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## RATEPAYERS ENDORSE POLICY OF PROGRESS

### Money Bylaws Aggregating $597,000 Approved at Polls—Exhibition Appropriation Has Close Shave, But All Others Pass With Good Margins—Light Vote Registered—Details of the Count.

The ratepayers of New Westminster stampeded their approval on the spending of bylaw money aggregating $597,000 yesterday, every one of the seven bylaws passing the required three-fifths majority vote, although in the case of the exhibition bylaw the majority was only by three-fifths of one vote.

Only a small total was polled during the day, the waterworks extension bylaw receiving the largest with 704. Of these 552 registered "for," which goes to show that municipal ownership is favored in this city.

During the counting of the ballots the interest centred around the exhibition bylaw as it was shown by the count that other bylaws had received the sanction of the people.

Some sharp figuring by City Clerk Duncan and Alderman Lynch discovered that the vote was in favor of the bylaw by just a fraction over what was required.

**How the Vote Went.**

| | City Hall. | | West End. | | Sapperton. | | Queensb. | |
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| | For. | Ag. | For. | Ag. | For. | Ag. | For. | Ag. |
| Streets | 372 | 149 | 24 | 15 | 65 | 30 | 11 | 4 |
| Electric Light | 389 | 126 | 19 | 20 | 62 | 30 | 13 | 5 |
| Waterworks | 428 | 102 | 26 | 14 | 64 | 33 | 14 | 4 |
| Public Schools | 349 | 154 | 19 | 18 | 60 | 25 | 10 | 3 |
| Sewers | 383 | 128 | 24 | 14 | 75 | 25 | 12 | 4 |
| Fire Halls | 346 | 156 | 26 | 12 | 63 | 20 | 14 | 4 |
| City Stables | 327 | 165 | 20 | 17 | 58 | 33 | 9 | 5 |
| Exhibition | 304 | 179 | 13 | 22 | 46 | 41 | 10 | 6 |

The figures given out by the returning officer, W. A. Duncan, are as follows:

| | For. | Agst. |
|---|---|---|
| Sewers, $150,000 | 472 | 198 |
| Exhibition, $25,000 | 373 | 248 |
| Electric Light, $40,000 | 483 | 181 |
| Waterworks, $45,000 | 552 | 152 |
| Public Schools, $57,000 | 438 | 200 |
| Fire Halls, $25,000 | 449 | 202 |
| City Stables, $15,000 | 504 | 220 |

The surprise of the day was the polling at the West End station where two of the bylaws were turned down, viz., the exhibition and electric light bylaws, while the required three-fifths majority was missing on several others.

Contrary to rumors which were floating around, Sapperton came through strong in favor of the sewer bylaw, together with a rousing vote for all the other bylaws.

When seen after the votes had been counted, Acting Mayor Kellington expressed his satisfaction at the result. "It is very gratifying indeed," said Acting Mayor Kellington, "not only, as it is an indication of the confidence of the ratepayers in the mayor and council, but it will enable us to proceed with many improvements that are actual necessities if we are to take our place with the large cities on the coast.

"The council have realized that the money market at the present time is not at its best, and for that reason we have asked the people only for money that was absolutely necessary.

"The sewer scheme and the agreement with Burnaby have been explained thoroughly and I am more than pleased that this matter was endorsed. It will enable us to provide for the people of Sapperton conveniences that exist at the present time in nearly every other part of the city.

"The street bylaw will also enable the council to make improvements on the highways that are absolutely necessary and we hope now to be able to carry out the same progressive policy that we have had in mind from the first."

## CRUDE BLACKMAIL FAILED TO WORK

### Would-Be Bad Men Couldn't Get Wilson's Goat and Now They Have to Pay.

Newark, N.J., May 20.—Seeley Davenport and Jacob Dunn, mountain wood-choppers of Wharton, N.J., were convicted by a federal grand jury tonight of sending threatening letters to Woodrow Wilson while he was president-elect. In the case of Davenport the jury recommended mercy. The communications mailed to Mr. Wilson were received by his secretary, Jos. P. Tumulty, in May and November of last year and demanded money in sums of $1000 and $5000 under penalty of death.

Mr. Tumulty, Warren Johnson, Mr. Tumulty's confidential clerk, postal employees, secret service men and hand writing experts, were called as witnesses for the government.

Mr. Johnson testified the last letter demanding $5000 contained a threat to shoot the president-elect if the money were not forthcoming. It told him to place the money under the platform of the railroad freight house at Ledgewood, N.J., and reminded him of "what happened to McKinley."

John T. Webber, a rural letter carrier, testified that the letters had been mailed in a letter box on his route and taken by him to the wharton postoffice. Frank A. Butler, a postal inspector, testified that he had assisted in arresting Dunn and Davenport and that Dunn admitted having written the letters, but later denied it.

## TWO BILLION IS BALKAN DEMAND

### Large Collection of Francs to Be Asked of Turkey as War Indemnity.

Paris, May 20.—The Bulgarian minister of finance, T. Theodorff, who is to represent Bulgaria at the financial conference in Paris in connection with the Balkan settlement, said today that the Balkan states would ask for a war indemnity of two billion francs ($400,000,000), of which Bulgaria's share would be 1,000,000,000 francs.

Numerous precedents, he said, supported the Balkan demand. They did not ask to be indemnified for indirect losses due to the state of war, but merely for reimbursement of purely military expenditures.

## NEXT MOVE MUST COME FROM JAPAN

### Uncle Sam Awaits Message from Tokio on Anti-Alien Legislation in California.

Washington, May 20.—Interest in the negotiations between the United States and Japan over the California land legislation has shifted from Washington to Tokio. The American government having delivered its reply to the Japanese protest, it is awaiting the next step of Japan and the istration to convince the Japanese today's cabinet meeting.

In official circles it is regarded as significant of the desire of the administration to convince the aJpanese government of its purpose to do everything possible to maintain the best relations that the American charge, Dailley-Blanchard, has called upon the foreign minister at Tokio to assure him of the determination of the United States to find a friendly and satisfactory solution of the present issue. Secretary Bryan already verbally has given such assurances to Viscount Chinda.

It is believed here that the visit to California of the Japanese statesmen Ebara and Hattori, representing both of the great political parties of Jajan, will be of benefit, as they will be able to enlighten their people at home as to the conditions in California affecting the Japanese residents. Other influences are working in the same direction and the Japanese-American society in Tokio is sending one of its trusted members to this country, with personal messages to prominent Americans, calculated to relieve friction between the two countries.

Meanwhile, resting secure in the belief that nothing more can be done by them until the next word is had from Japan, the president and Secretary Bryan apparently have relieved their minds of the consideration of the subject.

**Want Safer Coupler.**

San Francisco, May 20.—More and better safety appliances are the object of a resolution introduced today at the convention of the Brohterhood of Railroad Trainmen. The resolution contemplates an effort to obtain more comprehensive federal laws on this matter through the interstate commerce commission. One thing desired is a coupler that will operate from both sides of the car, as the trainmen declare they are subject to great risk at times in operating the couplers now in use.

## OUT STRONG FOR COMMISSIONER

### The Progressive Association Members Endorse His Appointment.

### No Hole and Corner Work Wanted in Making Selection Says the Chairman.

The members of the New Westminster and Fraser Valley Progressive association have declared by a vote of 66 to 11 in favor of the appointment of an industrial commissioner, and that the publicity work of the association shall be turned over to the city publicity organization.

The meeting of the association was held yesterday evening and was more than usually well attended. Mr. Otway Wilkie was in the chair.

After the ballots had been counted by the chairman and Mr. Dorgan, as a scrutineer committee, a discussion arose as to the next most expedient step.

It was ultimately referred to the committee who had charge of the plebiscite with instructions to advertise for a commissioner if they deem it necessary and confer with the city council again and report.

**No Hole and Corner.**

The chairman emphasized the necessity of being fair and square in the appointment.

"There must be no nepotism or hole and corner business, such as is exemplified in school boards, councils and government services," he said.

Mr. Dorgan—There is no fear of that here.

Mr. W. J. Kerr said that before they went further they should know what they were prepared to pay a man.

Mr. Darling, acting secretary—Before employing the industrial commissioner we should go back to the city and tell them that we have complied with their suggestion to the extent that we have agreed to an industrial commissioner and have some assurance from them before we go further.

The Chairman—This thing is going to upset what we have been doing ourselves.

Mr. Dorgan—For a time at least.

Mr. Kerr—Unless we see some $20,000 in the next three years or we are down and out. Unless we have that guarantee or about. The industrial commissioner for salary will cost $10,000 in three years and the rest for travelling expenses and so on. It is up to some person or some persons to come through with the money.

**Tourist Trips.**

The subject of the tourist excursions from Vancouver to New Westminster, a trip thence up or down the river and back to Vancouver was also discussed.

The secretary said that he had had a conversation with Mr. Purvis on the matter. Mr. Purvis said the B. C. E. R. were going to feature the excursions in their literature this summer. The fare for the round trip would be $1.50. That would include the expenses of a guide. It would be a personally conducted tour. Visitors would be shown through the canneries, etc.

The "Buy B. C. Products" project was taken up and the secretary reported that the committee dealing with the scheme had a meeting with the Retail Merchants' association and a discussion on the subject. They were working together and would have another meeting Wednesday. The dates of the window exhibition were, however definitely fixed. They were May 30, 31 and June 2. There were a number of very hard points to get over in regard to the competition. There were some lines of business they could not get a basis to work upon. However, they hoped by Thursday next to have a definite program drawn up.

The matter was left in the hands of the committee.

The secretary also reported that he had laid a number of complaints about the delays in the tram service at Leopold Place, before the company. Come of the complainants had stated the delay sometimes extended from 20 minutes to half an hour. Mr. Ellson, the trainmaster, replied that unavoidable delays had occurred through the work on the street improvements, but denied that they were anything like the time quoted. As soon as these works were completed the normal service would be resumed.

The secretary mentioned that Mr. Hugh Savage had received a private letter from Mr. Kenneth Myers, their secretary, now in England, informing him that Mr. Myers had been invited to meet the Canadian chamber of commerce in London and discuss matters in relation to the establishment of industrial concerns in New Westminster.

**Cuba Has New President.**

Havana, May 20.—Amid scenes of intense patriotic enthusiasm, General Mario Menocal was inaugurated at noon today as third president of the Cuban republic. The ceremony took place in the historic palace of the Spanish captains-general and was attended by a brilliant assemblage, including a special American mission.

**Just Like Westminster.**

New York, May 20.—New York City's $45,000,000 4½ per cent. bond issue was oversubscribed by 75 per cent. today. Four hundred and ninety-eight bids were received. These range in amount from $15,000,000 worth at par to $1000 worth at little more than a point above par. It probably will be a day or so before the names of the successful bidders are announced.

## PERMANENT STEEL BRIDGE ORDERED

### Railway Board Pronounces on North Road Crossing—Severe Criticism of G. N. R.

A permanent steel bridge with a 20-foot roadway and two six-foot sidewalks, 600 feet long, across the excavation proposed by the Great Northern railway at the North road in the municipalities of Burnaby and Coquitlam, is what the Great Northern railway was ordered to construct by the railway commissioners, at their sitting in Vancouver yesterday. Further, in order that there may be no delay, the company was ordered to file plans within 30 days, the time for the completion of the bridge to be fixed when the plans are filed.

The engineer of the board visited the scene of the proposed improvements yesterday and, as intimated by Chairman Drayton, the railway engineer failed to persuade him that a wooden structure was all that was necessary.

**Severe Criticism.**

Another case, in which the municipality of Surrey played the leading role and the Great Northern railroad the part of the villain, came up when the municipality complained that the railroad had constructed a switch at Crescent leaving the public highway in a dangerous condition.

It was submitted that the company installed the switch without permission from either the municipality or the railway commission and for this Chairman Drayton severely criticized the officials.

He ordered Mr. A. H. MacNeil, who appeared for the company, to get into communication to him at Calgary explaining why the work was done without permission and to give reasons why it should not immediately be torn out.

Mr. W. G. McQuarrie, of this city, acted for the municipality of Surrey.

## CAPTAIN COURAGE RATHER PEEVED

### Alleged Halibut Poacher Does Some Eagle Screaming in Interview at Seattle.

According to advices from Seattle, Captain Courage, who was in command of the halibut schooner Valiant when she was captured off Triangle island last week by the fishery cruiser William Jolliffe, is not a little peeved over the affair and, following a conference with American federal officials at Seattle, a report has been forwarded to Wasnington with prospects of international complications arising.

The Valiant is now lying in the North Arm, awaiting the decision of the admiralty court, which will sit in Vancouver in the near future, although, if the American authorities press the case at Ottawa, the decision might be handed down without delay.

In his story to government officials Captain Courage says he was well outside the three mile limit.

The captain says: "Small fishing craft have been seized off Vancouver island for several years and the United States has never looked into the matter. I know of times when the fishermen refused to submit to the arrest and the cutters have run them down, throwing the men into the water and breaking the boat. Then they take them into Vancouver and the papers are full of huge jokes about the prizes they are taking and of the naval victories they are winning over the Americans."

## GETTING COIN BY FALSE PRETENCES

### That Is What Court Decides City of Seattle Has Been Guilty of.

Seattle, May 20.—Superior Judge Albertson and Smith, sitting jointly today, granted an injunction against the delivery of $950,000 court house bonds to a firm of New York bond buyers and declared the issue illegal and the election at which they were voted annulled. The decision held that the voters had been deceived into believing the $950,000 bond issue would build six or seven stroies of a twelve story court house, but after the election it was found that the money would only be sufficient to build a three story building. The court also held that the change in the plans by which only the county was to occupy the building after the voters had passed upon a proposition for a joint court house and city hall, invalidated the bonds.

The campaign for the passage of the court house bonds and the alleged misrepresentation made by the advocates of the issue, with the alleged approval of the county commissioners, is one of the subjects under investigation by the special county grand jury now in session.

## FRASER RIVER WORK IN SUPPLEMENTARY LIST

### $450,000 for North Arm and New Channel—British Columbia Looms Large in Additional Estimates—Canoe Pass Bank Protection—Coquitlam Gets Public Building—New Dredging Plant to Cost $100,000.

Ottawa, May 20.—In the suplementary estimates brought down today British Columbia bulks large and in the list for the farthest west province are included heavy appropriations for Canada's great fresh water Pacific port, New Westminster on the Fraser river.

For the North Arm of the Fraser $200,000 was voted; for continuing the wing dam and permanent harbor work at the mouth of the river in its new channel, $250,000 was passed, while $100,000 was set aside for a new dredging plants in British Columbia.

**List of Appropriations.**

Following are the detailed appropriations for British Columbia contained in the supplementary estimates:

Campbell river, repairs to wharf and construction of shed, $4600; Clam Bay, Thetis Island wharf, $3000; Columbia and Kootenay rivers, wharfs, $25,000; Deep Grove wharf, $3500; Crofton wharf, $4000; Fraser river, North Arm improvements, $200,000; Fraser river, training piers and dredging, further sum required, $250,000; Fraser river, removal of snags, further amount required, $23,000; Fraser river, protection of bank at Canoe Pass, $4500; Friendly Cove, Nootka Sound wharf, $5500; Holberg wharf, re-vote, $12,000; Grantham's Landing, Howe Sound wharf, $4500; Howe Sound, removal of snags, $5000; Lillooet river, south branch, improvement of channel, $6000; Lockport, McResby Island, wharf, $4000; Nanaimo harbor improvements, re-vote, $43,000; Oak Bay, breakwater and wharf, $10,000; Pender Harbor wharf, $4000; Pitt river, wharf, $3000; Point Cowan, Bowen Island, wharf, $4000; Pritchard, wharf, $7300; Queenston, Yakoon river, wharf $5000; Rocky Point, wharf, $3500; Saanichton, wharf, $5500; Roy's Beach, wharf, $6000; Scotch creek flat, Shuswap lake, wharf, $4500; Seymour Arm, wharf, $6300; Shelter Point, Gillis Bay, wharf, $6000; Shoal Bay, Burlaw, wharf, $400; Sorrento, wharf, $3200; Squamish, wharf repairs, $3800; Summerland, wharf, $23,400; Ucluelet wharf, $45,500; Wolfson Bay, wharf, $3000; new dredging plant British Columbia, further amount required, $100,000.

**Buildings.**

Courtenay, public buildings, $5000; Comox, public building, $3500; Coquitlam, public building, $15,000; Duncans Station, public buildings, $20,000; Kamloops, drill hall, $25,000; Nanaima, public building, $25,000; New Hazelton, public building, $7000; Powell River, public building, $12,000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, $35,000; Prince Rupert, quarantine station, re-vote $2400, $59,000; Prince Rupert, public building, $100,000; Sidney, public building, $8000; Vancouver South, postal station, $15,000; Vancouver drill hall, further amount required, $200,000; Vancouver North, public building, $25,000; Vancouver (old postoffice) building additional, $17,000; Vancouver North, drill hall, $30,000; Vancouver, postal station "B" $35,000; Vancouver North, postoffice, $750; Vancouver, new detention building, $50,000; Victoria, observatory, $12,000; Victoria, old postoffice building to pay taxes due for years 1900 to 1906 and 1910 to 1912 inclusive, $13,010; Victoria postoffice improvements, additional amount required, $20,000; Victoria, public building, to provide for government's share of cost of new pavements put down by the municipal authorities, re-vote $5310.42; Vernon public building, further amount required, $2700; William's Head quarantine station, new buildings, improvements and repairs to existing buildings and fittings additional, re-vote, $15,000, $86,000.

**NOBODY WANTS IT.**

**Vacancy in Coquitlam School Board Unfilled.**

Coquitlam, May 20.—The school board is in a quandary as to just what course to adopt in order to fill the vacancy recently created by the resignation of Trustee Whiting from that body.

In accordance with the provincial laws, the vacancy was thrown open for nominations last week but no resident displayed enough interest in the school affairs to offer himself.

It seems probable that the board will decide to transact all the school business as they are constituted at the present time and await the next elections to fill the empty chair.

## PARIS HAS ONE MORE MOTOR THIEF

### Shoots Automobile Dealer and Calmly Runs Off with His Wife in the Machine.

Paris, May 20.—A crime, the daring of which recalls some of the exploits of the motor car bandits who were recently guillotined, was committed this morning when an automobile dealer named Dardene was shot by an apparently well-to-do customer who asked the dealer to conduct a trial spin of an automobile to Senlis, about 32 miles from Paris, where he said his relatives would purchase the car.

When entering Senlis forest, the customer on some pretext, got Dardene to stop the car and then fired six shots from a revolver at him, pushing him out of the car, calmly started the motor and drove away.

Dardane, who was very seriously wounded, was able to tell some peasants what had happened.

A man calling himself Davignon, who was staying at a Paris hotel, is suspected by the police of being the bandit. He returned to Paris in an automobile, took his wife, who was waiting for him at the hotel, and disappeared without any notice.

**Tel El Kebir Picnic.**

Port Coquitlam, Mtay 20.—This city will be gay on Saturday next when a delegation, expected to be 1000 strong, members and friends of the Tel El Kebir Temple D.O.K.K., will arrive from Vancouver by special C. P. R. train. An extensive program of sports and games is to be held on the agricultural grounds during the afternoon, while dancing will be conducted in the pavilion in the evening.

**A Wag Named This.**

London, May 20.—A new orchid exhibited at the annual show of the Royal Horticulture society, which opened yesterday, is called the "Suffragette." Explanation of the name is that the flower "has a loose tongue which is always wagging."

## J. Z. WHITE TALKS ON SINGLE TAX

### Emphasizes His Points With Wit—Several Ladies in Lecturer's Audience.

Mr. J. Z. White, of Chicago, delivered a most inspiriting lecture on the single tax system last night in the Labor Temple before an audience of between 30 and 40 persons, a goodly proportion of whom were ladies.

Economics are not usually associated with humor, yet Mr. White's bright, witty address, interspersed with humorous anecdotes and pungent illustrations, while in no way disturbing the tenor of his theme, the single tax, kept his audience keenly alert to his arguments. He contended with great force that the increase of the land tax and exemption of improvements invariably tended to the establishment and promotion of industries. It would compel the utilization of vacant lands. There were two evils inherent in the system of taxation from which the single tax was absent. The encouragement to hold land vacant while it rose in value from industrial enterprise around it, and the appropriation of the ground rent by the owners—in other words the unearned increment. He was in favor of private ownership of land as against land naturalization of land. The single tax system was the easiest, most effective was of dealing with the problem by making it unprofitable to keep the land vacant. He advised that it should be done gradually.

If land were nationalized it would simply mean new government officials to collect taxes where, at present, it was done by the landlord who collected them in the form of rent. The tenant paid taxes in that shape by his increased rent in the most desirable localities, defraying thus the cost of fire and police protection, tram lines and other public utilities. Land nationalization was simply changing the form of rent by creating new collectors. The moment they established contractual relations between government officials and private parties they laid the foundations for rascality. The single tax system was the easiest and most economical way of remedying present evils and fostering industries, in view of existing conditions.

At the close of his lecture Mr. White answered several questions put to him, apparently with satisfaction, and was accorded a hearty vote of thanks.

Acting Mayor Kellington presided, and in tendering the vote of thanks expressed his appreciation of the impressive and convincing arguments adduced by the speaker.

Subsequently a meeting was held of those in favor of the single tax system and the nucleus of an organization for its advancement formed.

## PREPARING FOR BIG GATHERING

### Arrangements About Complete for McBride Demonstration in This City.

Preparations are now well in hand for the monster celebration to be held in the horse show arena at Queens park on the evening of June 2 to mark the conclusion of ten years of government under the leadership of Premier Sir Richard McBride. Seating accommodation will be provided for 12,000 people. The committee in charge are endeavoring to make the gathering of a non-partisan character.

According to present arrangements the premier and members of his cabinet, with the exception of Hon. Thomas Taylor, who is in England, will arrive in New Westminster on the afternoon of June 2. Sir Richard has promised to attend a banquet early in the evening in the Russell hotel, given in honor of Mr. John Sprott and afterwards to speak at the arena. This banquet will be given by road superintendents from all parts of the province. Mr. Sprott recently retired from the position of provincial road superintendent for the New Westminster district after many years of faithful service.

At the horse show building the premier will review the work of his government during the past ten years. Brief speeches will also be made by other members of the cabinet. Special invitations have been sent out to members of the provincial legislature, members of the Dominion parliament from B. C., the mayors and councils of cities in British Columbia and to the reeves and councils of municipalities in the Fraser valley.

The building will be decorated with flags and bunting and banners typical of the last ten years of prosperity. Seats will be arranged on the main floor, leaving a 16 foot aisle leading to the platform built across the north end of the building. The platform will be large enough to accommodate 100 people. Seats will be reserved for ladies and their escorts. On the outside over the main entrance will be placed a large 15 foot bust portrait of Sir Richard McBride, painted by a well known artist. This will be lighted by electricity.

Music will be supplied during the evening by the city band and three of the leading soloists of the province will contribute to the program. Arrangements are being made for special cars for the accommodation of those from Vancouver and other points.

**NORTH BURNABY EXTENSION**

### New Electric Line to Be Ready in Two Months.

North Burnaby, May 20.—Actual work on the North Burnaby extension of the B. C. E. R. Hastings street line was commenced this morning, a large gang of men arriving on the scene to start grading operations.

The line will extend two miles along Hastings street eastward from Boundary avenue and, when completed, the settlers will have the same privilege in the matter of fares as those enjoyed by the residents of South Vancouver.

It is expected that the contour of the land will not present any engineering difficulties, so that the actual running of cars can be expected within two months' time.

## GEORGE LEAF IN BURNABY COURT

### Sequel to Motor Car Accident Last Saturday—Accused Autoist Out on Bail.

Edmonds, May 20.—A sequel to the automobile accident which happened in East Burnaby on Saturday evening last took place in police court this morning when George Leaf, of East Burnaby, answered a charge of running down and injuring William Watt at the corner of Sixth street and Seventeenth avenue.

Watt is at present lying in the Royal Columbian hospital suffering from two broken legs, a broken arm, a broken collar bone and also six damaged ribs.

Magistrate Beatty granted a remand until Tuesday morning, May 27. In the meantime Mr. Leaf is allowed his liberty under $5000 bail.

**Burnaby Line Settled.**

Bridgeport, Lulu Island, May 20.—By the payment of $7000 by Burnaby the dispute as to the boundary line between Richmond and Burnaby which, up till the present time, has been the north shore of the North Arm, has been settled by altering the line to the centre of the stream. It is expected, however, that a special act of the legislature will be necessary before the matter is finally ended.

**Havers Mon, Sic Doin's.**

St. Andrew's, Scotland, May 20.—This town is almost in a state of siege as the result of threats uttered by the militant suffragettes that they will destroy the putting greens and thus render play impossible in the world's amateur golf championship, which is to be competed for here next week.

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## WESTMINSTER AND CANADA FIRST.

The campaign which is to be launched by the Progressive association aided by the Business Men's association in advocacy of the "Buy B. C. Products" movement is deserving of the hearty support and co-operation of every one of our citizens.

Have you ever stopped to think that, apart from the getting of the ear of the people with money who wish to locate industries or to begin in any business here, apart from inducing them to locate here, there is something further to be done?

That something may be called by any name one pleases—co-operation between purchaser and seller, loyalty to one's own city and its institutions, practicing the virtue of beginning charity at home. At any rate if we are to keep those industries and businesses that we have and if we are to attract more of them to our midst it is necessary that we in New Westminster should, so far as possible, make our purchases from Westminster producers and store-keepers.

There has been in the past and still is a lack of loyalty to our home institutions due in some measure to lack of knowledge on the part of the purchaser. The "Buy Home Products" exhibition should remove this. But this campaign for recognition of home industries is not confined to New Westminster. Rather the movement now afoot in our city is a reflection of a similar action in a larger sphere, as witness the "Made in Canada" train which is now touring through the Dominion demonstrating to Canadians what their fellow countrymen are doing to provide for their everyday or special needs.

Every article used in the home and every article of clothing can be procured from Canadian factories. The need for more factories employing Canadian workmen will be created by the success of the movement towards spreading the desire to buy Canadian made goods among the people at large.

The same holds good in our own city. Every cent expended in purchasing goods outside of Westminster is money which, even if it is expended in the province, will bring little benefit to Westminster.

Every cent that goes out of British Columbia goes to the building up of industries, the employment of workmen outside the province. It delays by so much the coming of more industries and more workmen into our own midst.

## A PACIFIC NAVAL BASE.

The London Daily Telegraph's comment upon the course which will be pursued by Premier Borden once the naval bill is passed by the senate bears out our prediction made on Monday last.

The London journal foreshadows the creation of a permanent naval policy which will mean development of the Halifax dockyard and the creation of an entirely new base upon the Pacific, Vancouver being mentioned in this report.

To writers six thousand miles away the name "Vancouver" takes in the whole of the navigable waters in this section of the country. New Westminster is where it is by reason of the exigencies of military and commercial strategy and it will be seen that what was true in 1859 will run true in the days that are to come.

### CHILDREN AND THE STREETS.

With the letter of "J. D. S." addressed to the Winnipeg city clerk's office printed in this issue of the Free Press, we have little sympathy. It is a letter which challenges reply to the following question: Is it in the greater interest of the community that automobile owners should be able to move rapidly from point to point or that children should be allowed to play upon the streets?

The suggestion that adequate facilities for children's play already exist in the city recreation grounds is one which will not bear examination. It bertays little study of the problem. While the work of the playground commission is admirable and beyond all praise, it is only necessary to consider the position of the playgrounds with respect to the homes of the children and to the ages of the children, the availability of the playgrounds with respect to the children's different play hours, and the capacity of the playgrounds with respect to the number of children who need play-room, to come to the conclusion that the present playground accommodation is wholly and utterly inadequate.

In a really well-ordered community probably every third or fourth lot would be left permanently vacant and equipped as a playground. But whether the youthful ardor of children should, even then, be forced to spend itself in restricted areas of this kind may be debated. For in Canada it has been a tradition—and on the whole a wise one—that children should be given the greatest possible freedom and elbow room. The old-fashioned and discredited maxim that children should be seen and not heard has never found favor on this side of the water. The suggestion that children should be kept off the streets sniffs, however, strongly of this obsolete doctrine.

What would the proposals mean, if carried out? In the residential sections of the south and west it would mean restriction either to the house or to the garden, back or front, in the case of the greater number of the children's play times. Restriction to the house is self-condemned. But restriction to front and back gardens means interference with domestic operations and with gardening proclivities. Also it means that one or two householders must consent to their gardens being the rendezvous of the children of the neighborhood. This is the position with regard to the better class residential districts. What would be the position of the children if kept off the streets in some of the poorer districts of the city?

Children do not play upon the streets out of pure cussedness or contrariness. They play there in pursuance of perfectly natural instincts, instincts which are healthy, and which, if exercised, are calculated to make strong, resourceful and adaptable men and women, such as Canada needs. If these instincts are thwarted and nature flouted by restriction of the children's playing from the result can only be less virility in the children.

On the other hand what is to be gained by the exclusion of children from the city streets? Is there any economic gain commensurate with the prejudice to the children? We fail to see it. We fail to see that legitimate trade or the rights of automobilists will be unduly interfered with by requiring careful and cautious driving on residential streets.

Thus the only gain—if such it can be called—would be an increase of satisfaction to the automobile owners in permitting speedier travel. While this class—a small class relative to the rest of the population—has undoubtedly its rights, while the automobile is a modern and useful institution, it would be fatal to forget that the rights of childhood are primary and fundamental. As a community we should be passing foolish to increase the privilege of automobile owners at the expense of the children. Nor can we believe that any considerable portion of the automobile owners of Winnipeg share the desire of "J. D. S." to banish children from the streets in order that the pelasure of the motorist may be perfected.—Manitoba Free Press.

### FRUIT MARKETING.

A long step forward in overcoming the difficulties besetting the British Columbia fruit grower in marketing his fruit is about to be taken. The growers of the Okanagan valley have decided to form a central selling agency for co-operative marketing of all fruit produced in the valley.

The growers of the various local associations will pool their product with the central agency, which will have full control of the sale of the fruit, and settle accounts with the local associations. When the corporation being formed as the central selling agency is organized on a working basis, this will be the first large attempt of the British Columbia growers to co-operate on the lines of the California Fruit Growers' exchange.

It is expected that next year there will be a central selling agency for the whole of British Columbia.

This movement is a most sensible way out of a very serious situation. It is stated that there is less fruit and vegetable production in British Columbia today than there was six years ago. The home newspapers admit that fruit from Washington and Oregon is sold in the cities at lower rates than the home-grown fruit.

One of the difficulties the British Columbia grower has had to face is the extravagant price at which productive land is being held. The cost of his plant is much heavier than the cost of the grower's over the border. The formation of a central selling agency ought to provide some offsetting advantages, and enable the home grower to meet the American competition much more effectively.

If the organization plan is worked out on the lines of the citrus fruit marketing system in California, there does not seem to be any large obstacle in the way of the British Columbia growers ousting much of the American fruit both on the home and on the prairie markets.—Toronto Mail and Express.

## IN CANADA'S STORY

### MAY TWENTY-FIRST.

In the story of the colonization of Upper Canada there is no more notable figure than that of the eccentric soldier, Col. Thomas Talbot. He first appears on the scene of Governor Simcoe's private secretary. He was then a young lieutenant of about twen-

Ten years later he again comes into ty-two.

view as a veteran officer, experienced in the European wars, with a mind full of schemes (on a grand scale) for colonizing the Canadian wilderness. Obtaining a large government grant, he formally laid the foundation of his "Talbot Settlement" in the region bordering on Lake Erie, upon May 21st, 1803, when he landed at Port Talbot—sixty miles from the next little settlement—in what is now Elgin County, and with all due solmenity chopped down the first tree.

Forty years afterwards the anniversary was kept as a holiday by the pioneers. His desire, as he himself put it, was to help elevate "this part of his majesty's dominions from the degrading position of a petty factory to be a powerful support and protection to the British Empire," and, as in about thirty years he succeeded in settling some fifty thousand persons in Upper Canada, his labors cannot be said to have been in vain.

A century ago Halifax was one of the busiest ports in the world, and its harbor was crowded with men of war, privateers, and captured prizes. The war between England and the United States was an ill wind that blew only good to the little Nova the farmers and fishermen received Scotian city.

The merchants waxed wealthy, and unprecedented prices for their products. The youths of Halifax were anxious to go to sea on privateers, and the newspapers were filled with flattering offers.

The recruiting of a crew for the good ship Cansco, 100 years ago today, May 21, 1813, was brought about by the following advertisement in the Acadian Recorder:

"All tight lads who are willing to serve his majesty in that fast-sailing, excellent sea-boat, the Canso, of twelve guns, commanded by Lieut. Croke, now fitting out for a short cruise, to protect the trade of the British provinces and pick up a few straggling American Bordeaux men, will meet with an honest, hearty welcome from a sailor's friend by applying on board that vessel at the naval yard."

"What would sailors do on shore, while king, country and fortune point to the ocean?" begins another advertisement, and continues, "His majesty's schooner Pictou, of twelve guns, commanded by Lieut. Stephens, as fine a vessel of her size as ever floated on salt water, wants a few jolly spirited fellows to complete her complement for a short cruise, who may all fairly expect to dash in coaches on their return, as well as other folks! Apply on board at naval yard, May 21, 1813."

The ingratiating and jovial tone of these appeals would indicate that "tight lads" were not plentiful in the Halifax of a century ago, and that there was great competition for their services. Certainly the spirit that seemed to animate those privateering expeditions was far removed from our conception of grim war.

### LIKE IT MIXED

#### Barr Colony, After 10 Years, Finds Diversified Farming Profitable.

Lloydminster, May 19.—The Barr colony sailed from England in 1903 on the Steamer Lake Manitoba. There were 3000 on board and about 1200 of them settled in the district, having trekked from Saskatoon, a distance of 210 miles over the prairie.

About 200 homesteads were taken up. Owing to the long distance that provisions had to be trasported by ox team from Saskatoon everything was high, and many of them spent their money the first year for food. Flour was about seven dollars a sack. Some members of the colony have sold their farms at good prices and moved to cities and other sections, but a large per centage of them remain.

Saskatoon has some of them, Joseph Sutton, of the Empire theatre being a prominent member and others are scattered all along the old Saskatoon-Lloydminster trail.

The people in this district are beginning to realise that this is not a wheat growing country, and that the sooner they get into mixed farming the sooner will they be on the road to prosperity.

Only during the last few years has mixed farming been taken up to any extent, and already a great advance has been made. Over one hundred thousand head of stock were shipped out of the district in 1912, and this will probably be doubled in 1913.


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## INSPECT CEMETERY SITES IN BURNABY

#### Vancouver Council Makes Tour Tomorrow—School Board Votes $2000 for Cadets.

Vancouver, May 20.—Immediate action with regard to fixing upon a site for the new cemetery for which a bylaw of $400,000 has been approved, is expected. The aldermen intend to visit the various sites offered in Burnaby on Thursday, leaving here at 9 a. m.

The school board last evening adopted the recommendation of the management committee that the organization of a high school cadet corps be proceeded with along the lines recomended by Major Snow and Lieutenant Bundy.

The sum of $2000 was ordered to be placed at the disposal of cadet work and a separate account opened for that purpose. Major Snow was named an organizer of the cadets and Lieutenant Bundy as supervisor of cadets and physical training. Lieu-Col. Duff-Stuart was named honorary advisor.

The laymen's conference of the Methodist assembly has endorsed the proposal to form a company of shareholders of members of the church in British Columbia for the purpose of subscribing $100,000 for the purchase of the Southeast corner of Hamilton and Dunsmuir streets (formerly the old Baptist church) to be called Hamilton hall, to be used for a building of a combined club and auditorium.

#### Judge Bole Elected

Three vacancies on the board of trustees of Latimer hall have been filled by the election of Judge Bole, of New Westminster, F. L. Beecher, of Vancouver, and D. R. Kerr, of Victoria.

The principal's report shows that substantial progress in the work of the hall has been made.

The will of Miss Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess, has just been made public. Her Indian curios and trophies were bequeathed to the museum of the city of Vancouver, and other relics were bequeathed to personal friends. To Miss Evelyn Johnson, sister of Miss Johnson, was left money in the bank, stock and shares in Pearson's publishing Company, and the right and title of the deceased to the "Chiefswood" estate. Mr. L. W. Makovski is to receive the copyright of all her published works. To Walter McRae Miss Johnson bequeated the manuscript of a boys' book, entitled, "The King's Com." Miss Isabel Ecclestone MacKay and Mr. Lionel W. Makovski are to be the trustees and executors of the estate.

Mrs. MacKay will be remembered in Westminster as "Lady Van" who acted as judge in the May Day festival of 1912.

### BUSINESS WOMAN SHOWS AT HER BEST AFTER 25

London, May 19.—The appointment by Secretary Lane of Mrs. Anna C. Rogers as receiver of the land office at Leadville Col., coupled with Secretary Lane's remark that money could be handled more safely by women than men, has met cordial indorsement here.

Women are astonishingly honest is the general verdict among business men, and the managing director of one large department store said that in the fourteen years of his experience as managing director he had known a single case of dishonesty among his women employees, which could not be said of men.

Most business men are agreed that women are at their best in business between the ages of twenty-five and thirty, while it is often true that young girls take less interest in their work than men. One man said:

"For the average woman the years between seventeen and twenty-five seem to be one long love affair. At twenty-five her mind is usually made up about marriage, and it is then that the woman employee is at her best. Between twenty-five and thirty a woman is often superb in business. Women may not be so enterprising as men at the head of a firm, but as heads of departments they are unrivalled."

### BANK BUDDING OUT IN COAL MINE CITY

Nanaimo, May 20.—Manager E. H. Bird, of the Nanaimo branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has received from architects in Toronto plans of the new bank block, which it is proposed to erect on the site now occupied by the present structure.

It is not the intention to tear down the present building but to alter and add to it, making it a more modern structure, and one of the most handsome business blocks in the city. It is the intention of the bank to use the entire ground space, this being made necessary by the big increase in business during the past year.

## EDITOR AND SOLDIER

#### LIEUT.-COL. MORRISON IS NOW DIRECTOR OF ARTILLERY.

#### Former Editor of The Ottawa Citizen Has Always Been an Enthusiastic Military Man and Has Achieved a High Position as a Writer and Lecturer on Artillery Practice—Veteran of South Africa.

Lieut.-Colonel E. W. B. Morrison, D.S.O., former editor of The Ottawa Citizen, has been appointed director of artillery on the headquarters staff. His appointment to this important position is a tribute to the devotion, which has characterized his interest in military affairs and especially in the artillery branch of the service, in which he is known as a practical officer as well as a lecturer and writer.

He began his military service with the Hamilton Field Battery, and on

LIEUT. COL. E. W. B. MORRISON.

going to Ottawa became prominent in military organizations there. During the war in South Africa Col. Morrison went out with D Battery and for conspicuous bravery was repeatedly mentioned in despatches to the War Office. Saving the guns at Lilliefontein won him the decoration of the distinguished service order.

On returning to Ottawa he had much to do with the organization of the Twenty-Third Field Battery and subsequently commanded the artillery brigade.

#### What Man Can Endure.

If you were to take a four-cylinder engine from your motor-boat or your touring car, cover it with dirt, bury it some feet below the surface of the earth, and exhume it a month later, how efficient would it be afterwards? Yet this is done seemingly with impunity by the Hindu fakirs to their very own selves. Dr. Konigberger, a physician in the Punjab, who doubted the frequently doubted stories, determined to make the most rigid tests to exclude all possible fraud.

One of these Brahmin fakirs allowed himself to be buried by the doctor and his suspicious colleagues in a well-fastened and sealed vault. The burial lasted such a long time—for forty days—that some corn planted upon the soil above the vault sprouted into bloom before the unhappy fellow was released. Then the Hindu was freed, subjected by the doctor to restoratives, and lived happily ever afterwards.

Sir Henry Lawrence, an English scientist who assisted the German savant, substantiates the whole account. The chest in which the fakir was buried was firmly sealed, and when the man was brought out he was cold and apparently lifeless.

The incontestable proof of the human mechanism's strength and efficiency under the worst possible conditions is to be found in the numerous non-fatal injuries and accidents to the heart.

A boy recently stabbed in a street fray was left with the dagger run through the heart. He was taken to the hospital and the heart was stitched. He recovered. A man of sixty-five, suffering from paresis, passed a hatpin into his heart. He had some slight disturbance of his heart beat for a month and then fully recovered.

#### A Promoter of Peace.

If a thorough understanding is not arrived at between England and Germany it will not be the fault of Sir Thomas Barclay, who is devoting all his energies to this laudable task. Under his auspices an English paper is to be established in Berlin for the express purpose of improving the relations between the two countries.

Sir Thomas Barclay is well experienced in such delicate tasks, for he played a big part in the establishment of the Entente Cordiale between England and France. Though he is a Scotsman, and was born at Dunfermline some seventy years ago, he has spent the greater part of his professional life in the French capital. He first went to Paris as correspondent for The Times. After six years of journalism he entered the French legal profession. For the past twelve years he has concentrated his efforts on promoting the peace of Europe.

#### Set Limits to Education.

Opposition to state education in the past was due largely to a belief that too much learning was not good for the masses. The worthy Hannah More even, who was one of the most earnest supporters of the movement for the establishment of schools for the poor in England, had very definite ideas as to how far the children should be educated. The curriculum, she declared, should comprise only reading the Bible and the catechism, and "such coarse works as may fit the children for servants," adding decisively, "I allow of no writing for the poor."

#### Marriage of Cousins.

In every 1,000 marriages solemnized in Great Britain twenty-one are between first cousins. Among the nobility the rate is much higher, amounting to forty-five in 1,000.

### REVOLUTIONARY TRICKS CLEVER RUSSIAN SPY

Warsaw, May 20.—A police spy named Staeck Dambovsky, in order to get paying information began making love to the pretty sister of a revolutionary leader. But he did not do it well enough; she suspected his motives and informed her brother. Certain tests were made, and it was established beyond doubt, that Dambovsky was in league with the police.

Things went merrily thereafter. Dambovsky vowed his love, and the girl, Rosa Lishnewska, revealed to him the secret of a great revolutionary meeting which was to be held in the crypt of St. John's cathredral, Warsaw. Masks, secret passages, a password and all the paraphernalia of conspiracy figured in the recital and the delighted spy ran off to his employers, the Ochrana (political police) and told them everything.

There was a large meeting on the appointed night in the crypt of the cathredral. The moment came when it was necessary for the Ochrana men to throw off their masks and produce their revolvers. But the remaining conspirators did exactly the same and revealed themselves as the civil police force. There was not a single revolutionary on the premises.

### ACTRESS ELOPES WITH NEAPOLITAN SWINDLER

Rome, May 20.—Signorina Nina de Charny, a talented young Neapolitan variety stage artist, who recently won success in London as an interpreter of native songs, has become involved in an embarassing love affair.

Persistent court was paid to her by a commercial traveller named Grassi, the representative of a well known Naples firm. Nina's mother, who always accompanies her daughter on tour, refused her consent to a proposed marriage, being dissatisfied with Grassi's character. Clandestine correspondence, however, continued by means of advertisements in the daily papers.

The affair culminated in the flight of the couple on the eve of a grand benefit night in the girl's honor. The artist vanished with all her dresses, valuable jewelry and $5000 in bank notes, leaving a brief note which ran: "Your severity has driven me to this pass. Pardon me and avoid publicity, else you will ruin his commercial position."

It now transpires that this Luigi Grassi is a married man who decamped, abandoning his wife and four children in misery, after robbing his firm of $1,000.

### AFTER INDUSTRIES

#### Lethbridge's Commissioner Has 3-Year Contract—Getting to Work

Lethbridge, Alta, May 20.—Joseph P. Tracy arrived in the city this morn sioner of commerce and manufacturee for the city of Lethbridge. He has been specially engaged for carrying on the industrial campaign of the city on a three-year contract at a salary of $6000 per annum.

Mr. Tracy is 45 years of age. He has held important executive positions with three large American companies, where he obtained valuable knowledge of manufacturing and distribution. He has resided 17 years in Chicago, four years in Detroit and two and a half years in Saginaw, Mich.

### FIRST CONVICTION UNDER GAME ACT

Rossland, B. C., May 20.—Tony C. Tarowsky was charged at police court with carrying a rifle without having a license, which is contrary to the recent amendment of the game act. This is probably the first case in the province.

The informant was Alexander Cox, J. P., of Patterson. The magistrate ordered the confiscation of the gun, which was brought to court, but as it was the first case he allowed him to go with the payment of costs,$3.


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## *Spread of Orientals on the Pacific Coast*

How long would it take for the Japanese or the Chinese or the two to swarm over the Pacific slope if they were not repressed? We do not know, but there are undeniable facts that wil help us to judge, says an American writer.

Chinese and Japanese have moved toward the continent systematically for about half a century. What has this movement accomplished? Let us see just the general facts without the intricate details. Hawaii, first in the pathway of this movement, shall be our first example and the state of California the ultimate terminus of the movement to date the second example.

The Japanese came to Hawaii to work as agriculturists. The United States government published several years since, in document No. 66, bulletin of the bureau of labor, the following facts with regard to Hawaii:

In the year 1904, out of a total of 1629 persons of all nationalities holding licenses of twenty-seven kinds of occupations, from banking to fishdrying, 1241 were Japanese, and 81.08 of the schoolchildren in our American island territory were Japanese.

The board of education reported that white children, Occidentals, came home with their dialect materially affected because of the preponderance of Orientals attending the school. Thirteen years ago, in 1900, there were engaged in "gainful occupations," males, 63,563 Japanese and Chinese against 20,384 whites, or 75.63 per cent. This number has materially increased, as far as the Orientals have been concerned.

**Hawaii 75 Per Cent. Oriental.**

The number of Japanese citizens in Hawaii makes it possible for that nation to raise its flag tomorrow over the territory involved and bring its frontier, within five days of the Pacific slope without the firing of a gun, the raising of a voice or the shuffling of a single pair of feet.

The acquisition of the territory is absolute and complete in every way—economically and commercially. It has been accomplished by the ceaseless inpour of Orientals of both sexes, by the acquirement and, by the extention of local business and by the sheer dynamic force of number.

Politically, Hawaii is American territory. In point of fact it is known to those cognizant of military conditions, and the government at Washington best of all, to be strategically Japanese now, as it has been for many years.

**Lives on 30 Cents.**

The Japanese does not assimilate with the white resident, but lives a communistic life where the cost of living is reduced to a minimum and competition is eliminated. The result shows that on a minimum basis of $1.25 per diem, twenty cents to thirty cents was spent for living. On a maximum basis of $2.50 the sum of sixty cents is given as a fair average of the amount spent to live.

Supplemental to the California report the Japanese population or Oregon is given as 8600 and of Washington, 15,900. This population considered in the light of density of population of the states cited, is impressive.

Scientists know full well that the white man and the Oriental will no more assimilate in California than has the white man and the Oriental in China or in India. Ethical reasons automatic in their operation, forbid and make assimilation impossible.

If these people will not assimilate and the Oriental is poured in upon the land, the white man will leave the land as the air does when water is poured into a bottle. Laws, treaties, conferences, each a great and estimable institution in its place, do not bear upon such world movements as these.

### FEW SPEAK IRISH.

**Decrease of 1.54 Per Cent. Shown by Census Return of Erin.**

London, May 20.—The report of the census of Ireland taken in 1911 shows that the total population was 4,390,219, or less by 65,556 persons than at the census of 1901, a decrease of 1.54 per cent. The following statement compares the religious professions of the inhabitants of Ireland:

| | 1901 | 1911 |
|---|---|---|
| Roman Catholics | 74.2 | 73.9 |
| Protestant Episcopalians | 13.1 | 13.1 |
| Presbyterians | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| Methodists | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| Others | 1.3 | 1.6 |

As regards education, 3.2 per cent. of the population, of 9 years of age and upward were unable to write, while 9.2 per cent. were unable to read or write. No less than 69.7 per cent. of the total number of families are in occupation of less than five rooms.

One hundred and seventy-three families were occupiers of part of a room only, 58,250 families were occupants of one room and 194,135 of two rooms.

The number of tenements of one room was 58,334, the number of persons in the room varying from one to more than twelve. There were, in fact, no less than 1,957 cases were the occupants of one room exceeded seven in number and of these thirty-nine cases showed an occupation by twelve or more persons in a single room.

Of the total population, 13.3 per cent., or 582,446 persons, were reported as being able to speak the Irish language, and of these 16,973 could speak Irish, only, and 565,573 speak Irish and English.

## MOTHERED HORDES OF NEW CANADIANS

**Edmonton Matron Is Remembered by Immigrants from all Over World —Fifteen Years' Work.**

Edmonton, Alta., May 20.—Mrs. Marie Wiltsie, matron at the Edmonton immigration hall, who has been a mother to tens of thousands of homeseekers from all parts of the world since May 5, 1898, when she received the appointment from the Dominion government, was remembered with presents by pioneer residents of the capital of Alberta and settlers at the fifteenth anniversary of ther connection with the institution.

She has served under two governments and three immigration agents and her work has always been highly satisfactory. Her husband is a prosperous farmer at Millet, Alta.

Mrs. Wiltsie came to Edmonton from eastern Canada, where she taught school before her marriage, two years after the Klondike rush. The immigration hall, then located in Strathcona, on the south side of the Saskatchewan river, was inadequate to accommodate all the prospective settlers, and among others were 75 Galicians, who found shelter in a big tent.

During a storm she brought the women and children into the permanent building, in the face of protests from the English-speaking immigrants and gave up her bed and stove for their use. Later the protestors publicly thanked her for her efforts in behalf of the Galicians and the latter could not do enough for their champion.

The local immigration officer sought Mrs. Wiltsie's assistance the following day, and when the old Columbia hotel was secured as an immigration hall, Mrs. Wiltsie was invited to take charge. However, the federal government declined to finance the hall until it was shown to be a success. The rent of the establishment for the first two months was paid by local storekeepers. At the end of that period the government took over the hall and Mrs. Wiltsie has remained as matron ever since, and during fifteen years has not been away from the hall at night.

Mrs. Wiltsie has been a mother to thousands of immigrants who have come to Edmonton, and many of these who are now prosperous residents of the city and the tributary district remember with gratitude her kindness. She has many letters from all parts of the world from relatives of men and women and children she had under her care after their arrival in Edmonton.

"Mother," the one word which all nationalities understand, has been applied to Mrs. Wiltsie by men and women of most every race of the civilized world.

Mrs. Wiltsie ascribes her success to the fact that she has treated her charges as a real mother handles her children. There were no favorites. There never were.

During her residence in Edmonton Mrs. Wiltsie has seen the bald prairie converted into bonanza wheat ranches and in turn developed as commercial farms. Cows, pigs, sheep, chickens, and other fowls are now supplying millions of dollars' worth of meats, butter, cheese, milk, eggs and poultry and the introduction of vegetable and fruit growing is adding materially to the prosperity of the country. Women have assisted their husbands, brothers and fathers in making money on the farms.

"We are receiving the right kind of women, also sturdy men," she says, "and they can be depended upon to continue the big work now under way."

### SAW REAL SNAKES

**Trainman Gets Fright of His Life When Uncoupling Car**

Oakland, Cal., May 20.—A large "gopher snake" wedged in some unaccountable manner in a coupling of a freight car at the Oakland yards caused considerable excitement and gave Daniel Hughe, inspector, the fright of his life, when, trying to uncouple the car, he saw the reptile's head about six inches from his face.

The train had come in from Sacramento and Hughe was preparing to uncouple the car. The coupling stuck, and he bent forward to examine it. As he did so the snake protruded its head from the mass of iron. With a yell Hughe jumped away and called the other yard men, who at first would not believe his statement.

"Come on and see," said Hughe. "I tell you it's alive." Finally Inspector Shirk and Potter agreed to take a look, and Hughe's reputation for veracity was established. The snake was killed.

How the snake, after getting into the coupling, escaped getting smashed, and how it got there anyhow is a puzzle that the trainmen are trying to solve.

### THEATRE TRAIN FROM PARIS TO METROPOLIS

Paris, May 20.—Everyone has long wanted a channel service which would enable a theatregoer in Paris to leave for London immediately after the play, or vice versa. The want is to be supplied, at least in one direction this summer.

From July 1 to October 31 a train with a sleeping car will leave the Gare du Nord every night except Saturday at 12.30, travelling slowly to Calais to give passengers a night's rest, and arriving there shortly after 6 a. m. Dover will be reached by boat about 8.30 and the Parisans will be landed in London at 10.15 a.m.

The French and English companies have apparently not yet thought of a theatre train in the other direction from London to Paris.

## MEXICANS CLEANING UP AFTER SCRAPPING

**City Looks as Good as New With Application of Plaster to Shot Holes**

Mexico City, May 4.—When tourists again visit Mexico City they may be disappointed not to find on all sides evidence of the damage done by shot and shell during the ten days' fighting in February. Already masons, bricklayers and carpenters are obliterating the scars of that conflict, and it will not be many weeks before the appearance of the capital's buildings, both public and private, is wholly normal.

Rarely have contractors here gained such quick results, and never perhaps, has it been demonstrated so well how a little plaster and kalsomine will make a bombarded wall appear "as good as new." The capital today is a city of patches.

Much of the damage done by shells was not apparent from the exterior, since in hundreds of instances the shells tore their way through the wall before exploding, leaving in sight outside only holes often not more than six inches in diameter. The explosion on the inside of the house resulted in great destruction.

Due largely to the fact that most of the buildings are of some form of stone or cement, there were few fires. Perhaps nine houses out of ten have for their outer finish a coat of thick plaster, easy for the bullets from rifles and machine guns to scar, but a few buckets of plaster filled the holes and a dab of tinted kalsomine completed the restoration.

The same method was used in filling and material was necessary in repairing a large number of the bigger gaps made by the repeated poundings of cannon.

In a few cases, however, it will be many weeks and possibly months before the normal aspect of a street is restored. There were a few buildings where the damage was so great that mere patching will not suffice.

Although monuments of one kind or another and statues erected in honor of this and that hero are scattered throughout the city few of these were damaged. The most complete piece of destruction of this character was that of a clock tower erected in Bucarell street.

This was shot to pieces. The government made no effort to repair it, but, removing the debris, built on the site a flower garden.

Since sod instead of seed was used, there is already a big circle of green, and in this were planted flowers already in bloom. It presents the appearance of having been there for some years.

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# SPLENDID WORK DONE BY THE LOCAL Y.M.C.A.

## Annual Meeting Full of Enthusiasm—Reports Show Good Results in the Past and Bright Hopes for the Future—Institution Has Staunch Friends—Ladies Do Their Share—Banquet a Great Success.

The splendid work being done by the Y. M. C. A. and the progress made by the association during the past year were echoed at the annual meeting last night in the enthusiastic reports from the different branches. While it was shown that there is yet much room for improvement the reports were bright and encouraged in no small measure the officials and friends who have worked so hard during the past year.

The financial report disclosed the fact that the young men of this city have some good friends, who, not only lend their efforts towards the success of the undertaking, but who have also given substantial financial assistance.

**Staunch Friends.**

W. R. Gilley is one of these, he having given during the past year no less than $1058.30, being a payment on the loan from the Bank of Montreal. A total of $32,375 was borrowed from the Bank of Montreal, of which $23,-064.35 is still outstanding. This is the only amount unpaid towards the building of the association headquarters, which have cost a total of $79,-186.44.

Another staunch friend of the association is T. J Trapp, president, and the financial statement reveals the fact that this gentleman has taken on his shoulders the whole debt. This does not mean that he will be called on to pay the amount, but that he has given his good name and credit to the bank for this amount, with the directors behind him.

The program last evening was carried out without a hitch and the large attendance and enthusiastic reception given each report was indication of the esteem in which the citizens of New Westminster regard the objects of the Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra was in attendance during the early hours and, after a few selections, the members and their friends adjourned to the banquet hall where the ladies had prepared an excellent repast.

Presirent Trapp was in the chair and the best of good fellowship prevailed.

Secretary Robinson introduced a novel feature when he called on each one present to stand up and introduce himself, and some amusement was obtained through this source.

Three rousing cheers were given for "Young President Trapp," following which the members again adjourned to the lobby for the annual meeting.

President Trapp was in the chair for a time, but as he had to leave, Vice-president J. W. MacDonald took his place.

**President's Address.**

The following is Mr. Trapp's address:

Ladies and Gentlemen,—It becomes my pleasant duty, as president, to welcome you to this the second annual meeting of the New Westminster Young Men's Christian Association.

The last public utterance of Sir George Williams, the founder of the association, who had invested his life and his fortune in the London, Eng., association, was "My last legacy, and it is a precious one, is the Young Men's Christian Association, I leave it to you, beloved young men of many countries, to carry on and extend. I hope you will be as happy in the work as I have been, and more successful, for this will mean blessedness to your own souls and to the souls of a multitude of others."

Its world value was quickly recognized.

I say then that it is a pleasant duty to bring to your attention at the threshold of a new year, a few words of encouragement concerning the Westminster branch of this great progressive and world-wide institution.

We can look back with gratitude and forward with hope. The department reports are, everything considered, a cause for congratulation for whatever good has been accomplished and equally for the disipline of failure and disappointment we are doubly greatful.

Some changes in our staff, the enforced retirement of our general secretary, Mr. Anderson, through ill-health, and the break thus occasioned in our work undoubtedly has affected our record of achievement in the various departments.

Mr. E. S. Whitaker rendered splendid service for a couple of months, but he, too, has passed on to other fields of labor.

Mr. Sovereign in the physical department has proven efficient and far-seeing and the boys' department under Mr. Decker is not the least interesting or least noisy of our activities.

The growth in membership has been creditable, the recent campaign giving a number of splendid renewals and new members. It, however, is short of the ideal "Every member get a member," and during the immediate future we hope a further splendid effort will be made to secure many of our men from the ranks of industry, from the professions, and business life who will enter into our fellowship and comradeship.

The financial statement needs little comment, the continued growth of the work calls for the loyal support of our citizens.

The present money stringency is felt in a degree which we trust will be offset in the near future by a change in business conditions.

When the building is free from debt we hope to run the work along lines more nearly self-sustaining and at the same time keep our extention commensurate with the growth of our fair city.

The atmosphere of a christian institution prevails in all our departments due to the warm hearts of love and sympathy, behind the officers, leaders and active members and religious work in a quiet way has been an underlying objective in all departments.

The educational work, while still in its infancy, has been very helpful to a number, and as the association grows special educational features will be provided.

This, ladies and gentlemen, is a resume of the past year's activities in the house for character building erected by your generosity on the hillside of Royal avenue.

That the importance of this institution as an opportunity for developement in qualities of leadership, as an investment for money, time and energy, as a spiritual force, permeating the fibre of our developing citizens, and as a call to service complete far reaching, ennobling and Christ-like will meet with the continuous loyal, hearty and wholesouled co-operation of the mothers and fathers, business men and mechanics, young men and older men, in every phase of our city life, during the coming days is my earnest prayer.

**Financial Report.**

The financial report of the institution indicates a healthy state of affairs, but more support from the citizens will prove very acceptable as there is yet a debt of $23,604 on the building.

It was originally intended to erect a building to cost $45,000, but the added equipment and other requirements have cost nearly $80,000. Of the loan from the Bank of Montreal of $32,375 there is still a balance due of $23,064.35, and the interest at 6 per cent amounts to $576.60.

The institution paid all current expenses for the year, and, after loaning $879 to the building fund, has a balance in the bank of $136.69.

In the current account there was a balance of $2151.56 on May 1, 1912. The receipts from the dormitories amounted to $3996.70, memberships $2681.50, which, together with sundry receipts, bring the total to $9543.17.

The chief item in the disbursements was for salaries which totalled $4125.50.

**Physical Department.**

An interesting report was that given by G. I. Sovereign for the physical department and, with an increased membership, it is hoped that by next year the figures as contained below will also be considerably augmented.

The following is Director Sovereign's report of the physical department for the past year:

| Class. | Enrolled. | Sessions. | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|
| Men— | | | |
| Seniors | 28 | 47 | 640 |
| Business men | 12 | 42 | 388 |
| Business men, jr. | 14 | 45 | 442 |
| Leaders | 13 | 24 | 209 |
| Wrestlings | 5 | 12 | 62 |
| Special apparatus | 8 | 4 | 32 |
| Indoor sports | 12 | 12 | 126 |
| Special swimming | 14 | 15 | 144 |
| Harriers | 17 | 12 | 88 |
| Basket ball | 19 | 68 | 800 |
| Total men's | 142 | 281 | 2,139 |
| Boys— | | | |
| Intermediate | 15 | 52 | 492 |
| Int. school boys | 20 | 70 | 939 |
| Class A. | 32 | 75 | 1,598 |
| Class B. | 19 | 46 | 696 |
| Int. Leaders | 8 | 20 | 140 |
| Junior Leaders | 6 | 20 | 154 |
| Indoor sports | 22 | 32 | 389 |
| Special swimming | 20 | 7 | 120 |
| Basketball practice | 14 | 20 | 220 |
| Total, boys | 156 | 342 | 4,748 |
| Swimming, approx. | | | 5,854 |
| Final total | 298 | 623 | 13,533 |

2,894 strings bowled on alley.

80 Basketball games amongst members.

10 Senior basketball games played at home; won 8.

9 Senior basketball games played away; won 4.

4 Junior basketball games played away, won 2.

14 Junior basketball games played at home; won 10.

2 Junior basketball championships won by our teams.

3 Gymnasium exhibitions.

8 Outings and paperchases; attendance 88.

20 Learned to swim.

8 Passed life saving tests.

6 Received leaders' buttons in swimming.

60 Physical examinations.

1 Camp lecture.

4 Inter association afternoons of games with Vancouver.

3 Nights of outdoor athletics held for W. J. Kerr shield, 8 entered in each event.

Organized and won city basketball league and the Y. M. C. A. basketball trophy presented by A. S. Mills & Co.

Our hockey club provided exercise for quite a number of members. The team lost in the final tie game.

**Educational Work.**

The work in the educational department of the association was outlined by F. O. Canfield, chairman of that committee.

"While we did not meet with the success that we had hoped for," said Mr. Canfield, "yet it was sufficient, coupled with some good experience, to encourage us to go on and we hope for better things next year.

"We had planned evening classes to prepare students for elementary examinations in civil engineering and also in architectural drawing, but the instructors kept us waiting too long and one class informed us that it could not go on. It was for this and other reasons that the classes were not continued

"The remainder of the report is brighter and at the opening of 1913 we decided to collect books and form a Y. M. C. A. lending library. During the remainder of the year we loaned a total of 500 books.

"A debating club was formed and some interesting debates on live topics were held, which were found very profitable.

"In this connection we have to thank J. W. Creighton, Rev. Mr. Ray and George Kennedy for their valuable assistance. We have also to thank Judge Howay for his lecture on the "Early History of British Columbia."

**New Members.**

By this time the meeting was at its height of enthusiasm and Secretary Robinson took the members by storm when he called on those present for subscriptions. He asked each one to bring in a new member within two weeks or pay the penalty of the price of a membership. In this he was successful and over 20 promises were made.

Mr. Robinson stated that at the present time the membership totalled 394. He called attention to a fact that the Y. M. C. A. had started out recently to obtain 100 new members and for various reasons had been forced to quit with only 65 new members enrolled.

It was at this point that he asked for volunteers to guarantee a new member or pay the price.

Four business men guaranteed to obtain four sustaining subscriptions at $25 a year or donate that amount to the association. The other promises were for senior, intermediate and junior memberships.

**Religious Committee.**

Mr. Sovereign, on behalf of E. H. Sands, who was absent, gave the report for the religious committee as follows:

In presenting the religious work report emphasis may be laid more on the indirect Christian atmosphere prevailing in every department and every phase of our activities rather than on meetings distinctly of a religious character. This we understand is to be the policy of the association everywhere. That instead of the several departments depending on the religious work director assuming the responsibility of all religious activities inside and outside the confines of the building, the several department heads carry on certain phases of distinctly religious work in their own departments. For example, the educational work or physical department will daily or as occasion offers deal with individuals and classes along specific spiritual lines.

We have also the pleasure of referring to the following meetings: One men's Bible class, 19 sessions, attendance 493; four theatre meetings, attendance 270; two boy's Bible classes, 18 sessions, attendance 110; 13 men's meetings in building, attendance 412; one parents' meeting in building, attendance 100.

Meetings of this character and others such as shop meetings at noonday, mid-week Bible classes, classes for instruction in personal work and in teacher training and being considered and will prove aggressive features during the coming year.

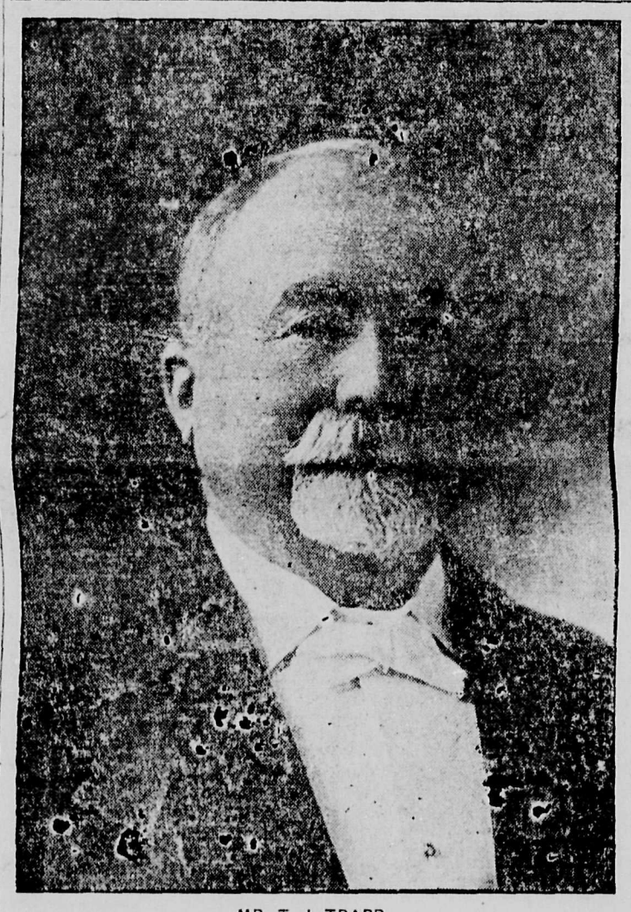
The social end of the work of the association needs no comment. At the start of the proceedings the banquet served by the lady friends of the institution was a demonstration of what was being done in this line.

During the past winter several suppers were served to the residents in the dormitory and to the members. Fireside gatherings, a Christmas tree and dinner was also held.

At the conclusion of the reports Rev. J. S. Henderson delivered a rousing address on "Our Share in Worldwide Manhood."

Dr. McEwen and Messrs A. S. Mills, Haslam, Gray and Tucker also gave short speeches as did Rev. Mr. Wincott and Rev. Mr. Shave of Edmonds.

Five directors were returned to office as follows: Messrs. J. Carter Smith, J. W. MacDonald, T. H. Smith, R. Buckland and Dr. E. H. McEwen.



MR. T. J. TRAPP
President of the Local Branch of the Y. M. C. A.

# SAUCE FOR GOOSE GOOD FOR GANDER

### American Manufacturers Want Equal Rights Under Sherman Statute.

Detroit, Mich., May 20.—Practically all of today's session of the National Manufacturers' association was taken up with discussion of labor organizations and the labor situation in general. The discussion culminated this afternoon in the sending to President Wilson of resolutions protesting against the civil appropriation bill and urging the chief executive to veto it because of the provision against using its funds for the prosecution of labor organizations under the Sherman act in case such action is instituted.

"The moral effect of the proviso preventing the use of public funds specifically appropriated to enforce the Sherman act for the prosecution of labor and agricultural combinations violating that statute, in the public mind and among their exempted classes, is to condone the acts which the law has condemned and to make the participants in strikes, boycotts and all forms of labor disturbances believe that they are justified in acts of lawlessness when done in the furtherance of a trade dispute.

"It implicitly pledges the administration to similar changes in the substantive law, which would approve and validate the most vicious forms of the secondary boycott in interstate commerce, including paralysis of railroad communication, the ruin of customs and the compulsory discharge of non-union men as a means of compelling the acceptance of the demand of the boycotting combination.

"Making it lawful and right for one class of citizens to do that which would remain criminal and wrong when done by another class, insults the law-abiding members of the excepted class, offends the moral sense of our people and under the decisions of our courts would be likely to invalidate the act and thus further the sinister designs of those who would destroy the statute itself."

# LARGE CROWD OF SCIENTISTS ALONG

### Stefansson Will Sail North Early in June with Record Load of Highbrows.

New York, May 20.—Captain Robert Bartlett, sailing master and ice navigator of the Roosevelt, the vessel on which Rear-Admiral Peary made his successful dash to the North Pole, will hold the same relative position—practically second in command—on the Stefansson expedition that starts in June for the Arctic. Vilhjalmar Stefansson, the explorer, made this announcement today. He said also that the largest body of scientific men ever assembled for a voyage into polar regions would accompany him.

Captain Bartlett will leave at once for Ottawa, en route to Esquimalt, B.C., where he expects to arrive in four or five days to attend to the loading of the stores and supplies for the Karluk, the vessel that will carry the major part of the expedition north.

The presence of the scientists, 13 in number, together with the explorer, his skipper and the crew, will make the expedition twice as large as when the Canadian government agreed to finance it. This will make necessary the equipment of an added ship, Mr. Stefansson said. The selection will be made within a day or two.

Stefansson expects to leave New York for Esquimalt in about five days. By the first week in June the expedition will be ready to sail from Vancouver, B.C., according to present plans, and will go by way of Nome and Point Barrow, arriving there the last week in July. The autumn of 1916 is set for the return.

The expedition will be divided, a "southern party," comprising the scientists, probably making its base at Simpson bay on Southwest Victoria island. In this party will be Dr. R. M. Anderson, zoologist commanding; Fritz Johansen, United States government biologist; J. B. O'Neil, mining geologist, member of geological survey; Kenneth Chapman and J. R. Cox, Canadian topographers; Henri Beuchat, anthropologist, Paris; Dr. Jennis, othnologist; Dr. A. Forbes MacKay, Shackleton's Antarctic expedition surgeon, of Edinburgh university, and photographers and cinematographers.

# KIDNEYS WANTED FOR MILLIONAIRE

### If He Doesn't Get a New Set He'll Die, According to What the Doctors Say.

Baltimore, Md., May 20.—To transplant the healthy kidneys from a man who has just died to the body of B. Sanders Walker, millionaire banker of Macon, Ga., is the only remedy that would save Walker's life, if the mercury tablet he swallowed has destroyed one of his kidneys, was the statement today of a prominent physician, who is a member of the Johns Hopkins hospital staff.

He pointed out that Alexis Carrel, of the Rochefeller Institute of Research, has successfully transplanted the kidneys from one dog to another and in a few hours the dogs were walking about and eating as if their organs had not been disturbed. According to Dr. Carrel the same could be done to the human system.

Another local physician predicted Mr. Walker's recovery, although he might be paralyzed for life. This doctor said he has attended several cases like Mr. Walker's and in only one of them did the patient die.

Other high medical authorities here in discussing the case expressed the belief that Mr. Walker could not possibly recover.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# For Sport Readers

## WIRING IN FOR SEATS ALREADY

**Big Rush for Look-out Spots at Opening Lacrosse Match on Victoria Day.**

Preparations for the handling of a record crowd which is anticipated will be in attendance at the opening of the coast lacrosse season at Queens park Saturday afternoon will be completed this evening and from then until 3 o'clock Victoria Day afternoon Manager Gifford will sit back and wait for developments.

Sir Richard McBride, premier of British Columbia and a native son of the Royal City, was approached yesterday and it is thought that he will be able to make the trip in time to face off the first ball and set the lacrosse season on its 15 weeks grind.

Yesterday all doubts that Hughie Gifford would be able to play were laid aside, following a report from the doctor that the youngest player on the team would be O. K.

Gifford's absence from the line-up would have just about crippled the chances of the Minto cuppers for grabbing the opening game, which has been the custom for the past six years at least.

Some speculating is being made at the present as to the line-up of the Vancouver dozen on Saturday. It is admitted on all sides that Con Jones has gathered together a bunch of stars far better than he had last year and until the first game is over the fans will not be in a position to judge the chances of the Royals.

Yesterday Cory Hess made his reappearance between the flags of the Green Shrits, which should strengthen up the defence considerably. Cyclone Taylor and Bobby Pringle, however, will be the men watched. Taylor, who was the sensation of the coast hockey teams last winter, is said to be just as fast handling a lacrosse stick. Pringle is also stated to be a star man and will give trouble to the Westminster home.

The seat sale, which was opened on Monday, indicates a real Victoria Day crowd. Mail orders are coming in from the interior, the Fraser valley, an order arriving yesterday from Revelstoke, while two travelers from Banff now on their way to the coast wired Manager Gifford yesterday for reservations.

### ALL ON TIPTOE

**Coast Teams Getting Ready for the People's Shield Games.**

With the People's shield on its way out to the coast from Calgary, the soccer men of this section of the country are walking on tiptoes, awaiting the scheduled games which will decide the soccer championship of Canada.

Practically all the teams in British Columbia of senior calibre have entered the tournament, which will be played in Vancouver during the week of May 26.

The Rovers will be one of these and Manager Grant is strengthening up his line-up in the hopes of knocking out the Thistles, of Vancouver, who appear at the present stage to be the strongest aggregation in the field.

### MOOSE RAMBLE AWAY

**Fifteen to Nil Their Score Against the Bunch.**

A no-hit, no-run game was placed to the credit of Jack Horne, the Moose twirler, last evening at Queens park, when the herd ran away from a bunch selected from the other city teams to the tune of 15 to nil.

At no stage of the game was Horne in difficulty, being backed up by sterling infield play by his team mates. A fairly good crowd was in attendance, but little in the way of support is expected until the city league opens the season next Tuesday evening.

**Cricket at Central Park.**

Central Park, May 20.—The old English game of cricket is gaining a foothold in this section and a club has been organized by the young men who are bent on entertaining the best clubs of the lower mainland before the season is over. The agricultural grounds have been secured, the first practice being held this evening.

**Gun Club Shoot.**

The Westminster Gun club will hold its weekly shoot on the Lulu Island traps this evening. The contestants will leave on the 6:15 Queensborough car for the traps, which are located opposite the Queensborough school.

**Sapperton Tennis.**

The tennis club connected with St. Mary's church are holding forth on the Sapperton park every evening, the membership now having reached some few score. The courts are located on the west side of the park and are said to be in good condition.

## PUGILISTIC ANNALS.

1891—Birthday of Willie Lewis, who has been in turn light, welter and middleweight.
1907—Ad Wolgast knocked out Bud Glover in seventh round at Fond du Lac.
1907—Billy Papke and Tony Caponi fought 15-round draw at Davenport.
1912—Johnny Kilbane and Jimmy Walsh fought 12-round draw at Boston.
1912—Charley White defeated Owen Moran in nine rounds (foul) at Syracuse.
1912—Tony Ross defeated Frank Moran in ten rounds at Cleveland.
1912—Johnny Dundee outpointed Packey Hommey in ten rounds at New York.

### KELLY UP AND CAYS

**Lightweight Wrestler is Out with a Challenge.**

The sporting editor is in receipt of a challenge from Charlie Kelly, who styles himself lightweight champion wrestler of Canada, and who wants a match with Snowball O'Connor.

Kelly agrees to throw O'Connor twice in one hour for a percentage of the house. Address all answers either to the sporting editor of The News or to H. E. Welchel, manager for Kelly, who can be found at 401 Crown building, Vancouver.

## GUNBOAT SMITH DEFEATS WILLARD

**Kansan Gets Referee's Decision After Twenty Rounds—Willard Lacked Generalship.**

San Francisco, May 20.—Fifty pounds advantage in weight, six inches in height and a reach like the arm of a derrick could not win tonight for Jess Willard over Gunboat Smith, who was awarded the referee's decision in a 20 round battle.

Inexperience lost the fight for Willard, who was all too good natured and displayed slugging tactics which availed him nothing against the Californian. Willard lacked generalship and out of the 20 rounds, Referee Selig's card only gave the Kansan six. In the offensive Willard showed just what the critics had predicted while he was unable to withstand the straight rights and right uppercuts of the former navy man.

Despite a chilly wind that blew in spiteful gusts, 8000 people were on deck to witness the mill. Betting was event at the start, but the weight of Smith money forced the odds to 10 to 8 with Gunboat the favorite.

## Baseball Results.

**NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.**
Standing of the Clubs.

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Seattle | 23 | 10 | .696 |
| Vancouver | 17 | 13 | .566 |
| Portland | 15 | 13 | .484 |
| Tacoma | 16 | 19 | .457 |
| Victaoria | 13 | 16 | .448 |
| Spokane | 13 | 21 | .382 |

Yesterday's Games.

| At Victoria: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Spokane | 7 | 9 | 1 |
| Victoria | 8 | 14 | 0 |

Batteries: Kraft, Cadreau and Ostdiek; Wilson, Kantlehner and Meek.

| At Portland: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Tacoma | 3 | 7 | 4 |
| Portland | 4 | 6 | 0 |

Batteries: Kaufman, Girot and Harris; Stanley and Williams.

| At Vancouver: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Vancouver | 4 | 3 | 1 |
| Seattle | 1 | 6 | 0 |

Batteries: Decannaire and Konnick; Dell and Cadman.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**
Standing of the Clubs.

| | W. | L. | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 18 | 7 | .720 |
| Brooklyn | 19 | 10 | .655 |
| New York | 15 | 13 | .535 |
| Chicago | 16 | 16 | .500 |
| St. Louis | 15 | 15 | .500 |
| Pittsburg | 13 | 18 | .419 |
| Boston | 11 | 16 | .409 |
| Cincinnati | 9 | 21 | .300 |

Yesterday's Games.

| At New York | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 8 | 14 | 0 |
| New York | 0 | 2 | 4 |

Batteries: Harmon and Wingo; Mathewson and Meyers, Hartley.

| At Brooklyn: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 4 | 6 | 2 |
| Brooklyn | 1 | 7 | 3 |

Batteries: Robinson and Simon; Allen, Stack and Miller.

| At Philadelphia: | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Cincinnati | 1 | 5 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 5 | 9 | 1 |

Batteries: Fromme, Packard and Clarke; Alexander and Killifer.

| At Boston: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 7 | 7 | 0 |
| Boston | 3 | 8 | 2 |

Batteries: Overall and Archer; Perdue, Rudolph and Whaling.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**
Standing of the Clubs

| | W. | L. | Pct |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 19 | 9 | .678 |
| Cleveland | 21 | 11 | .656 |
| Washington | 17 | 17 | .607 |
| Chicago | 20 | 13 | .606 |
| Boston | 13 | 18 | .419 |
| St. Louis | 14 | 21 | .400 |
| Detroit | 12 | 22 | .352 |
| New York | 9 | 21 | .300 |

Yesterday's Games.

Chicago-Boston game postponed; rain.

| At St. Louis | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 6 | 9 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 3 | 8 | 1 |

Batteries: McConnell and Sweeney; Baumgartner and Agnew.

| At Detroit: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 7 | 12 | 1 |
| Detroit | 8 | 10 | [illegible] |

Batteries: Houck, Brown and Lapp; Glawitter, Lake and Stanage.

| At Cleveland: | R. | H. | E |
|---|---|---|---|
| Washington | 9 | 12 | 1 |
| Cleveland | 10 | 12 | 4 |

Batteries: Mullen, Hughes and Williams, Henry; Mitchell, Blanding, Cullop, Kahler, Gregg and O'Neill.

## SPORTOGRAPHY.

(By "Gravy.")

**BASEBALL IN CANADA MAKES SURPRISING STRIDES**

The growth of baseball as Canada's popular summer sport is illustrated by the fact that 17 years ago today the Toronto franchise was offered for sale for $5000. Moreover, there was no rush of buyers at that figure.

Just how much money it would take to buy the Maple Leaf franchise now can't be known, for the present owners appear to be perfectly satisfied with their investment. Despite the poor showing of the International league champions in the early part of the season, some 17,000 fans turned out to welcome them home.

Back in 1896, when the Toronto franchise was going begging at $5000 Jack Dunn, the present Baltimore manager, was pitching for the Leafs, while Joe Kelly, now manager of the Toronto team, was one of Ned Hanlon's famous Baltimore birds, then playing the National league circuit.

Jimmy Austin, the little California boxer, was born in Los Angeles 23 years ago come tomorrow and entered the ring as a professional when 17 years old. During his first year as a preliminary boxer, the little bantamweight fought nine bouts and registered five victories and four draws.

In 1906 he knocked out Tom Murray at San Diego and Willie O'Keefe at Los Angeles, and defeated Young Togo, the Japanese boxer, but was defeated by Mike Kutchos. Jimmy started the year 1909 by putting the clever boxer Max Weber to sleep in the first round and defeated several other men but lost to Red Corbett.

Austin made his first trip out of the state in 1910, when he went to New Orleans to box Kid Greaves, who defeated him in ten rounds. A little later he lost to Eddie Campi in San Francisco. Since then he has won victories over Danny Rodney, Jack Ward and others, but the early promise he gave of developing into a great boxer was not fulfilled.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, the creator of "Sherlock Holmes," will be 54 years old tomorrow, but he is still an enthusiastic sportsman, as he has always been.

Golf and cricket are the favorite outdoor sports of the great novelist, but it is at billiards that he really shines, and he recently competed in the tournament for the amateur billiard championship of Great Britain, making an excellent showing. He is fond of boxing and is often among those present at the London shows.

## ANDERSON PUTS MANDOT TO SLEEP

**Vancouver, Wash., Boy Has It All His Own Way and Makes Finish in Twelfth Round.**

Los Angeles, May 20.—Joe Mandot of New Orleans, was knocked out in the twelfth round of his scheduled 20 round fight were tonight with Bud Anderson, of Vancouver, Wash. Mandot was knocked down in the final round, but he was out on his feet. He was clearly insensible. Referee Eyton, seeing the condition of the game Southerner, stopped the fight with Mandot staggering blindly about the ring, and held up Anderson's hand in token of victory.

The tenth round was all Anderson's After sparring for the opening minute, Anderson rocked Mandot's head with a right and left and when the Southerner went into a clinch Anderson played his right to the stomach with telling effect.

**Anderson's Straight Rights.**

Game to the core, but apparently weakening after the terrific punishment he had taken, Mandot tried desperately in the eleventh to reach Anderson's jaw, but his blows either went in the air or were ineffective and Anderson staggered him repeatedly with rights to the jaw or made him sag under body punishment.

Anderson forced the fighting at the beginning of the twelfth and staggered Mandot with rights and lefts to the face and body. Mandot's desperation made all his efforts of no avail and when a terrific right to the jaw made him wilt, apparently helpless, but still on his feet, Referee Eyton stopped the fight to save him from a knockout, and awarded the victory to Anderson.

Cal Delaney, of Cleveland, earned a decision over Monte Attell, the San Francisco featherweight, in ten fast rounds in the preliminary to the main event.

## AMERICA'S CUP RACE ASSURED FOR 1914

**New York Club Accepts Challenge of Sir Thomas Lipton—Races in September.**

London, May 20.—The New York Yacht club cabled today to the Royal Ulster Yacht club definitely accepting Sir Thomas Lipton's challenge for the America cup.

The races will take place in September, 1914, under the New York Yacht club's present rules as to measurement, time allowance and racing rules.

Sir Thomas considers that the conditions of acceptance of his challenge by the New York Yacht club are a great victory for him. He said they will enable him to build a good seaworthy boat.

It is still a question whether Sir Thomas will be allowed to tow his craft across the Atlantic.

"It doesn't really matter much," he said, "whether I am allowed to tow or not. Any way I should not want to tow except in the case of a head wind or a dead calm."

**Show How It's Done.**

Nogales, Ariz., May 20.—Dedier Masson gave an exhibition at Hermosillo today, showing how he could toss bombs into the federal trenchments above Guayamas or into the Mexican gunboat lying in Guayamas harbor. He will start early tomorrow on a flight to the state troops' base, and it is expected that the advance on the gulf port will begin upon the arrival of the big biplane and its French aviator.

# At the Theatres

### CLOSING TONIGHT.

When interviewed last evening at the opera house, Manager Tidy said that he was sorry to say it, but that this city was not strong enough to support a stock company of the first class. The Vin Moore company who have been here for the last three weeks, are closing tonight. Although they have not been losing money, the patronage has not been sufficient to warrant them staying here any longer. As their closing bill this evening they will put on, for the first time here, at popular prices, one of the best dramas of the day, "The Man of the Hour." Although Mr. Moore has a reputation of being a comedian of the first water he claims, and the press notices that he has received support him, that he is best in the lighter dramas such as him company will produce this evening.

### BRIGHT AND HARMONIOUS.

If ever there was a play bright and harmonious in colors, pure in its theme and true in tone to the last note of its text it is the new comedy "Introduce Me," written by the talented young author, Della Clarke. Miss Clarke has scored a number of successes both as an author and an actress; but this her latest achievement, is regarded as the best of her career.

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In the cast surrounding Miss Clarke will be found actors whose names and reputations are familiar to those who are acquainted with theatrical Broadway.

No expense or labor will be spared to make this production one of the most notable of the season. In addition to every detail of scenery and costume being the best, Oscar Eagle, well known for his stage direction with David Belasco and Liebler & Co., has been specially engaged to stage "Introduce Me."

This play will be seen at the opera house on Thursday evening next Seats are now on sale at the box office at Tidy, the florist's, phone L184.

**For Sunday Ball.**

Everett, Wash., May 20.—Rev. Edgar M. Rogers, rector of Trinity church, yesterday made a plea for Sunday baseball playing as a form of healthful recreation for working men who have no leisure time during the week. Rev. Mr. Rogers' suggestion came as a reply to the action of the board of education locking up the school playground after learning that mill employees have been utilizing the field for Sunday baseball.

**Hanged at Portage.**

Portage la Prairie, Man., May 20.—For the first time in the history of Portage la Prairie, the jail here was the scene of an execution by Official Hangman Ellis, when John Baran, the murderer of Constable Rooke, paid the extreme penalty of the law. Right up until the time of his death the prisoner maintained the same unconcern he had shown since the passing of sentence on March 7.

## PLANTING BOMBS IS THE CHARGE

**Labor Arraigns Capital in Superior Court on Serious Allegations—Evidence Weak.**

Boston, May 20.—An attempt to prove that representatives of capital entered into a compact to discredit organized labor was made in the superior court today where President William M. Wood, of the American Woolen company; Frederick Atteaux and Dennis J. Collins are on trial. The defendants are charged specifically with conspiracy to "plant" dynamite at Lawrence at the time of the textile strike of 1912.

Collins testified as a witness for the prosecution and confessed a part in the alleged plot, though insisting that he was unaware at the time that he was handling dynamite. He admitted that he did not expect to receive a jail sentence if he told the truth on the stand. The defence will contend that neither Wood nor Atteaux had any connection with the conspiracy.

Collins told of distributing dynamite at different buildings occupied by striking textile operatives at Lawrence, but made only a casual reference to Wood and did not mention Atteaux's name. He said that at the request of John J. Breen, who was a member of the Lawrence school board at the time, he carried a package of dynamite from Boston to Lawrence and at Breen's direction distributed smaller packages of the explosive at various places where the strikers congregated. Breen has been convicted and fined for actually "planting" the dynamite.

The reference to Mr. Wood came when the witness was telling of a conversation between Breen and himself when the other announced that he would be the next mayor of Lawrence and that "a million was back of him." Collins said he asked Breen what he meant and the undertaker replied with the query:

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**NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that the Corporation of the City of New Westminster proposes to fill in and build certain works on the foreshore along portions of the main waterfront of the City of New Westminster, and has deposited the plans thereof and a description of the proposed sites with the Minister of Public Works and a duplicate thereof in the office of the Registrar of Titles for the District of New Westminster in the Province of British Columbia, being the district in which such work is proposed to be constructed, and will one month after the date hereof apply to the Governor-in-Council for approval thereof.

Dated this 3rd day of May, 1913.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

By W. A. Duncan, City Clerk.

(1197)

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FOUND—BLACK GELDING, THREE white feet, about 13 hands, if not claimed in seven days will be sold. Wilson, poundkeeper, Edmonds. (1348)

**SECRETARY WANTED.**

Wanted secretary and bookkeeper for Board of School Trustees. Must be able to use typewriter and a shorthand writer preferred. State experience and salary required. Apply New Westminster Board of School Trustees. (1345)

**CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.**

**Notice to Master Mariners, North Arm of the Fraser River.**

The City of New Westminster intends to close the Lulu Island Bridge, situate on the North Arm of the Fraser River, at New Westminster, on or about the 20th and 21st of May, 1913, for the purpose of laying submerged water main, during which time the channel will be closed to all traffic requiring the opening of the swing span.

W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk.

City Hall, New Westminster, B.C., May 15, 1913.

**Amended Notice.**

Owing to delay in procuring the dredge for above dates the bridge will not be closed until the 22nd and 23rd inst. (1321)

**NOTICE TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.**

Tenders are invited for the painting of a new Hospital at New Westminster, B. C., for the Board of Manager of the Royal Columbian Hospital.

Copies of plans and specifications may be seen at the Hospital in Sapperton, B. C., or at the offices of the Architect, S. B. Birds, A. R. I. B. A., 119 Pender Street West, Vancouver, B. C.

Sealed tenders to be delivered to the Secretary of the Hospital at Sapperton, New Westminster, B. C., before 6 p. m., Wednesday, May 21st.

No allowance for tenders, and the lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Contractors submitting tenders will be required to enclose a marked cheque for a sum equal to five per cent (5 per cent.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited should the contractor fail to enter into a contract when called upon.

E. S. WITHERS, Secretary.

(1276)

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# MABEL'S CHITCHAT

## The Woman Who's Determined to Please Too Much.

## HOPELESS TO CHOKE HER OFF

### Chafing Dish Set In Crash Toweling Is Just the Gift For Hostess Who Is Fond of Entertaining Informally at Supper or Luncheon.

Dear Elsa—I have just come back to New York from a week end spent with Margaret W., and I never leave her charming country home without the uncomfortable feeling that I have been extremely rude. Margaret is one of the few remaining specimens of politeness left to us in this rude, busy age. Indeed, she is so anxious to be nice and to have her guests enjoy themselves that she defeats her own good object by being too solicitous of their well being. In other words, she is one of those "pressing" people who make the average woman feel like "saying things" at times.

Here is an example of what I mean:

"Won't you have one of these cakes, dear?" she cried one afternoon at tea, her bright eyes falling on my empty plate.

"Thank you very much, but I've quite finished."

"Oh, but you must try one of these They're homemade."

"I'm sure they are delicious, but really"—

"Just one, now; just to please me."

So I was obliged to meekly dispose of the cake, and as soon as I had come to the last crumb Margaret began again.

"Now I'm sure you will have another, won't you?"

"No, thank you, really, Margaret."

"Oh, do; I have not nearly finished yet. Do keep me company. Or perhaps you did not like my cake?"

"It was splendid!" I managed to reply, quite honestly, for Margaret is a fine cook. "But, truly"—

Well, it was all off. Margaret smiled a sad, wistful smile, which said as plain as words, "I'm so sorry you didn't care for it, for if you had you would have taken another one."

She doesn't seem to realize that, however nice a cake may be, there exists to the vulgar mind such a thing as—well, repletion is the prettiest term I can call it, though very small people have expressed the same meaning by announcing that they are "full now."

Then one day Margaret began talking of new spring frocks, and I was foolish enough to say that I was thinking of changing my dressmaker.

"The very chance for you to try the little woman who made my green gown. She's so smart and so cheap She lives at— There, I've forgotten, but I'll look it up in my address book and let you know."

Now, as a matter of fact, I don't admire Margaret's green gown in the least, and Dick said it was a "shriek of fashion."

Trying to be tactful, I appreciatively looked at Margaret and replied: "Don't bother, dear. I think perhaps after all I'll give Mme. Blank another chance."

"Yes, but you may as well have the address, mayn't you? And I'm going to her this week, and if she says she cannot take any more orders just now I'll mention that you are a friend of mine. Or—or maybe it would be better for you to come with me."

Margaret is always full of plans, and, knowing that to raise her hopes to let them fall again will hurt her feelings, I temporized by saying, "I'll think it over."

And so we went on every minute of the time I spent with her, I feeling the most ungracious creature on the earth, for Margaret never can see that she has said enough. Yet she is a dear and does mean so well.

Why don't I go to Ferncliffe next summer? Why don't I take her remedy for sore throat? Why don't I take a ticket for the current event talks? Why don't I go to her dentist?

And indeed I don't know why I don't do many of these things, except that I don't particularly want to.

Dick and I never look forward to our visits to Margaret, simply because we find it so hard to get away. We plead that we have engagements in town. "Won't they hold over?"

Do you remember Sam Weller's reply to his father when that dear old gentleman suggested that his letter to Mary, the housemaid, was rather short: "Not a bit of it," said Sam. "She'll wish there was more, and that's the great art o' letter writin'."

Somehow those words always come into my head as I travel home from Margaret's.

I wonder, Elsa, how you will like the dollies and centerpiece I am making for a friend who does a lot of informal entertaining—chafing dish parties and the like. The set is of blue and white barred tea toweling. A yard and five eighths of eighteen inch wide toweling makes the twelve dollies, which are nine inches square. A square of the toweling was too narrow to make a good looking centerpiece, so I compromised on an oblong table runner.

The edges of both dollies and centerpiece are finished with heavily padded buttonholing done with mercerized cotton the shade of the blue bar in the crash. Across the center of each dolly and at both ends of the runner centerpiece will be placed the initials of the owner in cross stitch, carried out in two shades of blue. On a polished mahogany table the set is stunning.

Time's up, so auf wiedersehen.

MABEL.

Chased by the Devon and Somerset staghounds, which had met thirteen miles away, a stag dashed into the village of Lynmouth, Devon, through the Glen Lyn grounds and was killed on the banks of the West Lyn.

## COMFORT IN TEA GOWN.

### Easy Matter to Convert Party Frock into This Costume.

The word "negligee" covers a multitude of frilly, intimate costumes. There is, first, the tea gown, so named because it was the comfortable, informal costume the Englishwoman slipped into on her return from a day's sport when she joined the men again for tea. The English type of tea gown, however, has been glorified by many French touches until today it is a thing of great beauty. Many women wear these tea gowns to informal dinners in their own homes and often at that jolly function the Sunday night supper. It is very difficult, even for the initiated, to describe the difference between the tea gown and the dinner frock, a difficulty often increased by the fact that the tea gown has been evolved from a dinner dress which had

TEA GOWN OF THE SIMPLE VARIETY.

begun to show the signs of wear and tear. It is the simplest matter imaginable to take the foundation of the dinner frock and drape over it an overdress of chiffon or lace, as the fancy may dictate. The tea gown in the sketch shows the possibilities of this idea.

The first requisite of any negligee, whether the more formal tea gown or the simplest boudoir robe, is comfort. It must be a garment so loose and roomy that it can be worn without corsets, and for this reason the high waist line is generally more becoming than the normal one. The fullness of the gown hanging from this raised waist line hides the fact that the support of the corset has been withdrawn. The simple little tea gown pictured is of pale blue albatross, with deep cuffs and shawl collar of white albatross dotted with blue. Lingerie beading run with blue ribbon holds the high empire waist in place.

**Little Helps.**

Before using table oilcloth paste at each corner on the wrong side a square of cotton. This prevents the corners from wearing out as soon as they otherwise would.

The finger marks on a door can be removed by a clean flannel cloth dipped in kerosene oil. Afterward wipe with a cloth wrung out of hot water in order to take the smell away.

A yellow frosting is made by beating yolks of eggs lightly and thickening them with fine sugar as you would the whites. It will take a little longer to harden than if the whites were used.

Dingy towels may frequently be restored to normal whiteness by putting in a kettle of cold water, adding white soap shavings and lemon juice and letting come slowly to a boil. Rinse in tepid water, then blue water, and hang in the sun.

**For Tangled Hair.**

Many a beautiful head of hair has been cruelly and needlessly sacrificed when a long and serious illness has left it in a seemingly hopeless mat through which no fingers, however patient, can push their way. Then comes the tearful demand for scissors. Instead spread a towel smoothly over the pillow, lay the patient on her side, have at hand a bottle of best alcohol, take the matted half and saturate thoroughly with the alcohol, then gently draw it this way and that, and presently it will yield and admit your fingers. Keep the hair thoroughly wet, and in a few minutes the long strands will be straightened out. Don't fear cold. The spirits will have evaporated too quickly for that. Cologne will not serve.

**Game For the Sewing Circle.**

A workbasket as the first prize and a few accessories were the rewards in a parlor game played at a recent gathering of a sewing circle. The game was called "my lady's workbasket." Each of the ladies was given a card with a list of words, mostly nonsensical, printed thereon. The idea was to transpose the letters of each word to form a word designating something belonging to a workbasket, a half hour being devoted to the pastime.

**New Auto Service**

Nanaimo, May 20.—Mr. J. Moscrop intends putting on an automobile stage between Nanaimo and Cumberland. He has purchased a steam car which will carry twelve passengers.

## MRS. WILSON'S RECIPES.

### A Few of the President Elect's Favorite Dishes.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the next president of the United States, is, like most southern women, a good cook. The following recipes are used by Mrs. Wilson when she is ambitious of setting before her famous husband some of his culinary favorites:

Georgia Indian Pudding.—Place four cupfuls of sweet rich milk into a double boiler. Moisten in a little of the milk four rounded tablespoonfuls of yellow Indian meal and add to the milk when hot, stirring it well. Then add half a cupful of molasses, a little salt, a tablespoonful of ground ginger and a teaspoonful of cinnamon. Stir well and add four rounded tablespoonfuls of butter. Mix well and then pour into a baking dish with a pint of cold milk added and well stirred in. Bake in a slow oven three hours. Sometimes raisins are added. Serve with hard sauce.

Waffles.—Into four cupfuls of well sifted flour rub a heaping tablespoonfull of butter and salt well. Break three eggs, placing the yolks in one bowl and the whites in another. Beat each stiffly. Add three cupfuls of sweet milk to the yolks and then to the mixture add the buttered flour, beating briskly. Continue to beat for five minutes. Into the center of this batter then place two rounded teaspoonfuls of baking powder and then beat again vigorously. Lastly, beat in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs and bake immediately in waffle irons. To be served with butter and hot maple sirup.

Hominy Fritters.—To two cupfuls of cold boiled hominy add a cupful of rich cream and beat. Add two well beaten eggs and two tablespoonfuls of cornstarch with a teaspoonful of baking powder. Beat to a smooth batter, and then drop in large tablespoonfuls into very hot fat and fry brown on both sides.

## THE PARCEL POST.

### Advantages Given to the Housewife by Uncle Sam's New Service.

The new parcel post is a great convenience to the housekeeper in town as well as making a market without the aid of the middleman for the farmer. People living in towns and cities by this means may order foods fresh from the farm and thereby save time money and trouble.

As an example of the various good points of the parcel post delivery take the shipment of eggs, which a housekeeper can get fresh from the farm every morning—eggs that were laid the previous day.

Take, for instance, a family of two. Allowing that they would consume six eggs a day, says Mrs. Kate Howe in a recent article, they could order a four day supply for a little more than they cost and receive them in perfect condition. In most cases the farmer pays the postage, but he probably adds that amount to the price of eggs.

**Lingerie Frocks.**

The lingerie dress of 1913 is simple in effect, though of a rather costly simplicity, as one very soon finds out when

IN LACE AND MULL.

he starts to make or purchase one of these smart and useful costumes.

The model illustrated is one of the best types carried out in white mull and cluny lace. Black velvet protects the edge of the skirt and forms a high waistband, with a pump bow at the back.

**Nonleakable Down Pillows.**

When making down pillows the wrong side of the tick should be ironed with an iron rubbed over with bees wax, rubbing the iron thoroughly with the wax each time before it is put on the ticking. This will keep the down from working through the tick.

**A Stirring Fork.**

When stirring gravy, sauce, corn starch, etc., use a cooking fork instead of the basting spoon commonly so employed. This will prevent lumps and the necessity of constantly scraping off accumulations from the spoon.

## BOON TO VERNON

### Fine Grade of Limestone Discovered By Devon Man.

Vernon, B. C., May 20.—Some months ago Frank Mitchell, an experienced mining man from the mines of Devon and Cornwall discovered that a deposit of limestone only one and a half miles from Vernon on a main travelled road was of great value and stretched far back into the hillside. There has been a lack of lime for the use of farmers and orchardists, and for plasterers and builders, in the Vernon district, all lime having to be imported.

Burning in a temporary kiln shows that the rock gives a grade of lime of the first quality for plastering, kalsomining agricultural and sanitary purposes.

The rock quarried for building purposes is of the same beautiful shade as that used in the homes of Plymouth, Penzance and Devonport, and in many of the public buildings of those countries which stood erosion for two centuries past and show no sign except to an expert that they are not recently constructed buildings.

## GOOD PROSPECT BEFORE UP COUNTRY FRUITMEN

Vernon, May 20.—On his return from a trip of inspection throughout the valley as far south as Keremeos, Ben Hoy reported that he had looked in vain for any signs of frost damage.

One could of course he said, find here and there a bud that had been nipped; but that was the case every year. As to the prospects of this season's crop he thought it would even be bigger this year than last as far as one could judge at this stage.

While some of the old orchards were not quite as heavy, the new ones coming into bearing more than made up for the difference. Of course there were old orchards with as good promise as last year. He thought there would be more apples in the south than last season, while the plums and apricots were particularly good.

## DOWN LIKE A STONE

### Constable Grabbed Lunatic But Failed to Prevent Suicide

Vernon, May 20.—The tragic suicide that occurred last Tuesday morning from the S. S. Okanagan, is thus described by G. L. Estabrooke, master of the vessel:

"On our northbound trip this morning, between Peachland and Gellately, at 7.50 o'clock, a lunatic by the name of John Brockenshaw, a native of England, escaped through the outside door of a stateroom on the hurricane deck and leaped overboard and was drowned.

"The constable in charge grabbed at the man as he made a dash through the door, and managed to catch hold of his coat as he leaped overboard. It was done so quickly that it was impossible for him to get a solid hold of the man. From the pilothouse I heard someone shout, 'man overboard.'.

"I stopped the boat, blew lifeboat whistles and reversed the engines. From the time I heard the alarm until our boat was in the water fully manned, the time was fifty-one seconds. The boat went back to where the man went overboard, and rowed around for some time, time but no sign of the man could be seen."

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**LAND REGISTRY ACT.**

Re Lots 3 and 4, Block 5, of Section 36, Block 5 North, Range 3 West, Map 529, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 16574F, issued in the name of Alexander Allan, 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.

N. GWYNN,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., April 30, 1913. (1206)


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In two days, the pain had left me entirely. I took about half a box and today I feel as well as ever and my kidneys are acting quite natural again."

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50c. a box, 6 for $2.50. Sample free if you write National Drug and Chemical Co., of Canada, Limited, Toronto. 139

**LAND REGISTRY ACT.**

Re Lot thirty-four (34), Southwest quarter of District Lot eight hundred and sixty-seven (867), Municipality of North Vancouver, Map 3024.

Whereas proof of loss of Certificate of Title No. 59942 E., covering the above mentioned property, issued in the name of Sham Singh, has been filed in this office. Notice is hereby given that I shall at the expiration of one month from date of first publication hereof, issue a duplicate of said Certificate of Title, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Vancouver, B.C., this 12th day of May, A.D. 1913.

ARTHUR G. SMITH,
(1316) District Registrar.

**NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the City of New Westminster application will be made for a transfer of the license to sell liquor by retail in the Central Hotel premises situate on Lot One (1), Block "G," Merchants' Square, City of New Westminster, from Jos. I. Freeman to Henry Freeman.

Dated at New Westminster, B.C., this 6th day of May, A.D. 1913.

JOS. I. FREEMAN,
Holder of License.
HENRY FREEMAN,
(1331) Applicant for Transfer.

**APPLICATION FOR HOTEL LICENSE.**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the Board of License Commissioners at its next regular sitting for an Hotel License for the premises known as the "Hotel Dominion," situate upon Lot 11, Block 5, corner of Sixth and Columbia Streets, City of New Westminster, B.C.

Dated this 9th day of May, A.D. 1913.

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# BRIEF AND BRIGHT NEWS FROM ENGLAND

A young man named Jones fell into a vat of boiling liquid used for tanning herring nets at Yarmouth. He was quickly extracted but life was extinct.

The Debenham, Suffolk, Sparrow Club, which last year destroyed 11,596 sparrows and 8526 eggs, is to be wound up owing to lack of funds and co-operation.

Walter Cunliffe was elected governor of the Bank of England and Robert Lydston Newman deputy-governor at the annual meeting of the directors.

For making a false declaration to obtain unemployed benefit under the insurance act, John Bryan, a painter, was sentenced to seven days' imprisonment at Bedford.

Epping Guardians have decided to expend ten shillings on a wig for an old woman in the workhouse, about whose baldness the other inmates made unkind remarks.

In accordance with the last written wish of Graham Gilmore, who was killed while flying over Richmond Park last year, a model aeroplane has been placed over the grave at Mickleham.

As a protest against the refusal of the board of education to grant an inquiry, parents at Batlock's Heath, near Netley, are keeping their children from school. Seventy children were withdrawn in a week.

John Burns, who is one of the members of the society of Amalgamated Engineers nominated for the secretaryship, has signified to the organization that he will not allow his name to be submitted to the ballot.

It has been decided by the National Union of Railwaymen to put forward another candidate for parliament in addition to the three railwaymen's members—Mr. Wardle, Mr. Hudson and Mr. Thomas—and Mr. Holmes has been adopted for Crewe.

A lady was riding on horseback on the sands at Eastbourne when the animal stumbled and fell. Regaining its feet the animal dragged its rider some distance through the water before she succeeded in freeing herself. She was, happily, uninjured.

The collection of birds and beasts which the district railway is forming has been increased by a male woodowl, which was caught on the Harrow line. It is a fine specimen, and now stuffed and suitably posed, is exhibited at Victoria under-ground station.

After a three days' holiday, the "cap" girls at Eley's Cartridge works at Edmonton who went out on strike in consequence of a grievance against the foreman agreed to resume work on the manager promising that he would give his personal attention to the department.

At the suggestion of Alderman Burgess it was decided at the meeting of the Godalming Traders' Association to invite the local tradesmen to improve the appearance of the principal streets by placing window boxes containing growing flowers in their upper windows.

Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, put to sea in the Lion, the flag ship of the first battle cruiser squadron. The ships forming this fleet, were joined by other squadrons to take part in channel exercises, which the first lord witnessed from the deck of Admiral Beatty's flagship.

When a sidesman at Witham, Essex vestry meeting commented on the small offerings some people gave to the church, Canon Witham replied that the gifts to the collections were free offerings made in private, and he hoped that no sidesman would look to see what anyone gave.

The Yarmouth coroner, addressing a woman whose baby disturbed the court by constant hiccoughing, remarked: "Take that dummy out of its mouth. They are the most beastly and infamous things ever invented. The man who invented them ought to be made to walk around the world forever with one of them in his mouth."

Joseph Smith, a warder at Walton jail, was fined £20 and five guineas cost at Liverpool for conveying into Walton jail for the use of a prisoner a daily newspaper, a letter from his wife, cigarettes and port wine. It was stated that the prisoner in question was a Hindoo, who had been sentenced for practising palmistry and his wife had paid Smit half a guinea a week for supplying her husband these things.

Some 2000 working people have struck work at the Hoffman factory at Chelmsford, which is famed for the making of steel balls and bearings. They export largely to America. A great deal of the labor is unskilled, and it is among this class that the dissentment predominates. The works run night and day, and it is a very serious matter for them to close down The men met on the Hoffman football ground and agreed to a demand for half a penny an hour increase of wages all round.

Constable George Honeysett, of the Royal Household police at Windsor Castle, was highly recommended by the coroner's jury at Clewer for his gallant attempt to rescue the young son of a colleague from drowning. The victim was John Nicholls, 13, son of a constable at Windsor Castle. The evidence was that he got into a punt, which was chained to the bank, and started to paddle out into the middle of the stream. When the punt got to the end of the chain, it stopped with a jerk and the boy was thrown into the river.

A remarkable series of robberies by Henry Maddle while a member of the Coventry police force resulted in his being sentenced at the Warwickshire quarter sessions to eighteen months' imprisonment. Madle entered the Coventry force last October, with five years' very good character of service with the Metropolitan police. No fewer than fourteen robberies have since been traced to him, the first occurrence at the residence of the mayor a month after he joined the Coventry force. It is said he deserted his wife and children in Australia.

## BESIEGED PRINCE TURNS ALL DOWN

London, May 10.—Tradesmen all over the world seem to be competing for the future patronage of the Prince of Wales. Realizing that in all probability another year will see him installed in a palatial mansion of his own they are bombarding Buckingham palace and the prince's rooms at Oxford with samples of their wares and requests for orders in years to come.

So far none of these efforts, although many have represented a great deal of work and ingenuity, have had the slightest effect. All have been returned to the senders with a polite note to the effect that when any goods are required from them by the prince an intimation to that effect will be sent to them.

## BULLDOG ATTACKS HORSE

### Animal Was Drawing Hearse at Funeral—No Tail Twister There

London, May 19.—A funeral at Hampstead cemetery was delayed by an extraordinary incident. Just as the procession was entering the gates a bulldog leaped at one of the horses drawing the hearse and seizing it by the leg, brought it heavily to the ground.

The dog then shifted its grip, biting the horse in several places about the body, and finally fastening its teeth in its muzzle.

The horse's struggles were witnessed by many, but for some time the confusion was such that all efforts to get at the bulldog were unavailable.

A young woman to whom the latter belonged, eventually managed to grasp its collar, but it was only after the animal had been stunned with a heavy piece of wood that its jaws could be prised apart and the horse released. The latter, a valuable French stallion, will have to be slaughtered, it is feared, so badly was it injured.

It is a pity that no one thought of pinching or twisting the dog's tail. That is a certain way of making a bulldog release its grip. The more it is beaten the tighter it holds.

## "SHERLOCK HOLMES" WINS HIS OWN SUIT

London, May 19.—The creator of Sherlock Holmes proved himself a very able cross-examiner in a London police court when summoned for not keeping a dangerous under control. Like Sam Weler, he set up the defence of an alibi, and was so successful that the bench stopped the case with the observation that it was a clear case of mistaken identity.

The complainant, a farmer, declared that the defendant's collie dog killed one of his sheep, and when he went to him Sir A. Conan Doyle said he was quite willing to pay compensation if it was his dog that attacked the sheep, and gave witness ten shillings.

Sir A. Conan Doyle—In this conversation at my house I said it was not my dog? Yes.

"So, in giving you the ten shillings, I in no way made any admission that it was my dog?" "Oh, no."

"I said: If any neighbor of mine is in difficulties, I always like to help him, and you have lost a sheep, so I like to help you to this extent?" "Yes."

"It was not likely I should have asked you to shoot at the dog if I thought it was mine?" "Yes."

Evidence was then called proving that the offending dog was not Sir A. Conan Doyle's.

## ENGLISH WOMAN IN CANADA.

### Housework Should Be Avoided, Except on Coast, She Says.

Much interest was shown in an address delivered by Ella Sykes the other day before the Royal Society of Arts in London, concerning openings for educated women in Canada. Earl Grey presided. Miss Sykes was so anxious to find out what openings existed that she went to the Dominion for six months as a working woman, and took five temporary jobs as home help in four provinces. She received the hospitality of chicken ranches and prairie farms at the outset. She met a rebuff at Winnipeg, where she was told, "What a pity it is that English women are so seldom trained to do anything properly." Miss Sykes said this was humiliating but true. She was surprised to find how low, accordingly, was her market value.

When she thought of being a home help, she found it in reality very different from what she had imagined it. The Canadian is a capable housewife, and the work of keeping her home in good order seemed endless. Her experience in several situations convinced her that the post of home help was unsuitable for educated English women, except perhaps on the Pacific slopes.

Miss Sykes recommended that educated English emigrants consider becoming probationers in large western hospitals, elementary school teachers, stenographers or dressmakers. Poultry farming was lucrative if women could do the work themselves.

"We are accused of wishing to drain the United Kingdom of all its capable women," concluded Miss Sykes. "We replied that with one and a half million more women than men a few hundreds can well be spared. If England is so anxious to keep her daughters let her give them better salaries."

The Lord Mayor of Liverpool formally opened new waiting-rooms there for steerage passengers provided by the C.P.R. in their offices. The Liverpool authorities commended this thoughtfulness, poorer emigrants arriving at Merseyside in early morning hitherto being compelled to wait for the steamers on the landing stage. This so far is the only waiting-rooms of the kind.

## A RISING LEGISLATOR.

### J. C. Elliott, M.P.P., Has a Future In Politics.

He first made himself known in the Ontario Public Accounts Committee. After the election in Ontario in 1908 a little phalanx of Liberals gathered in the Legislature—eighteen of them—and took stock of their party and their cause. Many thought they had better give in. Not so with them. They were optimists and wouldn't give in. A young man of medium height, slightly built, with keen, piercing eyes, began to size up the situation. He had spoken on the debate on the address and took a hand in the Budget. He was assignel to three of the standing committees of the House, but really centred his attention on one—the Public Accounts.

This was Mr. J. C. Elliott, member for West Middlesex. That year and the year following was a probation period. The work of the committee was not heavy, but it was enough to teach the young Parliamentarian the different jumps. Three sessions for his first term taught him some things about political warfare. A general election last year brought on another campaign. Mr. Elliott came back, and this time was advanced to the front row of his party.

An aptness at repartee and an ability to perceive a weakness in the argument of, and score on, an opponent are distinguishing characteristics of Mr. Elliott in debate. Several times during the past two sessions has he made his presence known to the Prime Minister of the province, and his attack on the provincial boundary settlement with Manitoba was not the least of the Prime Minister's cares.

Born in the township of Ekfrid, in West Middlesex, in 1872, Mr. Elliott is now approaching the zenith of his usefulness. At the age of eleven he passed his high school entrance examination, and in 1889 attended high school at Glencoe. Matriculating in 1892, he graduated in law in the year 1898, and at the same time took the degree of B.C.L. from Trinity University. Five years later, on a thesis written on "The Conflict of Legislative Power Between the Dominion and the Provinces," he earned the higher degree of D.C.L. from Trinity.

On graduating at law Mr. Elliott returned to Glencoe and engaged in practice. Eminently successful in his profession, he has, at the same time, retained a keen interest in agriculture, and has a farm in western Canada which will have a thousand acres under crop this year. While always the friend of the agriculturist, the advent of interprovincial questions, such as the boundary dispute and the marriage law, has enabled Mr. Elliott to display a grasp of these matters that has caused the Government speakers more than once to guard their utterances, particularly if their position was at all vulnerable.

### Works Versus Words.

Rev. Dr. Rankin, a prominent Methodist minister in Ontario, tells of a rather interesting incident that happened in his church on a recent Sunday.

He was approached by one of the church members after the Sunday morning service.

"Dr. Rankin, I wish that you would preach a sermon on Heaven some of these Sundays. I confess that I have many doubts as to the orthodox doctrine about Heaven, and I would like to hear your views as to just what and where it is."

"All right," said the preacher, "I'll do it."

They conversed for a moment and as they were parting, Dr. Rankin called over another member and said:

"By the way, there is a poor woman living at No. —, —— street, and she is sick, and has little or no food or fuel in her little house. I wish you two men would go down there this afternoon and see that she and her children get some assistance."

The two members promised to do so.

After the evening service Dr. Rankin was rather surprised to see his questioner of the morning walking rapidly up the aisle to greet him Smiles chased themselves over the happy fellow's face. He grasped the preacher's hand.

"Say, Doctor," he said, "you needn't preach that sermon about Heaven now. I did what you asked me to do and I've been in Heaven all afternoon."

### New G.T.P. Towns.

During the coming spring and summer a large number of new towns will be placed on the map of Western Canada along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and the townsites will be opened to the public by the Transcontinental Townsite Co., the official agents of the G.T.P. While many of these are still unnamed and by no means definitely located over forty have been finally decided on at present, and it is probable that all townsites on the company's existing lines will be located and named this year.

The new towns decided on are as follows. Prongua, Gallivan, Normross, Springwater, Ruthilda, Adine, Dodsland, Millerdale, Beaufield, Coleville, Driver, Smiley, Dewar Lake, Stratton, Loverna, Gedoux, Rainton, Brough, Innes, Huntoon, Viewfield, Hill Hall, Sander, Minard, Breeze, Steelman, Deborah, Esperanto, Elcott, Northgate, Archydal, Forgray, Rowletta, Linstrom, Esbank, Darmody, Mawer, Keystone and Stony Beach.

### Strikes In 1912.

The loss in working days from strikes in 1912, according to the Department of Labor's record, was only about half the similar loss in 1911, though amounting to over 1,000,000 days. This covers the whole of the Dominion. There was a greater number of strikes, although they involved only a small number of men. Together 40,500 employes went out on strikes in 1912. The Industries Disputes Investigation Act applies to disputes in industries involving public utilities and practically all the above mentioned disturbances were outside its jurisdiction. Altogether about 19 threatened strikes were referred under the act of 1912, settlements being thereby effected in all but three cases.

## BACK TO THE GRADE

### Kettle Valley Strike Ended—Big Roundhouse for Penticton.

Penticton, B. C., May 20.—The strike on the Kettle Valley railway has been called off by the strike committee and the men have all gone back to work. Most of the men were not out more than three or four days. At Schach's camp at four-mile they were not out at all.

Work is now going on at all the camps in full swing. President Warner has left for Carmi by way of Midway and will start track-laying operations from Carmi westward. Tenders are being asked for the section west of Osprey lake and it is expected that this line will be under construction very shortly.

Chief Engineer McCulloch stated a few days ago that it was expected that Penticton would be linked up with Midway and points east by this time next year.

A contract has been let for a six-stall roundhouse here and building operations have already begun. It is being constructed so that it may be enlarged to a ten-stall roundhouse a little later.

### Memorial For a Poet.

At a recent gathering of distinguished literary men of Ottawa in connection with the fourteenth anniversary of the death of Archibald Lampman, the Canadian poet, it was proposed to establish a national memorial to the departed writer and the matter has been placed in the hands of a capable committee. It was suggested that the attention of the Dominion Government be called to the necessity of creating a hall of fame or pantheon in connection with the new buildings that it is intended to erect in Ottawa for the proper commemoration of Canada's distinguished sons.

Among Canadian men of letters Lampman stands high and his too early death was a sad blow to Canadian literature. He was a nature poet of a very high order and his work is full of truthfulness, simplicity and sweetness. His love of nature found expression in a large number of poems of exquisite beauty and melody and his lyrics and sonnets have a charm possessed by few writers and many are surpassed by none in simple beauty of language and thought. He was a master of versification and his kindly, wise and sympathetic spirit breathed through everything he wrote, was pure and noble, broad and reverent and was filled with a wise philosophy of content. His poems are such as should be in every Canadian home and should be prized by all who love their native land and admire all that is wholesome and good in literature.

### Compliment to Sir William Whyte.

A graceful compliment was recently paid to the distinguished railroad man, Sir William Whyte, formerly second vice-president of the C.P.R. It will be remembered that a year or more ago Sir William resigned this important post, but at the request of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy and other members of the executive of that great continental road retained a seat on the board. Recently he was appointed sole arbitrator between the Government of Canada and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway to determine what the latter should pay the Government for the use of that portion of the Transcontinental Railway which runs from Winnipeg to Lake Superior junction pending the completion of the entire line from Winnipeg to Moncton. It is exceptional in the annals of railroading for a company to refer a question of this kind to a director of a great rival corporation, and it shows the respect and confidence in which Sir William is held.

### Left Son In Canada.

Baron Macnaghten, senior Lord of Appeal in Ordinary of the judicial committee of the Privy Council, whose death occurred in London recently, had one son living in Canada. This is the Hon. F. A. Macnaghten, of Calgary. Mr. Macnaghten is an old-timer in the west, having come out from England some 25 years ago. He was interested in the cattle business, becoming a partner in the ranching firm of Sampson & Macnaghten, who owned a large place in the Bow Valley, close to Calgary. Some ten years ago they sold out to the Hon. William Beresford.

Since that time Mr. Macnaghten is reported to have made considerable money, associated with well-known Calgarians, in large land deals.

### Four-Mile Tunnel Through Selkirk.

At an estimated cost of over $12,000,000 the C.P.R. expects within a few years to have opened a two-track tunnel, four miles in length, through the Selkirk range of mountains, between Calgary and Vancouver. One object of the tunnel is to eliminate the ever-threatening possibility of interruption from snowslides, which, on the present line through Rogers Pass, have given a large amount of trouble. The tunnel will be operated electrically.

## GOLD AT SHUSWAP

### Free Milling Low Grade Proposition Being Worked Near Sicamous

Sicamous, May 20.—A very valuable low-grade gold mining property on the shore of Shuswap lake, about 7 miles north of here is being developed by J. R. Linton and partners They call it the Thunderbolt Group, and have seven claims in the group.

The ledge has been tapped on the lake shore by a 40-foot tunnel, and in another place by a fifteen foot open cut. The mineral bearing quartz shows to a width of a thousand feet, and has been followed to a distance of five miles.

All assays taken have run from $5 up in values. It is a free milling proposition.

## DOUKHOBORS SNAP UP LAND AT CASTLEGAR

Castlegar, B. C., May 20.—The government land sale did not attract many prospecitve buyers, and the land was knocked down by Auctioneer Perdue of Trail to Mr. Veregin, representing the Doukhobor society, for $21 per acre.

This now means that the above society practically control all the good land around Brilliant and Waterloo, with the exception of two small blocks of improved land owned by a local firm.

## Woman's World

### Honor For New York Folk Dance Expert.

Photo by American Press Association.

MISS ELIZABETH BURCHENALL.

A remarkable honor has been paid a New York woman by the committee in charge of the congress on playgrounds, recreation and physical exercise for school children, which is to be held in the city of San Francisco the last week in February. Miss Elizabeth Burchenall is the young woman in question. She has been selected as the expert par excellence in the United States on folk dancing and athletics for girls.

The New York board of education has granted Miss Burchenall leave of absence to attend the congress, where she will make an address.

The folk dancing which Miss Burchenall has so successfully introduced in the New York schools is not only the solution of the problem of physical work for girls, but the ideal of freedom and grace in movement.

It has been noted that in a school population made up of such diverse races as New York city can show these folk dances have proved an inspiration To the Russian child the Russian dance is an expression of individuality. So with the Swedish, the Dutch and Italian dances.

### A Place For Jeremiah.

A certain prosy preacher recently gave an endless discourse on the prophets. First he dwelt at length on the minor prophets. At last he finished them, and the congregation gave a sigh of relief. He took a long breath and continued, "Now I shall proceed to the major prophets."

After the major prophets had received more than ample attention the congregation gave another sigh of relief.

"Now that I have finished with the minor prophets and the major prophets what about Jeremiah? Where is Jeremiah's place?"

At this point a tall man arose in the back of the church. "Jeremiah can have my place," he said. "I'm going home."—Newark Star.

### Are There Any?

This really seems to be a law.
Just run along your list
And tell me if you ever saw
A woman pessimist.
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Indeed I have! My own delight
Whene'er I chance to roam
Is sure it will be late at night
Before I get back home.
—Detroit Free Press.

When dearest asks to have her gown
Done by a certain date
"I know," she murmurs, with a frown,
"That it will be too late."
—Youngstown Telegram.

When we've paid life insurance dues
Wife looks sad as the deuce
And says, discouraged, it don't seem
To be a bit of use.

### A Vaudeville Show.

"Here is the program. The first turn is by Wombat."

"I know him. He was in baseball last summer."

"Quite so. The second turn is by Dingbat."

"The rowing expert?"

"Yes. The third sketch is by Slambat."

"I know him—the great lightweight champion."

"Quite so. The fourth turn is by Slingbat. I never heard of him."

"Nor I. Oh, yes, I have too. The usher tells me he is an actor. But what is he doing in vaudeville?"—Kansas City Journal.

### Got a Cold?

Seems a cold affects some men
Like a lure.
All your friends come to you then
With a cure.
Twenty times a day you're told
Of a sure cure for your cold.

When a cold on you descends
Just be sure
You can find a thousand friends
With a cure.
Even strangers, waxing bold,
Want to tinker with your cold.
—Kansas City Journal.

### In Luck.

"How did Biggs take the news of his wife running away?"

"Calmly enough. He seemed glad that the man she ran away with was Graftmann."

"Why so?"

"Graftmann, he said, was never known to return anything yet."—Boston Transcript.

An otter measuring three feet three inches has been shot while preying on the fish in the ornamental lake at Syon House, the Duke of Northumberland's seat at Isleworth, on the Thames.


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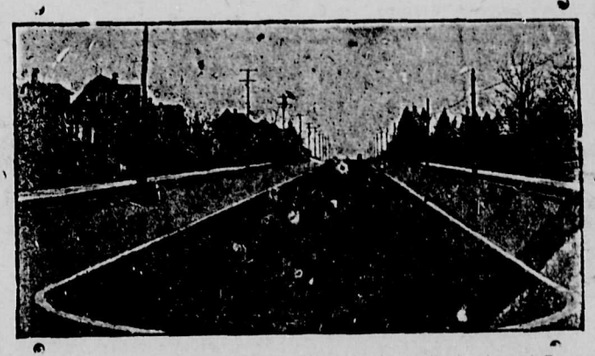

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# City News In Brief

The board of trade will meet on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

For everything electrical see W. Day. House wiring and conduit work a specialty. (1204)

The May Day committee did not meet last evening, the event being fixed for Tuesday next, May 27.

Try the 15c and 35c summer lunches at the Nutshell, Room 3, Dominion Trust building. (1246)

The young people of the B. Y. P. U. of Olivet Baptist church have chartered a special car to take them to Vancouver next Saturday when they will hold their annual outing at Second beach.

Build up British Columbia by placing your fire insurance with B. C. companies. Our companies are among the strongest operating in the Dominion. National Finance Company, 521 Columbia street. Phone 515. (1356)

A Hardman, the cake man. Get good bread. Eighth Street Bakery. Telephone 231. (1205)

Building permits were issued yesterday to W. J. Whiteside, St. George street, to remodel his residence at a cost of $3000; and to Gilley Bros. for additions to their garage on Holbrook street, at a cost of $100.

Dr. Endicott, a well known missionary and a brother of W. Endicott, 124 Eighth street, will speak in the Sixth Avenue Methodist church on Sunday evening. Dr. Endicott addressed the congregation of the Wesley church, Vancouver, last Sunday evening.

P. H. Smith and W. J. Groves, auditors and accountants. We will keep your books, make out and collect your accounts, and prepare your financial statements. For terms, address 211 Westminster Trust building. Phone 384. (1359)

Saturday, May 24, being Victoria Day, all butcher shops will be closed but they will be open late Friday evening. (1354)

A man named William Attarshanks, a foreigner, was taken to the Royal Columbian hospital last evening suffering from several broken ribs which resulted from his being struck by a train at Westminster Junction. The man was brought in on a C. P. R. train and taken to the hospital in the police ambulance.

At Monday night's council meeting Alderman Henley's objection to the Chinese vegetable peddlers was that some of them hawked their wares from carts on which they carried their swill barrels at the same time, not that they carried the vegetables in the barrels, as reported in yesterday's News.

Raymond sewing machine for sale, in first class order, only $15.00. C. N. Edmondson & Co., corner Sixth avenue and Twelfth street. (1275)

The New Westminster delegates to the recent annual convention of the B. C. Political Equality League in Victoria have returned. They were: Mrs. Wiggin, Dr. Ella Synge and Mrs. Peele. Mrs. Wiggin of this city was appointed provincial treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Kemp, president of the Women's Forum, was elected provincial president.

Following a police call from Alex. Turnbull, the local force arrested two men who were discovered looting a barn on Twelfth street about 10 o'clock last evening. Mr. Turnbull saw the men leaving the barn with armfuls of clothing and immediately telephoned to the police. They will have a hearing before Magistrate Edmonds in court this morning.

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Two New Westminster ladies were elected to office at the annual convention of the British Columbia Political Equality league. Mrs. Wiggin was elected treasurer, and Dr. Ella Scarlet Synge was elected convener of the press committee. Mrs. J. C. Kemp, of Vancouver, was elected provincial president; Mrs. J. W. Bryon, corresponding secretary; Miss Bromley Jobb, recording secretary; Miss Davis and Mrs. Lashley Hall, organizers.

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### CAMP OUTFIT BURNED

**Fire at W. A. Gilley's Does Some Damage.**

A serious fire threatened the buildings of W. A. Gilley and also those owned by the firm of Gilley Bros. yesterday morning. The blaze started in the storehouse of the piledriving concern.

The material destroyed by the flames included a camp outfit, which was just on the point of being taken to Port Moody, where Mr. Gilley has the contract for the building of a large wharf. No insurance was carried on the building, which was badly scorched.

### COOKING AND BUSINESS

**Two New Courses to Be Added to School Work.**

Two new departments will be included in the curriculum of the public schools, according to the decision of the school board in committee on Monday evening. In addition to deciding to call for applications for the position of secretary to the school board, it is stated that the board will also call for applications for the positions of domestic science teacher and commercial teacher.

From this it is taken that some time in the near future the girls will be taught domestic science and it is understood that rooms have already been apportioned in the new schools for this purpose. Household science, cooking and sewing will be included in the work of the domestic science teacher.

In the commercial class, shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping will be included in the work which will consist of a two year term. At the end of that time pupils successful in the examinations will be given a government certificate.

**Burnaby Board Meets.**

The Burnaby board of trade will hold its regular meeting in the Burnaby municipal hall this evening.

**Concert at Burquitlam.**

The Burquitlam Athletic association will give a concert in the Burquitlam Agricultural hall, Austin road, tomorrow night.

**Inspecting Roads.**

Mr. G. F. Napier, assistant public works engineer, and Mr. Dugald Mackenzie, road superintendent, Delta, are inspecting the roads in Surrey. Yesterday they passed over the Yale road to the international boundary.

**To Improve Markets.**

Sir Richard McBride has consented to meet a delegation representative of the Fraser valley municipalities and boards of trade in connection with the extension of marketing facilities and establishing co-operation among farmers in the Fraser valley.

**Burglars at Coquitlam.**

Burglars in Port Coquitlam entered the stores of W. G. Campbell, druggist, and Watson & McKeown, hardware merchants but were chagrined to find that the cash takings had been removed from the drawers in each. Entrance is supposed to have been effected by back windows.

## SOCIAL *and* PERSONAL

Mrs. McNeil is registered at the Windsor.

A. Crane, of Seattle, is a guest at the Windsor.

W. H. Smith, of Tacoma, was in the city yesterday.

J. Scott, of Montreal, is registered at the Russell.

Mrs. Frank Pearson will not receive again this season.

John Z. White, of Chicago, is a guest at the Russell.

W. E Thomson, of Newport, is registered at the Windsor.

Mrs. Eldon Brodie, of Delta, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

G. A. Newcomb and wife, of Seattle, are guests at the Russell.

J. J. Ramsay, of Portland, Ore., was in the city yesterday on business.

H. W. Robertson and wife, of Victoria, were in the city yesterday.

P. W. Small has returned to his home after a term in Washington university.

Mrs. Byron Renshaw, Queen's avenue, will not receive today nor again this season.

Mrs. Albert J. Tyson, 526 Fifth street, will be at home tomorrow and not again this season.

### IN POLICE COURT.

**Auto Scorcher Fined—Some Sentences Stand Over.**

The auto scorcher was again to the fore yesterday morning in the police court this time. ahbin d court this time. Thomas Elder, an auto hirer, was fined $25 and costs for excessive speeding on Columbia street, whilst passing a tram car which had stopped to allow passengers to alight.

Magistrate Edmonds tried several other cases.

Walter Campbell, a sneak thief, will be sentenced today for pilfering o' money and sundries from a room in a down town rooming house.

Frank Goodson's fate was also suspended until today on a conviction for vagrancy. He failed to appear on a previous occasion on a charge connected with an opium joint and forfeited his bail.

Several drunks were lectured and liberated; one was fined $2.50 and costs.

### MOOSE OPENING.

**Local Order to Celebrate Entry to New Home.**

The formal opening of the new home of the Moose lodge in this city will take place this evening when it is expected there will be a large delegation of Moose members from Vancouver and Victoria.

The Vancouver members have chartered a special car and every arrangement has been made to give them a good time when they arrive.

W. A. Cantelon, district deputy supreme dictator of British Columbia will formally open the lodge quarters and it is expected that Acting Mayor Kellington and members of the city council will also be present.

The building at the corner of Fourth street and Carnarvon street, known as the see house, has been obtained by the Moose and has been thoroughly renovated until it is now one of the finest Moose homes on the coast.

Music will be a feature of the program for this evening.

### SPECIAL CARS

**Arrangements to Handle Victoria Day Traffic.**

Special arrangements have been perfected by the officials of the B. C. E. R. during the past few days for the handling of traffic on Saturday Victoria Day, and also on the following Sunday.

Last year all records were broken on the interurban and city lines throughout the lower mainland and with good weather, the officials except to even exceed last year's figures.

On the Central Park line two car trains will be in operation throughout the day on a fifteen minute headway while the same will apply on the Burnaby branch, although the trains will run every hour.

After 11:30 o'clock in the morning a two car train will be placed on the Millside run and continue until 11:30 p.m.

Additional cars will be placed on the Chilliwack trains to take care of the anticipated heavy traffic. In order to allow for those attending the lacrosse game at Queens park, train No. 8 will not leave New Westminster until 7 p.m., instead of 6:10 p.m.

On the Eburne line a two car train service will be operated every hour, special cars being placed on the run at 6 p.m. to take care of the traffic following the lacrosse game.

Special trains will also leave the Carrall street depot between 1 and 2 p.m. direct to Queens park.

Three additional city cars will be placed on the Queens park belt line after 11 a.m., and it is expected that the connections at Leopold place will be ready to route traffic through from Columbia street. Gangs of men are being employed night and day at this point in the hope that it will be completed in time, and last evening the foreman in charge of the work was optimistic of the result.

**Not Afraid of Their Jobs.**

Seattle, May 20. — During the afternoon session of the health investigation Chief Sanitary Inspector M. T. Stevens informed the committee that a number of employees of the health department who have testified at the investigation would be dismissed from the department because they had neglected their duties to assist complainants to gather evidence against the department. Complaint against these employees will be filed with the civil service commission.

**Jolly the Cops.**

Paterson, N. J., May 20.—Several thousand strikers assembled both at the opening and closing time today at the entrances to the Price silk mill, where the hands returned to work yesterday, responding with jeers when the police tried to disperse them. In dispersing the crowd the officers arrested nearly 70 persons.

## GOING TO GIVE IT PRETTY HARD RUN

**Republicans Will Get After Tariff Bill with Large and Sharp Axe—Amendments.**

Washington, May 20.—That Republican senators plan to insist upon amendments to nearly every item in the Underwood tariff bill when it comes before the senate for discussion became evident today when Senator Penrose, former chairman of the finance committee, declared that every member of the minority would have amendments to propose.

Senator Penrose told the senate he knew of no concerted effort to be made purposely to delay the passage of the bill, but said he was assured that the minority would offer many amendments to the schedules. Senator Smoot also announced that many roll calls would be demanded.

In the debate today on the matter of making public briefs filed by manufacturers with the finance sub-committees, Senator Townsend, of Michigan engaged in a colloquy with Senator Simmons relative to the alleged threats of manufacturers to reduce wages and the counter intention of the administration through the bureau of corporations to investigate concerns which might reduce wages following tariff reductions.

"Is the senator aware," asked Senator Townsend, "of any conditions existing which will make possible this proposed coercion on the part of the government as indicated by the secretary of commerce?"

"Remarks of the secretary relating to investigations of such matters," said Senator Simmons, "have grown out of threats constantly made by the protected interests that they would reduce wages unless they are permitted to retain the excessive tariff rates."

"Can the senator give any specific cases where such threats have been made?" Senator Townsend continued.

"I can refer the senator to the hearings before the way and means committee where statements were reneatedly made by manufacturers that if duties were reduced they would be forced to and would cut wages. I also would refer to the briefs filed with the finance committee which are full of such statements."

"Does the senator construe as a threat the statement of a manufacturer that certain changes would force him to cut expenses?" asked the Michigan senator.

"The senator may construe it as he sees fit," Senator Simmons concluded. "Call it a threat or a statement, but the secretary of commerce had reference to these constant warnings by representatives of protected industries that they would not suffer."

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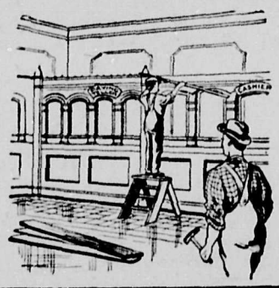

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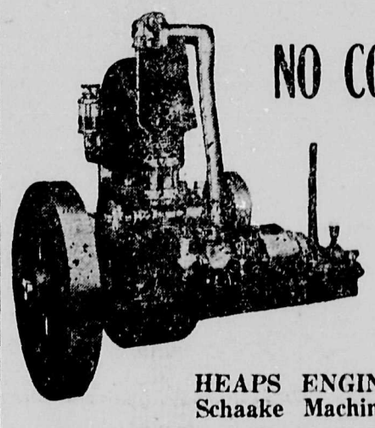

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