief Bradshaw and Detective Burrows after gaining what they believe is sufficient evidence to prove that the Italian was connected with a debauch held by Coquitlam Indians earlier in the week. Following Charley's arrest, the police made a hurried visit to Fraser Mills in the police patrol, where they held two Indians who will appear as material witnesses against the Italian and Peterson in court today. Peterson has been previously convicted on a similar charge.

Fred Davis will sell by public auction at the City Auction rooms, opposite the Bank of Montreal, Columbia street, today, Friday, March 20, at 1:30 p.m. sharp, a quantity of superior household furniture, including Malleable steel range, solid oak dining room furniture, Singer sewing machine, Steinway Grand pianoforte, Doherty organ, dressers and stands, bedsteds, springs and mattresses, etc., also about 100 quarts of very fine preserved fruits. (3116)

At a meeting of the International Union of Steam Engineers, New Westminster local last night in the labor temple, W. C. Saunders was appointed business agent and organizer. The New Westminster local has grown rapidly since it was organized last September, there now being 48 members on the roll, while at the outset there were only ten. The jurisdiction of this local, extends from Central Park to the international boundary line on the north and and south and to the boundary of British Columbia and Alberta and the mouth of the Fraser river east and west. Mr. Saunders, the newly appointed organizer, starts today on a tour of the entire territory to interview engineers employed at different points and encourage them to take out membership in the union. At the meeting last night the amendments to the constitution of the B. C. Federation of Labor were taken up and a motion was passed placing the union on record as opposed to militiamen being members of the union and also to the militia force being used against any union men in case of a strike. R. A. Barnard was appointed delegate to the Trades and Labor council.

OBITUARY.

MERCER—The funeral of Mrs. Angus G. Mercer, who died at Port Coquitlam on Wednesday will take place this afternoon at 2:30 from the family residence, Port Coquitlam, to the Church of England cemetery, this city. Rev. Canon d'Easum assisted by Rev. Mr. Mitton of Vancouver will officiate. Those sending floral tributes are requested to leave them at W. E. Fales' parlors.

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Toronto, March 19.—In the roughest game of the series the Torontos again defeated Victoria and thus captured the world's hockey championship. Three games of the five scheduled were played, all being taken by the Blue Shirts, although a stubborn exhibition was given on every occasion by the coast champions. Tonight's game was 2-1 and just about indicates the play.

No scores were recorded in the first period although both custodians were tested considerably. Foyston opened up on the tally sheet two minutes after the second period started, followed by a second by Jack Marshall. That ended Toronto's effort. Bobby Rowe, the midget forward for Victoria, broke into the score sheet four minutes after play was resumed in the last period.

Throughout the game was of a rough character and many penalties were handed out by the officials.

The third straight win for the eastern champions eliminates the necessity of any more games being played. The players divided the receipts taken in, the winners taking the greater proportion.

Line-up.

Victorias		Torontos.
	Goal	
Lindsay		Holmes
	Point	
Genge		Marshall
	Cover Point	
Patrick		Cameron
	Centre	
Poulin		Foyston
	Right Wing	
Dunderdale		Walker
	Left Wing	
Kerr		Davidson

Referee—Bowies.
Judge of Play—Brennan.

Goal Summary.

First Period—None.
Second Period—Foyston (Tor.), 2 minutes; Marshall (Tor.), 6 minutes.
Third Period—Rowe (Vic.), 4 minutes.

MEETING POSTPONED

B. C. L. A. Put Over to Tuesday—Len Turnbull Signs with Victoria—Con Jones and Pro Game.

Contrary to expectations the B. C. L. A. delegates failed to gather yesterday, the announcement later being made that same had been put over until Tuesday next. Victoria tried to hold a meeting on Saturday last, New Westminster attempted the same stunt yesterday, so that it is up to Vancouver to make arrangements if team-play counts for aught.

Even though the association did not meet, things are beginning to simmer in these parts, the information leaking out that Len Turnbull had accepted terms with the Victoria club and that Hugh Gifford would also be in line with the Senators when the season opens.

Joe Gorman, of the Victoria Times, and last year with Con Jones' Vancouver team, was over in the city on Wednesday acting on behalf of the Victoria club, later going over to Vancouver where he is supposed to have signed Mickey Ion and Harry Pickering, the latter as manager.

The Victoria club appears to be going ahead with its plans giving little consideration to New Westminster, who was friendly enough last season to let the Capitals in the association whether they had a team or no. However, the next few days will probably settle the question and in the meantime one can just imagine Robert J. Fleming doubling his efforts to secure some of the coast stars.

Eastern View of Con Jones.

The following interview with Percy Quinn, president of the Dominion Lacrosse association, which appeared in a Montreal paper, throws a few sidelights on the aspect of the game as seen through eastern eyes:

"Things are quiet in lacrosse. Nothing definite will be done till Con Jones returns to the coast, looks into the situation there, and makes a decision as to whether he will once more jump into pro lacrosse or not. He is the moving spirit of lacrosse there, and without him pro lacrosse won't fare very well.

"His power is shown by the manner in which the players have been frightened by the reports to the effect that he will desert pro lacrosse, an impression gained no doubt through his attempt to bring an amateur team here this year.

"As the result several of them have written to R. J. Fleming asking for positions, but he will do nothing till he finds out what Jones intends to do, and advises players to that effect, and it should not be surprising if Jones went back.

"Mr. Jones when in Montreal made a statement to the same effect. His relations with Mr. Fleming are of the friendliest, and when there was talk of sending two pro teams to England, Mr. Fleming was hand in glove with Mr. Jones in the plan, and was to finance the eastern team, while Jones financed that representing the west.

BASEBALL PROSPECTS

Three Teams in Field—Herb Ryall Elected President—Schedule Ready Next Week.

Three teams will comprise the city baseball league this summer according to plans laid out last night at a meeting held in the Hub cigar store.

Bill Graham was on deck with loads of enthusiasm regarding a Moose team, Tommy Walsh spoke in the same vein regarding the newly organized Knights of Columbus aggregation while the Electrics were also on deck. Allan Purvis, interurban manager of the B. C. E. R., was elected honorary president, while the president's office will be looked after by Herb Ryall. George Speck will handle the reins in the absence of Mr. Ryall, while C. W. Baber will act as secretary.

Several new players will be seen in uniform this summer including Oscar Neilsen, who has seen service with the Circle F nine for several years, but who, until recently has resided in Vancouver. A committee composed of Messrs. Hutchison, Walsh and Graham was appointed to draft a schedule which will be submitted at the next meeting to be held on Thursday night of next week.

Schools Will Clash.

The Cannaught high school and the Columbian college will clash in a friendly game of basketball this evening at the Y. M. A. C. at 8 o'clock. This will be the second time that these two teams have come together, the former game going to the high school by a large score.

Against Niagara Courts.

Sydney, N. S. W., March 19.—The Australian tennis team is anxious that the elimination match with the Canadian team in the Davis cup series shall be played in New York instead of Niagara. A request has been forwarded to the United States Lawn Tennis association to this effect.

Regina Celebrates.

Regina, March 19.—The Grandmere hockey team was given a royal send-off this evening. Heading an automobile parade and escorted by the 95th rifle band and several thousand cheering enthusiasts, the boys were conveyed to the station, where cheer after cheer was given. A joint committee composed of aldermen and citizens is arranging for a mammoth demonstration at the winter fair building in honor of the Allan cup holders and the Western Canada rugby champions.

ELECT OFFICERS

Gun Club Organizes for 1914—Plan Good Friday Shoot—Site in Queensboro Available.

The election of officers, preparations made for the annual Good Friday shoot and discussion as to trap-shooting in general throughout the city and district was gone into at the annual meeting of the Westminster Gun club last night in the office of C. A. Welsh.

It was given out that the land owned by W. S. Collister in Queensboro would again be available as a shooting site for the club.

Officers elected were as follows: Honorary president, W. S. Collister; honorary vice-presidents, C. A. Welsh, W. Norman Bole, C. G. Major, Alderman Henley; president, Alex Turnbull; vice-president, A. H. Turner; secretary-treasurer, J. P. Price; captain, W. E. Maiden; executive, J. Eagle, Dr. P. D. McSween and L. G. Sharpe.

No decision was reached as to changing the time of the weekly shoots, this being left until the next meeting.

Team Selected.

The following team will represent the City against Sapperton on Saturday afternoon in a city league fixture: H. Ray, McAllister, Collier, Hunter, Barnes, Wilson, Lewis, Paul, McLaren, Barclay, H. S. Wray, Walker, Jackson Ward, H. Wilson, Davies and Newsome. The referee will be Longley.

Vancouver 70, Westminster 28.

George Tuck's aggregation representing the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. was too strong for the local basketball team last night on the Terminal City court, taking the last game of the inter-city league series by a score of 70 to 28. The contest was keenly fought throughout and was remarkably clean.

CLASSY CENTRE

Blackburn Rovers Pay $15,000 Transfer Fee for Dawson, of Hearts of Midlothian.

Percy Dawson, the famous centre forward of the Hearts of Midlothian, whose transfer to the Blackburn Rovers for $15,000 recently created a sensation in British soccer circles has been wanted by the league leaders for some time, but the Hearts could not be persuaded to consider any tempting offers.

This has been especially the case this season, for the Hearts opened strongly, and were keen on annexing the two chief prizes in Scottish football. Their dismissal from the Scottish cup competition a week or two ago by Raith Rovers, and the fact that the championship of the league has got beyond their grasp owing to the phenomenal form of the celebrated Celtic, has, however, caused them to reconsider their decision, and thus to permit Dawson to severe his connection with the Hearts, of whom he has been one of the most distinguished members during his three years' connection with them.

The fact is not generally known that he is an Englishman, having been born in the Newcastle district, but it sufficiently explains why the Scottish selection committee have not called upon him for international matches, as he is considered to be without a superior as a centre-forward beyond the Tweed, not even excepting the two Reids, who play with Glasgow Rangers and Airdrienonians respectively.

He is possessed of every physical attribute for the position. Just one inch short of six feet in height, he weighs 12st., and has a fine turn of speed, which he uses to the greatest advantage in rushing opposite backs. Once in possession he is exceedingly difficult to shake off, and he has a big reputation as a shot, proof of which is to be found in his record of 90 goals scored for the Hearts of which 35 were obtained last season but one.

It was only to be expected that a centre-forward who has had the advantage of playing alongside such a consummate artiste as "Bobby" Walker for at least two seasons should have developed the ability to distribute the play to both of his wings impartially, and especially to become a clever opportunist. He has proved a decided acquisition to the Edinburgh club, and in parting with him the Hearts' directors wish him even greater success with the Blackburn Rovers.

Dawson is undoubtedly the centre-forward of Scotland, and described as being without an equal for taking opportunities and making the most of them. With a forward on each side of him who could assist him to openings, Dawson required a great deal of stopping, and was not to be flurried off his game by the persistence of the sturdiest defenders.

At the Theatres

"THE COUNTRY GIRL."

"The Country Girl," a delightful four act comedy drama, will be the opening play by the Kenworthy players with Helen Duffy at the Royal theatre Monday and Tuesday nights. This play is a beautiful story of love amidst humble surroundings of New England life and drifting of the story brings the action to New York City. Miss Duffy as "The Country Girl" has received the highest of praise for her clean cut work throughout the west. It is a character that allows a wide scope for the display of dramatic ability and in the fourth act a chance for the showing of beautiful gowns. The supporting company has been well cast and all who enjoy a beautiful play filled with good sparkling comedy and correctly staged with special scenery should not miss "The Country Girl."

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MAN AND WIFE PLEAD GUILTY TO THIEVING

Spokane, March 19.—Ray and Fay Smith, husband and wife, also known as Bensinger, pleaded guilty before Justice G. W. Stocker yesterday on a charge of larceny. They admitted the theft of articles from department stores. Sentence was reserved by the court until today to permit further investigation by Deputy Prosecutor Thomas Corkery, who expressed the belief that there was basis for a charge of grand larceny.

Attorney John M. Cannon, representing the defendants, said he had met them as witnesses several months ago. He volunteered the statement that the young woman had been in trouble before, but said that it was several years ago. He said she had behaved well until recently. She is the daughter of a clergyman.

The husband has been employed as chef in local restaurants. Her peculations are believed to have proceeded for two months before the husband learned of them. He subsequently joined her in them.

Roy Fordyce, city detective, told the court of the woman's confession, and of the aid she gave in restoring the goods to their respective owners. An hour or more was spent in the work of segregation alone, as she had a trunk filled with articles of attire and adornment.

A second box of garments was surrended by the defendants yesterday. It is believed that the second box will add $100 to the value of the goods in the first box, placed at $560.

Mrs. Smith is the mother of a little girl.

Social and Personal

Mrs. John J. McNiven will receive this afternoon with her mother, Mrs. Burrell, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. R. D. Hendry, 40 Leopold Place, will not receive today nor again this season.

KODAKS AND Photo Supplies
FREE INSTRUCTIONS
CURTIS REXALL DRUG STORE

EDISON THEATRE
Special Feature
THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
The Temple of the Lion
THE THIRD OF THE SERIES OF
Adventures of Kathlyn
The Selig Sensational serial wild animal drama in two parts, featuring Miss Kathlyn Williams.
Song by P. Murphy
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GOOD EATS AT THE ROYAL Café
DOMINION TRUST BLOCK

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Fresh Ranch Eggs, 4 dozen	$1.00
Best New Zealand Butter, 3 lbs.	1.00
Fresh Rabbits, each	.25
Sugar Cured Hams	.21
Sugar Cured Ham, heavy	.18
Sugar Cured Bacon	.22
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Call and arrange for regular account.
FRASER VALLEY MARKET
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SOCIETY BRAND CLOTHES
are worn by the best dressers in the world. See the new black and white patterns now on display in our shop.
Price: $18.00 and More
A. S. MILLS & Co.
Smart Apparel for the Younger Men 16 to 60.

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AGENCIES.

CLASSIFIED ADS WILL BE Received for The News at the following places: F. T. Hill's drug store, 628 Columbia street; A. Sprice, Queensborough, Lulu Island; Mrs. E. Larden, Highland Park; Mrs. V. Lewis, Alta Vista.

RATES.

Classified—One cent per word per day; 4c per word per week; 15c per month; 5000 words, to be used as required within one year from date of contract,, $25.00.

UNION LABEL 4

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WHAT HAVE YOU TO EXCHANGE for my equity of $670 in 15 1-3 acres, balance due, $980; house worth $100, garden and fruit trees, 10 acres easily cleared, soil the best. Three-quarters of mile from Aldergrove. Box 3101 News office. (3101)

MAN AND WIFE WANT TO RENT nicely furnished house. Apply box No. 3092 News office. (3092)

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WANTED — HOUSEHOLD FURNIture, or stocks in trade, in large or small quantities, highest price paid. Or Fred Davis will sell your goods by public auction with guaranteed results, or no commission charged. See the expert on furniture before you give your goods away. Address Fred Davis, 548 Columbia street, New Westminster. (3014)

TO RENT

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT, with or without board, 515 Eleventh street. Phone 1060 L. (3112)

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT, 420 St. George street. (3107)

TO RENT—IN BURNABY, HOUSE with all modern conveniences, three public rooms, large hall, five bedrooms, kitchen pantry, hot and cold water, bath room, large basement, furnace, electric light and convenient to car. Rent moderate. Apply Box 3106 News office. (3106)

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE, modern, large garden, 223 Fourth avenue, $20 per month. Dominion Trust Company. (3098)

FOR RENT—FURNISHED AND UNfurnished suites and single rooms; modern, convenient, light and sanitary. Apply on premises, Twelfth street and Sixth avenue. Mrs. Mandeville, floor 2, suite 1, or Gray & Gilchrist. (3073)

FOR RENT—IF YOU HAVE ROOMS to rent try an ad. in this column.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WESTMINSTER.

Holden at New Westminster.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Greenway, Deceased, and in the Matter of the "Administration Act."

TAKE NOTICE that by order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Gregory, dated the 26th day of February, A.D. 1914, I was appointed Administrator of all and singular the Estate of the said Deceased and that notice of such order was thereby ordered to be published for two weeks in a New Westminster daily newspaper.

And further take notice that all persons indebted to the above estate are required to pay me the amount of their indebtedness forthwith, and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to present them to me duly verified by affidavit on or before the 10th day of April, A.D. 1914, after which date I will proceed to distribute the said estate having regard only to such claims as are then properly before me.

C. G. MAJOR,
Official Administrator.

Dated this 11th day of March, A.D. 1914. (3075)

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re part of Lot 167, Group 2, and of the northeast portion of the northeats quarter of Section 3, Township 2, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 4311F, issued in the name of John Allen Wilson, has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

J. C. GWYNN,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, B.C., January 28, 1914. (2986)

HEE CHUNG

MERCHANT TAILOR.

Spring Suitings just arrived. See them. Perfect fit and workmanship guaranteed. Prices from $18.00 up. 701 Front Street.

Dairy Produce Lower.

Ottawa, March 16.—The department of labor's index number of wholesale prices stood at 136.1 for February as compared with 136.5 in January and 135.8 in February, 1913. Dairy produce, especially eggs, were lower, poultry, sheep, cattle and beef showing declines but grains and feed and hogs averaged somewhat lower.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—TWO CHOICE LOTS at Maple Beach Park, Boundary Bay. Apply Box 999 News offiec.

FOR SALE—FOOT POWER MORtising machine. For particulars apply at The News office.

FOR SALE—TWO CIRCULAR SAWS and saw table complete. Apply at The News office.

FOR SALE—SELL YOUR PROPerty through an ad. in this column.

FOR SALE—$1.00 DOWN, $1.00 PER week, Canada's Pride Malleable Ranges; every one guaranteed. Market square. (3010)

COLLECTIONS.

BAD DEBTS COLLECTED EVERYwhere. *No collection, no charge* **American-Vancouver Mercantile Agency, 336 Hastings street west, Vancouver.** (3011)

AUCTION SALES.

FURNITURE, STORE STOCKS AND **farm sales conducted. Furniture bought for cash. P. B. Brown, 17 Begbie street, New Westminster.** (3013)

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 1, Subdiivsion of Lot 396, Group 1, Map 830, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the lost of Certificate of Title Number 6524F, issued in the name of John A. Campbell has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

J. C. GWYNN,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster B. C.,
12th March, 1904. (3082)

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JOB PRINTING
of all kinds.
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59 McKenzie St.

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When going on a long journey if on our railway there will be no annoyance of transfer nor delay.
Toronto Express leaves at..7:50 a.m.
St. Paul train leaves at 1:25 p. m.
Imperial Limited leaves at 8:10 p.m.
For rate and reservations apply to

E. GOULET,
Agent.

Or H. W. BRODIE, G. P. A., Vancouver

HERBERT P. VIDAL & CO. LIMITED
STEAMSHIP AGENTS — CUSTOMS BROKERS & FORWARDERS — WAREHOUSING
H.P. V & Co.
STORAGE
D. D. WILSON, Manager.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for addition to and alteration of the heating and ventilating systems, Public Building, Victoria, B.C.," will be received at this office until 4 p.m., on Thursday, April 16, 1914, for the construction of the aforesaid addition and alteration.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of Wm. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B.C.; on application to the Postmaster, Vancouver, B.C., and at this Department.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent. (10 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, March 12, 1914.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—56590. (3100)

RAISED CHEQUE FROM $1 TO $3500

Clever Crooks Victimized Eastern Bank That Had Had a Warning.

Montreal, March 19.—Private detectives are scouring the Island of Montreal and the adjacent counties on the mainland in search of a gang of expert forgers, who have recently accomplished a $3,500 fraud, by means of raising an accepted cheque on a Montreal bank from $1.10 to $3500, chemically erasing the original figures.

The theft marks the affair as having been handled by an expert gang. The little town of Varennes, in the county of Verchenes, is the seat of the actual fraud, and a hotel keeper there is the victim. On February 22 last he received a long-distance telephone call from Montreal, and had a conversation, as he thought, with a friend of his here with whom he had often had dealing in horses.

"Can we get any horses in Varennes?' 'came over the wire.

"I will find out. Call me tomorrow," replied the innkeeper.

On the morrow the telephone rang again: "Yes, we can get some horses here," was the information given to the Montreal end.

"All right," said the supposed friend. "I am too busy to come down myself, but I will send one of my men with a cheque, and you can see what you can get."

The Horse Deal.

On the following day a man arrived in Varennes from Montreal. He and the hotelkeeper spent a day purchasing horses, and finished with seven on order.

"Take the cheque," said the man from Monttreal, as he proffered an accepted cheque on a Montreal bank for $3500 signed by the Montreal horsedealer. "I will go back to the city and will let you know tomorrow whether we will take the horses or not."

True to his word, the man telephoned on the following day, saying that the horses would be accepted.

"Take the cheque to your bank," he told the unsuspecting innkeeper, "pay it in and draw out cash. Pay for the horses, but as I need the money I will send a man to Bout de l'Ile for the cash, if you will take it there."

The hotelkeeper paid in the accepted cheque, which was credited to his account, paid for the horses, and went to Bout de l'Ile with a cheque on his own bank for $590 and the balance of the money in cash. There he was met by a man who took the money.

The affair now moves to Montreal. The bank at Varennes sent the cheque here, but the bank in the city found that no such cheque had been accepted on February 22. A rapid search of all cheques passed that day was made and one was found to be missing—an accepted cheque for $1.19.

Cheque Was Raised.

Suspicions were soon aroused, and when a microscopic examination revealed that the $1.19 cheque had been raised to one for $3,500 detectives were placed on the case and banks in the district were warned to be on the lookout for the $590 cheque which the hotelkeeper had given to the man at Bout de l'Ile.

Nothing was heard until two days ago, when a young woman walked into a bank Vaudreuil—and cashed the $590 cheque, stating that she was there for the purpose of buying land.

With this clue to work on, the detectives are expecting to get the whole gang in a day or two.

BANKER GUNMAN RELEASED FROM ASYLUM

Spokane, March 19.—Frank J. Kline, a local banker and lumberman, who was committed to the asylum at Medical Lake last April after he became mentally unbalanced and shot F. C. Riff, of Leavenworth, has been released on a court order from Presiding Judge William Huneke, which provides that Mr. Kline must remain outside the state with his wife until he has fully recovered from his business worries.

The release of Mr. Kline, who has already left for southern California with his wife, followed a private conference Monday between the judge and witnesses. Dr. J. M. Semple, the former superintendent of the hospital, and Dr. Oliver, acting superintendent, suggested that the banker be released on parole. They advised, however, that he be removed from this region pending his complete recovery, as he had apparently not fully rallied from the nervous breakdown.

Attorney Horace Kimball accompanied Mrs. Kline and witnesses to the courtroom Monday, when plans were discussed for the release. It was finally decided that Mrs. Kline should give a $1,000 bond, after which she should leave immediately with her husband for California. She expects to visit Honolulu during the coming year before returning to Spokane if Mr. Kline should continue to improve.

Mr. Kline, who was manager of the Mechanics' Loan and Trust company and the Lamb-Davis Lumber company, shot F. C. Rigg, superintendent of the lumber company, while in the Tumwater savings bank at Leavenworth, April 2, last year.

Mrs. Kline complained that her husband had threatened to kill her and asked that he be committed to the asylum.

Smoke Fewer Cigars.

Ottawa, March 18.—The receipts of the department of inland revenue for February amounted to $1,593,915, as compared with $1,740,783 during February, 1913. The figures indicate a falling off in the production and use of malt, spiritous liquors, cigars, etc., at the present time as compared with a year ago, due in a measure, no doubt, to the financial stringency which has prevailed.

Oppose Municipal Gazette.

Edmonton, March 18.—Application has been made before Chief Justice Harvey by C. F. Newell, K.C., acting for Mark Tookey, Edmonton South, to quash the resolution of the city council authorizing the publication of the municipal gazette. In other words an argument seeking an injunction will be heard for a restraining order on the city from further publication of the gazette. The chief justice asked for seven days clear notice and the motion made by Mr. Newell is returnable in the supreme court on Monday, March 31.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION

At the Fisheries Wharf, Sapperton, B.C., on Thursday, the twenty-sixth day of March, 1914, at two o'clock p.m.
THE GASOLINE SCHOONER ACTIVE
and
THE GASOLINE LAUNCH BONITA
with equipment and furniture.

Approximate length of "Active" 58 ft.; beam, 15 ft. 6 in.; engine, 50 h.p., 3-cylinder, 4-cycle, "Frisco Standard."

"Bonita," approximate length, 27 ft. 6 in.; beam, 7 ft.; depth, 3 ft. 6 in.; engine, 5 h.p. "Palmer."

Further particulars and order to inspect boats can be obtained at the Dominion Fisheries Office, New Westminster.

F. H. CUNNINGHAM,
Chief Inspector of Fisheries.
New Westminster, B.C., March 20, 1914. (3076)

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE OF CANADA

Entrance Examination, 1914.

It is notified for the information of all concerned that Squad and Company Drill (practical) is added to the list of voluntary subjects for the Entrance Examination of the Royal Military College, 1914. Marks will be awarded as follows:

	Maximum	Minimum
Squad Drill	100	50
Company Drill	100	50

The authorized text Book for this subject is "Infantry Training, 1911," Part II and Sections 1 and 2 of Part III. This book can be obtained from Officers Commanding Divisions and Districts, price 25 cents.

V. A. S. WILLIAMS, Colonel,
Adjutant General.

Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, March 9, 1914.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the department.
H.Q. 74-3-1.—57401. (3114)

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Court of Revision, 1914.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first meeting of the Court of Revision for the Assessment Roll of the City of New Westminster will be held in the City Hall, New Westminster, B.C. on Thursday, April 16, 1914, at 10 a.m. All appeals against the Assessment must be in writing, and delivered to the Assessment Commissioner at least ten days previous to the sitting of the said Court of Revision.

Dated at New Westminster, B.C., this 2nd day of March, 1914.

W. A. DUNCAN,
(3621) City Clerk.

Abolish Treasury Board.

Toronto, March 16.—Controller Church moved in the city council to abolish the treasury board and transfer the duties to the board of control. He charged that the treasury board was utilized to allow the city treasurer to place upon it the responsibility for giving out any information regarding the city's finances. Ald. Meredith seconded the motion and it was carried. Alderman F. S. Spence contended that the board of control is the proper body to look after the city treasurer's department and to give information to the council.

BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

Our Interior Finish is manufactured from timber specially selected for Flat Grain.

We are also specializing in Fir Doors with Veneered Panels, which are better in construction, more beautiful and no more expensive than the old solid raised panel doors.

Get our prices before placing your orders.

"THE FRASER RIVER MILLS"
(CANADIAN WESTERN LUMBER CO., LTD.)
Local Sales Department, Phone 890.

TO FARMERS AND GARDENERS

We have received a consignment of HYDRATED LIME FERTILIZER which is highly recommended.

Lime is almost as important for the successful growth of plants as sunshine and water.

PER TON, $12.50
Special Rates in Carload Lots.
GILLEY BROS., LIMITED
Phones 15 and 16. 902 Columbia Street W.

FRASER VALLEY LINE---B. C. ELECTRIC

SATURDAY EVENING "OWL" SPECIAL.

Operated for the convenience of residents of the western section of the South Fraser Valley who desire to visit New Westminster or Vancouver on Saturday evenings for shopping trips, to attend theatres, etc.

RUNNING SCHEDULE

Westbound		Eastbound.	
Jardine	6:05 p.m.	Vancouver, Carrall St	11:25 p.m.
New Westminster	7:00 p.m.	New Westminster	12:15 a.m.
Vancouver	7:45 p.m.	Jardine	1:00 a.m.

This train runs through to Vancouver and will be in service every Saturday evening. (Subject to cancellation or change of schedule without notice.)

Week-end rates are granted on the "Owl" special but such tickets are good only for return on the same evening. Passengers will also be carried on regular tickets under the usual arrangements for return passage.

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY

$ A DOLLAR Spent at home reacts in its benefits with unceasing general profit. Sent out of town it's life is ended. Kept with the home merchants it is a messenger of continuous benefit. Business men should awake to the importance of keeping this dollar at home and make a bid for it by judicious advertising.

Noblesse Oblige

Rank imposes obligations—
or—as the French put it—"Noblesse Oblige."

It is a very natural and right principle that those who by their position in life command the respect of others should deserve it and be worthy of maintaining their position. "Much is expected of those in high station."

But this principle is not confined to persons of noble birth—it has a hundred applications. It applies, for example, to those manufacturers of reputation and prestige who make goods of high quality and who advertise them constantly in the newspapers of the land.

By their advertising they have attained an eminence where the very best in quality and good service is expected of them. They have set a standard and their very business life depends on the constant maintenance of it.

So that when you buy advertised articles you rest assured that you are getting the best value that money can buy.

Well may you place your faith in advertised goods. Well may you give them preference over articles which you can only hope may prove satisfactory.

For the principle of "Noblesse Oblige" is your guarantee of excellence in Advertised Goods.

If you are doing a local business talk over your advertising problems with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.
If you are doing a provincial or national business it would be well for you to have the counsel and assistance of a good advertising agency. A list of these will be furnished, without cost or obligation, by the Secretary of Canadian Press Association, Room 503, Lumsden Building, Toronto.

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Business

Conditions Are Steadily Improving

Help along the good work by pushing YOUR business. Place your order now for advertising space in THE NEWS, and use it every day.

You will be surprised at the amount of extra business you will pick up. Besides you will help keep trade in New Westminster.

There may be business going out of town that you might have if your advertisement was in THE NEWS to direct people to your store.

DOWN TOWN OFFICE

FOR CLASSIFIED ADS.

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STOCKS

Orders in Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Cotton executed for cash or on margin in Montreal, New York and Chicago.
Direct private wire to Montreal and New York.

SUTHERLAND & ARDAGH

Stock Brokers.

Telephone 817. 316-317 Westminster Trust Building.

LOCAL AND FOREIGN MARKETS

MARKET RELAPSED AFTER EARLY RALLY

Small Advances Checked Before the Session at New York Is One Hour Old.

New York, March 19.—The market reversed its course at the opening this morning and small advances were recorded in the early trading, Lehigh rising good sized fraction on covering by shorts, put out in anticipation of announcement of the government suit. The general tone of the market was good, but on very moderate advance the entire market relapsed into extreme dullness and from then till the close the trading was made up almost entirely of swapping of stocks among the traders on the floor of the exchange. The pool in Central Leather took hold of this stock and marked it up to the highest of the year on reports that the dividend would be increased. Tobacco continued to show marked strength and there was moderate advance in the firtilizers on the prospect of good demand for their products from the increased area which is likely to be put into crops this year.

The Rock Island stocks continued to be depressed, the Fours making new low price at 37. The tone in the final dealings was steady. Total sales 143,521.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

(Quotations furnished over the private wire of Sutherland & Ardagh.)

The following are yesterday's quotations.

	Open.	Close
Am. Can.	30⅛	30
Amal. Copper	75⅛	75⅛
Am. Car Foundry	51½	51¾
American Locomotive	35⅜	35⅜
American Smelting	69¼	69½
Am. Tel. & Tel.	123⅛	123⅜
Anaconda	35¾	35¾
Atchison Com.	97¼	97¼
Balt. & Ohio Com.	89¼	89¾
Ches. & Ohio	52⅝	53⅛
Canadian Pacific	206¾	207⅛
Chino	42	42
Erie Com.	28⅞	29
Great Northern Pfd.	127¼	127⅛
Lehigh	145½	146¼
Mex. Petroleum	68¾	69¼
Mo. Pacific	24	24⅛
New York Central	91	91
Nor. & West.	103	103½
Northern Pacific	112½	112½
Penn.	111	111¼
Reading Com.	164⅜	164½
Rock Island	4⅛	3⅞
Southern Ry.	25¼	25⅜
So. Pacific	94⅝	94⅝
Un. Pac. Com.	157⅞	158
U. S. Steel Com.	64	64¼
U. S. Steel Pfd.	110	110
U. S. Rubber Com.	61¼	61⅛
Westinghouse	76⅜	78⅜
Textile	81½	81½
Toronto Ry.	138½	138½
Tuckett's Tobacco	40	40
Twin City	105	105
Winnipeg Electric	206	206

BRAZIL AGAIN WEAK FEATURE

Opens Lower But Advances Half a Point in Afternoon Session—Market Generally Quiet.

Montreal, March 19.—Brazil was again the weak feature opening at 80, a point and a half below the previous close. It sold at this price all morning, but advanced half a point during the afternoon. There seemed to be selling for London account and fractional advance was made after the close of that market.

Power reacted to 224½. Iron was in good demand at 32½. R. O. was well bought at 103½ and seemed to be well supported at that price. The rest of the market was quiet. In the unlisted department Tram Power was 32½ and Brick 50.

MONTREAL STOCK MARKET.

(Quotations furnished over private wire of Sutherland & Ardagh.)

Ruling quotations on the Montreal stock market yesterday were:

	Open.	Close.
B. C. Packers	139	139
Bell Telephone	151	151
Brazil	80	80⅜
Canada Cement	30½	30½
Canadian Pacific	206¾	207
Can. Cotton Com.	32	32
Canadian Converters	38	38
Detroit United	71	71
Dominion Canners	62	62
Dom. Iron & Steel Corp.	30½	30½
Ill. Traction	67	67
Lake of Woods Com.	130	130
Laurentide	186	186
A. McDonald	17	17
Mackay Com.	84	84
Montreal Power	225¼	224½
Nova Scotia	75	75
Ogilvie Flour Com. ex div.	118	118
Ogilvie Flour Co. ex div.	118	118
Ottawa Power	150	150
Penman Ltd.	52	52
Quebec Ry.	15	15
R. & O. Nav. Co.	102¾	103
Shawinigan	137	137¾
Steel Co. of Can. Com.	17	17
Spanish River	14	14

AVERAGE MARKET WILL RULE THIS MORNING

The market today promises to be about the average for the season. Potatoes will likely retail at $1 a sack retail and $16 to $18 wholesale. Eggs are expected to be plentiful and housewives who are seeking to fill their larders with "guaranteed laid less than one week" brand will be offered a fine opportunity to do so this morning. Wholesale quotations for eggs will be about the same as last week. The high prices paid for poultry last week are not expected to be maintained, the market authorities quoting 19 to 22 cents a pound live-weight for today.

TABOO SHOWS IN SEATTLE CAFES

No Group Acts, Trios or Dancing Permitted Under New Order—Managers Weep.

Seattle, March 19.—Cafe proprietors complied with the orders issued by Chief of Police Griffiths yesterday compelling them to withdraw all so-called cabaret features from their entertainment program. Last night cafe patrons were surprised to find that dancing, duos, trios, quartets and skits were tabooed and soloists and orchestral music substituted.

"It's like a graveyard in here," said one patron, pulling on his overcoat and paying the waiter at the Hofbrau. "Why they're singing the Rosary."

"Somebody's crabbed the act," declared another cafe patron, disgustedly at the Breakers. "They have canned Hazel."

Hazel, let it be known, is a pantomine singer, who depends as much upon her vivacious imitation of a boxer in the ring and a singing act with a male balladist as upon the dulcet tons of her voice to "put it over."

Chief and Inspector in Cafes.

Chief Griffiths and Acting Inspector Powers visited some of the cafes last night to discover first hand if the cafes were obeying the order promulgated yesterday.

"What is a cabaret and what isn't a cabaret?" inquired C. H. Barnett, who with his partner in the Hofbrau, Will E. Keyes, discussed the order. "I asked Chief Griffiths to tell me the definition of a cabaret show in his office at police headquarters yesterday afternoon. We have had to discharge our chorus and engage an orchestra. The thing's absurd, of course, as the cutting out of the choruses and duets and the rest does not determine the character of the cafe. The management of the cafe and not the amusement, is what counts."

WILY CHINESE IS FORCED TO PAY UP

Victoria, March 19.—In the police court yesterday the devious paths taken by the wily Chinee in ekeing out a living were disclosed to an interested crowd. Frank Chew, a placid Oriental, was the accused. He was charged with carrying on business without securing the required license or having taken out a transient trader's bond.

Instead of this, Chew bought an ordinary license for $5, informing the city treasurer that he was taking a Pandora avenue store. As a blind, he had a 4x4 "hole-in-the-wall," which he never used. He then proceeded to bring hay and feed of various descriptions from Seattle, Vancouver and other adjacent cities, in the meantime working up a list of local patrons, who carried the goods from the wharf on delivery. Because of the lack of overhead expense, Chew was able to underprice all the local merchants, and consequently did a flourishing business.

J. Caldwell, of the Pacific Transfer company, told of paying the Chinaman $510, while W. C. Rolam, foreman of the Hudson's Bay stable in Vancouver, stated that he had delivered hay, straw and potatoes to Chew running into $2,000.

Chew was found guilty, the evidence being overfleming. Hhe was fined $600, or two months in jail. As he denied his ability to pay, it is probable that he will spend a period in durance vile.

SEATTLE POLICE MAKE OVER HUNDRED ARRESTS

Seattle, March 19.—A clean-up of the city below Yesler way by the police began last night, and at midnight one hundred suspicious persons had been rounded up by the police, with orders that they must leave town unless they can convince the police that they are all right.

At 8 o'clock when the regular police were sent out for their night patrol, they were told this had to be done.

Saloons were visited, also freight yards and all box cars, and every man who looked suspicious was taken into custody and is held at the police station awaiting investigation as to whether he ought to be allowed to remain in the city.

See the Fashion Displays in Our Windows Today

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

CARPET CLEANING.

Carpets, Furniture, etc., cleaned perfectly by the Vacuum Cleaner. No necessity to lift your carpets. The Vacuum cleans them where they lie, removing every particle of dust. Phone us and we will give you a price for cleaning one or all of your carpets.

The New Westminster AND FRASER VALLEY Department Store

TELEPHONE NO. 73.

See the Fashion Displays in Our Windows Today

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

CARPET SWEEPERS.

A Carpet Sweeper once used is always used. It sweeps thoroughly, makes no noise and raises no dust. A Bissel's Ball-Bearing Sweeper will last ten or fifteen years and outlast fifty brooms. Price each **$3.75**

BIG STOCKS OF NEW GOODS AT SNAP PRICES FOR BARGAIN DAY---FRIDAY

Pongee Silks in Big Demand-- Our Values Were Never so Good

Natural Pongees; 26 inches wide. Per yard **45c**

Natural Pongee, 34 inches wide. Per yard **45c**

Natural Pongee; 36 inches wide. Per yard **75c**

COLORED PONGEES.

The colors are perfectly fast and in splendid shades, black, pink, sky, leather, seal, brown, reseda, champagne, wine, helio, cream, navy, gray, etc.; 26 inches wide. Per yard **49c**

CREPE BROCADE.

Demand for this weave was never so strong as at present. We are showing the newest in a very neat dainty colored design, on white ground and others with jacquard designs, in shades of pale blue, pink, black, cream, rose, gray and new blue; all 40 inches wide. Price, per yard at..... **$1.95 TO $2.50**

NEW SPRING COATINGS.

Just the correct weight and style; 54 to 60 inches wide; in plain shade or the new checks in gray and blue, gray and tango, gray and red, gray and dark gray; etc.; plain shades in navy, cream, brown, red, new blue, cardinal and tan. Price, per yard ..... **$1.25 TO $2.25**

Two lots of Corset Cover Embroidery will be shown: First line includes values up to 35c per yard. On sale at two yards for **50c**

Second set; values up to 89c. Per yard **50c**

Unbleached Cotton Sheeting; 72 inches wide; will wear for years. Friday Special, per yard **32½c**

Market Day Specials from the Staple and Linen Depts

7-4 Unbleached Cotton Bed Ticking; for single and three-quarter size bed; reg. 30c value. Friday Special **22½c**

Large White Turkish Bath Towels; heavy weave and absorbent; size 22x50; regular 65c per pair. Friday Special, per pair **50c**

Strong Irish Crash Roller Toweling; 16 and 17 inches; in half bleached and brown; hard wearing grades. Friday Special **10c**

Heavy Weave Chambray; in gray; suitable for men's shirts; 29 inches wide. Special, per yard **15c**

Plain White and Colored Striped Flannelette; close weave and pure fininsh; regular 12½c value. Friday Special, per yard **10c**

Strong Cream Dowlas; for cooking aprons, etc; 36 inches wide. Friday Special, per yard **25c**

Fine Longcloth; of even weave; 36 inches wide. Friday Special **9c**

Extra Fine Weave English Cambric; 42 inches wide, perfectly free from filling. Friday Special, per yard **20c**

Three Specials in Sheer Nainsook; 36 inches wide. Per yard at 13½c, 17½c and **20c**

Fine Madapolams; a litte heavier than Nainsook; especially adapted for ladies' and children's underwear; 35 inches wide. Per yard ..... **12½c AND 15c**

An assorted lot of Pure Linen Huckaback Towels; size 19x38; damask borders; scalloped edges; also with fringed ends; a splendid face towel. Friday Special, per pair **60c**

Pillow Cases; made from English cotton; free from starch; size 42x33; regular 35c value. Per pair **25c**

Fully Bleached Cotton Sheets; made from heavy grade English Cotton Sheeting; size 70x90; hemmed ready for use. Special, per pair **$1.50**

White Grecian Bedspreads; good wearing quality; size 68x80; each, $1.25. Size 70x90, at, each **$1.50**

Heavy Grade English Manufactured Cotton Bed Sheeting; 70 inches wide; will wear well. Special, per yard **30c**

Bleached Union Damask Tabling; 54 inches wide; pretty floral effect. Special at, per yard **39c**

Typical Samples of the Values You Can Get in Our Furniture Dept.

The best Couch value ever offered; covered in imitation Spanish; generally sold for $16.50. Our Price **$11.00**

A Roll-edge Couch; upholtsered in best quality velour. Special Price **$10.50**

CRIBS FOR THE KIDDIES.

Steel Cribs, in white, blue or Vernis Martin finish; with swing side. Style No. 1.—Crib alone. Special **$7.25**

Crib with Mattress $8.50

Style No. 2, with drop side—Crib alone. Special **$9.50**

Crib with Mattress $11.25

High Chair, in golden maple. Special **$1.85**

Go-Carts; collapsible; strong, well-made; large hood; rubber tired wheels. McAllister's Special at **$5.75**

Sulkies; with reversible back and pad spring seat. McAllister's Special value **$2.75**

Mattresses—Ostermoor. Special, at **$13.50**

Our Special "Goodnight" All-Felt Mattress. Friday and Saturday **$4.95**

The Labor of Housework Lessened at a Small Cost Today

Handy Kitchen Utensils That Save You Time and Money.

Heavy Re-Tinned Mixing Spoons, each **10c**

Wire Potato Mashers, each **15c**

Dish Mops; each **10c**

Five-inch Rubber Sink Stoppers; each **35c**

Table Scrubs; each **10c**

Wire Soap Savers; each **10c**

Paring Knives; each **10c**

Wire Egg Beaters; each 5c and **10c**

Chopping Knives; each **15c**

Re-Tinned Skimmers; each **15c**

Carborundum Knife Sharpeners; each **35c**

Machine Oilers, each 5c, 10c and **15c**

Black Jack Stove Paste; regular 10c; three for **25c**

Victor Flour Sifters, regular 20c each, at **15c**

Dover Egg Beaters; each 10c and **15c**

Longhandled Dustpans; regular 25c.; each **10c**

Universal Bread Mixers; $2.75 size. Special for **$2.25**

Universal Bread Mixers; $3.25 size. Special for **$2.75**

Deep Bread Tins; each 10c. and **15c**

Large Round Vegetable Graters; regular 20c.; each **15c**

Tin Dippers; regular 10c; each **5c**

White and Gold Cups and Saucers; regular $1.75 dozen; each **10c**

White and Gold Egg Cups; three for **10c**

Blue and White Pudding Bowls each at 5c., 10c. and **15c**

Children's Decorated China Mugs; each at 5c. and **10c**

Fluted Table Tumblers; regular 75c. a dozen. Per dozen at **35c**

Glass Table Sets; covered Butter, Sugar Bowl and Cream Pitcher; reg. 75c. Per set **35c**

Glass Oil or Vinegar Bottles; regular 75c.; each at **15c**

Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers; regular 25c. Per pair **15c**

Four-hole Cast Cookstove; large firebox; heavy cast oven, with nickel shelf and nickel shield on oven door; front and end shelf on stove, and swing nickel bracket; stands on heavy cast base; a regular $23 stove, for **$17.50**

Bathroom Fittings at Economical Prices.

Nickel Towel Rods; 18-inch 25c.; 24-inch at **35c**

Glass Holders; each **25c**

Wire Soap Hangers; each **15c**

Whisk or Broom Holders, at **5c**

Toilet Paper Holders; each **15c**

Three-arm Hardwood Towel Rods; each at **15c**

The Acme of Value-Giving in Our Carpet Dept. for Friday, Bargain Day

TAPESTRY RUGS.

Of the best make that will wear well and look good to the end. The patterns and colorings are the newest, and the prices are lowest on record:

Size 4-6x6-6. Special Price **$3.25**

Size 6-9x9 feet. Special Price **$6.25**

Size 7-6x9. Special Price **$7.25**

Size 9x9. Special Price **$8.45**

Size 9x10-6. Special Price **$10.75**

Size 9x12. Special Price **$11.35**

SEAMLESS VELVET SQUARES.

Rugs with a rich, velvety pile and very choice color effects. They are the most popular rugs for parlor and living rooms:

Size 4-6x6. Special Price **$5.15**

Size 6-9x9. Special Price **$13.50**

Size 9x10-6. Special Price **$22.75**

Size 9x12. Special Price **$26.00**

SEAMLESS AXMINSTER RUGS.

High-class Seamless Axminster Rugs, with deep, heavy pile, in rich coloring:

Size 6-9x9. Special Price **$19.00**

Size 8-3x11-6 Special Price **$32.50**

Size 9x9. Special Price **$26.85**

Size 9x10-6. Special Price **$30.00**

Size 9x12. Special Price **$36.50**

Electrical Dept.

Spring is here, and with it comes the thought of Spring cleaning. To make it easier for the wife, we are offering our Electrical Vacuum Cleaners at Bargain Prices for a few days.

Come in and investigate. We will gladly furnish any information you require.

Our regular $35 size, only **$15.00**

Our regular ~~$65~~ size, only **$35.00**

Men's Wear Values for Market Day

New Underwear, of the proper weight for spring; a good variety in both combinations and single piece garments.

Penman's High Grade Balbriggan Union Suits, a splendid garment for comfort and wear. Per suit at **$1.25**

Penman's Merino; natural wool finish; a nice medium weight, in single garments. at each **75c**

Good Working Shirts; of strong white striped twilled shirting; in navy and black; sizes 15, 15 1-2, 16, 16 1-2; regular 75c. Friday for **50c**

The best to be had in Overalls and smocks at $1.00. Plain black and blue, with white stripes; well made and roomy; either overalls or smocks. Each **$1.00**

What size Hat do you wear? We have a number of fine Fur-Felt Hats; good Fedora styles; worth $2.50 and $3.00 in the regular way; sizes 7, 7 1-8 and 7 1-4. Your choice while they last at **$1.00**

New Draperies for Spring at Special Prices

Every woman is now concerned about the Spring cleaning. One of the most important items is the windows. Nothing brightens up a room more than fresh window drapes and hangings. These Special Prices for Friday:

Beautiful Bungalow Nets; in every shade; with a wide assortment of patterns. Priced at, per yard, 20c, 25c, 35c and **45c**

Nothing is superior to Scrims and Voiles when you consider the washing and wearing qualities. The new shadow designs and floral borders, on both white and cream grounds are very effective when hung perfectly plain. Priced at, per yard 35c, 40c, 50c. and **60c**

Hemstitched Border Voiles; cream ground. Priced at, per yard **35c**

Mercerized Repp for overdrapes; full 50 inches wide; shades of rose, brown and green. Priced at per yard **$1.25**

Silk Draperies; in pale blue, rose, pink, brown, fawn, green; also figured designs in many colors; regularly sold at from $3.50 to $5.00 per yard. Priced at, per yard **$2.95**

Bargains in Waists, Corsets and Underskirts

FANCY NET WAISTS FOR $3.75.

A splendid Waist in Paris shades; daintily trimmed with Paddy green pipings and buttons; silk lined, and are exceptionally good value at **$3.75**

MARQUISETTE WAISTS FOR $2.95.

This season's model of splendid quality, with collar and sleeves daintily finished with lace edgings, turn-down style of collar, with plain silk tie attached. This line of waists is well worth $3.75. Special for **$2.95**

ALSO AN ASSORTMENT OF WAISTS AT 50c.

In plain shirt styles; materials of striped percales and repps; also a few flannelette and cashmere waists in this lot; regular values to $2.50. Special at, each **50c**

SPLENDID CORSET VALUES.

We carry a full line of the famous E. T. Corsets; also the American Lady Corset. Special Prices on all lines.

"OUR SPECIAL" E. T CORSET AT 75c. A PAIR.

These are made of good quality white coutille; with medium low bust and long hip. A perfect fitting model, made and shaped exactly as the better corsets, and finished with four hose supporters. Specially priced at **75c**

"OUR SPECIAL" E. T. CORSET AT $1.00 A PAIR.

Same make, with medium low bust and long hips; also finished with hose supporters. Specially priced at, per pair **$1.00**

Also in the following Special Prices: $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and **$2.95**

SATIN UNDERSKIRTS AT $1.00.

A good quality sateen, with pleated flounce; also a few colored moires in this lot. A regular $1.50 value. Special, each **95c**

$5.00 and $6.00 Silk and Satin Underskirts at **$3.50**

An assortment of Ladies' Silk and Satin Underskirts, in shades of navy, green, brown, rose, blue and all general colors. Regular $5.00 and $6.00 values. Special at **$3.50**

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear at Sensible Prices

NEW SPRING COATS, SUITS, DRESSES AND MILLINERY.

Ladies' and Misses' Fine Gray Serge Suits, to **$35.00**

Ladies' and Misses' Navy Serge Suits to **$25.00**

Ladies' Black and White Check Suits to **$37.50**

Ladies' and Misses New Spring Coats, at ..... **$12.00 AND $15.00**

Ladies and Misses' Dresses at $10.00, $13.50, $16.50, $18.50, $20.00 and **$22.50**

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Millinery, very reasonably priced at ..... **$3.50 TO $15.00**

Our entire stock of Suits, Coats, Dresses and Millinery are New Spring Styles.

Bargains in Chinaware in Basement

A few more of those noted China Tea Sets; in pretty floral designs; 40 pieces; reg. $6.50; set **$4.50**

Six-piece Near Cut Glass Table Sets. Per set at **$1.25**

Crystal Etched Thin Tumblers; regular $1.25 dozen; four for **25c**

Decorated China Sugar and Cream Sets; reg. 50c. Per set **25c**

Irridescent Glass Flower Vases; regular 25c. Each **15c**

Irridescent Glass Bowls, Plates and Stands; reg. 25c. Each **10c**

Brown Fire-Proof Tea Pats; regular 40c. Each **250**

One-quart Earthenware Milk Jugs; regular 40c. Each **25c**

97-piece Semi-Porcelain Dinner Set; in band and key design; a very special value; reg. $25. Per set **$15**

97-piece "Meakin's" Fine Semi-Porcelain Dinner Set; in the famous Old Indian tea pattern. Very Special per set **$45.00**

NEW WINDOW DRAPES.

Windows are not merely openings to admit light and air. They show the most artistic touch of the builder either inside or out. The artistic effect is often spoiled by the hangings, which should blend with the other furnishings and walls. There have been many different styles of draping used, but nothing is more dainty than the perfectly plain hanging. Scrims, Voiles, Marquisettes or Nets are most suitable and come in such a variety of patterns, colors and weaves, that any color scheme can be carefully followed.

Plain Scrims; white, cream or ecru. Per yard ..... **25c TO 40c**

Fancy Borders; pink, blue, fawn, green or red. Per yard at ..... **35c TO 60c**

SHOP IN NEW WESTMINSTER

McAllisters Limited

AND SHOP AT McALLISTERS.

Perrin's Guaranteed Gloves at Reduced Prices

We carry a full range of the "Perrin" Kid Gloves. Every pair is made of the finest selected French skins; very pliable and perfect fit and finish, and finished with two dome spring fasteners. All colors and sizes at the following special prices:

A regular $1.25 value. Special for, per pair **95c**

A regular $1.50 value. Special for, per pair **$1.25**