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## NOME IS DESTROYED BY STORM AND WAVES

### Great Gale Drives Water Against Sandy Shores and Whole Street Disappears—Two Miles of Territory Devastated—No Lives Lost—Most Wires Down and City is in Darkness.

Nome, Alaska, Oct. 6.—Nome has been almost destroyed by a storm. The south side of Front street is gone. The sand spit is gone. Two miles of territory next to the sea was devastated. No lives were lost.

The storm that last night began beating in from Behring sea was the worst ever known here. Men and women worked all night in the icy water to save their household effects.

The electric light plant was wrecked and telephone service cut off. The loss is estimated at a million and a half dollars.

There will be much suffering as outside help will be required. Winter is at hand and it will be impossible to get in supplies needed.

The steamships Victoria and Corwin, which were lying in the roadstead, ran to the open sea and escaped damage. All the small boats on the beach were destroyed. Five hundred houses have been demolished and more are falling.

**Built on Sand.**

Nome, the famous gold camp on Behring sea, the most northerly city in the world, was built on a sandy sea beach. In front of the town there is an anchorage for ships, but steamers do not make a landing. Cargoes and passengers are landed at an aerial tramway station in deep water. The principal part of the town which a dozen years ago had a population of 20,000 is on the east side of Snake river, with a finger extending to the west along a narrow sand spit. This sand spit was rich in gold dust and the earlier settlers built their cabins there.

**Lots of Gold.**

Of late years the sand has been worked out and little except dredge operations, which require large capital, is being done. It has been estimated that the dredges have enough ground in sight to operate 50 years more. Nome has produced more than $35,000,000 in gold dust. Some years the yield has been as high as $8,000,000. This year the production will not be more than $4,000,000 owing to the lack of water.

**Change in Season.**

The summer population of Nome is about 4000 and in winter 2000 remain, the others coming out on steamers that leave late in October. One steamship is yet to leave Seattle for Nome.

It will be possible to send revenue cutters to Nome to deliver supplies and take away needy persons who wish to leave.

**Wireless Destroyed.**

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Communication with Nome has been interrupted since the middle of the afternoon. It is believed that the storm which ate away the sands pit and demolished a large part of the city, practically destroyed the wireless station by cutting off power.

Two steamers are yet to sail from Seattle for Nome. It is thought that fewer people will winter in the camp than ever before since its founding.

### CIGARETTE SEIZED BECAUSE OF NEW TARIFF

New York, Oct. 6.—The only seizure of an cigarette since the new tariff law went into effect that has come to the attention of the local customs officials was from a woman steamship passenger's trunk and not from her hat, it was said at the customs house today. Instructions from Washington regarding the interpretation of this and other features of the tariff act are being awaited.

### LOST AND WON IN RACE WITH DEATH

Windsor, N.S., Oct. 6.—Pumping two miles on a railroad hand car to save three drowning men, Charles Fuller ended the race with death on the Avon river Saturday evening, rescued two, but failed to reach the third, Cook Thompson, before he sank from exhaustion. The three men belonged to the tug Chester, from Parrisboro, which had anchored off Avon port Saturday afternoon. The deceased, who hails from Hantsport, leaves a wife and three children.

### CONFLICTING OPINIONS ON RESULT OF TARIFF

Toronto, Oct. 6.—In reply to a query from the Toronto Telegram, J. E. Poole, editor of the Live Stock World of Chicago, thus summarizes the cattle situation as affected by the new tariff removing the duty on live stock.

"The best information obtainable at the stock yards here is that little fat beef can come over from Ontario and that the Canadian west has no surplus. The effect of the tariff bill will be to raise Canadian prices to a parity with the United States. The shortage of both fat and stock cattle is emphatic. Despite the short corn crop a hundred thousand thin Canadian cattle could be absorbed by the corn belt without depressing prices materially. Canadian packers and meat consumers will be penalized by free trade. There are only 70,000 cattle at the six western markets today, whereas 85,000 is the normal run. Chicago had only 4000 western range cattle today against 7500 last year. The year 1914 will witness an acute cattle shortage all over the continent."

**Chicago Buyers Out.**

London, Ont., Oct. 6.—A despatch from Glencoe says as a result of the new tariff which admits Canadian cattle to the United States markets free of duty, buyers representing Chicago packers are in this section trying to buy first class stock.

**Buying at Kingston.**

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 6.—Dealers from the United States are buying up great quantities of the stock cattle and cream for shipment across the border and thus are depleting the already scarce supplies here. Cattle have gone up in price.

## WILSON TO HURRY UP CURRENCY BILL

### President Wants His Second Measure Made Law as Fast as Senators Know How.

Washington, Oct. 6.—President Wilson will begin conferences tomorrow with Democratic senators, looking to the acceleration of the administration currency bill's progress through the senate.

The president has been informed that some members of the banking and currency committee plan to continue the hearings two weeks longer and consume a month thereafter in working over the bill. He will endeavor to ascertain from members of the committee and Democratic senators generally what are the causes of delay. At the White House today it was said that the president would feel justified in using every legitimate means to forward the progress of the bill toward the statute books before the end of the present session.

## PERMIT FOR FOUR STOREY HOTEL

### Building Inspector Issues $20,000 Ticket for New Occidental Hotel Building.

Another four storey building is to be erected on Columbia street in the immediate future, this being the Occidental hotel, the contract for razing the old building and erecting a new one having been awarded to the firm of Miller & Jewhurst yesterday morning. Immediately after the contract was signed, Mr. Miller, of the firm, took out a building permit for $20,000, which, together with other buildings contemplated this month, will swell the aggregate cost of permits to a tidy sum.

The new Occidental hotel, located opposite the Westminster block, is the result of the new provincial liquor act which calls for 30 bedrooms in a hotel and which goes into effect in January of 1914.

The business was taken over by Messrs. Swanson & Hansen a few weeks ago from Michael Gowan and, according to the owners, a modern hostel in every respect will replace the present two storey building.

Work on the addition to the Liverpool Arms hotel, located further up the street, the contract for which was recently awarded to Sloan & Harrison, will be started within the next two weeks.

In addition to these hotels, the Lytton and Holbrook hotels are also in line for additions and alterations, a two storey addition being contemplated for the latter, while structural alterations in the interior of the Lytton are also being planned.

The work of making plans for the whole four buildings is in the hands of Gardiner & Mercer, architects.

## THANKS SOCIETY FOR GOOD WORK

### Burnaby Council Pleased with Success of Kingsway Day—City Press Praised by Members.

Appreciation of the fine work performed by the R. A. & I. society in entertaining the visitors at the exhibition during Kingsway day, was expressed at a meeting of the Burnaby council last night. Special mention was made of the work of Alderman Fred Lynch and A. E. Kellington for their part of the program, together with votes of thanks for the work of the Canadian Mineral Rubber company, the contractors on the highway work and the press of the lower mainland.

With the exception of a few minutes discussion on waterworks matters, the session was entirely taken up with the official opening of Kingsway. Councillor Coldicutt mentioned Burnaby's share of the cost of the ceremonies, which cost had been spread over all the municipalities concerned and amounted to a small sum compared with the great event of last week.

Councillor Fau Vel gave his report as chairman of the proceedings, mentioning the hearty co-operation which he had received from the other delegations interested in the opening.

Reeve McGregor, in the chair, spoke of the way in which the R. A. & I. society had conducted its part of the proceedings, stating that Burnaby had been only too pleased to assist the Royal City in connection with the annual provincial exhibition.

Alderman Lynch's work as marshal of the giant parade was commended on all sides.

Councillor Stride moved that a vote of thanks be passed to the R. A. & I. society for their splendid work.

Reeve McGregor then mentioned the work of the press which had given all the publicity possible towards making the affair a success. The reeve paid special appreciation to the New Westminster papers for the full and accurate reports of the affair stating that the Royal City press had exceeded even Vancouver in the work. Reeve McGregor, in mentioning the contractors, stated that in all probability a banquet would be held in Vancouver in the near future when the heads of the company and the engineers would be the guests of the evening. Councillor Macpherson moved a vote of thanks to the press and to the contractors.

The work of municipal Engineer Macpherson came in for special praise. In connection with the waterworks department, it was mentioned that the estimates for extensions at present on file amounted to about $45,000.

An amendment to the waterworks bylaw allowing parties doing work either by material or labor in making extensions to be reimbursed at a later date. It was referred to the solicitor before action could be taken.

## HIS FOURTEEN MURDERS A MYTH

### Most of Spencer's Crimes Were Committed in His Mind, Say Police.

### Chicago Detectives Can Trace But One or Two of Nineteen Avowed Murders.

Chicago, Oct. 6.—Of the 19 murders Henry Spencer, slayer of Mrs. Mildred Allisen Rexreat, swore he had committed, the police, after investigating his alleged crimes in various cases, were tonight only able to fix upon him only one murder or two.

Captain Halpin, captain of detectives, announced his conviction that Spencer, in giving his long, circumstantial confession of fiendish crime, was a consummate falsifier.

Four of the murders he said he committed were perpetuated while Spencer was in the Illinois state penitentiary at Joliet. Of the 12 alleged murders the police in this and other cities have no records. In one case described by Spencer, police records show that a body was recovered, but the detectives have as yet established no connection between Spencer and the crime.

"Except for, possibly, two murders, Spencer's weird story of killing people by hammering in their skulls and sinking their bodies in lakes seems pure fabrication," said Captain Halpin tonight. "His imagination, stimulated by drugs, poured out one of the most fantastic tales of murder that has ever come from a man whose mind is given to dreams of crime."

Captain Halpin declared tonight that he had complete proof that Spencer killed Mrs. Rexroat and was almost equally confident that he murdered Mrs. Annabel Wight.

Mrs. Wight's house was robbed December 4, 1912, and she was beaten so badly that she died in the county hospital July 13, 1913.

### PARSON ROBS NEWSIES.

#### Grabs Pennies to Pay Laundry Bill at at Seattle.

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Is a man, if dead broke, justified in stealing pennies from newsboys stands to get money enough to get his laundry back from the wash so that he may put up a good appearance to rent an office on credit and go into the real estate business?

This was the excuse offered for his act by N. S. Wolfendale, an Englishman, who came here as a Congregational supply preacher, when arrested after having been detected in gathering the pennies from a news stand. He is in the city jail, booked upon a charge of disorderly conduct.

## JURY IN DEAN CASE MAY BE DISCHARGED

### Statement by E. P. Davis Causes Sir Charles Tupper to Object.

### Question of Prison Record of Accused Cause of Trouble—Matter to Be Decided Today.

It is quite possible that the six days' evidence already taken in the Dean trial may go for naught, the present jury discharged, a new one empanelled and the whole dreary details gone over again.

This may be the outcome of an interjected statement by E. P. Davis, K.C., who is assisting Mr. MacNeil, K.C., crown counsel, that Dean had been sentenced to 20 years in the Minnesota penitentiary for robbery. The statement was made during a debate between Mr. Davis and Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper for the defence, as to the admissibility of cross-examining the witness Greenwood on his alleged affidavit in the extradition proceedings against Dean and the United States commissioner's report upon these proceedings.

Mr. Davis objected warmly to the commissioner's report being quoted and heatedly came out with the objectionable statement.

Sir Charles at once rejoined that Mr. Davis' statement before the jury would entitle him to claim a mistrial should his client be convicted.

On the resumption of the trial after luncheon Sir Charles again returned to the statement.

**Might Debate Privately.**

Justice Clement suggested they might go on now and let the stenographer make a transcript of his notes in regard to the incident and have it debated privately.

Sir Charles pointed out the great prejudice it created against his client in the minds of the jury. If it suited his lordship's convenience he would like it decided there without delay as the longer it was delayed the greater the prejudice.

The court again suggested giving the stenographer time to describe his notes and that after the adjournment the jury need not be summoned to appear until 10:45 when they might be secluded until counsel had discussed the point before him. What was in his mind was whether it was not his duty to discharge the present jury. He would hear them both tomorrow.

**Had Pardon.**

In this connection and in justice to the accused it may be mentioned that Adam S. Johnston, junior counsel for Dean, stated he had in his possession a pardon for his client from the board of state prisons on the ground that newly discovered evidence had satisfied them that Dean was not guilty and that this was concurred in by the prosecuting attorney and trial judge.

The particular part of the evidence that started the commotion was when Sir Charles asked Greenwood if he had described the motor in which he had sworn in an affidavit, sent in connection with Dean's extradition, that he saw Dean in was black with a gray line.

Mr. Davis objected that there was no such affidavit and witness should not be cross-examined in this way.

Sir Charles said it was an extraordinary thing that the crown had got certain depositions from this witness and had omitted to serve him with this very one. He wanted to get it.

**Never Was Any.**

Mr. Davis—The only explanation of that is that there never was any such a deposition. Everything we have copies of has been served on my learned friend. Personally I never saw such a deposition and I know instructions were given to supply my friend with everything.

Sir Charles then asked permission to read the commissioner's report.

**Might Put Question.**

The court ruled it was not evidence in the case, but Sir Charles might put the question as to his description of the motor.

Sir Charles then asked witness if he would swear that he had on his oath stated in his affidavit that the motor had a gray line.

Witness—No.

Sir Charles—You don't remember what you did say when Mr. Deans being extradited. Under oath you do not remember whether this line was gray or not.

Witness—No, I don't remember. I never discussed the question of this line at all with my son George, never

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## ASKED INFLUENCE OF SENATOR ROOT

### Evidence in Sulzer Trial Brings to Light Another Cash Contribution.

### Ryans of New York Sent Governor $10,000—Sulzer Compared to Apostle Paul.

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 6.—Governor William Sulzer attempted to obtain the influence of United States Senator Elihu Root and of William Barnes, chairman of the Republican state committee, to prevent the trial of his impeachment, according to testimony adduced at the trial today, although subsequently stricken out by vote of the court.

Allan A. Ryan, son of Thomas F. Ryan, a New York financier, gave the testimony. It was also brought out through the testimony of Ignatius V. McGlene, secretary of the elder Ryan, that Governor Sulzer was the recipient of a $10,000 cash campaign contribution from the Ryans which was not reported in the governor's sworn campaign statement.

**Same Old Bill.**

"Tell your father I am the same old Bill," young Mr. Ryan said the governor said to him over the telephone, in asking for the contribution.

Mr. Ryan was called to the stand today after the attorneys for the impeachment managers had obtained permission to reopen their case, which they announced as complete when court adjourned last Thursday. The witness said that just a week before the trial of impeachment began he had seen Governor Sulzer in the latter's office in New York.

**Went to Washington.**

"He asked me," testified the financier's son, slowly, "to go to Washington and see Senator Root and request him to see William Barnes, get him to endeavor to have the Republican members of this body to vote that this court had no right to try him and impeach him."

This testimony preceded the opening of the case for the defence late in the afternoon by Harvey D. Hinman, who compared Governor Sulzer to the Apostle Paul, whose former friends, the attorney said, "did not attempt to impeach him or his epistles because of what he had done while acting with them, and while one of them."

### SIX THOUSAND TONS OF HAY BURNED IN EAST

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Six thousand tons of marsh hay, scattered over an area of eight square miles near the town of Bradford, Simcoe county, were destroyed by fire Sunday afternoon. Incendiarism is suspected and in the district affected there is an outcry for government investigation at once. The fire was checked finally by the Holland river.

This stretch of marsh land is the source of supply for several Toronto firms which manufacture mattresses. The loss is estimated at $60,000 as barns, machinery and fences were all destroyed.

### DEGREES CONFERRED UPON TWO NOTED PUBLIC MEN

Montreal, Oct. 6.—Sir Gilbert Parker, Canadian novelist, and F. R. Benson, Shakespearian actor, were given the degree of Doctor of Laws by McGill university today. In giving Mr. Benson his degree, Dr. Peterson, head of the university, said no actor ever had been thus honored in North America.

### POTATO EXCHANGE PROFITS $700,000

Spokane, Oct. 6.—The Northwest potato deal, negotiated by the North Pacific Fruit Distributors, chiefly in southern Idaho, will mean $700,000 extra in prices to the growers this season, so W. N. Yost, trustee from southern Idaho, believes. The additional prices are based on a conservative estimate of the season's crop, which will be considerably less than a year ago.

"The spud growers of Idaho had practically decided that 60 cents was all the buyers would pay and were just ready to let loose when the distributors stepped in," said Mr. Yost.

## CARRIED 125,000 DURING FAIR WEEK

### B. C. E. R. City Cars Did Large Business During Exhibition Week.

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## TO AID CARSON IS CRIMINAL ACT

### Dominion Secret Service Is Watching Sympathizers in Canada.

### Toronto and Winnipeg Under Eye—If Help Is Sent to Ulster Leaders Will Be Sent to Jail.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—The Evening Free Press says:

"Under instructions from the government the secret service agents attached to the Dominion police are now watching the development of the Ulster movement in several Canadian cities, notably in Toronto and Winnipeg. Any attempt in Canada to aid the proposed Carson rebellion will likely land the Dominion conspirators in the criminal court and possibly in the penitentiary for long terms.

**Government Concerned.**

"The government is much concerned over reports that at several points in Canada money is being raised to aid the movement of the north of Ireland and that there is little likelihood of Canadians being quietly enlisted and sent forward for the Ulster fight. There has even been talk of a Canadian volunteer contingent.

**Stop Movement.**

"The government of Canada has determined to strifle such a movement at the beginning and for the purpose of obtaining the earliest information that the Dominion secret service has been put upon the watch. The laws are very severe against participation in or aiding such disorders as that proposed by the Ulster objectors to home rule. The acts are set down in the Criminal Code of Canada as treason, with liability to punishment in the form of imprisonment for life.

## 40,000 SIGN GIBSON PETITIONS

### People in Toronto Struggle to Place Names on Document to Free Man from Gallows.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—The Gibson case was discussed at the meeting of the Ministerial association today at the Y. M. C. A. and a general endorsement of the petitions was given, and the president and secretary were instructed to send a telegram to the minister of justice should clemency be exercised.

Forty thousand persons have signed the petitions scattered all through Toronto asking that the death sentence imposed on Gibson following his conviction of the murder of Joseph Rosenthal be commuted to life imprisonment.

Never before in the history of Ontario have such vigorous efforts been taken to save a man from the gallows.

Fred White stood in front of the city hall this morning between the hour of 10:30 and 11:30 and obtained 400 signatures. People almost fought to get to him.

## SHORTEST SESSION IN LONG, LONG TIME

### City Council Concludes Its Business in Half an Hour.

### Alderman White Advocates Thorough Discussion of Gas Bylaw Before Day of Voting.

The city council held a phenomenally short session last night, their deliberations lasting but little over half an hour.

Reports were few and communications fewer.

Alderman Kellington reported on behalf of the special committee, composed of the mayor, Alderman Jardine and himself, to inquire into the cause of the fire at Mr. D. Witte's house on Ninth street, near Third avenue, alleged to have been started by fumigating proceedings.

After listening to the evidence under oath the committee declared they had been unable to ascertain the cause of the fire, but were of the opinion that the evidence proved conclusivly that the health officers had carried out their work in a proper manner and were in no way responsible for the fire.

The report was adopted.

The mayor stated that a copy of the evidence had been filed with the clerk and anyone interested could see it.

**Employment Bureau.**

Alderman Dodd said he also had a small report to make. In the matter of the employment bureau they had found it impossible to establish what they had originally intended to do. They now asked permission to make certain alterations in the offices of the city hall upstairs to fit them for employment bureau purposes, and the use of the building inspector and other officials now located downstairs. For this purpose and for the purpose of getting printed forms, he requested authority to expend a sum not exceeding $100.

The necessary authority was granted.

**First Reading of Bylaw.**

The Fourth street local improvement debenture assessment bylaw was read a first time.

Mayor Gray intimated that he had seen Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice and had talked over the matter of paving the government property in front of the penitentiary with him and Col. Taylor. There was nothing definite to announce but the minister said he would look into the matter with Col. Taylor, who understood the whole position and give them the necessary reply as soon as possible.

Alderman Kellington added that they had met the inspector of penitentiaries, who took the matter up with the warden, Mr. Brown. There would be a report to the minister of justice from the inspector.

**Gas Bylaw.**

Alderman White referred to the gas bylaw and said it had been their intention to hold a public meeting on Friday, the 17th, when the voting on it had been tentatively fixed for the 20th, Thanksgiving day. It seemed to him advisable to hold that meeting earlier to explain the proposition thoroughly as from various speculative discussions it seemed there were

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## West Holds Key To International Peace

### Dr. W. Evans Darby Shows Power of B. C. in Checking Mad Race.

### Says War Scares Issue from Offices of Gun Makers—Address Interesting.

In his lecture at St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church last night, Dr. W. Evans Darby, secretary of the Peace League of Great Britain, [illegible] to the [illegible] chiefly [illegible] means of [illegible] how it was, [illegible] and [illegible] by the [illegible]

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money for or build battleships."

The noted Englishman then briefly sketched the object lesson the United States and Canada had been to the world; they had lived a full century side by side with but an imaginary border line, and not once had they warred.

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## HOME RULE.

One of the most peculiar features of the Home Rule situation in the old country is the general ignorance of what the whole trouble is about and the general willingness to express an opinion on the matter in spite of ignorance.

Right in the heart of the country where the Home Rule agitation lives and moves and has its being, not one in one hundred could sit down on the curbstone and give you anything like an intelligent idea of what one side is fighting for and the other party is working against.

One man will tell you that Carson is a bluffer and the next individual you meet will intimate that Redmond has sinister designs on the freedom of Ireland. A third will curse the government and a fourth will consign the entire Unionist party to perdition. Home Rule is an invention of the devil and it is a product of the minds of angels, but nobody can tell you in plain English what it really is.

It's like the sea serpent, or the dragon of ancient fable; it is much talked about and little known.

The man with the glint of orange in his buttonhole will swear that Home Rule never will pass and he with the sheen of green in his eye will just as steadfastly declare that it will go into effect. There will be war over it and there will not be any fighting at all. It will be the making of Ireland and it will result in the complete ruin of the entire country. It will be the greatest achievement of the Asquith government and it will cause the wreck of the Liberal party in Great Britain. The king will interfere and he will not. There is to be a compromise and there will be no give and take.

And in spite of this, papers in Canada and other points far removed from the seat of the argument still persist in airing their opinions on the question of whether or not Ireland should have Home Rule.

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The fruit season is about over, but there are always a few lemons left to pick.

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That woman down in Spokane who has been fasting forty-eight days seems to have hit upon the only real scheme to cut down the high cost of living.

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His wife pulled his hair and now he wants a divorce, is the plight of a man in Washington state. He appears to have made a mistake. What he wants is a wig.

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Back in windy Chicago four victims of a gas explosion are looking for a fifth who hunted a gas leak by candlelight. What goes up must come down, so if they wait long enough they may find him.

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Of course it rained yesterday, but look at the noble work the weather man did last week when the exhibition was on. He certainly is a gentleman of elegant discrimination.

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The United States consumes annually about one-third of the world's production of lead, which is easy to believe after considering the plugged dimes we meet every day.

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Westminster Abbey now is lighted by electricity and the sticklers for old customs are bemoaning the desecration of the old pile.

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The man who is always giving somebody a piece of his mind didn't have very much to start with.

## CLAIMS SLEUTHS ARE ANNOYING HER

**Says Private Detectives Would Steal Her Child, or Trump Up Evidence Against Her.**

Spokane, Oct. 6.—The case of Mrs. Natalie Schioler, wife of Paul Schioler, bridge engineer of Winnipeg, Manitoba, who claims that she has fled from Canada to avoid the possible kidnaping of her little girl, again came to the attention of the city free employment bureau yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Schioler first appeared at the office 10 days ago, fashionably clad and having an air of refinement, and applied for work of any kind to maintain herself and child. Through the efforts of Miss Edith Colby, assistant city labor agent, Mrs. Schioler was furnished employment in a store, where her services were abruptly terminated Saturday noon when the management learned that she was being shadowed by a detective from a local agency having offices in Winnipeg.

Again without a place Mrs. Schioler has applied to the city labor office for further employment, but because of the peculiar phases of the case the employment agency is at a loss as to what line of work to give her.

"Just as I was hoping to be left alone to work out my own salvation I found that I was being shadowed in the store where I worked," said Mrs. Schioler yesterday. "I told the head saleslady about it, and she instantly got excited and said that she did not want any scenes enacted in that store, and that I had better get out before anything happened, whereupon I left. I have been followed by these detectives across the continent and they are awaiting an opportunity to either take my child over the line or try to trump up fictitious evidence against me to be used later in divorce proceedings."

## LOST AND FOUND DURING FAIR WEEK

**Police Have Many Missing Articles—Man Touched for $240, All His Cash Savings.**

The city police department is in a quandary as to whether to start an auction sale in the immediate future in order to dispose of articles found at the fair and on the streets during the past week.

Chief among the articles is a gold Waltham watch, initialed, which was picked up at the corner of Eighth and Columbia streets. A small purse containing tickets to Vancouver and a small sum of money was located at the fair and still awaits an owner.

The last item picked up is a black leather wallet containing papers, including a Masonic lodge receipt, marked "Still Winning Lodge."

A sad case was related to the police by John Mercer, living at 323 Tenth street, who reported that during the time he was seeing his wife and daughter off to Bellingham, his roll of $240, wrapped up in a little bundle, had been either stolen from his pocket, or that in some way got dislodged from his clothing. This was Mercer's total cash savings, and the man is just about stranded, according to the story told to the police.

## GAIETY AT HAMILTON.

**Centennial Festival Was An Uproarious Affair.**

It is a singular fact that every Hamiltonian is an enthusiastic champion of his native city. Even those who have been away and know better affirm with amazing earnestness that Hamilton is not only the greatest city in the world, but that it boasts the handsomest women and the biggest supply of electric light, so that this great wealth of beauty can be seen by night as well as by day. We must all admit that Hamilton is a well-lighted city and that the beauty of her fair citizens is worthy of so much effulgence. But why have so many insisted that Hamilton is a place for rest and the full enjoyment of the quiet life? Why have we, with disdain, gone through on the train never even condescending to look out from the window? That has been because we have not known that Hamilton is the great manufacturing city of Canada; that her white coal is famous for power as well as for light; that her manufactures are shipped to the ends of the world.

In the train going over a man stood in the aisle of the dining car and told with patriotic fevor about the biggest steel cable in the world being made in Hamilton! It is as thick as your two wrists! Not so very thick as some substances go, but for a steel cable — well, as the small boy would say, "that's some cable." It was exhibited at the Armories, where there as a magnificent display of things made in Hamilton, and not only visitors, but ardent citizens as well, never would have dreamed that this city that was supposed to be sleeping under the mountain could display as extensive and so varied a collection of manufactured goods.

It was like a huge midway at a fair, with a plentiful and heterogenous assemblage of side shows, and one had not paid full homage to Hamilton's greatness until one had seen the biggest man on earth, drunk a King George soda and eaten an Old Boys' sundae. The fully equipped celebrants wore gay costumes of various descriptions, as at a carnival, and carried ticklers, bunches of confetti, tin horns, megaphones, noisy twirlers, cow bells, and miniature frying pans with gongs attached. The din of the amazing noises produced by these grotesque means was, to say the least, bizarre. Even the shouting of the "rooters" for the side shows scarcely could be heard. All these sounds were commingled with the blaring of merry-go-rounds, and the impromptu singing of "Auld Lang Syne" by scratch male choruses in front of a bar or in the middle of the market place.

The famous Hamilton market place witnessed a sight it will never see again. In one corner there was a wild animal show. Hard by there was a dip-the-dips, the dips, that was not proof against seasickness. Still hard by screeched a great merry-go-round of the natural motion variety. These attractions were somewhat different from the smallest pony on earth, the diving maidens, the huge boa constrictor, the crystal maze and the "only performing duck in captivity."

But the market place was still a market place. Backed up close against the curbstone stood the wagon loads of garden products as they have stood every Wednesday night for a generation. The sight of them in the midst of all the confusion and noise was an earnest of Hamilton's stability, a proof that on the morrow the steady commerce of the city would be resumed. Let them shout in the streets. Let them turn the market place into a fair ground. Let skyrockets and magic balloons ascend from Dundurn Park. Let the electric lights from a thousand generators blaze forth the triumph of a hundred years. Hamilton is still Hamilton. She was not built in a day. And she must go on.—Adolphus Caryle, in Toronto Globe.

### Coal at Nanaimo.

Probably very few of the miners who have lately been kicking up such a ruction at Nanaimo, B.C., knew how coal was first discovered on Vancouver Island. It was in December, 1849, when an old Nanaimo Indian chief stalked into the fort blacksmith shop, and after gazing in silence over his drawn-up blanket at the glowing forge, where the smithy was forging a horseshoe, said mysteriously in his own language:

"I know where on this island there is the same kind of stuff that you are putting into that fire."

"You do, eh!" said the blacksmith. "Well where is it?"

The chief would not tell. The blacksmith told the Factor about it. The chief was called.

"Look here, Thundercloud," said the Factor, "you fetch in some of that coal and you can have your old gun fixed up at the blacksmith shop without costing you a skin—and a bottle of rum thrown in."

"Ugh!" grunted the chief, and he stalked out.

In April, 1850, when the rivers were running high, the chief came down to Victoria with his canoe loaded with coal. A prospecting party was sent out and located the coal mines of Nanaimo on the spot where the city of Nanaimo now stands.

### Notable Timber Growths.

At Canadian Forestry Convention, recently held at Winnipeg, some notable exhibits of the economic woods of Manitoba were on view. In addition to finished products of the province's timber there were shown specimens of red pine 18 inches diameter, white pine 22 inches, white spruce 35 inches, tamarac 19 inches, balsam fir 21 inches, oak 30 inches, basswood 20 inches, black poplar 19 inches, black ash 15 inches, maple 17 inches, paper birch 18 inches, black willow 16 inches, white poplar 23 inches and cotton wood 38 inches.

### Gold Near Saskatoon.

City bacteriologist Howard, of Saskatoon, is authority for a statement that a gold area half a mile square has been found on the north bank of the river here. A sample when tested at the city laboratory, gave evidence of being the genuine article. Samples of mica have also been found and claims are to be staked.

### Probably.

"Cradles ni a Battleship," reads a headline. The ocean, of course, did the rocking.

### Fourteen Killed.

Dvinsk, Russia, Oct. 6.—Fourteen passengers were killed and 28 injured today when the express from Kiev to St. Petersburg collided with a stalled locomotive near the station here.

## RUBBER HEELS FOR TORONTO MILKMEN

**They Must Go Lightly to Prevent Citizens From Losing Their Beauty Sleep.**

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Milkmen will soon be required to wear rubber heels on their boots when delivering milk in the small hours of the morning. Dr. Hastings, M.O.H., is seriously considering the drafting of regulations to do away with all unnecessary noises in the streets during the hours when the majority of the citizens are enjoying their beauty sleep. The milkman, who is one of the chief offenders, will receive the doctor's attention first of all.

"Why could not the city take over the business of supplying milk to the citizens?" a citizen asked. "They supply us with water, why not with milk? The overlapping in delivery and the duplication of plant could be done away with. The city would reap handsome profits. The public would possibly get their milk cheaper on account of the unification of the distributing agencies, and the consequent decrease in the cost of delivery. The milk would be handled and bottled under the eyes of civic inspectors, ensuring absolute cleanliness."

Dr. Hastings agreed with the citizen that there was a lot of unnecessary noise in connection with the delivery of milk in the mornings.

"The men are thoughtless. It is no longer night with them. They do not realize that their whistling and singing and the clatter of bottles is disturbing to the rest of others. It has only to be pointed out to them that perhaps the tide may be turned into a critical illness by disturbing the rest of the patient. Street noises are a very serious problem in a large city. The strenuous character of present-day life is nerve racking, and it is absolutely essential that rest should not be disturbed."

### Cables Exchanged.

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—The arrival in home waters of the battleship Australia and the cruiser Sydney of the Australian navy was the occasion of cordial greetings being exchanged between Premier Borden and Hon. Joseph Cook, prime minister of the Australian Commonwealth.

### Sets New Record for Height.

Johannisthal, Oct. 6.—A new record for high flying with five passengers was made today at the aerodrome by Aviator Sablatnick, who reached an altitude of 3281 feet.

## WEATHER BUREAU TO HELP FIGHT FIRES

**Arrangement Made For Rangers to Have Dangerous Conditions Forecasted.**

Victoria, Oct. 6.—With a view to aiding in the perfection of the system of fire prevention among the forests of British Columbia, an arrangement has been entered into by the forestry department of the provincial government and the weather bureau by means of which the rangers and other officials of the former will be kept in constant touch with changes in the barometrical situation and thereby enabled to double their vigilance when danger is indicated.

The weather is the determining factor in the fire situation, and it is claimed that by the issuance of correct forecasts the forestry department will be able to cut down the list of fires that occur throughout the province by a considerable number, and, in that way, not only save the timber, but also the expense of putting the fires out.

During the past year there were many outbreaks of fire in various parts of the province, but owing to the constant vigilance that is maintained by the rangers, with the assistance of the telephone stations and trails, the vast majority of them were extinguished without any material expense.

**Isolated Areas.**

Considerable danger still exists, however, in the forest sections that are cut off from any communication, and it is with regard to the protection of those sequestered areas that the department expects to secure the most advantage from the arrangement that has been made with the weather bureau. Immediately changes are recorded that appear to threaten the forest regions, the department will be communicated with, and then, by means of the system now in vogue, this information will be spread broadcast.

It is also of interest to note in this connection that the arrangement inaugurated this year, whereby the mail carriers and other Dominion messengers traversing areas of the province not covered by the rangers of the forestry department, act as fire patrols, will be continued throughout next year. It is stated that these messengers were the means of bringing firefighters to the scene in numerous instances when, had word been delayed, considerable damage would have been done.

## *NURSING MILLIONS OF YOUNG SALMON*

Strolling through the fisheries exhibit at the park last week, one was struck by the enormous number of salmon that must be yearly brought into existence by this department, and in fact the number is uncountable, running into millions. It might be of general interest to the public to know how this work is carried on by the Dominion government, since its result, the salmon fishing industry, is so important to the commercial prosperity of British Columbia in general and this city in particular.

Salmon always find fresh water to spawn in, and this fact is taken advantage of to set traps in various streams which feed the Fraser, such as the Morris and Nickomekyl rivers. It is only at this time of the year that males and females are distinguishable from each other, the males having more hooked noses and larger teeth. The females are kept until they are in perfect spawning condition, when, by a simple process, the eggs are forced out, this being a very gentle operation, as they almost run out of their own accord. The fish are then returned to their native element, not a bit the worse, and the eggs are taken to the hatcheries and placed in their various classes, in wire baskets, through which fresh water continually runs, completely covering up the eggs to a depth of about two or three inches.

**The Eyes Appear.**

After thirty days the eggs reach the eyed stage, that is, two black spots close together appear on the surface of the eggs, which spots will eventually become the eyes of the fish itself. Then the spinal part of the fish begins to develop, until in two months the centre of the elongated portion still resembles the egg, the extremities being now recognizable as a head and tail. The remainder of the egg eventually becomes the stomach of the fish, which is apparent in three months in the perfect minnow. The bars of the wire basket are sufficiently far apart to allow the minnow to squeeze between them, when it is taken out and transported to the same or a similar stream from which it came.

**Turned Loose.**

Here it continues its development, until about a year from its original displacement from its mother to the hatcheries, it sets out for the open sea. The fish in the egg stage can be transported great distances on perforated trays, with layers of moss covering them, this being kept in a damp condition. In this manner fish can be transported right across the continent, and have actually been carried as far as New Zealand without any hurt.

**Three Varieties.**

The three varieties of salmon hatched are the Sockeye, which is especially used in canning; the Spring or King salmon, called the former name because it is the first one to appear in the spring, and is the best for eating purposes, and the Cohoe, mostly used for canning, but not so good as the Sockeye, although its flesh is very red. The markings of salmon have peculiar changes, for instance, the Cohoe has broad dark bars vertically along its sides until about one and a half years old, when it practically disappears, and the whole fish takes on a peculiarly silvery appearance, which again leaves it at about the age of three, the dark bars returning in a more or less distinctive degree. The hatcheries were in the first place only used for salmon, but now trout are also hatched here, the same trays and conditions being used. This is possible because the salmon spawn between September and December and the trout in the spring, therefore when the salmon eggs are hatched and have been returned to the streams, the time for trout is just due.

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**Violation of Seed Control Act Causes Conviction of Victoria Company.**

A case of general interest to farmers and others throughout British Columbia was recently brought under this act when the Sylvester Feed company of Victoria was convicted of selling cabbage seed of low vitality without indicating the percentage of germination of the same. Under section 10 of the Dominion Seed Control act, all farm and vegetable seeds which germinate lower than two-thirds the standard vitality of good seed for that particular variety, must be labeled with the percentage of germination.

It is the intention of the Dominion government department of agriculture to strictly enforce all the provisions of the Seed Control act of 1911, and anyone handling seeds should see to it that their seed complies with this act. The Dominion seed laboratory at Calgary is at the service of anyone desirous of having seed tested either for vitality or weed seeds. Copies of the act and information as to the same may also be obtained from the same address.


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# HE ISN'T WORTH THE LONG CHASE

**Woman Follows Unfaithful Husband 9000 Miles and Lands Him in Montreal.**

Montreal, Oct. 6.—After a chase of more than 9000 miles, leading from Manchester, England, to Winnipeg, Manitoba, and from thence back to Montreal, in search of her husband, Percy Lowe, who left her last March to come to Canada, Mrs. Lowe has located her missing spouse in Montreal—in the company, she says, of "the other" woman. Lowe and the woman, Mrs. Sunne, were taken in charge, on Mrs. Lowe's complaint, by the immigration authorities, and detained last night at the immigration hospital, Guy and St. Antoine streets. This morning Lowe appeared in the Enquete court on a charge of non-support, and was remanded until Thursday next.

During her search of more than a quarter of the way around the globe, Mrs. Lowe has encountered some stiff knocks, has several times been without enough to buy a meal, and for six weeks worked as a chambermaid in the Royal Alexandra hotel, Winnipeg. About three weeks ago she learned that Lowe was not in Winnipeg, but had been seen in Montreal. She landed here a week ago last Wednesday night, and since then, until the past few days, has been searching for the wandering couple.

When Lowe left Manchester last March, Mrs. Lowe says that he promised to send for her to come to Canada within two months at the latest. Instead of that, Mrs. Lowe charges that he sent for another woman, Mrs. Sunne, whom he had known in Manchester also. The Lowes had owned two candy stores in the Midland counties town, and had been happily married for more than ten years. Mrs. Lowe claims that Mrs. Sunne exercises a strange and baneful influence over her husband. When she didn't get any news from him for weeks and weeks after his departure, she grew weary of waiting and went to the other woman's home. She found that she had flown, and so decided to come to Canada herself. She made the fruitless trip to Winnipeg, and then as soon as she could scrape up the money she returned here, where she says she found them living in Victoria street.

"I have got down on my knees to beg my husband to come back to me, but he seems to be under a superior influence. He is a designer by trade and a steadier man I could not have wished for until recently. For ten years we were never separated from each other a day," said Mrs. Lowe this morning.

Lowe appeared before Judge Lafontaine this morning, and was remanded for two days. He claims that he left his wife with $600 when he quit Manchester, but Mrs. Lowe indignantly denies this, and says that all she has had from him is $50.

# YOUNG THIEVES HAD MANAGER

**Lads Claim Man Picked Out Jobs for Them and They Did the Stealing.**

Montreal, Oct. 6.—Charged with receiving goods and valuables stolen by two boys arrested in Outremont, Mattio di Palmo of 2508 St. Lawrence boulevard, whom the boys accuse of having acted as their "manager," was arrested yesterday afternoon and brought before the magistrate. He pleaded not guilty.

The boys appeared before Judge Choquet in the Juvenile court and confessed to several robberies which had puzzled the police for some time. They admitted having broken into the houses of J. W. Lambly, 2503 Waverley street; George E. Howard, 2579 Hutchison street; George Olney, 2050 Park avenue, and several others.

The boys, one 13 and the other 15 years of age, owe their arrest to a woman living on Querbes street, who saw them breaking into the hall door of a vacant house at 394 Durocher street. She called up the Outremont police, and then notified a couple of passers-by, who went into the yard of the house and caught the children at their work.

The boys admitted to the police that they had succeeded in getting away with a quantity of valuables, which they claimed had ben taken by Di Palmo, whom they also alleged had picketed out "jobs" for them.

The biggest haul the boys are known to have made was on September 2, when the house of George Olney, Park avenue, was entered, the boys getting away with a ring set with diamonds and pearls, two other rings, two gold watches, one neck chain, two savings banks, each containing money, four gold pins and two bracelets.


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# A CANNY TRAVELLER

**WILL CROOKS, M.P., REDUCES PACKING TO A FINE ART.**

**British Labor Parliamentarian Who Toured Canada With Party of Legislators Carries a Chart Which Tells Him Just Where Everything is in His Luggage—He Also Has a Stock of Real Preserves.**

Will Crooks, the British Labor M.P., who has been touring Canada, is essentially a home man. There is no place dearer to his rugged heart than his modest little house in London. He putters in and around day in and day out, and in the evening takes his ease at his hearthstone beside his wife.

When he left for his tour to Canada, Australia, and South Africa with the British Parliamentary party, which passed through the Dominion re-

WILL CROOKS, M.P.

cently, he carried with him a heavy consignment of baggage. It was observed by one of the newspaper men in the party that Crooks was able to tell just in what part of his luggage to look for any given object. There appeared to be some trick about it, and at last Crooks explained.

"See this little card here," he said, drawing out a diagram from his pocket, "well, that is a list of everything I have, together with marks showing in just which bag and which part of which bag the thing is. Cough drops? Yellow portmanteau, pocket No. 2, lower side. Slippers, bag No. 5, bottom. Clean hankies, black satchel, and so on."

Then he pointed to one very heavy-looking grip.

"Guess wot's in it?" he said.

"Can't."

"Can't, y'? Well, it's preserves—'ome made—by m' wife."

"Preserves!"

"Aye—real preserves, none o' your factory-made jam."

And it was so. But when the bell boy came to remove the luggage he did not carry the preserves. Will Crooks had it, and walked circumspectly, too.

**The Fear of Drake.**

A writer in the London Chronicle says: "No public monument is needed to keep alive among Mexicans the memory of Sir Francis Drake's exploits in Central and South America. Travelling in Mexico in 1904, Mr. Edward Smith records that he "heard a woman calming a tempestuous child by saying, 'Ahi viene Drake!' (Here comes Drake!) I made minute inquiries, and found that it is a common threat to children on the Mexican coast, like unto 'Bony will get you!' or 'The Black Douglas shall get you!' Fancy people still living in terror of seeing Drake's topsails on the horizon."

As to Mr. dChurchill's reference to Sir Francis Drake as the first "introducer of the potato," it may be recalled that, on the market place of Offenburg, a little town in the Grand Duchy of Baden, standing in the centre of a great potato-growing district, there was erected in 1853 a very handsome statue to Drake as "the introducer of the potato into Europe, A.D. 1586." But it is just possible that this statue was set up to the wrong man, seeing that, according to Chambers, the Spaniards had introduced the tuber from near Quito at the beginning of the sixteenth century, and that Sir John Hawkins also brought it to England from Virginia in 1563 — 23 years before the importation ascribed to Drake.

**The First Political Cabinet.**

George I. is said to have been responsible for the word "cabinet" as it has long applied to politics in English speaking lands. When he was King he could not take part in the deliberations of his own privy council because he knew no English. British statesmen did not speak German. So the ministers who served this first of the Hanoverian sovereigns of the United Kingdom used to meet in the King's private room, or cabinet — derived from the French cabinet, or little room — while he was absent. Afterward they informed him of the result of their discussions. It followed, naturally, that the part of the privy council which was supposed to be in particular favor with the King, and especially close to him, came to be spoken of as his cabinet council.

**Morris Was Explective.**

On one occasion when William Morris was painting an Italian model, in Red Lion Street, London, some one called at the door. Morris left his painting, and presently his model heard him furiously anathematizing. When he returned he was in a tremendous rage, rushing about the room like a madman. In a moment he took a fierce kick at the door and smashed in a panel. The model, in fright, started to flee, but Morris turned toward him, the rage suddenly evaporating, and said genially: "It's all right—it's all right! Something had to give way!" The painting was then resumed.—"William Morris—A Study in Personality."

**They Mend Easily.**

There are more broken hearts in literature than in life.

**American Chess Player Wins.**

New York, Oct. 6.—Frank Marshall, United States chess champion, beat the Bohemian champion, O. Duras, in the third game of the series of five at the Manhattan Chess club today. The standing is Marshall 3, Duras 0.

# HIS RETURN BANQUET.

***It Was a Grand Social Success and Cost the Major Nothing.***

A veteran officer in the United States army recently told of the shrewdness displayed by a major in the old days. He had been appointed to the command of an army post on an island not a great way from San Francisco.

Soon after his arrival there a French fleet dropped anchor in the harbor. The commander invited the major aboard the flagship and entertained him royally.

The idea struck the worthy major the next day that he was in honor bound to return the compliment, but he was staggered by the expense involved.

To give a banquet befitting his dignity as a United States officer entertaining a distinguished representative of a foreign nation would mean bankruptcy, as the government had not authorized him to draw on its treasury for such a purpose, and the cost of the affair would have to come out of his own pocket. A bright idea struck him.

He invited the naval visitors to be his guests the third day thereafter at an "American picnic." Then he sent invitations to the best people of the neighborhood to join him in a basket picnic at a grove near at hand on the same day, "to meet our French naval friends now on our shores."

The people came with great baskets and hampers of provisions. A royal feast was spread in the grove, and the picnic was long remembered as one of the most notable social successes of its time.—Chicago Record-Herald.

# COFFEE AND ITS EFFECTS.

**Not Injurious When Used Moderately by Persons in Health.**

In the light of the data that have been accumulated in respect to the physiological action of coffee it may safely be affirmed that it is not injurious when used moderately by reasonably healthy people. With the neurasthenic and the dyspeptic it is a somewhat different matter. While alarming symptoms have followed the ingestion of enormous quantities, there is no evidence that fatally toxic effects have ever ensued.

Coffee is a mild stimulant, and the effects are rather transient. The moderate use of coffee will not make a well man sick. Such moderate use will not occasion disagreeable symptoms in the healthy, such as insomnia, headache, nervousness, drowsiness, palpitation, dyspepsia, vertigo, etc. On the other hand, it will obviate or relieve fatigue.

We do not consider coffee a necessary concomitant of civilized life, which some extremists claim it to be. To our minds it is rather a luxury which it is not necessary to dispense with unless one is compelled to do so as a part of the attempt to combat the increasing cost of living. As to the moderate use of any of the things which we ingest the same principles apply. Even such a valuable substance as milk has to be imbibed within reason as to quantity, lest autointoxication ensue.—Medical Times.

**Facing a Waterspout.**

What it means to encounter a waterspout in the south seas is described by a writer: "First of all, a black trunk, like an elephant's, began to feel blindly about in midair, hanging from a cloud. It came nearer and nearer with uncanny speed, drawing up to itself as it came a colossal cone of turbulent sea until the two joined together in an enormous black pillar some quarter of a mile broad at the base and probably a good thousand feet high, uniting as it did the clouds and the sea below. Across the darkening sea, against the threatening copper crimson sunset, came this gigantic horror, waltzing over troughs of torn up water in a veritable dance of death, like something blind, but mad and cruel, trying to find and shatter our fragile little ship."

**Wise Insects.**

In his experiments to determine whether it is the color or the odor of flowers that attracts bees and other insects M. Plateau, the Belgian zoologist, bethought him of trying a mirror. He selected a flower of striking color and strong odor and placed it before an excellent glass in which the reflection was perfect. All the insects went straight to the real flower, and not a single one approached the reflection in the mirror.

**Fast and Slow.**

Redd—Did you have a nice automobile trip? Greene—Part of the way. The chauffeur went too fast going out.

"I suppose he reduced speed coming back?"

"Oh, yes; we were towed back."—Yonkers Statesman.

**Angry Adjectives.**

It was not a young woman novelist, but Charles Sumner, of whom the late E. L. Godkin, the New York editor, said:

"He works his adjectives so hard that if they ever catch him alone they will murder him."

**How it Happened.**

The Chronic Meddler—You are extremely bald for one of your age. The Hare Lipped Party—Yes; got this way by butting into other people's affairs.—Philadelphia Ledger.

**Sleep and Longevity.**

Sleep is as necessary as air or food. Those who shirk the sleep of life are only hastening unceremoniously to the sleep of death.—Brussels Independance Belge.

Contentment gives a crown where fortune has denied it.—Ford.

**Lorand Wins Boston Marathon.**

Brockton, Oct. 6.—Joseph M. Lorand of Somerville, Mass., won the 25-mile Marathon from Boston this city today. His time was 2:26:30. Tom Lilley of Dorchester was second. There were 41 starters.

# For the Children

**A Gay Young Bather Playing on the Beach.**

Photo by American Press Association.

This happy young gentleman was tripping along the beach at Asbury Park, N. J., when the camera man happened along and snapped him. During the bathing hours at this famous summer resort hundreds of kiddies may be seen enjoying themselves on the edge of the surf. Of course they are always accompanied by some older person to keep them from venturing too far out, but as a rule the youngsters do not venture into the water by themselves. Playing on the sand, gathering shells and pebbles and just wetting their feet in the water is usually the extent of their bathing. When father or mother plunge them under a breaker they ordinarily set up a great shout of protest.

**Speculation.**

The leader in this game provides two packs of cards, one of which is dealt one by one to the company till all the pack is dealt. The other pack he keeps in his hand, drawing one card from it at random, which he conceals in his pocket.

The players, being each further provided with a saucer containing fifty beans, the leader rings a small bell and calls out, "Speculate!"

Then for a time there is confusion, the players circulating around the room, offering beans in exchange for certain cards which the neighbors display. Each wishes to hold the duplicate of the card concealed by the leader, though no one knows which it is.

At a second ringing of the bell the players are again seated, while the leader, turning up one card from the pack in his hand, calls out its name. Whoever holds the duplicate must go forward and lay it upon a table provided for the purpose. After half a dozen or more of the cards have been thus collected the signal to speculate is again given. Of course the interest increases as the number of cards held by the players diminishes, and sometimes a player will give his last bean for a card which may be called in at the next ringing of the bell.

After repeated speculations and callings in only one card remains—the duplicate of the one concealed in the pocket of the leader. The fortunate holder of this wins a prize, as also does the possessor of the greatest number of beans.

**Hopping Circle.**

Form the boys and girls in separate circles. The children face inward and are about two steps apart. For each circle get rope about twelve feet long with a bean bag tied to the end of it. One of the children stands in the center and swings the rope around in a circle, keeping the bag close to the ground. As the rope approaches each pupil he hops upward and over the swinging bag. Whoever is struck by the bag or rope steps out of the circle. Insist that the bag be swung close to the ground and, with timid children, that it is not swung too rapidly.

**The Hop Toad.**

Two puffy hop toads, hipty-hop,
Got to hopping so they could not stop
Till they found a pool and waded in
Into the water up to their chin.

The place was so delightfully cool,
This pleasant, limpid, sparkling pool,
They winked and they blinked and sat them down
In bathing suit tights of natty brown.

'Twas their resort on a summer day,
And they intended awhile to stay,
When 'long came a pig and drank it up—
All the water, without bowl or cup.

The hop toads were left quite high and dry
And hopped away with a little sigh,
But they found another, yes, indeed,
That answered as well for every need.

When pleasures are taken 'way from us
It's better to leave without a fuss
And see if better we cannot do.
What's right for toads is right for us too

**Lister Names Delegate.**

Olympia, Oct. 6.—Governor Lister today appointed former Congressman Duddley G. Wooten of Seattle to represent Washington at the national conservation congress at Washington Nov. 18 to 20.


# Advertising Is the Best Policy

RETAILERS no longer consider it a question as to whether or not advertising pays. The ques- is how to advertise so that the greatest number of people may be constantly informed of the ever changing and interesting store news.

Retailers agree that the best medium through which their advertising may be circulated is newspapers like THE NEWS---newspapers with an influential home circulation.

Advertising in newspapers has come to be such a recognized factor in all shopping transactions in this vicinity that many of our readers would actually resent it, and the paper would lose a great part of its value, if we should suddenly stop printing advertisements.

Good retailing develops advertising --- Advertising develops good retailing.

# Fresh Water and Salt

**WESTMINSTER PORT :-: PACIFIC COAST**

## FEW SHIPS DUE DURING THIS WEEK

**Deep Sea Travel Not Heavy—Awa Maru Coming With Much Silk Aboard.**

Shipping activity will not be very much in evidence this week at the deep-sea wharves. The only arrival of note will be the Japanese steamer Awa Maru of the N. Y. K. line, which, according to wireless messages, reported that she would take up her berth at Victoria on Wednesday afternoon, one day earlier than her schedule calls for. The Awa Maru is bringing a full cargo which includes a shipment of raw silk valued at considerably over $1,000,000.

**Hamburg Liner Due.**

Although nothing had been heard of her at a late hour last night, the Hamburg-Amerika steamship Uckermark is fully due to pass in from Europe via the Orient. The Uckermark left Yokohama September 19.

The Blue Funnel liner Antilochus will return about Thursday to Victoria to load some 3000 barrels of whale oil before shifting to the sound to complete her European freight.

Taking out a full cargo the N. Y. K. steamship Tamba Maru will sail on Tuesday afternoon for ports in Japan and China, and on the following day she will be followed by the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Russia, also bound for the Orient.

The O. S. K. steamer Canada Maru, which is only being allowed seven days in which to discharge and reload on this coast, will sail for the far east on Friday.

### TIDE TABLE—FRASER RIVER.

**For the Week Ending Sunday, Oct. 12.**

| | Westminster. Time. High. | Low. | Sand Heads. High. Time. | Ht. | Low. Time. | Ht. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 6 | 12:45 | 6:55 | 11:45 | 12.7 | 3:40 | 1.6 |
| | 21:20 | 18:30 | 20:20 | 10.5 | 17:30 | 10.2 |
| 7 | 14:00 | 7:40 | 13:00 | 12.7 | 4:35 | 2.5 |
| | | | | 9.7 | | 9.7 |
| 8 | 14:55 | 8:25 | 13:56 | 12.7 | 5:36 | 3.3 |
| | | 22:40 | 23:24 | 8.8 | 21:18 | 8.7 |
| 9 | 0:25 | 9:30 | 14:37 | 12.6 | 6:42 | 3.9 |
| | 15:35 | 23:00 | | | 21:31 | 7.7 |
| 10 | 2:25 | 10:10 | 1:24 | 8.8 | 7:44 | 4.4 |
| | 16:10 | 23:35 | 15:09 | 12.4 | 21:49 | 6.8 |
| 11 | 3:35 | 11:10 | 2:36 | 9.2 | 8:40 | 4.9 |
| | 16:35 | | 15:35 | 12.1 | 22:11 | 5.9 |
| 12 | 4:30 | 0:25 | 3:32 | 9.8 | 9:30 | 5.3 |
| | 17:00 | 11:45 | 15:35 | 11.9 | 22:33 | 5.1 |

**Vessel Movements.**

Montreal, Oct. 6.—Arrived: Letitia, Glasgow; Turcoman, Bristol; Glenarmhead, Dublin. No departures.

### WOMAN HALTS BIG WORK

**Los Angeles Aqueduct Construction Is Stayed.**

Los Angeles, Oct. 6.—A woman has halted temporarily the progress of one of the main lines of the Los Angeles aqueduct. After being installed for more than 200 miles the $27,000,000 project ran upon a snag on the Rancho Ex-Mission de San Fernando.

Mrs. Henrietta Buckler, owner of the ranch, asked in the superior court that the city be restrained from continuing the construction on her property. The counsel for the city admitted that work already done on the Buckler ranch had been done without the proper permit. The case will be settled later.

### HUNTING LICENSE? NOT FOR HIM

Minneapolis, Oct. 6.—Friends of Edward Massolt, 1623 Aldrich avenue, are wondering whether he is absent-minded, short-sighted or merely deep with guile.

Last Saturday he told his friends he was going to the court house to get a hunting license. He went to the court house all right, but in some way got mixed up in the license departments.

He emerged with a bit of paper that authorized him to marry rather than hunt. Miss Helen Johnson, 2712 Pleasant avenue, was the contracting party and they were married yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Massolt went east for a wedding trip and will be at home after October 15 at 1017 Logan avenue.

### BANKER DROWNS LANDING A FISH

Lake Milsl, Wis., Oct. 2.—While standing in a boat trying to land a large fish, Herman Berlin, 43 of Milwaukee, fell into the water of Lake Rock, and drowned.

Berlin was a banker. He came here from Milwaukee several weeks ago. A widow and several children survive.


## CAPE COD CRANBERRIES

Bright fresh stock, per lb.....15¢
Local cranberries, 3 lbs.....25¢
Hyslop crab apples, 4 lbs.....25¢
Choice cooking apples, 5 lbs.....25¢
Choice eating apples, 3 lbs.....25¢
Sweet potatoes, 6 lbs.....25¢

Quaker Brand canned peas, corn and tomatoes, 2 cans.25¢

Have you tried our fine quality teas and coffees? Our special blends of tea and coffee at 35c per lb., 3 lbs. for $1.00, are the finest to be had. We ask you to try them.
Choice table butter, 3 lbs.....$1.00
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Two dozen.....75¢
Quality and service are our aim. We solicit a trial order.

**Dean's Grocery**
Phone 386.
Burr Block. Columbia Street.


### VESSEL GROUNDS IN VICTORIA HARBOR

Victoria, Oct. 6.—Failure to negotiate the turn off the Pin Rock dolphin in a dense fog this morning resulted in the steamer Iroquois, Captain Harry Carter, of the International Steamship company, running aground and remaining fast for several hours. It required considerable tugging on the part of the C. P. R. steamer Princess Royal, combined with the power of the stranded ship's own engines, before she was released and ready to resume her trip up to the inner harbor docks.

## JURY IN DEAN CASE MAY BE DISCHARGED

(Continued from page one)

a word. He never would discuss it with me.

Sir Charles—Both of you told the same story?

Witness—The first time I discussed it was in October, 1911.

**Words to That Effect.**

Sir Charles—The boy, I suppose, said to you: "Father I decline to discuss the subject with you, or words to that effect?"

Witness—Words to that effect.

George Greenwood was the first witness called yesterday and occupied the witness stand all day and at the close his cross-examination had not been concluded.

**Repeated Story.**

In answer to Mr. MacNeil he repeated the story of meeting the black motor on the Westminster road, with five men in it, three of whom he identified as Macnamara, Dean and Martin Powell. That was on the morning of Sept. 15, 1911, between 7 and 8 o'clock. He had risen at 6 a.m. and left the house precisely at 7 to go to the Royal Oak hotel. He looked at his watch when leaving. Dean was standing up in the rear seat between two others who were sitting down. He was about five paces from the auto when they passed him. Dean made a movement with his hand toward his hip when he saw witness looking at him. It appeared to him that the auto was out of order or that the driver was a novice. The auto passed him about half a mile from his house. He went to the hotel but only saw a Chinaman cleaning up and he then returned home.. He met his son, George, on the way. His son died about nine months ago. His deceased son gave evidence at the preliminary trial of Dean.

Sir Charles began his cross-examination at 11:30 and it was of the most harrowing type.

Witness, in answer to counsel, said he first reported the matter to Chief Bradshaw either on Jan. 25 or 26, 1912. The motor was going at the rate of four or five miles an hour when it passed him. Witness gave the most minute particulars of the dress of the men, but did not remark any particular noise by the motor.

The B. C. Marine company, his employers, kept an address book of all their old employees for the purpose of sending phone messages to them. Shown the address book which contained his address as Central Park P.O. and Leaf's store for phone purposes, he said he had given that address, but said he had also told the forman of the shop, Mr. Miller, to phone him to the Royal Oak. Mr. Miller was the only one to whom he had mentioned the Royal Oak hotel. He was not sure of the date. He would not take his oath that the motor was not going at the rate of 10 to 15 miles an hour.

**Denied Statement.**

He denied stating at a previous examination that he did not get up until between 7 and 8 o'clock or that he had stated that Dean had apparently risen from the left corner of the motor and stood up There were no signs of hurry or concealment about them.

**Forgot It.**

A number of witness' previous answers at different examinations was quoted to him in direct contradiction of his present testimony which he met with replies that he did not remember saying so.

He stated that the affair passed out of his mind after he got home on Sept. 15, 1911. He had never seen Dean afterwards until 1912 when he saw him in the police court. He was not sure what month.

**Marvellous Memory.**

Witness was continually twitted by Sir Charles Tupper about having such a marvellous memory about the motor incident and the dress of the men and about nothing else. The reward of $5000 for the arrest and conviction of the robbers did not influence him. He only saw the advertisement asking for information that would lead to their arrest and afterwards saw Chief Bradshaw and then Mr. Ahearn.

In the afternoon the examination was resumed. Witness said he had no difficulty in identifying Powell.

**Both Correct.**

Quoting two statements of witness, one that Dean was standing in the middle of the rear seat and another that he apparently rose from the left hand corner, Sir Charles asked if both were correct and witness answered both were correct.

His first statement of the motor meeting was to his wife a month after the lapse of a month.

He went to the Royal Oak hotel that morning to see if he was required at the works. He saw the Chinaman who said "no savee" and returned without making further inquiry. He did not go to Royal Oak on Saturday to enquire. He had never got a phone message from the Royal Oak hotel. He did not remember saying he was in the habit of getting messages from the Royal Oak hotel.

Witness had said previously that his sons were at home with him all day on Friday, Sept. 15, that there was no school that day, and that George had returned from delivering papers about 9 a.m. or shortly afterwards. From the boys' deposition as quoted by Sir Charles it appeared he had returned home at 8:30, had breakfast and went to school at 9 o'clock. Asked to explain the discrepancy witness said the boy might have gone to school and come right home.

Tackled again and again about the different times he had stated about leaving the house, witness explained that the references to between 7 and 8 o'clock must have been made to the time he met the auto. He had left his house exactly at 7 a.m.

Another matter of confusion was when witness saw the motor first, Sir Charles quoting his answers differing so much as from 500 feet to 500 yards and the points varying from the Vancouver side of Royal Oak to the New Westminster side.

Witness could not remember. On being pressed he said if it were down in the records it must be true.

Sir Charles—Then the evidence you are giving today is absolutely false?

Witness—Oh, no; I might have said feet instead of yards.

The matter of Powell's photo and his payment by the bank were also dwelt upon. He had been shown Powell's photo going along the road by a Mr. Reilly. He had lost money by going to Detroit to identify Powell, said witness.

## *World's Markets*

## LOSSES REDUCED AT END OF DAY

**New York Stocks Hammered Down at Opening But Recovered Toward Close.**

New York, Oct. 6—Pronounced pressure was applied to the stock market today and for a time prices declined rapidly. Professional selling was on a large scale among the favorite stocks London unloaded here in considerable volume and Boston and iPttsburg sent in selling orders. Trading was active during the forenoon and leading stocks as well as large numbers of inactive issues were hammered down one and two points. Pressure was less in the latter part of the day and losses were reduced during the latter part of the day.

Steel bore the brunt of the pressure going down two points to 56.

### MARKET HEAVY AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, Oct. 6.—Further declines in the New York market was a disturbing influence for Montreal stocks today and the tone was heavy practically all through the list. Selling pressure was in evidence chiefly in Brazilian whose recent reaction from 96 was continued to a low today of 91 1-8, on fairly large offerings of the stock. Later the stock was quiet and steady and recovered to 91 1-2 in the afternoon.

## DISCOUNT RATES SHADE EASIER

**Apart from Rally in Brazilian Rails Stock Market in London was Depressed.**

London, Oct. 6.—Money and discount rates were a shade easier today. Apart from a rally in Brazilian rails the stock market was again depressed, chiefly on the continental selling, presumably in preparation of Balkan financing. New issues affected consols and dealers generally realized in other directions.

American securities opened steady and a fraction higher. Realizing depressed most of the list during the forenoon and later there was a general decline in sympathy with the downward trend in other sections and on New York selling. The close was weak and near the lowest point.

### LOCAL STOCK WAS HEAVY.

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Foreign influences dominated the local market today and the effect on prices was the reverse of bullish. Both Barcelona and Brazilian declined, Barcelona 1 point and Brazilian 1 1-8. The latter was actively sold, 1700 shares being handled at prices running from 92 to 91 1-8. Bareclona was much less active. Purely local issues were also heavy in tone.

## WINNIPEG WHEAT DECLINES SOMEWHAT

**Under Pressure of 2,707,000 Bushels in Two Days Price Was Easier on Market.**

Winnipeg, Oct. 6.—Under the pressure of 2,707,000 bushels of wheat in two days and 1550 cars in sight, Winnipeg opened 1-8 to 1-4 lower and developed weakness. Liverpool was dull and lower with heavy Russian offerings. Reports from Argentine were better.

With all these factors at work it was not surprising that the market was weak. With only a fair cash demand and importing countries backing away from us, the only surprise was that the markets held as firm as they did.

Declines for the day were: Winnipeg 3-8 to 1-2 cent; iMnneapolis 3-4.

**They're Coming West.**

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Four hundred immigrants off the liners Megantic and Letitia, passed through Toronto today for Western Canada on the Grand Trunk special.


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### THE BALLAD OF YAADA.

[The following poem taken from Toronto Saturday Night, is said to be the last written by the late E. Pauline Johnson, the Indian poetess, who died in Vancouver a little over a year ago.]

There are fires on Lulu Island, and the sky is opalescent
With the pearl and purple tinting from the smouldering of peat.
And the Dream Hills lift their summits in a sweeping, hazy crescent,
With the Capilano canyon at their feet.

There are fires on Lulu Island, and the smoke, unlifting lingers
In a faded scarf of fragrance as it creeps across the day,
And the Inlet and the Narrows blur beneath its silent fingers,
And the canyon is enfolded in its grey.

But the sun its face is veiling like a cloistered nun at vespers;
As towards the altar candles of the night a censer swings,
And the echo of tradition 'wakes from slumbering and whispers,
Where the Capilano River sobs and sings.

It was Yaada, lovely Yaada, who first taught the stream its sighing,
For 'twas silent till her coming, and 'twas voiceless as the shore,
But throughout the great forever it will sing the song undying
That the lips of lovers sing for evermore.

He was chief of all the Squamish, and he ruled the coastal waters—
And he warred upon her people in the distant Charlottle Isles,
She, a winsome basket weaver, daintiest of Haida daughters,
Made him captive to her singing and her smiles.

Till his hands forgot to havoc, and his weapons lost their lusting,
Till his stormy eyes allured her from the land of Totem Poles,
Till she followed where he called her, followed with a woman's trusting,
To the canyon where the Capilano rolls.

And the women of the Haidas plied in vain their magic power,
Wailed for many moons her absence, wailed for many moons their prayer,
"Bring her back, O! Squamish foeman, bring to us our Yaada flower,"
But the silence only answered their despair.

But the men were swift to battle, swift to cross the coastal water,
Swift to war and swift of weapon, swift to paddle trackless miles,
Crept with stealth along the canyon, stole her from her love and brought her
Once aagin unto the distant Charlottle Isles.

But she faded, ever faded, and her eyes were ever turning
Southward toward the Capilano, while her voice had hushed its song,
And her riven heart repeated words that on her lips were burning,
"Not to friend—but unto foeman I belong.

"Give me back my Squamish lover, though you hate, I still must love him,
Give me back the rugged canyon where my heart must ever be—
Where his lodge awaits me coming, and the Dream Hills lift above him
And the Capilano learned its song from me."

But through long-forgotten seasons, moons too many to be numbered—
He yet waited by the canyon—she yet called across the years,
And the soul within the river that through centuries had slumbered
'Woke to sob a song of woman's love and tears.

For her little, lonely spirit, sought the Capilano canyon,
When she died among the Haidas in the land of Totem Poles,
And you yet may hear her singing to her lover-like companion,
If you listen to the river as it rolls.

But 'tis only when the pearl and purple smoke is idly swinging
From the fires on Lulu Island to the hazy Mountain crest,
That the undertone of sobbing echoes through the river's singing
In the Capilano canyon of the West.

**Looking Ahead.**

"I suppose you take a deep personal interest in the education of your daughter?"

"Oh, yes I am doing my best to have her fitted to be the wife of a man with a title. You see, my husband has patented an invention that is almost sure to make us immensely wealthy."

**A Huge Seal.**

What is reported to be the largest seal ever caught on the Cape Breton coast has just been taken at Mabou Mines by a father and son. It weighed 800 lbs. The skin measured 7 feet, 10 inches in length by 4 feet 4 inches in width.

**Veterans All.**

The "A" Company Connaught's Own Rifles, of Vancouver, claims the proud distinction of being the only company in the British Empire composed entirely of men wearing medals bestowed for active service.

**Still the Veterans Apply.**

There is no let-up to the applications for Fenian Raid veteran bounty grants at Ottawa. Up-to-date 10,800 have been paid the grant of $100 and fifteen thousand are under consideration.

**Well Used to It.**

Doctor—What you need is a change of scene. Patient—Get away! I'm a scene shifter!

**More to Come.**

"The fools are not all dead." "That isn't the worst of it. They aren't all born yet."

**Women and Flowers.**

A beautiful woman without brains is like a flower without perfume.

**Lister Names Delegate.**

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## MONTREAL SLUMS SHOCK BRITISHER

**Worst He Ever Saw, Says Thos. Richardson, M.P.—"Vile" Is the Word He Used.**

Montreal, Oct. 6.—"I never in all my life saw slums as terrible, as absolutely filthy, as these you have shown me here in Montreal. Why, in parts of England we tear down, by order of the health board, places that are palaces beside these," said Thomas Richardson, labor member of parliament for Whitehaven, England, as he examined some of the sections of Griffintown yesterday afternoon under the guidance of Mrs. Rose Henderson, social worker and juvenile court probation officer.

Mr. Richardson, who is one of the 39 labor members sitting in the present British parliament, spent a few days recently in Montreal, on his way across the continent to Vancouver, on his first Canadian trip. While in the Dominion he is desirous of seeing where the poorer classes of workmen live, and Monday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. Henderson and a photographer and reporter from a local staff, spent nearly two hours in the neighborhood of Guy street, a short distance south of the Grand Trunk tracks.

**Narrow Alley-Way.**

Entering narrow alley-ways, under which he had to bend his head in order to pass; climbing stairways littered with refuse, and peering into rooms which never seemed to be pierced by the light of day, the investigators could vividly grasp the conditions under which thousands of children—and their elders—live in Montreal.

In some shacks and tenements, Mrs. Henderson pointed out where a whole family, or perhaps two families, lived in one or two rooms—if in two rooms frequently because one larger room had been partitioned or curtained off. The fact that the people paid from $7.50 to $14 or $15 for these quarters was stated by Mrs. Henderson, and Mr. Richardson mentioned the vastly superior quarters the average British workman can get for a much smaller sum.

**Like Constantinople.**

"What kind of a drainage system have you?" he asked.

"The drainage system of Constantinople, in parts," was Mrs. Henderson's reply.

"What is your death rate for children?"

"Fifty-four in the hundred, for those under five years."

This appeared to astonish and shock Mr. Richardson exceedingly—perhaps not surprisingly.

"Well," he remarked as he walked on. "I have been in all the larger cities of England and Scotland, and have traveled fairly extensively through Germany, France, Belgium, Austria and Switzerland, but never—never—have I seen such vile slums as these."

## DUST FROM ROADS DANGER TO HEALTH

**Eminent Physician Points Out Menace—Lockjaw One of Evil Results.**

London, Oct. 6.—In his presidential address to the Sanitary Inspectors' congress at Llandudno, Sir James Crichton Browne, the famous physician, drew attention to the alarming increase of disease caused by the dissemination of germ-laden dust by motor cars. Dust in the right place, in the right quantity and of the right quality, he said, was not a bad thing. They owed it to the blueness of the sky. But the dust produced by human agency was productive of disease. The mortality in the principal dust-producing industries was still excessive to a startling degree.

Describing the difference between industrial and domestic dust, he said: "I had the dust collected some time ago from the top of a wardrobe in the west end of London and examined. There were recognized in it vegetable and animal fibres derived from linen, cotton and wool; a few feather barbs, fragments of wood; scales from the skin; starch granules and a few pollen spores." It was as a carrier of disease germs, he said, that municipal dust is most to be feared, and there could be no doubt that pathogenic spores and bacili of many kinds may be wafted about in it. Catarrh, hay fever, influenza were probably thus disseminated. That, too, was the most common mode of the spread of tuberculosis in adults. Further, it was already evident that it was responsible for cases of aural sepsis, of sore throat and tonsilitis, of bronchitis and pneumonia.

**Danger From Lockjaw.**

"The chief danger attending it," he proceeded, "is tetanus or lockjaw—a rare disease, no doubt, but one the death rate from which shows a decided increase. To the sources of tetanus there must now be added road dust."

"So long as the same roads are used by horse-drawn traffic and automobile vehicles, force is given to the suggestion that the houses and cottages should be built with a broad belt of garden ground intervening between them and the highway. Motorists and dwellers on the highway," he continued, "should be warned that they should keep covered and free from road dust, all wounds, cuts or abrasions on the hands or face. One of these days, he supposed, the armamentarium of a well-appointed motor car might include a tube of tetanus anti-toxin for immediate application to a dust-impregnated wound."

### OLD MAN JAILED: ROBBED CHURCH

Toronto, Oct. 6.—Allen Brady, an elderly man, was given 50 days in jail by Magistrate Dennison today for theft of money from the All Saints church. Brady robbed the collection boxes.

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## WORLD'S SERIES OPEN IN NEW YORK TODAY

**Mathewson or Marquard vs. Bender is Inside Dope—Weather Unsettled.**

New York, Oct. 6.—The stage is set and tomorrow the curtain will rise on the final act of the 1913 baseball drama. Behind the scenes the Philadelphia Athletics and the New York Giants are at their stations ready for the cue that will send them into the limelight of the world's series.

Spectators from all parts of the United States are ready for the rush on the Polo grounds and only the menace of the weather man stands between thousands of fans and the fulfillment of their expectations.

**It Might Rain.**

"Unsettled conditions," was his dubious prediction for tomorrow.

The Giants' battery for the initial contest, according to the dopesters, will be Mathewson or Marquard and Meyers. The Athletics are expected to retaliate with Bender and either Thomas or Schang behind the bat. Connie Mack's Indian twirler is said to be in splendid shape and the Athletics' best card for the battle on hostile soil.

Little information regarding the plan of campaign was forthcoming and apparently both Connie Mack and John McGraw were playing a waiting game so far as final plans and lineups were concerned.

Supporters of Mathewson and Marquard advanced a score of reasons tonight why Manager McGraw should start their favorite against the Athletics and the fans from Philadelphia smiled and gently inserted into the argument a mention of J. Franklin Baker and what his trusty home run bat did in the series of 1911.

**Mack is Confident.**

Philadelphia, Oct. 6.—"We're right. That's all," was the laconic comment with which Connie Mack, manager of the Philadelphia American league baseball team, dismissed those who sought to interview him tonight as he prepared to leave with the members of his team for New York. The Athletics' manager declined to tell which battery he has selected to start the series against the New York team.

Earlier in the day Mack said:

"I am confident that the Athletics will be world's champions before the week is out. I expect the series to be close and hard fought, with the Athletics on the winning end. I expect to work Bender, Plank and Shawkey, but may switch at any moment. Everything depends upon the pitchers themselves. I have no fears for the rest of the team."

## EXHIBITION GAMES

**Giants Defeat Phillies as Final Workout—Pittsburg Lost to Cleveland.**

New York, Oct. 6.—In an exhibition game here this afternoon, the champion Giants and the Philadelphia Nationals set a new record for speed for a full game between major league teams, the game being 31 minutes, with McGraw hustling his new players in rapid succession, the contest resembled rapid fire target practice on a battleship. The Giants won 4-1.

Preceding the game there were several field events. In a 100 yard dash Lobert beat Thorpe in 13 seconds. The fungo hitting contest went to Thorpe with a rap of 414 feet and Lobert won the run around the bases in 15 seconds. Score:

| | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| New York | 4 | 8 | 2 |

Batteries: Chalmers and Killifer; Schupp, Wiltse, Hearne and Hartley, Wilson.

**Naps Defeat Pirates.**

Cleveland, Oct. 6.—Falkenberg held Pittsburg National leaguers to two hits in the opening game of their post season series today and Cleveland took the first game 3-0. Dolan, Chapman, Wagner and Johnston contributed the fielding stunts.

| Score: | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| Cleveland | 3 | 11 | 2 |

Batteries: Adams, Hendrix and Gibson; Falkenberg and Carisch.

## KILBANE IN WRONG

**Champion Scrapper Arrested in Cleveland for Assaulting Boy—Trouble Over Bicycle.**

Cleveland, O., Oct. 6.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with assaulting 11-year-old Chas. Chambers. The warrant, which was sworn out by the boy's mother, Mrs. Clara Chambers, charged Kilbane attacked the boy because of a dispute over a bicycle given the lad's elder brother for services in keeping a record o fpress clippings concerning the champion.

"I didn't give Charlie Chambers' brother the bicycle," Kilbane said. "I just loaned it to him a year ago. I wanted it back and he didn't send it. When I saw Charlie with it the other day I took it away from him. I did not hit him or hurt him. I wouldn't hit a little boy like that," said Johnny.

He gave $50 bond for his appearance and requested a jury trial. He will leave tonight for New York where he will appear in the ring tomorrow.

**BOWLERS TO GATHER**

**Next Monday Evening Season Will Be Arranged.**

Bowlers of the city are called to a meeting in the Club alleys reading room for Monday evening of next week when the House league will be reorganized for the season, officers elected and a general discussion on local bowling take place.

All members and supporters of the game are invited to attend the session as it is possible that an entry in the Vancouver inter-city league might be carried through.

Burnett and O'Connor came through with the winning score in the ten pin tournament last week, the following being the three highest scores for the week:

Burnett 594, O'Connor 656, total 1250; McGill 591, Cornish 635, total 1226; Walsh 635, Burnett 565, total 1200.

**BAR SPLIT SKIRTS ON 'VARSITY CAMPUS**

**University of Washington Faculty Members Issue Edict.**

Seattle, Oct. 6.—Bifurcated and diaphanous skirts, X-ray gowns, slashed skirts and all other similar extremes of modern styles will be tabooed from the campus of the University of Washington if the determined stand taken at an assembly of all women of the institution by Dean of Women Isabella Austin is backed up by stringent faculty action. Dean Austin condemned the tendency of fashion toward the slit skirt.

## CUBS VS. SOX

**Chicago Big Leaguers to Start City Championship Series Today—Ed. Walsh in Shape.**

Chicago, Oct. 6.—The first game to decide the baseball championship of the city of Chicago, will be played tomorrow starting at 2 o'clock between the Chicago teams of the American and National leagues.

President Comiskey, of the American league club, indicated that "Big Ed" Walsh, who has been the mainstay of the American leaguers in the previous series between the two rival clubs, would be in condition to participate.

The advance sale of tickets for the first game has been large. The probable batteries in the opening game will be Cheney and Archer for the Nationals and Russell and Schalk for the Americans.

## FASTS 49 DAYS; GOES SHOPPING

Spokane, Sept. 6.—The 50th day will no doubt bring an end to the long period of fasting of Mrs. F. W. McCann, according to Dr. A. T. Dodson, who is in attendance. Indications when she was examined by Dr. Dodson, that her system would be ready to stand a little nourishment either today or tomorrow. Mrs. McCann's husband will arrive in Spokane Sunday from Coulee City, and will remain with his wife until she is permitted by the doctor to return to her home.

Mrs. McCann continues to grow stronger each day, in spite of her lack of nourishment. She came downtown yesterday to take her daily electrical treatment. After that she made a tour of the stores and completed some shopping before returning home.

According to Dr. Dodson it will take from 10 to 12 days after she begins to take nourishment before he can tell if her system has been benefited by the fast.

**MADE DAUGHTER FORGER.**

**Father Confessed 13-Year-Old Acted for Him.**

Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 6.—"My little girl wrote and passed the checks, but at my dictation."

This was the confession of "Dr." Bruce D. Kimmis, according to the police who have held him incident to the arrest a few days ago of his 13-year-old daughter, Priscilla. The child had been discovered passing crude forgeries in department stores here.

"She is entirely innocent of wrongdoing, and I always assured her that it was proper in banking business to do the thing in the way I told her," runs the confession as given out by the police. Since the father's arrest when he called to see his daughter the mother has been sought by the police. She was found today in San Francisco.

Kimmis, who said he was a dentist, told the police, they asserted, of chack operations in San Francisco, San Diego and Hollywood. A warrant has been issued charging him with a felony.

**BEAUTY WORTH $7000.**

**At Least That's How Judge Rated It.**

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 6.—A woman's beauty is held to be worth at least $7000 by the Minnesota supreme court in an opinion handed down affirming the judgment of the St. Louis county district court, which awarded Miss Clara Bartnes damages in that amount against the Pittsburg Iron company.

Miss Bartnes was injured by a blast from the mine while passing along the public highway. Her face was disfigured by flying rocks. Chief Justice Brown commented on the fact that because the injury seriously marred the girl's beauty the verdict was not excessive.

## LARGE TIME PLANNED

**Opening of Y. M. C. A. Season This Evening Promises to Be Some Event.**

Members and friends of the Y.M.C.A. will congregate in the association building at 8 o'clock this evening when the formal opening of the fall activities will take place. The officials have been working hard on the project for some little time and believe that a program in the nature of sport, will be staged such as will back off the boards anything of its kind ever attempted before.

The events will be varied and held in various rooms and quarters of the big building. Basketball between the White Rock A. A. and the Crescent Beach quintette will be one of the big features; volley ball will also have its innings in the gym, together with wrestling and boxing.

Downstairs the big swimming tank has been prepared for the occasion and all kinds of stunts in the nature of water polo and diving exhibitions will be carried out.

In the basement the alleys have been planed and oiled and are reported to be in better shape than ever before for the five and ten pin games.

Pool and billiard games can be indulged in on the ground floor, while, for the more staid persons the checker and chess boards will be available.

The invitation is an open one and can be taken advantage of by every young boy, youth and man in the city.

At intervals the high school orchestra will discourse music.

The basketball teams will line-up as follows:

Crescent Beach five—Storme, center; Rogers, Pentland and Fletcher, forwards; McDonald, Doherty and Decker, guards.

White Rock A. A. will be chosen from Wattam Hoult, C. Smith, Swanson and the Whittaker brothers.

**Rugby Today.**

At the meeting of the Rugby club held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. C. Biggs was elected captain and C. Smith vice-captain. A practice will be held this afternoon at Queen's Park, at which all players are expected to be present.

**LEGISLATOR IN STATES GOES TO PRISON**

**Convicted of Soliciting a Bribe in a Senatorial Election.**

Santa Fe, N.M., Oct. 6.—Following the overruling of a motion for a new trial, Judge E. C. Abbott of the district court, sentenced Jose P. Lucero, a member of the state assembly from Rio Arriba county, to serve one year to 18 months in the state penitentiary. Lucero was convicted of having solicited a bribe in return for his vote in the senatorial election of 1912. An appeal to the supreme court was granted and Lucero given his liberty on $2500 bond. Three colleagues indicted jointly with Lucero for the same offense, remain to be tried.

## At the Theatres

**"THE FIFTH STRING"**

In "The Fifth String" at the Edison today, Angelo Diotti, a violinist, although encouraged by the eulogy of the musical profession, fails to impress Mildred Wallace, with whom he is in love, by his efforts on the violin. At a reception, given at the Wallace home, he is the cynosure of the eyes of the ladies, but Mildred characterizes the young violinist's protestations of musical effort as asininity, rather than artistry. He leaves the house in a very much dejected and despondent mood and sails for a desolate island, where he begins practising. The more he tries the more he thinks he preceives that his ability is waning, and in a fit of melancholy he dashes his violin to the floor and crushes it with his feet. At this juncture a phanton figure appears in the doorway of his leafy shack. He hands Diotti a card bearing the inscription, "Satan, Prince of Darkness." Following closely behind his Satanic Majesty is a decrepit sort of being who holds in his palsied hands a violin. The old man plays with such exquisite harmony that Diotti is entranced, but no sooner has the bent old figure touched the fifth string of the violin when he falls dead. Satan then tells Diotti that the first string means pity, the second, hope; the third, love; the fourth, joy; but the fifth means—death.

Diotti, his ability restored by the magic violin, soon leaves his secluded abode and is soon in the manager's office. The execrations of the latter gentlemen are stopped by the exquisite strains of music eminating from the musician's violin. At the club a friend of the Wallace family takes advantage of Diotti's absence from the room, in which he has left the magic violin, and plays upon it. His musical effusion is not of long duration, for he soon touches the fifth string and he falls dead. Diotti, although stunned by the death of the young amateur violinist, harkens to the call of the manager and he accepts an offer to play at a grand concert. The concert is a huge success and the prestige of the violinist is restored. Mildred succumbs to the beautiful music and shows her love for him. He is invited to many functions, but the lure of the palatial home of the Wallaces and of his inamorata, Mildred, proves too strong for him, and he decides to play for them. Mildred's father, who is also a skilled musician, calls his daughter's attention to the fifth string. Although Diotti has always managed to avoid playing on the fatal string, he decides to satisfy the curiosity of Mildred by running the gamut of the strings. No sooner has he touched the fifth when he pays the penalty of his folly with his life and he drops dead at her feet.

**Billiards Tonight.**

Two teams from the American Can company, East Burnaby, will settle their disputes on the billiard tables of the Club alleys this evening, starting at 8 o'clock. All three tables will be reserved for their use.

**Soccer Meeting.**

The City Soccer league will hold a session in the office of H. Ryall this evening at 8 o'clock in order to adjust the schedule so that the Iroquois cup games will not conflict with local contests. A full attendance is requested, especially from Burquitlam, the latter not having been represented at the last two gatherings.

**AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA IS NEWSPAPER EDITOR**

Washington, Oct. 6.—President Wilson expects to send to the senate this week the nomination of H. M. Pindell, a newspaper editor of Peoria, Ill., to be ambassador to Russia, and that of Mayor Brand Whitlock, of Toledo, to be minister to Belgium. There is still a possibility that William F. McCombs, Democratic national chairman, will be nominated for ambassador to France.

## WEST HOLDS KEY TO INTERNATIONAL PEACE

(Continued from page one)

ing Germany more armaments as a result.

**Name Mere Label.**

The name "Christian nations" was a mere label, and the incessant schemings and politics, international politics especially, made these self satisfied nations a poor example to what was termed the less civilized countries.

Dr. Darby hoped for the time when such would be no more, and when "peace on earth" would be realized. His closing sentences were a final plea to the people of the Pacific coast to stand firm against the curse of militarism.

Rev. Mr. Wincott introduced Dr. Darby to the audience, numbering a scant score, and at the conclusion of the address Rev. W. W. Abbott moved a vote of thanks.

## MORE IMMIGRANTS ARE ON THE WAY

**Another Batch of S. A. Workers—New Post Offices—North Arm Harbor Commission.**

Vancouver, Oct. 6.—A cable from head office of the Salvation Army in London to the local immigration department, announces that another party of 56 immigrants has just sailed from Glasgow and Liverpool. They will arrive at Quebec and come direct to Vancouver in one of the Army's special cars over the C. P. R. Ensign and Mrs. Halliday, of Glasgow, who are conducting the party from Scotland, will be in charge of the combined party.

Not including the party now en route, there have been brought into British Columbia 237 domestics, 199 children and 306 other immigrants. The party now on the way includes 12 domestics. The remainder are wives with children going to husbands in various parts of the province. There have been two parties each month beginning with April.

**New Post Offices.**

The following post offices in British Columbia have been authorized to issue postal notes: Decker Lake, Hilliers' Crossing, Lower Northfield and Tow Hill. They are all in the Comox-Atlin district.

**Mr. Rand Improves.**

C. D. Rand is rapidly recovering from an operation he recently underwent at the general hospital, and he expects to be back in his office within a short time.

**North Arm Commission.**

The North Arm harbor commissioners will meet on Wednesday next when it is expected the chairman will be selected. The harbor board consists of Commissioners R. C. Hodgson, F. Trites and Abernethy.

**Coal Spilled.**

A car loaded with coal turned turtle through missing the points at the western end of the B. C. Electric company's bridge over False creek on Saturday afternoon. Traffic was interfered with for an hour or so and passengers bound to and from Kitsilano terminus had to transfer.

**Is Getting Better.**

William McKay, who was taken to the hospital suffering from concussion of the brain following a row in the Travellers hotel bar on Friday night with Harry Dusenberry, who is held by the police, is reported at the hospital to be recovering.

**Raised to Pro-Cathedral.**

His Grace Most Reverend Archbishop Casey has raised the Church of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary to the dignity of his Pro-Cathedral.

**To Prepare Report.**

Mayor Baxter was delegated on Saturday night by the investigation committee looking into the charges against Waterworks Superintendent Maddison, to draw up a report as to the committee's findings. After this report is again referred to the committee and certain recommendations are made as to the management of the waterworks department, the matter will be placed before the city council. The mayor will embody in his report portions of the evidence given before the committee. He intended this morning that so report would be placed before the city council tonight, but


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## CHAIRED, BAGGED AND CHEERED

**Promoted Government Agent Recipient of Tokens of Local Staff's Esteem.**

A pleasant function took place in the county court room yesterday when S. A. Fletcher, lately provincial government agent, and now inspector of government agencies, was met by a number of his former colleagues in the civil service and their staffs and presented with a beautiful arm chair and handsome travelling bag on the occasion of his departure.

John Mahony, government agent, Vancouver, presided. He said he had been asked by Mr. Fletcher's fellow officials to make the presentation on his leaving New Westminster on promotion. He understood Mr. Fletcher would take up his residence in Victoria, but he hoped he would never forget the old bunch in New Westminster. He wished him all success in his new sphere.

Mr. Mahony then formally made the presentation and J. J. Cambridge, registrar, and Sheriff Armstrong conducted Mr. Fletcher to the arm chair and seated him in it amidst applause.

Mr. Fletcher acknowledged the gifts in suitable terms. He thanked them all very much and the chairman for his kind sentiments. He knew that wherever he went he would never meet a nicer lot of ladies and gentlemen than it had been his good fortune to have met with in his fellow officials and staff in New Westminster. He had enjoyed his tenure of office here and he assured them he had always found them all doing their duty. It would indeed be hard to find a more efficient and obliging lot of officials than those he had dealings with in New Westminster. He again thanked them for their kindness. (Cheers.)

J. J. Cambridge said that to him there was a regrettable as well as a pleasant side to this little ceremony. Regrettable through he was losing one of his oldest friends, pleasant because they knew Mr. Fletcher was leaving them to fill a much higher position, in fact one very far in advance of the one he had held. It was a source of great gratification to the government employees of this city, to know that the government and the heads of departments recognized the fact that they had dull servants in New Westminster, equal to fill any position. As in former years when this government wanted a first class judge they always came to the city for one and always got one, so in the present instance when they wanted a first class man in charge of the government agency in Victoria, they came to New Westminster and got one. [illegible] of that [illegible] from [illegible] very glad to see the government [illegible] carrying out the civil service act as they originally intended. Mr. Fletcher had been in the service for a very long time and they had recognized his value in Victoria. He was sure they could not have appointed a more competent man for the position which he was about to occupy, and he knew he would be as great a success there as in the post he had just vacated.

Personally he did not think there was any one there who would miss Mr. Fletcher as he would. They had been very old time friends, camping out, fishing, and going home to luncheon together nearly every day. No one could feel more keenly his leaving than the speaker. He trusted sincerely he would meet with the same cordial appreciation in his new sphere as he had done here.

Sheriff Armstrong also added his quota of admiration for Mr. Fletcher's fine qualities and congratulations upon his promotion. He also added a word of welcome to his successor, Mr. Campbell.

F. C. Campbell, the new government agent, thanked the company for their kind invitation to be present. He was a stranger to them, but he realized very clearly that in his new office he had it easy in one way and hard in another. Easy because in succeeding Mr. Fletcher he had found everything in order and had no trouble in picking things up. Hard because in filling Mr. Fletcher's former position he had to follow a man so popular and [illegible] in all his relations and [illegible] efficient in the performance of his duties. All he could say was that he would do his best to [illegible] mistakes and if he [illegible] enough to do that he thought he would do well.

George Turnbull, government agent at Vernon, who [illegible] was one who had come up [illegible] for the job of [illegible] government agent.

Others who [illegible] were: [illegible]

A. [illegible]

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Under and by virtue of a Distress Warrant and a Warrant under a Chattel Mortgage, to me directed and delivered, I have seized and will offer for sale by public auction, on Tuesday, the 7th day of October, 1913, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon at the premises of the King's Hotel, Columbia Street, New Westminster.

All bedroom and dining room furniture, linen, crockery, glassware, office and bar fixtures of the King's Hotel situated on Columbia Street, New Westminster, B.C.

The above will be sold as a going concern.

Terms of sale, cash. For further particulars apply to

T. J. ARMSTRONG, Sheriff.

(2154)

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FOR SALE—LOTS 27 AND 28 AT the corner of Colborne street and Sixth avenue, across from exhibition grounds. Price $1000 each. Terms. I. M. Lindsay, Nelson, B.C., owner. (2182)

TWO VANCOUVER HOTELS FOR sale at right price, 334 Eleventh street. C. G. (2109)

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ACREAGE NEAR NEWTON, JUST 8 miles out, less than 30 minutes' ride on B. C. Electric from New Westminster; soil excellent, bottom or upland as desired; tram frontage $150 an acre and remainder just back of frontage lots $100 and $125. Terms quarter cash, two years for balance. This is a sacrifice; estate to be cleaned up at once. Sole agents, Curtis & Dorgan, New Westminster. Phone 466. No trades. (2161)

FOR SALE—FIRST GROWTH FIR wood; cord wood $5 per cord, stove wood $2.50 per rick. Telephone 1005. (2026)

FOR SALE—$1.00 DOWN, $1.00 PER week, Canada's Pride Malleable Ranges; every one guaranteed. Market square. (2160)

PAPER MILL FOR SALE—THE UNdersigned on behalf of the receiver appointed by the trustee of the debenture holders of the Western Paper Mills, Limited, hereby give notice that tenders will be received up to and including the 15th day of October, 1913, for the purchase of the said company's premises, plant and undertaking, consisting of a fully equipped paper mill in running order, operating an 84 inch four cylinder machine, situated on the line of the Great Northern Railway, near Vancouver, B.C. The mill has been in operation fourteen months making board, sheathing and wrapping papers. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to James F. Garvin, care British American Trust Co., Ltd., 198 Hastings street west, Vancouver, B.C. (2001)

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### LOST.

LOST—DEED OF AGREEMENT IN New Westminster, probably on street car, on Sunday, October 5. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward. (2188)

LOST—ON WEDNESDAY EVENING, between Third street and horse show building, or at horse show, old fashioned gold filigree ring. Reward at 326 Third street. (2173)

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH, EN graved on face of case. Finder return to 1420 Seventh avenue. Reward. (2165)

### RE PEOPLE'S TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the official liquidators of the above company will, after twenty-one days from the date hereof, proceed to open certain deposit boxes in the vaults of the said company, unless in the meantime the persons renting such boxes name a date and time on which they propose to attend and take out any documents or securities deposited in such boxes.

After the said boxes have been opened, the owners of any securities deposited in said deposit boxes may receive such securities at the office of the official liquidators, the Westminster Trust, Limited, situate at Westminster Trust building, New Westminster, B. C.

DATED this 6th day of October, A. D. 1913.

ADAM SMITH JOHNSTON,
(2185) New Westminster, B. C.
Solicitor for Official Liquidator.

### NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of New Westminster has deposited with the Minister of Public Works and in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for the District of New Westminster, British Columbia, plans and descriptions of centre line of proposed Sapperton Sewer outfall crossing Brunette River in said district.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Corporation of the City of New Westminster will after one month from the first publication of this notice apply to the Governor General in Council for approval of such works.

DATED at New Westminster, B. C., this 27th day of September, 1913.

McQUARRIE, MARTIN & CASSIDY, Solicitors for the Corporation of the City of New Westminster.

(2141)

# "LOVE AND OBEY" IS LEFT OUT

**Marriage Ceremony Used by Socialist Pastor Causes Much Comment.**

Boston, Oct. 6.—Clergymen, all over the land, are discussing with much interest the marriage of Maude Adel Heath and John Theodore Mendenhall of Beverly.

The wedding, conducted by Rev. Paul Harris Drake, the "Socialist pastor" of Wollaston, was devoid of all conventionalities.

In a word it was a marriage of two Socialists, and was in many respects similar to the recent wedding of Edmund Trowbridge Dana to Miss Jessie Holiday.

The Heath-Mendenhall wedding, though, did not take place in the open air.

An original ceremony by the young pastor was used. Miss Mendenhall barred all the traditional features of a wedding, with the exception that the relatives of the couple were present.

And Miss Mendenhall didn't promise to love, honor and obey. The formal prayer, too, was omitted.

Standing before the Socialist minister, the couple about to assume the responsibilities of married life listened to the following preliminary statement by the Rev. Mr. Drake:

"This man and this woman, having found in each other what they believe to be their ideal of virtue and goodness, come to witness the fact of their willingness to live together as husband and wife, and their acceptance of all the responsibilities and obligations resulting from their joint partnership in marriage before me, an official of the state.

"And by their voluntary act in presenting their mutual desire for the ratification of the state, do hereby contract, each with the other, to perform faithfully all the duties resulting from their free act and deed in assuming this social marriage contract.

"True marriage, to be real and enduring, must be founded on intelligent love, and must be a union of spiritual forces for the happiness and welfare of the race. It involves both time and eternity, and is more than the selfish union of but two individuals. In order to be successful there must be consecration of each to the other, and of both to the highest ends of life.

"Believing that in such spirit and with such a purpose you have now come, you may join your right hands."

After bride and bridegroom had made their vows and given each a ring the Rev. Mr. Drake, placing his hand on the clasped hands of the newly married couple, said:

"Since John and Maude have solemnly promised in my presence to accept all the responsibilities of the marriage bond, I, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the state, do declare them henceforth husband and wife, in the name of God and of the commonwealth of Massachusetts."

Both Mr. and Mrs. Mendenhall are graduates of Beverly high school, and their romance began at the beginning of their high school careers some eight years ago. Mrs. Mendenhall is an accomplished pianist.

# SUN SETS FIRE TO WESTERN PLAINS

**Old Sol's Rays Responsible for Conflagrations in the State of Kansas.**

Kansas City, Oct. 6.—It does not seem possible that the rays of the sun, even on the hottest day, could set fire to anything, but conditions have been such in Kansas and in other middle western states during the last few months that this has been possible.

Last winter the Kansas legislature created a new position, that of state fire marshal. He was asked for by the fire insurance companies, and they pay the bills. His work is to investigate every fire that does any damage in the state. Every city official and every township trustee must make a report to him of every fire within their jurisdiction within 24 hours after the fire had started.

The fire marshal is supposed to investigate all these fires and ascertain the causes and then conduct a campaign among the people of the state to show them how they can avoid the great fire waste and the danger to themselves and their property. Carelessness was supposed to be the principal cause. But carelessness has not caused very many fires in Kansas in the last three months. The burning rays of the sun, directly or indirectly, caused more fires than carelessness. There have been over 100 fires reported to the fire marshal as caused by the sun's rays during the present summer. A large number of these really did no appreciable damage, the fires catching in the dry grass along the roads or in the stubble fields and burning off the prairie or the field without doing any damage to property. There are only a dozen or so reports of actual property loss by fire caused by the burning sun that has shone most unmercifully in Kansas ever since May 28 and for a week without a single cloud to break its terrible heat. Everything was literally dry as tinder and in just the sort of condition when the sun might be able to set things on fire.

Ed McKibben of Horton bought two small houses and joined them to make one cottage. In doing this it was found by the carpenters that there was a small open space in the point of the roof where the two houses were fitten together. In order to prevent this being a place to bring cold into the house the carpenters filled the space with ordinary cotton batting and the joint of the roof was made of tin flashing. The heat of the sun shining on the tin flashing set fire to the cotton batting and nearly burned down the house.

The heaviest single loss from the sun fires was the cattle barns at the state fair grounds, at Hutchinson. Fine new big barns had recently been erected on the new grounds given to the state. The barns cost upward of $20,000. The rays of the sun shining through the skylight set fire to the straw piled in some of the stalls, and before the fire was discovered it had gained such headway that practically the entire barns were destroyed. It is supposed that a part of the glass in the skylight happened to be in such position that it picked up the rays of the sun and concentrated them on a spot in the straw and soon had the straw blazing.

# GROWING WHEAT IN ARCTIC DIRCLE

**Samples of Number One Hard from Point 800 Miles North of Edmonton—Polar Gardens.**

Victoria, Oct. 6.—Number 1 hard wheat grown 800 miles north of Edmonton, prize vegetables raised on the Arctic circle and spruce trees six feet in diameter are some of the wonders of the northern territories which Henry A. Conroy, inspector of Indian agencies, will doubtless record in the department blue book in his report of the inspection tour from which he has just returned.

Known officially as "Treaty Number 8," the territory over which Mr. Conroy exercises supervision is inhabited by about 8000 Indians. Besides these, there are about 3500 "non-treaty" Indians in the very far north, and a few in the west along the foothills of the Rockies. Once a year Inspector Conroy visits the eighteen agencies located in Treaty No. 8 and distributes to the Indians about $35,000 in money and several thousand dollars' worth of grub, ammunition, fishing nets and other necessaries of aboriginal life.

Starting from Edmonton in May last, Mr. Conroy proceeded north down the Athabasca river to Fort McMurray, thence to Fort Chippewayan on Athabasca lake, and down the Slave river to Fort Smith; one portage there, and then 1400 miles of uninterrupted navigation to Fort MacPherson, situated a short journey from the mouth of the Mackenzie river, and well within the Arctic circle. From Fort Smith the route lies to Fort Resolution, on the south shore of Great Slave lake. Eighty miles across the lake is the fort at Hay river, which is the northern boundary line of Treaty No. 8. North of this are the non-treaty Indians. At Fort Providence on the Mackenzie, 80 miles north of Hay river, there is a large Roman Catholic mission, where farming is carried on successfully, good crops of wheat, oats, barley, potatoes, "and as fine vegetable gardens as they have in the Edmonton district, five or six hundred miles to the south."

From Providence the inspector proceeded north down the Mackenzie for 150 miles to Fort Simpson at the junction of the Liard river. Mr. Conroy thinks that the Liard, which flows east from the Rockies, has as great a volume as the Peace. Very little is known of the country which it drains. Mr. Conroy has been up the Liard to the junction of the Nelson.

"There is a fringe of good timber, mostly spruce, in view all the way, a distance of about 200 miles. Then on the Nelson, up which we went for 250 miles, there is also good timber. And when you get into the foothills you see the finest kind of spruce. Some of it will go five or six feet across the stumps, the biggest spruce I have ever seen. This is on the British Columbia side of the boundary."

**Far Northern Wheat.**

Mr. Conroy is evidently proud of the achievement of the agency at Fort Simpson. This is 800 miles north of Edmonton. "Our agent there last year, Mr. Card, experimented with three varieties of wheat, the yields from which were taken down to Edmonton and graded 'No. 1 hard.' He grew also 300 bushels of oats, a sample bag of which I took out with me. They weighed 38 pounds to the bushel. Rye and barley were also successfully grown. This year when I was there, in July, the grain crops and vegetables looked well, although the weather had been dry. The ploughing is done by two-ox teams, and the Indians are paid for their work on the farm. A small sawmill which the inspector had taken in there last year was used to cut the lumber for houses. A similar sawmill was set up at the Fort Smith agency.

"One hundred and sixty miles north of Fort Simpson is Fort Wrigley, where there are trading posts of the Hudson's Bay company and the Northern Transportation company, as well as a Catholic mission. All their establishments have good vegetable gardens, while there is an abundance of wild hay as heavy as is to be seen in any part of Alberta. Another journey of 160 miles north and Fort Norman is reached, and as good gardens are to be found with trading posts and the Anglican and Roman Catholic missions as there are further south."

**Northerly Gardening.**

"Fort Good Hope," said the inspector, "is still 165 miles further north. It is within the Arctic circle; yet the very best gardens I saw on the whole route are there." Another 160 miles to the northward is the Arctic Red River post, also with a Roman Catholic mission; and 80 miles beyond is Fort Macpherson. It is on the Peel river, tributary to the Mackenzie. There are Hudson's Bay and Mounted Police posts at Macpherson and an Anglican mission. Eskimo from the Arctic coast visit there every year for trading purposes. Even in this far northern country there is a luxuriant growth of wild hay. At Fort Smith, or what is known as the Salt river country, hay is abundant and horses thrive on it all winter without shelter.

"In the upper Mackenzie valley," said Mr. Conroy, "there is a country every bit as large as Manitoba and every bit as fit for settlement."

In Inspector Conroy's opinion, the Indian population of the north northwest is about holding its own, the birth and death rates balancing.

# G.O.M. OF HAMILTON

**ADAM BROWN IS STILL HALE AT NEARLY NINETY.**

**Prominent Figure at Hamilton Centennial Celebration Moved to the Ambitious City in 1850 and Since That Time He Has Held Many Posts of Honor in the Place of His Adoption.**

Adam Brown, "Hamilton's Grand Old Man," is nearly ninety, but his face is fresh and ruddy with health, his step firm and elastic, and form erect and full of vigor. The city of which he has been so much a part was only 11 years old when Adam Brown was born, in Edinburgh, Scotland, in April of 1826. When seven years old he came with his parents to Canada, and for 17 years resided in Montreal. His first position was with Gillespie, Moffat & Company, then the largest commercial house in Canada, dealing in all kinds of the country's products.

In 1850 he went to Hamilton by way of Toronto. To reach the latter required six days and seven nights from Montreal, first by sleigh and then by coach. At Toronto he took the steamer Magnet, now the Montreal, the first iron boat on Lake Ontario. He took the boat, but it did not take him to Hamilton. A storm drove it back, entrance to the bay being found impossible. He then went by coach.

He had come to take a position with D. MacInnis, afterward Senator. Next

MR. ADAM BROWN.

with the late W. P. Maclaren, wholesale grocer, and in two years became a partner in the firm, later to become Brown, Gillespie & Company, and finally Balfour & Company.

He was a member of the Federal House at Ottawa from 1886 to 1891, when he was appointed postmaster of Hamilton, a position he has held continuously to the present. Mr. Brown represented Canada at the World's Exposition in Jamaica, W.I., and there frequently met the present King George, whose father, the late King Edward, he had helped entertain when in Hamilton during his visit to Canada in 1860.

In 1857-58 he took a leading part in securing a by-law for waterworks for Hamilton, and was one of the commissioners, and later chairman of the board. The work was done by Thos. C. Keefer, now C.M.G. The Prince of Wales was to visit the city and was to open the gate to let the waters of the lake flow through the streets.

Mr. Brown, having charge of the keys to the two finest houses in Hamilton, the owners both being in England at the time, threw open "Oak Bank," W. P. Maclaren's, and "Arkledun," Richard Juson's, and the Prince and his suite occupied them while in the city.

Mr. Brown has been most prominently active in many ways. He was president of the railway that runs through the counties of Wellington, Grey, and Bruce, from Guelph to South Hamilton and from Palmerston to Kincardine. When it was completed it was handed over to the Great Western, and later absorbed by the Grand Trunk Railway; he was president of what was at first known as the Ontario and Pacific Junction, running from Gravenhurst to North Bay, where it connected with the Canadian Pacific, then building. With the late Wm. Hendrie he stood watching the last spike driven that united the two roads. This is now also a part of the G. T. R. system. He was also a director of the road between Toronto and Ottawa, then called "The Toronto and Ottawa Railway." At first this was a "piecemeal" road, being built "in spots."

The policy of the Federal Government was to give but $3,000 per mile toward railways—the previous Mackenzie Government having given $12,000. Mr. Brown was instrumental in having deputations from all the towns and cities, from Windsor to Ottawa, to meet in the latter to urge the change from $3,000 back to the former $12,000 per mile, and the change was made.

In 1856 he was secretary, and later president, of the Hamilton Board of Trade, and in 1877 he was president of the Dominion Board of Trade, which met in Ottawa, once a year, and which was instrumental in bringing about protection of Canadian industries. He has been and still is president of the Royal Humane Association, founded on the principle of the British Association. For sixteen years he was president of the Children's Aid Society, of which there are seventy branches in Ontario, all working under the statute prepared and carried through the House by the Hon. John M. Gibson. Few realize the enormous good that this society accomplishes. Since its organization fully 7,000 neglected children have been provided with homes. He has taken a great interest in the St. Andrew's Society, of which he is now honorary president. He is a trustee of the Aged Women's Home, is president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He is one of the honorary presidents of the Hamilton Centennial Celebration—1813-1913—which has just been held by the Ambitious City, which he has watched grow from 12,000 to a population of 110,000.

**For Royal Commission.**

Nelson, Oct. 6.—D. A. W. G. Wilson, of the federal geological survey, is here from Ottawa, to enquire into the need for the appointment of a royal commission to investigate the requirements of the lead and zinc mining industries.

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# BOMBITA RETIRES FROM BULL RING

**Spain's Most Famous Toreador Has Made Enough Money to Live at His Ease.**

Madrid, Oct. 6.—Bombita, the most famous toreador in Spain, has announced his retirement from the bullring. He will kill his last bull October 19 for the benefit of the Bull Fighters' Pawn Shop, an institution of which he is the founder. Bombita made his own fortune, estimated at $600,000, entirely from the ring and has besides given away great sums in benevolences.

Bombita's real name is Ricardo Torres. He was a typesetter as a youth, but soon left this calling to follow his elder brothers into the arena. Few toreadors have acquired such a reputation as Bombita. His popularity in Spain is universal. He is chiefly famous for the grace of his thrust and for a reckless courage in giving the bull a chance. He has been gored 38 times, always of course slightly, and it has been possible for him to save himself by his acrobatic skill, even when on the horns of the bull. His smile is known from the boulevards of Paris to the Puerta del Sol, and is one of the things about him most often talked of. During his most reckless feats Bombita smiles.

The reasons for Bombita's retirement are not known. Some of his friends aver that he is giving up his career for the sake of a young girl of Barcelona whom he is about to marry.

Bombita's departure from the ring coincides with the return to it of another famous toreador, Mazzantini, who gave up the calling for politics eight years ago. During these eight years Mazzantini has been a municipal councilor of Madrid, assistant deputy mayor of Madrid and a general councilor. He recently ran for parliament and just failed of election. He has suddenly felt the call of his former profession and intends to return to it.

### FIRE BUG BUSY IN OTTAWA; CHIEF PUZZLED

Ottawa, Oct. 6.—Unchecked by the publicity and suspicion which his previous efforts evoked, the fire fiend continues his way unchecked.

During the early part of last week there were three fires of mysterious and possibly incendiary origin. Coming as the climax of a busy seven days, the brigade was called out no less than three times on Saturday night and Sunday.

These three fires were of a decidedly suspicious nature. All were extinguished before they had gained sufficient headway, but had they not been noticed the results might have been disastrous.

The first fire was in a shed at the rear of 290 Brewster street. This was put out by directing a stream from the chemical. The same method of treatment was applied in the case of another fire in a shed adjoining 366 Cumberland street.

Another fire in the rear of Martineau's liquor store called the brigade out last night to the corner of Nicholas and Besserer streets. Three hundred dollars damage was caused in Saturday's fires. That sustained in last night's blaze was inconsequential.

Chief Graham is more than ever convinced that the fires were of incendiary origin. The police were notified and Detective Guimet will add these to the list he is already probing, so far without result. There have been 15 mysterious fires in the past five weeks, and mostly starting about midnight.

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### CANADIAN NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY

PURSUANT to Section 50, Sub-section 1, of the British Columbia Railway Act, 1911, notice is hereby given that there has been deposited with the Registrar at New Westminster, a plan shewing proposed extension of Dock Spur from Road No. 19 to Canal street, Mileage 3.9 A. to Mileage 4.9 A. Lulu Island Branch, and under the powers given to it by statute the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway company will take, and if necessary expropriate the lands required for its right-of-way.

T. H. WHITE, Chief Engineer.

(2130)

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
Between Edith M. Kinney, Plaintiff, and Albert E. Kinney, Defendant.

Pursuant to an order of Mr. Justice Murphy, I will offer for sale, at my office, Court House, New Westminster, on Wednesday the 8th day of October, 1913, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

One cut off saw arbor, two 56-in. cut off saws, three Letson & Burpee shingle machines, one No. 2, Hanchett automatic saw gummer, one hand gummer, one 14x18, Stanwood Gamble engine, three steam pumps, one 48x14 boiler, one 48x16 boiler, three shingle packing frames, shafting, pulleys, belting, etc., one saw mill carriage with planed track, one 3-in. saw arbor, with 52-in. saw, and also all other goods, chattels, buildings, plant, and machinery now in and upon the premises of the Serpentine Lumber Company, Township line road, in the Municipality of Surrey. Some of the above articles have been through a fire, and any purchaser must take the same in the condition in which they are now in. The articles may be inspected before sale by any proposed purchaser, on the above described premises.

The above will be sold subject to the interest of Sydney Sutherland Malcolmson, assignee of the Serpentine Lumber Company.

Terms of sale: Cash.

New Westminster, Oct. 1st, 1913.

T. J. ARMSTRONG, Sheriff.

### LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lots 28 and 29, Block 1, Sub-division of Lot 398, Group 1, Port Haney, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas, proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 9238 F, issued in the name of Alice May Dorman has been filed in this office.

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

J. C. GWYNN, District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., 13th September, 1913. (2078)

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Wing Dam No. 3 at Fraser River (Lower), B. C.," will be received at this office until 4:00 p. m. on Tuesday, October 21, 1913, for the construction of Wing Dam No. 3 at the Mouth of Woodward's Slough, Fraser River (Lower), B. C.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen, and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the office of C. C. Worsfold, Esq., District Engineer, New Westminster, B. C.; J. S. MacLachlan, Esq., District Engineer, Victoria, B. C., and on application to the Postmaster at Ladner, B. C.

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

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

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

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, September 16, 1913.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.—46678.

(2112)

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## GALVIN'S SEASON'S END CLEARING SALE

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50 yards dark grey serge, 20 oz. fine twill. Regular value $3.25. **Galvin's Clearing Sale Price $2.25.**

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30 yards only fine blue serge, clear cut, excellent value $2.75. **Galvin's Clearing Sale Price $2.00.**

20 yards only good black serge, good weight, clear cut. Regular $2.50. Galvin's Clearing Sale Price $1.75.

15 yards only black Cheviot serge, regular man's suiting weight. Special value $3.00. **Galvin's Clearing Sale Price $2.25.**

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# *Calls Graham Island Big Business Deal*

**Prairie Settler Says It Is Muskeg and Settlers There Have Been Victimized by Dealers.**

which last year boasted a population of 300 souls, now has 25, and although

Regina, Oct. 6.—Claiming that some hundreds of Saskatchewan farmers have been inveigled by unscrupulous real estate agents into the purchase of worthless lands on Graham island of the Queen Charlotte group off the coast of British Columbia, Ralph Langenburg and Joseph Murphy, both of whom have spent several months on the island, returned to Regina on Saturday, determined to use their influence to expose what they describe as a serious case for many hundreds of investors. They state that great distress and "near starvation" have been the lot of many victims of the Graham island scheme.

"For months past," said Mr. Langenburg, "certain real estate men have been advertising Graham island as the paradise of the fruit farmers and selling worthless stuff in 40-acre tracts at from $15 to $25 an acre.

As a matter of fact practically the whole of the island is muskeg. There are not 100 acres of land under cultivation all told and the settlers who have been induced to go in are living today a hand to mouth existence on imported beans and the beef of the few wild cattle with which they are able to replenish their larders. Yet this is not known by many Saskatchewan people who put their good money into the proposition, either with the intention of settling on the land or of reaping large profits from speculation. These people are continuing to meet their payments, although they might as well throw their money down a well.

**Calls Coal Valueless.**

"Masset, for instance, where lots are now being sold, although the townsite is pure muskeg and primeval forest—and the government is permitting the sale of shares in the rights conferred by coal licenses on the island, although no coal has been discovered.

"This is the way the coal license works out. Any man may take out a coal license in respect to any tract of land. One or two realty groups have taken out licenses in respect to large Graham island areas, and proceed to sell shares in these license privileges in Seattle and other Pacific cities, although they know that the properties have no value."

The fare from Prince Rupert to Graham island by G.T.P. boat is $8, Mr. Murphy stated. Once on the island settlers discover that to reach their properties they have to pack their effects on their own backs and tramp over almost impassable roads or cut their way through the forest. Such work as has been carried on on the roads has been wasted. Not even by pack pony can any progress be made upon them, and vehicular traffic is out of the question. Skidgate, a town more than 1000 settlers have made their way into the interior in the belief that they were destined to become prosperous fruit farmers, or that at least they would be provided with an opportunity to make a fair living on the land, more than this number have left. Mr. Murphy himself spent six months on the island. He considers himself lucky that he had not succumbed to the blandishments of the townsite men or fruit farm pedlars before investigating conditions on his own account. He made enough money by packing for incoming settlers to pay his own way back to civilization.

**A Rainy Spot.**

"One of the smoothest pieces of business 'pulled off' by the realty outfit is to line up the settlers for the fair weather season. On Graham island it rains all the year round except for a very short period in the summer and winter. It is during the summer period that all the new people are brought in. A great many of them are working men from Vancouver who have been canvassed by the company's agents and afterwards brought in by the hsipload. It rained from February to July 18 this year, with scarcely a break. It is impossible to keep food under ordinary conditions. It goes mouldy very quickly."

To further aggravate the seriousness of the situation for new victims of the Graham island settlement scheme, Mr. Murphy avers that many of the settlers who have been bitten are seeking to suppress the truth in the hope that they will be able to unload on some guileless denizen of the prairies. Settlers are being brought out from Winnipeg and from Saskatchewan towns every week.

Referring to the colonization literature of the British Columbia government, Mr. Murphy said that in the official bulletins the resources of the islands were described with accuracy by surveyors who had passed through them. The real estate firms, however, had picked out one or two paragraphs from the reports which were of a somewhat favorable nature, taken them from their context, printed them in advertisements and pamphlets, and so conveyed an entirely misleading impression.


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## WHEREABOUTS OF VICTORIA GIRL IS DEEP MYSTERY

**Left Home to Visit Friends and Has Not Been Seen Since.**

Victoria, Oct. 6.—Mystery surrounds the whereabouts of Sarah Margaret Hogan, the 18-year-old daughter of Mr. W. F. Hogan, 112 Bean street, Victoria West. She left her home last Monday night ostensibly to spend the night with friends of the family. She did not return home on Tuesday morning, and when Mr. Hogan that day made inquiries it developed that the girl had not gone to her friends as the girl stated. The police were notified of the fact, and after a three-day search it was discovered that the girl, on the morning following her departure from home, had called at the Red Cross Employment agency seeking work. The agency had no position open at that time and Miss Hogan, after saying she would return later, departed. That is the last trace of the girl's whereabouts the police or her father have been able to secure. Where she has gone to is unknown, and as the days pass and no trace of her can be got her father's anxiety increases. Every day he calls at the police headquarters in hope that some trace of his missing daughter may have been secured, but the answer is always the same.

All known friends of the girl have been interviewed and every person with whom she is known to have been on intimate terms has been seen, but without result. The girl had never left home on any previous occasion and had never expressed her desire to secure a position or to leave home.

Miss Hogan, when she left home, was attired in a blue or purple coat and skirt and black hat. She is of light complexion, with light hair and of slim figure.

## PROVES POSITIVELY APPENDIX IS GONE

**Woman Submits to Second Operation to Win Retrial—Doctor's Bill is at Stake.**

Spokane, Oct. 6.—Convinced that her appendix was removed during an operation a year ago by Dr. T. E. Hoxsey and other physicians, Mrs. Lydia Murray, who was ordered to pay the physician for services by a jury in the superior court last month, has undergone a second operation to prove that she lost her appendix at the former operation, performed last week, she has filed a motion for a new trial, declaring that the operation showed the appendix had been removed.

Mrs. Murray is the wife of F. J. Murray, formerly in the employ of the Great Northern at Hillyard. Recently he was transferred to Devile Lake, N. D., where he is yardmaster for the road.

tion for a new trial Saturday, Mrs. Murray says: "I am the same Lydia Murray upon whom Drs. Hoxsey and Yarnell testified they operated and did not remove my appendix."

She further alleges that she had but the one operation performed up to the time of the trial. This was by Dr. Hoxsey and assistants. She declares that she wished to know if her appendix had been removed and said that she desired to have the physicians remove the appendix on the second operation in case it had not been taken out.

The affidavit further declares regarding the second operation:

"I employed Dr. J. D. Windell to perform the operation and he was assisted by Dr. A. E. McDowell, Dr. H. P. Marshall and Dr. Oscar Stenberg. The operation was performed on September 25 at the Spokane general hospital in the city of Spokane."

**It's Surely Gone.**

Not only Mrs. Murray, but her attorney, N. E. Nuzum, and four physicians, have submitted affidavits to prove that the appendix was removed at a previous operation. The original operation, as shown at the trial, was performed by Drs. J. H. and T. H. Hoxsey and Dr. S. Garnell.

The second operation was performed after Mrs. Murray was ordered to pay Dr. Hoxsey $285 for performing the first operation.

The affidavit filed by Attorney N. E. Nuzum asserts that he called up R. J. Danson, attorney for Dr. Hoxsey, the day before the operation was performed and asked him to invite Dr. Hoxsey or any representative he desired to witness the operation. He alleges that Attorney Danson said they did not care to have a physician present.

Dr. A. E. McDowell in an affidavit says that he assisted in the operation with orders to remove the appendix if it were found. He declares that it had been removed during a previous operation. Dr. Oscar Stenberg and Dr. H. P. Marshall make similar affidavits as to the findings.

## ARCHBISHOP VISITS CENTRAL INTERIOR

**Provincial Librarian Camps on Trail Taken by Simon Fraser—Sees Great Interior of B. C.**

Victoria, Oct. 6.—With reference to his recent tour of the central interior, E. O. S. Scholfield, provincial librarian and archivist, stated that he had been very successful in gathering information respecting that historic section of the province.

"One is liable to forget," said Mr. Scholfield, "that New Caledonia, as the central interior was called in early days, is the oldest part of the province in point of settlement. Having established Fort Makinod, on McLeod lake, in 1806, Simon Fraser proceeded the following year, by way of the Parsnip river, Bad river, the North Fork of the Fraser, the Nechaco and Stuart rivers, to Stuart lake, where he built a rude post, afterwards the famous Fort St. James, for many years the capital of New Caledonia. Then the intrepid explorer founded Fort Fraser on Fraser lake, so named by John Stuart in honor of his chief.

"Fraser named Stuart lake and Stuart river after his able lieutenant. Hence the names which we see on the map today. In 1807, the energetic partner of the Northwest company built Fort George at the confluence of the Nechaco and Fraser rivers. It was from this port that Simon Fraser started in 1808 on his historic exploration of the Fraser river. New Caledonia soon became an important domain of the Northwest company, and Fort St. James on Stuart lake achieved some distinction as the capital of the new district. New Caledonia was, and had long been, a flourishing district when Victoria was founded in 1843. So you will see that the central interior of the province must always have a great attraction for the historian. Hence my visit to that quarter."

**They Were Hospitable.**

Mr. Scholefield was very hospitably entertained by Mr. Murray and Mr. Bunting, the officers in charge of Fort St. James and Fort Fraser respectively. The settlers and ranchers wherever he stopped also gave him a very cordial welcome. The trip itself was not all "beer and skittles," however, as exceptional rains had made the roads very heavy, and as the stopping places in that district are few and far between, it was often necessary to bivouac by the roadside, sometimes in torrents of rain.

"I am not a farmer or an agriculturist," Mr. Scholefield declared, "but I venture to prophesy that in the course of a very few years there will be an enormous development in that section of the province. I saw great stretches of rich poplar bottom, all of which will be cultivated in a very short space of time. The country seems to be well watered with streams and creeks, and the whole of it is dotted with beautiful lakes. I should judge that just as soon as the Grand Trunk Pacific railway is opened thousands of settlers will take up homesteads in the central interior, where, it is interesting to recall, the first gardens and fields were ever cultivated on what is now the mainland of British Columbia."

**Drink and Jealousy.**

London, Ont., Oct. 6.—The second shooting tragedy in London in less than two days occurred yesterday when Leon Gordon Chiswell, aged 28, after attempting to murder his wife, committed suicide. Drink and jealousy were at the bottom of the affair, which was the culmination of a series of quarrels extend over four years of married life.

**King of the Ale—Bottom.**

London, Oct. 6.—A new giant ale [illegible]

**Woman is Adopted.**

Interesting, indeed, was the ceremony which took place recently near Brantford when Miss Agnusta Gilkinson was adopted by the chiefs of the Six Nations Indians and was given an Indian name, after presenting to the Six Nation Council an enlarged photograph of her father, who was for many years the superintendent of the Six Nations. Miss Gilkinson's Indian name is Go-in-wih-sas, meaning "one who makes a research." The appropriateness of this is evident when it is known that Miss Gilkinson, with Mrs. Brown, the authoress of "The Lady of the Snows," are engaged in compiling a history of the Cayuga Indians.

After the presentation of the portrait the chiefs made Miss Gilkinson a member of the Cayuga tribe of the Bear Clan. In a few remarks Miss Gilkinson thanked the chiefs for the honor which had been conferred upon her, saying that she felt proud that she was one of the celebrated Six Nation Indians, who helped the British to win Canada from the enemy in the wars of 1760 to 1790, 1812 and 1813, and 1837. Her forefathers had fought with Chiefs Brant and Tecumseh, and they were personal friends of those great chiefs.

Miss Gilkinson is of the fourth generation of a family which has been interested in the welfare of the Six Nations. It was a coincidence that she should present a portrait of her father to the Indians during the 50th anniversary year of the laying by him of the cornerstone of the Council House in which the presentation was made. Col. Jasper T. Gilkinson was superintendent of the Six Nation Indians from 1862 to 1891. The presentation of his portrait was much appreciated by the chiefs, and it will occupy a place of honor on the walls of the Council House at Ohsweken.

**Sounded Like Russian.**

Three little brown men with the stiff hair and the black moustaches stared gravely through their gold-rimmed spectacles at the speakers on the platform at the recent Geological Congress in Toronto.

"Do you understand English well?" asked a reporter.

"Pretty well," replied one of the Japanese delegates. "But I read and speak it better than I listen to it. You see our teachers of English in Japan are not Englishmen, as a rule, they are Japanese. It is difficult for me to get the accent. And when others speak, if they have a marked accent, it is very difficult." That gentleman who spoke last, he was [illegible] English with the Russian accent—did he not?"

"Russian?" exclaimed the reporter.

"Oh, Russian!" exclaimed the Japanese gentleman. He knew his own language.

"Why, Russian spoken English very hard, don't he?" the reporter inquired [illegible]

**Eating Crow.**

Although the use of the expression "*to eat crow*" *in a metaphorical sense*, meaning to eat one's words, may well have dated from the time of Noah, when the bird was first looked upon as unclean and not fit to serve as food for man, it seems to have arisen from the old tale of the officer and the private. A soldier, having shot a tame crow belonging to one of his officers, was discovered by the owner with the bird in his hand. Seizing the private's gun, the officer commanded him to eat the bird as a punishment. With the firearm pointed at his head, the soldier fell to, but no sooner had the officer laid aside the gun than the culprit grasped it and compelled his superior to join in the distasteful banquet. The private was court martialed the next day, and when he was asked by the examiners what had occurred he replied, "Nothing, except that Captain Bank and I dined together."

**The Sausage.**

The sausage dates back to the year 807. It has been asserted that the Greeks in the days of Homer manufactured sausages, but this prehistoric mixture had nothing in common with our modern product. The ancient so called sausage was composed of the same materials which enter into the makeup of the boudin of the French market and the blood pudding of the French Canadian. The ancient sausage was enveloped in the stomachs of goats. It was not until the tenth century that sausage made of hashed pork became known. It was in or near the year 1000 that, thanks to the introduction into Germany of cinnamon and saffron, the sausages of Frankfort and Strasbourg acquired a universal reputation.

**He Had Been There.**

"Can you direct me to the best hotel in this town?" asked the stranger who, after [illegible] platform.

"I can," replied the man who was [illegible]

[illegible]

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# Greater Westminster

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### Improving Store Front.

The Johnston shoe store is getting dressed up anew and workmen are busy altering the store front. The changes when completed, will give this large establishment one of the finest entrances in the city and will permit of display space in the windows which will be unsurpassed in the business district.

For all building supplies and fuel oil apply to the B. C. Transport Co., Ltd., 505 Westminster Trust Building. Office phone 826, wharf phone 880. (2158)

### Was Despondent.

A verdict of "death caused by taking of carbolic acid during a fit of despondency" was brought in by the coroner's jury at the inquest over the body of Mrs. Sarah Kilby, who committed suicide at East Burnaby on Saturday evening. In the evidence it developed that deceased tried to do away with herself about eight years ago.

For plumbing, heating and sheet metal work consult Merrithew & Ramsay, Eighth and Carnarvon streets. Phone 586. (2148)

### Liquor Charge.

Committed for trial on a liquor charge, an Italian named Marrion was brought down from Mission City yesterday and will come up for election in county court this morning.

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### Something New in Spuds.

It remained for Alex Mogee, of Collingwood East, to supply one of the most interesting displays in the potato exhibit at the provincial exhibition just closed in this city. Mr. Mogee, after taking a handsome crop of potatoes off his land this season, planted some more and on the 25th of September he dug some of them. The spuds, an exhibit of which he showed in the agricultural building at the fair, are fine looking tubers and demonstrate the possibility of second crops in the neighborhood of East Collingwood.

### School Board to Meet.

The school board will hold its regular meeting on Thursday evening in the school board offices. The new high school will be one of the principal matters under discussion.

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### Board Executive.

A meeting of the executive of the board of trade will be held in the city hall at 4 o'clock this afternoon to take up several important questions that will come up at the next general meeting.

Money to loan on first mortgages, improved city and farm property, 9 per cent. Alfred W. McLeod. (2159)

### Found Infant's Body.

Word was brought to this city yesterday of the finding of the body of an infant, about two and a half years old, near Rosedale. It appears that the body lay on the opposite side of the stream for over a week until an Indian rowed across the stream and discovered the body. The police are working on the case.

Chimney sweeping, telephone 871 R. (2170)

### Musicians Smoke.

The musicians union in the city has planned a smoker to be held in the Moose lodge rooms on Thursday evening. Ing. A large delegation is expected over from Vancouver in order to cement the good feeling which has lately appeared following the scrap of a few weeks ago. Refreshments will be served and a full program of music run off.

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Mrs. Ralph Smith, of Vancouver, will give an address on Equal Suffrage on Thursday at 8 o'clock at the Dainty Tea Rooms, Columbia street, under the auspices of the Political Equality League. (2196)

Round trip fare $39.60. New Westminster to San Francisco, Cal., account Patrola Celebration October 22 25, on sale October 18 and 20. Return limit good November 10. (2187)

### Women's Society.

The Women's Missionary society of the Queens Avenue Methodist church will hold its regular meeting on Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. All those interested in the work are invited to attend.

### For Stealing Tools.

A somewhat lengthy case will be completed in the Burnaby police court this morning, a charge of theft of municipally owned tools having been preferred against Walter Schank. Accused was arraigned before Magistrate Beatty yesterday morning. One more witness is necessary to complete the hearing.

### Conviction Quashed.

The conviction of B. Guiseppi, sentenced at Mission by Justice of the Peace Verchere to six months imprisonment for breach of the liquor act, was quashed yesterday by the Honorable Justice Clement, with the consent of the crown, represented by the Hon. W. Norman Bole, K.C.

### Jurymen Relieved.

In consequence of Mr. Macneil, crown counsel, intimating that the Dean case could not possibly be finished before Thursday, the jurymen not empanelled were relieved from duty until Monday.

## Social and Personal

J. B. Kennedy who for some time past has been very ill, is improving and is on a fair way toward health.

### OBITUARY.

ROGERS—The death occurred yesterday in the city of Emma Rogers, at the age of 55. Deceased formerly resided in Hazelton, where her husband is said to be still employed. The funeral arrangements will be announced later from the Bowell undertaking parlors.

## SHORTEST SESSION IN LONG, LONG TIME

(Continued from Page One.)

rather hazy ideas abroad connected with it.

The mayor said they had arranged with Mr. Pabst, the engineer, to come to the city and as soon as he came they could have a meeting any time.

Alderman White said they should give the public time to digest the proposition.

The mayor thought Tuesday or Wednesday of that week, the 13th or 14th, might be arranged.

### Loan of $70,000.

A resolution to hypothecate the hospital bylaw debentures for a temporary loan of $70,000 from the Bank of Montreal, was carried.

Alderman Kellington read a report from the city solicitors in reference to the property S. B. 12, lot 11, sub 27, belonging really to Mrs. J. E. Sulley, Vancouver, but standing in the city's name, the solicitaors reported that after careful investigation they found that it was as Mrs. Sulley stated and that there were no arrears of taxes. A mistake had been made in the proceedings under the Quieting Titles act, and Mrs. Sullev was entitled to a conveyance from the city. The matter was referred to the finance committee with power to act.

A communication from S. Wiedermann, drawing attention to the dangerous condition of a busy station on the Central Park line used by residents of Fifth avenue, owing to the lack of light and other circumstances, was referred to the lighting committee for report.

The matter of lending the city steam roller for a couple of days to the Canadian Western Lumber company to roll their road to the Pitt river road, was referred to the board of works with power to act.

## JIMMY FORGOT DATE OF HIS JAG

**His Loss of Memory Spoiled His Case —Locomotor Ataxia is a Serious Complaint.**

If you've made of yourself a sort of perambulating examining warehouse for whiskey and you lose your money under circumstances which lead you to suppose that somebody has touched you, then remember the date; otherwise, if you forget the particular spot on the calendar which is decorated with memories of a wad lifted, you might as well kiss the roll good-bye and go to work again.

This, in brief, is the lesson taught by the case of Jimmy McCone. Jimmy, be it known, on or about the first day of the exhibition accumulated unto himself such a jag that when he appeared in the police court yesterday as informant in a charge of theft against a certain Mr. Mullen he couldn't remember whether it was on the first or second of October he believed the Mullen person had relieved him of a wad of twenties and fives. Jimmy couldn't for the life of him recall the exact day and, needless to say, there was no assistance in that line proffered by Mr. Mullen, so the case was dismissed. James looked sad. Mullen glad and Magistrate Edmonds looked around for the next case.

When locomotor attaxia, the chances are you're pretty sick.

One Wilson, who is accused of being the proprietor of a common gaming house, which he is said to have been operating on the fair grounds without the consent of either the R. A. and I. society or anybody else, couldn't show up. He also is accused of trying to bribe a police officer, but even with that hanging over him, he couldn't show up.

"Locomotor ataxia," announced his counsel, R. R. Maitland, of Vancouver, waving a doctor's certificate for his client, who is out on bail of fifteen hundred real, honest bones.

While the court perused the medical statement, J. P. H. Bole, who is acting for the private prosecution, and W. F. Hansford, appearing for a couple of "material witnesses," wore what might be termed masks of incredulity. It was a nice blue paper, opined Mr. Bole and, for a doctor, the handwriting was fairly legible, but the subject matter was vague. In fact there wasn't anything there that smelt like the railway engine stuff Mr. Maitland had unloaded. This latter gentleman, however, vouched for the locomotor ataxia feature and the Wilson case was adjourned until this morning, when something more definite in the shape of a medical certificate will have to be produced to secure a stay of proceedings.

Joe Telsey was the name to which he answers in court, but "Penitence on a Monument" would have been more fitting. Joe was simply oozing with contrition at every pore, he reeked with it, breathed it, spoke it. He spoke it so well the magistrate gave him another chance to show how close he could come to booze without touching it. In the same boat were two other members of the Free and Independent Order of Neveragains, who were also allowed to amble.

## MANY NEWCOMERS SETTLING HERE

**Demand for Homes is on Increase—Realty Man Reports Business Improving.**

"A month ago we had 35 houses for rent; today we have one." That's the way a realty man sized up the situation to The News yesterday when asked for an opinion as to whether business was picking up, doing the opposite, or just standing still.

The real estate dealer went on to say that he and his partners were kept busy all the time and, while no big sales were being recorded, still there was something doing every day and all indications pointed to a healthy increase in the very near future.

A few months ago, he said, people were evidently leaving the city, to judge from the number of vacant houses left on their hands to rent, but now things have changed; many strangers are coming in and prospects are much brighter.

One exceedingly healthy indication is that nobody is cutting prices on holdings. They are standing firm and even advancing, which shows that public confidence is as strong as ever. Also, while it is not expected that heavy speculative buying will be going well again till the spring, still it is safe to predict that a gradual increase in the volume of trade may be expected from now on.

### TO TAKE VOTE ON OCTOBER 18

The New Westminster debenture interest conversion bylaw and the gas bylaw were finally passed by the city council last night and will be submitted to the vote of the ratepayers upon Saturday, October 18.

A public meeting or meetings to explain the situation fully will be held during that week, probably on the Tuesday or Wednesday preceding the poll, provided Mr. Pabst, the consulting gas engineer, who is reporting on the gas proposition, arrives in New Westminster in time.

## MAKING OUT CASE AGAINST RAILWAYS

**B. C. Fruit Growers Out for Suggestions to Better Shipping Conditions.**

R. M. Winslow, secretary of the B.C. Fruit Growers association, has sent out the following circular asking for suggestions in the matter of the shipment of fruits and vegetables:

The shipping season being about concluded, I am instructed by Mr. W. C. Ricardo, president of this association and chairman of the transportation committee, to request all members of the association to lay before the transportation committee any grievance or comments they have on transportation matters relating to shipment of fruits and vegetables.

It is expected that a meeting of the transportation committee will be held early in November to consider the cases presented by you. An immediate reply is, therefore, advisable in order that, if necessary, the secretary may get further information from you or from others in substantiation of your case. It is the aim of the committee to present nothing to the railway company but what will stand the test of criticism and examination. It is by observing this rule and investigating carefully all the cases presented to it, that this association has been able to secure for you the recent reductions in both freight and express tariffs, which this year saved the growers an amount estimated at over $20,000.

In presenting cases claiming rough handling, over-charge, etc., you will aid the committee very considerably by quoting definite instances in which the abuse occurred. The absence of direct evidence of this kind is a great handicap to your case.

The B. C. Fruit Growers association has always labored to preserve the most friendly spirit between growers and the railway company, believing that a spirit of co-operation between the two is by far the most likely method of reaching esults of benefit to you and, at the same time, satisfactory to the transportation companies. It is this policy which has made possible the many reductions in rates and improvements in service in which our members have expressed themselves well pleased.

You will realize, however, that changes can always be made, and must be made, in the interests of our increasing trade.

An early and careful reply will greatly aid the committee in its efforts to build up the most satisfactory transportation conditions possible for our industry.


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