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START MOVE TODAY TO CLEAN-UP CITY

There should be no places for disease to breed in New Westminster after this week, for starting this morning at 10 o'clock Dr. A. L. McQuarrie, medical health officer, and Sanitary Inspector S. J. Pearce will commence an inspection of the entire city. Every house, every store, and in fact, every nook and cranny within the city limits will be searched for signs of refuse likely to breed dis-ease. Moreover persons who do not clean up their property will have to face legal action.

The officials today will direct their attention to Chinatown. There are places there said to be most unhealthy, and one rooming house cohabited by Chinese and Italians has just been closed by Inspector Pearce. Another Chinaman was found keeping a small flock of hens under his bed.

The object of the campaign is to have New Westminster free from unhealthy places and from refuse and waste matter before winter sets in.

Speaking of the campaign yesterday Dr. McQuarrie said: "If refuse, especially decaying animal matter, is left to be soaked and decompose by the winter rains, before spring cleaning time comes it is scattered and even sometimes carried away by surface water. Then it is too late to be collected and in the warm spring makes a most productive breeding place for flies and deadly disease.

"What we want," he continued "is to have all this refuse cleaned up before the rains come. Then in the spring we will have a cleaner city than ever before. It is a case of a stitch in time saving nine."

From the city hall circulars have been mailed to every householder giving directions and hints of the best ways to dispose and collect garbage and rubbish.

While on their rounds the officials will be on the watch for buildings whose condition is a menace to public health and any such found will be closed by the city if not cleaned when ordered.

FIRE FIEND WIPES OUT BURNABY HOME

William Besley Ready to Move to New Homestead When Fire Destroys Home.

With a portion of their household goods all packed ready to move to their new home at Cloverdale, secured at the recent homestead stampede in New Westminster, the family of William Besley, Fifteenth aveue, East Burnaby was rendered homeless by a fire which practically gutted their cottag last night about 7:30.

The flames started in a clothes closet on the upper floor caused, it is surmised by one of the children using matches while hunting for a toy.

Before the fire brigade from Queen's park, New Westminster, station arrived on the scene the flames had licked up the roof and gutted a large portion of the ground floor. Damage to the extent of $1500, partially insured, was done.

Wins Pommeroy Cup.

Paris, Nov. 2.—The half yearly competition for the Pommeroy cup, it is officially announced, has been won by Marcel H. Grindejonc des Moulinais, who last June flew from Paris to Warsaw by way of Berlin, a distance of 1500 kilometers, about 933 miles, in 13 hours. Eugene Dilbert, who on Friday ascended at Villa Coublay in an attempt to beat this record, covered only 935 kilometers (581 miles) in five hours and 11 minutes. He made a landing in Pomerainia, the rules of the contest providing that the winner of the cup shall be the aviator who covers 1000 kilometers in less than five hours, or failing this, the aviator who flies the longest distance between sunrise and sunset.

MEXICAN TROUBLE IN LOS ANGELES

Five Shoot at Officer Who Kills One—Fifty Are Arrested.

Thirty Released, But Others Held for Investigation—Anti-American Feeling.

Los Angeles, Nov. 2.—As a climax of what is said to be by the police an anti-American feeling among the Mexicans in Los Angeles, Adolfo Moreno, a Mexican, was shot and killed here today by Albert C. Staples, a policeman, who had been shot at by Moreno and four companions.

The officer was walking his beat in the Mexican quarter when he saw Moreno and four other men, all apparently intoxicated, crossing the street toward him. Suddenly one of the quintette fired at Staples. The officer drew his revolver and shot Moreno through the body. Then he arrested J. Cortez, one of Moreno's companions but the other three fled.

A squad of officers then went through the Mexican quarter and took 50 Mexicans to the city jail, where they were searched for weapons. Thirty were released and 20 were held for further investigation.

According to the police hundreds of Mexicans for many months have made it a weekly practice to congregate Sunday afternoons and night at the plaza on the edge of Sonora Town, as the Mexican district is called.

Their speeches have been made in Spanish, urging attacks on the police, while pamphlets bearing incendiary promptings have been circulated freely, the officers say.

JUMPS TO DEATH FROM WINDOW OF HOSPITAL

Butte, Mont., Nov. 2.—Henry Bennett, cashier of the Silver Bow National bank, and a son of A. J. Bennett of Virginia City, Mont., a pioneer Montana banker jumped from the third story window of a local hospital today and was dashed to death on the pavement below.

Bennett had been in the hospital for five days suffering from a heart attack. This morning he asked his wife who was alone with him at the time, for a drink of water and in her absence he got out of bed and leaped from the window.

SURRENDER ONLY FOURTEEN RIFLES

Strikers Refuse to Obey Militia—Are Known to Have Hundreds of Guns.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 2.—Angered by the manner in which strikers at the Ludlow tent colony in the Southern Colorado coal strike zone, yesterday obeyed Adjutant General John Chase's order for surrender of arms, Governor E. M. Ammons today notified the adjutant general that he would expect the application of his search and seizure rights tomorrow.

After promising the adjutant general that they would deliver of their arms and ammunition, the strikers handed to the adjutant just 14 rifles, and a small quantity of ammunition. It is positively known, however, that the strikers have many hundred guns concealed about their camps or somewhere in the canons adjacent to the colony.

Adjutant General Chase tomorrow will attempt the complete disarmament of the Walsenburg district at the request of Governor Ammons, who today learned that two strikers engaged in a rifle duel at the colony there. No reports of trouble in the strike region were received by the governor tonight.

Shortage of Cars.

Moose Jaw, Nov. 2.—At Dummer, Truax and Hearne, on the Moose Jaw-Radville branch of the Canadian Northern there exists a serious shortage of cars. The threshing has been completed, the elevators are all filled and the farmers are unable to market their grain. This condition of affairs is especially hard on the farmer who desires to find a ready market for his grain in order to meet some of his outstanding accounts.

POLICE OFFICER INSTANTLY KILLED

Shook Cord Attached to Street Lamp and is Electrocuted—Was Young Man.

Vancouver, Nov. 2.—Shaking the cord which held an arc lamp in position at the corner of Eighth avenue and Cypress street at 6:30 o'clock last evening, Police Constable John L. McMenomy, a member of the local force, was almost instantly killed when the current from the electric wires passed down the rope and grounded through his body.

According to a story told by two boys, who were witnesses of the sad affair, a wire broke when McMenomy commenced to jerk the cord. Deceased was born at Inkerman, Ont., 32 years ago, and had only been on the force about nine months.

STRIKERS BLOCK CARS IN STREETS

Service in Indianapolis Discontinued to Prevent Bloodshed.

ONE STRIKEBREAKER IS SHOT TO DEATH

Striker Wounded When Police Fire Into Crowds—Governor Refuses State Troops.

Indianapolis, Nov. 2.—The Indianapolis Traction and Terminal company, whose men went on strike Friday night, attempted to run its cars today, but gave up when notified by Superintendent of Police Hyland that the police would be unable to prevent bloodshed, unless the cars were withdrawn.

Joseph Johnson, a striking motorman, was shot and wounded by a policeman who fired into the crowd that surged around the first car to be sent out. Two cars were taken from the barns, each filled with policemen, but the crowds packed around them so tightly they could not be moved. Soon after the shooting of Johnson, they were ordered back to the barns.

Governor Ralston, in a statement tonight, charged that the city authorities were not doing their duty in failing to provide police protection. He refused a request of Mayor Lew Shank for state troops, declaring the mayor had full authority and power to provide sufficient protection to run the cars.

Fatally Shot.

In an attempt tonight to rush the Louisiana street car barns where the imported strikebreakers are quartered, Isaac Fleischer, 24, a strikebreaker from Philadelphia, was fatally shot in the neck and died on the way to the city hospital. Fleischer was shot by one of the men in the barn who was firing into the crowd from a second story window.

The police had the streets around the barns roped and when they let down the rope for an automobile to pass the crowd rushed through. The strikers and their friends pushed past the police and as they approached the barns, they were met with a volley of shots. Fleischer fell almost at the feet of Police Sergeant Sanders, whom he was helping to stop the rush. He was the only one hit.

The mobs then started for the Washington street barns, but was met at the labor temple by Milton L. Clawson, an attorney prominent in labor circles, who persuaded them to disperse.

One hundred and fifty strikebreakers from Cincinnati were expected to arrive tonight.

W. G. Beatty, president of the Central Labor union, sent a communication to Governor Ralston, declaring the crowds around the car barns did not represent organized labor and urged that they be dispersed.

President Todd, of the Traction company, declared only a small number of motormen and conductors went on strike willingly. He said that many had been forced to join the union under threats that they would be roughly handled if they refused. He said the demands submitted by strike leaders were founded on misrepresentations and exaggeration.

EXPECT INTERESTING ELECTION IN SURREY

May Be Three Cornered Fight for the Reeveship—E. H. Sands Mentioned as Candidate.

The residents of Surrey municipality will probably enjoy a sharp election for the reeveship this coming January according to rumors that are circulating through this city and Surrey at the present time. Reeve Sullivan, to all accounts, will again stand for reelection, having as an opponent H. T. Thrift or E. H. Sands, both of White Rock. Both these gentlemen have been mentioned in connection with political ambitions during the last few days and it is understood that one at least will enter the fight as representing the summer resorts of White Rock, Ocean Park and Crescent.

Mr. Thrift has been in the political arena on previous occasions, although Mr. Sands has yet to make his debut in municipal politics.

Should the people of White Rock decide to enter a candidate against Reeve Sullivan the issue will be fought between the farming community and the growing resorts around Semiahmoo Bay, a feeling of unrest having been exhibited during the summer months at what the residents of the latter places claim to have been an indifference exhibited by the council in the way of providing needed improvements to roads and ditches.

Explosion Kills Seven.

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 2.—Seven persons were killed or are dying as a result of an explosion in a warehouse here early this morning. The warehouse walls crushed in the roof of an adjoining tenement.

ANOTHER RAILWAY FOR WESTMINSTER

Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Will Come to City—Line to Yukon from Seattle.

According to a story published yesterday in Vancouver the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, owned and controlled by the Standard Oil group of capitalists, are preparing plans to construct a railway connecting up Seattle with the White Horse and Yukon road and thus giving direct transportation to the rich mineral deposits in the Alaskan country.

For some time past it has been known that the Chicago road has been trying to purchase suitable terminals in Vancouver, notably the Kitsilano Indian reserve, and failing this, have been attempting to secure running rights over either the Great Northern or the Canadian Northern from the international boundary line near Chilliwack.

The latest move of the Standard Oil Group is to secure such running rights which would bring them to this city, from which it is thought a line will be constructed towards Port Moody, where connection could be made with the Pacific Great Eastern, which is being built towards Fort George. From the northern terminus of the P. G. E. to the Yukon, a new charter would have to be obtained unless possession is obtained of the present charter held by the Vancouver, Victoria and Yukon Railway company.

Such a project of a line running from Seattle to Alaska has been mooted for several years. James J. Hill, the American railway king, first mentioning the feasibility of the scheme and which was later taken up by Sir Richard McBride in a speech made at the Conservative gathering held in Queens park arena some months ago.

PRAIRIE FIRE DESTROYS MANY FAMILY HOMES

Valentine, Neb., Nov. 2.—A prairie fire which started near the Rosebud Indian reservation in South Dakota, at 1:30 this afternoon has assumed large proportions. It has travelled 30 miles and fanned by a high wind, is headed for Kewanee, Neb.

Hundreds of farmers and ranchmen are out fighting the blaze, but have made no headway. It has reached the Niobara river, but no estimate can be placed on the property loss at this time. Grazing is ruined along the state line and many families are homeless.

Victory for Government.

St. Johns, Nfld., Nov. 2.—Returns from the general election in the colony continue to show a victory for the government, headed by Sir Edward Morris. The government has 16 seats against eight for the opposition according to late reports with one-third of the reports in Placentia completed, returns also pointing to the re-election of three Morris men.

TO SERVE FIVE YEARS FOR ARSON

ROBERT SMITH, FORMER CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER, GOES TO THE PENITENTIARY.

Mr. Justice Clement on Saturday meted out sentences to prisoners convicted before him at the fall assizes. Jam Kam, convicted of manslaughter, received the longest term, seven years, while Richard Goodwin, found guilty of assaulting a constable during the strike troubles at Cumberland last July, was given nine months, the shortest sentence.

The other sentences were: Robert Smith, five years for arson; Nabor Singh, three years for uttering a forged cheque; Frederick Webb, two years for perjury; Christovel Cassio, two years for theft; Oliver Prevost, two years for theft, and Frank Hanson, two years for committing an indictable offence.

Before passing sentence Mr. Justice Clement remarked on the various crimes of which the prisoners were found guilty.

With reference to Jay Kam he remarked that although the prisoner had not been the aggressor he had drawn a gun and used it with tragic effect when such a course was unwarranted. The use of firearms in affrays such as this was much too common and exemplary justice must be meted out.

Five Years for Arson.

That there was absolutely no mitigating features to his case was the declaration of his lordship when Robert Smith, the local contractor, convicted of arson, was brought before him. The question of burning a building and collecting the insurance was not the only consideration, said the court. The building was situated in the centre of a well populated district and if the fire had gained headway a sacrifice of human lives might have resulted.

The perjury for which Frederick Webb was convicted, was committed before the coroner of Ladner during an investigation into the drowning of a man who was about to accompany him on a fishing trip. Some suspicion rested upon Webb in connection with the death which he tried to minimize

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CONTINUE BITTER ELECTION CAMPAIGN

Tammany and Opponents Battle for Control of New York City.

BETTING IN FAVOR OF FUSION CANDIDATE

John A. Hennessy Keeps Up Attacks on Murphy—Sulzer Plans Final Tour.

New York, Nov. 2.—Tammany and Fusion, battling for control of New York City, marshaled their forces today. Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, predicted Edward E. McCall, Democratic candidate for mayor, would win by 150,000, and Fusion leaders predict a victory for John Purroy Mitchel by an equal plurality. The betting is slightly in favor of Mitchel.

John A. Hennessy, graft investigator for deposed Governor Sulzer, expects to continue to the last hour his bitter attacks on Murphy, McCall and Tammany. Sulzer plans tomorrow a final tour of the east side in his campaign for election to the state assembly, on the Progressive ticket.

Foes of Tammany say the chief byproduct of the campaign, a John Doe investigation of Hennessy's charges, by District Attorney Whitman, has chilled the blood of some of the Tammany leaders and that the time is near when Fourteenth street will know them no more. Whitman will attempt tomorrow in this investigation to confirm or disprove some of Hennessy's fiery charges against the Tammany chieftains. Charles F. Murphy declared today he would not retire.

Interest in the election throughout the state centres in the contest for the assembly. The present legislature is Democratic in both branches and the senate members hold over. A chief judge and an assistant judge of the court of appeals are to be elected.

In Massachusetts.

Boston, Nov. 2.—A governor, eight members of the governor's council, members of the legislature and all state executive officers will be elected Tuesday in Massachusetts. Each of the four candidates for governor, Governor E. N. Foss, Independent; Lieutenant Governor David I. Walsh, Democrat; Congressman A. P. Gardner, Republican, and Charles S. Bird, Progressive, is confident of victory. Governor Foss has laid special stress on the railroad situation and the relations between railroad officials and the legislature. Representative Gardner broke away from the platform adopted at the Republican state convention and has made a plea for the restriction of immigration.

$50,000,000 for Roads.

Philadelphia, Nov. 2.—Two judges of the superior court, who will be elected under a new law on the nonpartisan section of the ballot, are the only state-wide offices to be chosen in Pennsylvania at the election Tuesday. Five proposed amendments to the constitution are on the ballot. The only one to which there is opposition is one which would permit a $50,000,000 bond issue for state roads. In this city, where municipal officers will be chosen, Fusion against the candidates of the Republican organization has been effected by the Democrats and the Washington party, the Pennsylvania Progressive organ.

Control of Both Houses.

Trenton, N. J., Nov. 2.—Tuesday's elections in New Jersey will involve the control of both houses of the legislature as well as the choice of a governor. Eight state senators will be chosen and all members of the house. Six Republican senators held over and seven Democrats, while 11 is a majority of the upper house.

In Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 2.—A large number of members of the Kentucky legislature will be elected Tuesday and amendments to the state constitution providing for a revision of the tax laws and abolishing contract labor by convicts and providing for employments of convicts on the roads will be voted on. Municipal officers will be elected in a number of cities.

Municipal Offices.

Columbus, O., Nov. 2.—Complete sets of municipal officers will be elected in all cities and towns and villages in Ohio Tuesday. Chief interest centres in the fight in Cincinnati where Mayor Henry T. Hunt, Democrat, who overthrew the strong Republican organization two years ago, is being opposed for re-election by F. S. Spiegel.

Life Imprisonment.

Edmonton, Nov. 2.—Oscar Fonberg, the homesteader who killed Corporal Bailey at Granny's lake, last March and gave the mounted police several days of excitement before he was captured, was found guilty on Saturday and sentenced to life imprisonment at Edmonton penitentiary. Mr. Justice Simmons who tried the case said he concurred in the verdict which was brought in after ten minutes of deliberation.

THREE WILL RETIRE FROM CITY COUNCIL

With the retirement of Alderman F. J. Lynch, Alderman J. B. Jardine and Alderman White there will be at least three new faces in the city council next year and although the ather aldermen have not definitely stated their intentions, it is possible that there will be some others.

Alderman Lynch and Alderman Jardine announced on Saturday their intention of retiring, while Alderman White's retirement will be necessitated owing to his appointment to the harbor board.

Mayor Gray, it is expected, will seek another term and although several names have been mentioned as possible candidates no one has as yet come forth to oppose him.

It is expected that Alderman Kellington and Alderman Bryson will again be in the field while Alderman Dodd has been nominated by the labor party and he will be in the campaign in January. Alderman Henley when questioned stated that he had not considered the matter and that it was too early to make any statement.

Alderman Lynch has served in the city council for the past three years while Alderman Jardine has served for eight years, being elected at the polls last January after being out for two years.

Already there are three new candidates in the field, these being nominated by the labor party as follows: David S. Cameron, Archie Hogg and T. A. Barnard.

W. H. Keary was prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for the mayoralty but he has definitely decided to remain out of the campaign and has refused the requests of a delegation which waited on him last week. Mr. Keary states that in his opinion Mayor Gray should be given a second term. He points out that the mayor has been serving under a disadvantage owing to the financial conditions, and has not yet been given the proper opportunity to show what he can do.

Indications are that the civic election campaign in January will be an interesting one, particularly in view of the fact that there will be three retirements from the present ranks.

HOSPITAL PROPERTY PLACED ON SALE

Management Offer Lots 3, 4 and 17, Block 6, Sub-block 4—Money to Furnish New Building.

To provide funds toward equipping the new Royal Columbian hospital building the directors have placed on sale some of the property, known technically as lost 3, 4 and 17, block 6, suburban block 4, New Westminster district, and have invited tenders to be in the hands of the secretary before 8 o'clock Nov. 8.

This means that within one week the board of directors hope to dispose of the property on the hill above Richmond street and to augment the very meagre sum set aside for furnishing. Because the city hospital bonds have not been sold yet, even with the interest increased to 5 per cent, the new building is not ready to open, but once this is done or the property now offered sold, it will be a matter of weeks until patients are accommodated in an up to date hospital.

SPECIAL ASSIZES AT EARLY DATE

Charges Against Strikers Traversed—Bail Granted to Six—One Will Be Held.

According to A. D. Taylor, K.C., counsel for the crown in the Vancouver island strike trouble cases, a special session of the assize court will be held in this city at an early date presumably for the purpose of trying the miners arrested during the strike troubles. Mr. Taylor made this announcement in the assize court on Saturday.

He requested that the four remaining strike cases set down for trial at the fall assizes in this city should be traversed as a special assize would be held here shortly. Mr. Justice Clement acceded to the request, thus concluding the fall assizes.

The cases remaining from the fall assizes are the charges of intimidation and assault against Richard Goodwin and three others on which the jury disagreed last Wednesday; riot and assault against James and Jack Connors, and a charge of attempted murder against a youth named Morris.

In requesting the traverse of the cases Mr. Taylor remarked that the circumstances that arose the previous day which caused the discharge of the jury sitting on the cases of James and Jack Connors had some bearing on the application. He also suggested that the jurors were entitled to some consideration, as they had been in attendance at court since Sept. 1[illegible].

As a consequence of the traverse Arthur Leighton, counsel for the defence in the strike cases, applied for bail for Naylor, Hall and the Connors brothers, yet to be tried. The request was granted [illegible] and two other sureties of [illegible] being allowed in one case and a [illegible] personal surety and two other sureties of $1000 each being allowed in the others, while Morris [illegible]

Seattle in Darkness.

Seattle, Nov. 2.—[illegible]

$50,000 FIRE IN STROME, ALBERTA

VACANT LOT SAVES BALANCE OF BUSINESS SECTION—FIVE BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

Strome, Alta., Nov. 2.—Fire which broke out in Douglas Bros.' general store at 1:30 a.m., raged until 4:30 a.m. yesterday, destroyed five buildings with a loss estimated at $60,000. The presence of an open lot in the middle of the main business block of the town prevented the razing of the whole business district.

The following are the individual losses with insurance:

Douglas Bros.' general store, loss $27,000; insurance $15,000.

Strome pharmacy, loss $7000; insurance $3000.

Strome restaurant, loss $6000; insurance $4000.

Millinery store owned by Miss B. C. Hite, loss $3000; insurance nothing.

Freeman's pool room, loss and insurance unknown.

The Camrose fire department was rushed here on a special train, but the fire was got under control before their arrival.

Leaves Ten Children.

Huntsville, Ont., Nov. 2.—Bert Slatter, one of a hunting party at Toad lake, near here, was drowned on Saturday and in an effort to save him Harry, his brother, was also drowned. Harry Slatter leaves a wife and ten children. The father is a well known resident of Huntsville.

SUPREME EFFORT TO OUST HUERTA

President Wilson Will Confer With Foreign Powers Before Moving.

European Nations Must Indicate Support Before Elimination [illegible]

Washington, Nov. 2.—A supreme effort is being made to bring about General Victoriano Huerta's retirement from the provisional presidency of Mexico.

This was learned today from many well-informed sources [illegible]

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A DEBT YOU OWE.

If you're a man or woman with any of the uncurdled milk of human kindness in your make-up, you owe a debt to the young men and women, boys and girls who work in stores and you can pay it by getting your Christmas shopping done early.

The crusade for timely holiday buying has been going for some years and it has reached that stage where the majority of the right thinking people are backing it for all it's worth. Besides having a goodfellowship side, it is practical as well, for, with leisure to make selections, your buys are bound to be more satisfactory all round.

Then too, Christmas consists mostly in helping to make others happy. You'll get more real enjoyment out of spending on somebody else a dollar you've had to figure hard to save than in blowing in fifty on yourself. That sounds funny, but it's true; the blessedness of giving has the pleasure of receiving squeezed down to microbe size. So, when you can give a little pleasure and take away a little extra, eleventh worry from the hard worked clerk, don't you think it's up to you to act accordingly?

There's a lesson in the text for the storekeeper as well. He can help things along by starting his Christmas display off earlier than heretofore. All most people need to get them going is a suggestion and if the man who owns the stock will get it on his shelves, in his windows and in his ads. early in the season, the buying public will take the hint and get busy.

A New Yorker has invented a machine for opening clams. If that investigator goes a little further he may yet discover the clam language.

Canada's water power has been estimated at more than sixteen million horse power. By the time that's all in use about the only thing left of the horse will be the power.

What's the use of having a mind of your own if you can't change it? If James Cunningham hadn't changed his mind this city would have been deprived of another chance to buy that gas plant.

A health census of babies of St. Louis is to be taken under the direction of three society women. If a trio of washer women looked after the job St. Louis would be more likely to have a committee that knew something about babies.

The man with the winning smile and a desire for everlasting credit is going up against a snag in the new rule put into force by the grocers, allowing only 15 days of grace. There's likely to be some heavy buying done in some quarters in the next fifteen days.

There seems to be some doubt in the minds of the people of the United States as to what the new income tax there means, but there is no doubt on the point that it means more money for the government and a consequent general pungling up on the part of those who come in the higher priced class by earning more than three thousand rattlers per annum.

It is reported that there is to be an oil battle between Rockefeller and the Rothschilds. There isn't much choice of a favorite for the common people, but if the rumor's true and the scrap goes on, folks generally are likely to get oil at a reasonable price for a short time at least.

Talk about the contrariness of human nature; here the United States has spent thousands of dollars extraditing and convicting Barney O' Neill, the Idaho banker, and now there's a big petition going to the pardons board for his release. Just the same old story; when you get a thing, then you don't want it.

DNYAMITE EXPLODED AND HEIFER STOLEN

Seattle, Nov. 2.—The simultaneous explosion of two dynamite caps, telephone wires cut and the theft of the family heifer are the circumstances surrounding what is believed to have been an attempt to fulfill personal threats and wreak vengeance on the family of A. D. Frane, a millwright, employed at the Seattle Construction & Drydock company, residing at 5219 Brandon street, Hillman City.

Both explosions occurred at 9:30 o'clock last evening the detonation arousing near by neighbors. Will J. Sullivan, deputy sheriff, who lives across the street, suspected gun play and rushed on the porch, from where he saw a flash of fire in front of the Frane house. Sullivan thought his neighbor was taking a pot shot at geese flying southward, and returned to his home.

The dynamite caps were placed under two kitchen doors, and subsequent explosions accomplished little damage aside from scorching fixtures and littering Mrs. Frane's clean porches with the charred remains of fuses.

E. C. Griffin, desk officer at the Columbia police station, who investigated the affairs, suspects the occurrence as the frolics of a gang of youths bent on pre-Halloween activities.

HUSBAND STABBED HER WITH BREAD KNIFE.

Montreal, Nov. 2.—Mrs. Eugene Geride, wife of Eugene Geride, proprietor of the St. Louis cafe, 355a St. Louis street, was taken to the Notre Dame hospital at 9 o'clock last night, stabbed in the right breast by a bread knife and her husband was placed under arrest on a charge of assault. The trouble took place in the kitchen of the cafe, and it is alleged the pair were under the influence of liquor. According to the police a young waitress who had been placed in the position by a local aid society, Thursday night, was asked to go for a bottle of gin by the woman, who had previously emptied one flask. She gave the waitress 25 cents to procure it, but she declined the errand.

Snatching the money from the girl's hand, Mrs. Geride went out and came back with the bottle, which the husband hid on her a moment later. He then objected because his supper was late, the waitress going to the front of the cafe.

When she again went into the kitchen the woman was sitting on a chair with blood flowing from a wound in the right breast. She informed the police that Geride called her to him and said, "I'm going to be hanged."

FALLS VICTIM TO LURE OF LABRADOR

New York Friends Believe Dillion Wallace Has Lost His Life in Wilds.

New York, Nov. 2.—Unless word of his whereabouts is soon forthcoming friends of Dillon Wallace, who went into the interior of Labrador three months ago will get under way a relief expedition. He had planned to get out of Labrador before the early winter started in.

The more pessimistic of his friends fear a blizzard may have overtaken him. Alonzo G. McLaughlin, who is a close friend of Dillon Wallace, said yesterday that the explorer had set October 1 as the date when he would arrive in New York.

No word has been received from Wallace or his party since the early days of September, when he was understood to be in the midst of preparation for the return journey to New York.

Wallace left New York early in July on a trip of general exploration. He was accompanied by Judge William Malone, of Connecticut. The latter went to trace the sources and courses of some of the rivers in Labrador.

Wallace went primarily to rivet a bronze tablet to the rock beneath which his friend and fellow explorer, Leonidas Hubbard, died of exhaustion in 1903. At Northwest river post they were joined by George Blake, one of the men who rescued Wallace the year that Hubbard died.

When Judge Malone returned nearly two months ago, he told of the loss of the tablet in a rapids when the canoe was upset.

The rock was found, however, and Wallace, with the aid of a chisel and a pot of white lead, marked it. The brush was made of hair clipped from Blake's head. Over the tablet was draped the Stars and Stripes and the flag of Hubbard's alma mater, the university of Michigan, which were also lost.

Hubbard's memory being thus perpetuated as well as the adventurers were able, the Wallace party began the return trip. Wallace, however, had further scientific work to do before bidding his third farewell to Labrador.

Judge Malone and George Blake left him and hurried homeward.

LOCAL OPTION HAS BARS TO CLIMB

Act Is Barrier in Way of its Application in York Township, Ontario.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—The friends of local option desire to have that question submitted in the township of York. This might be done in one of two ways. First, the township council may submit a local option by-law of its own accord, and without any petition from the electors; second, if it does not take that course, it is bound to submit the by-law, if it receives a petition signed by at least twenty-five per cent. of the total number of persons qualified to vote in municipal elections.

In this case the council has declined to act of its own accord, and therefore it becomes necessary to proceed by way of petition.

Difficulties in Way.

Here is the difficulty. Large portions of the township of York have been laid out by real estate men and cut up into small lots which have been sold. Many of the owners reside out of the township. In fact, there are on the voters' list 3,321 names of non-residents, whose addresses are spread over 237 post offices, some being in the United States. There are also 3,953 resident voters on the list. In order to have the by-law submitted, it will be necessary to get twenty-five per cent. of the whole number, 7,274, nearly half of whom, by the fact of non-residence and dispersion, are not accessible. If they are not found, they count against the petition.

But these non-residents cannot vote. Section 21 of the Liquor License act of 1911, page 486, says:

"Notwithstanding anything in Section 141 of the Liquor License act, or the amendments thereto, no person shall vote upon any by-law submitted to the electors under that section, or the amendments thereto, who is not at the date of taking the vote on such by-law and has not been for three months before that date, a bona fide resident of the municipality to which the by-law relates."

Oversight of Lawmakers.

This seems to be the result of an oversight by the framers of the law. They attached a condition of residence to the qualification of voting on local option. They forgot or omitted to make a corresponding amendment in the law relating to the petition. What should have been done was to enact that the petition should be signed by 25 per cent. of the resident electors entitled to vote under the amendment of 1911. That is to say, in this case there should be 25 per cent. of 3,953 residents, not of the 7,274 persons who are on the list for general municipal purposes, but nearly half of whom are not entitled to vote on local option.

This is a serious hardship and injustice which ought to be removed by legislation. In the meantime if the by-law is to be submitted before the legislature meet, the friends of local option will have to face a very difficult task.

Head Severed from Body.

Montreal, Nov. 2.—While alighting from a street car at Western and Victoria avenues, Westmount, Saturday evening, Mrs. J. Rothschild fell and was crushed to death beneath the wheels of the car. Mrs. Rothschild's head was completely severed from the body.

ARRANGE PROGRAM OF IMPROVEMENTS

Port Coquitlam Plans to Extend Water Service—80 Per Cent. of Taxes Collected.

Port Coquitlam, Nov. 2.—The council at its delayed fortnightly session held last week decided upon the carrying out of a minor program of necessary improvements during the winter. The money for the work is not all available at the present time, but the council will enter into negotiations with the Bank of Vancouver for a further loan. The extension of the water system along well populated streets is one of the main improvements proposed.

In connection with financial matters Mayor Mars reported that 80 per cent. of the taxes had been collected to date. This, he said, was much better than anticipated, but there was not sufficient money available for the improvements needed. He thought the council perfectly justified in spending what revenue was expected to come in and the council endorsed his opinion.

The clerk reported that if the bonds were all sold the city would be $10,000 to $12,000 to the good at the end of the year and in this connection Alderman Morgan stated that he expected a telegram on Saturday offering a price for the water and school bonds. He questioned whether he would be able to place the other bonds or not.

Mayor Mars was authorized to approach Reeve Barth, of Coquitlam, with a view to negotiating a settlement of the account which the municipality has outstanding against the city. The municipal authorities will be asked if they will accept the city's bonds in payment for the account. Action in this matter was taken on the receipt of a pressing invitation from the municipal council for a payment of the account and interest at 6 per cent. on the same. Mayor Mars considered the city an excuse on the part of the municipal councillors for not spending as much money as they should have done. The account would be paid just as soon as the bonds issued for the purpose were sold, he said. As to the interest, the mayor declared the claim entirely unwarranted.

A complaint as to the condition of Suffold street was referred to the engineer.

MILL OWNER MISSING.

M. G. Ashley Disappears from Easton, Wash.

Ellensburg, Wash., Nov. 2.—Sheriff B. H. German received word this afternoon that M. G. Ashley, a well-known Kittitas county logger and lumberman, mysteriously disappeared two weeks ago and no trace can be found of him. Ashley operates a large logging camp in the upper country and also owns logging camps and a mill in the Taenum district. He makes his homes at Easton.

Ashley left Easton two weeks ago and told his friends that he was going to Spokane to transact business with the Holt Manufacturing company of that city. He failed to show up at Spokane, according to information received here today.

Inquiry at the Easton railway station shows that he did not purchase a ticket there on the night he is supposed to have left Easton.

Friends say, however, that he might have purchased a ticket at Cle Elum. He has a brother, John Ashley, who runs a lodging house at Easton. He has been married but is divorced and his former wife resides in North Carolina. Ashley is about 40 years old.

CANADIAN BOY SCOUTS

First New Westminster Troop Orders for Week Ending November 5.

Parades—The troop will parade for drill on Wednesday next, November 5. Dress: Drill order with staves. Scouts must bringtheir boy scout tests-books, bandages and flags.

Postings—Scout Bugler G. Rowley, having re-enlisted, is posted to No. 2 patrol, and Recruits J. L. Love and Ronald Hatch are posted to the tenderfoot class. Scouts J. L. Watson and R. S. Archibald, having passed the tenderfoot test, are hereby posted to No. 4 patrol from this date.

Scouts No. 57, J. Daly, and No. 61, A. Smith, are hereby struck off the troop roster from this date.

Scoutmaster W. M. Chapman wishes to remind all scouts that next Wednesday is the regular monthly collection of subscriptions, and requests each boy to pay up all arrears at once.

In future all articles made for badge examinations and tests must be left with the secretary or quartermaster, for troop exhibition purposes. Maps and drawings are to be made on one side of the paper only.

The following scouts have qualified for badges: H. Mathewson and J. Masterson for second class, and A. Vidal and D. Taylor for the naturalist badge.

The scoutmasters will meet all members of the Troop Scripture Union on Wednesday next, after parade.

By Order,
R. P. DAY, Scoutmaster.

BEATEN AND ROBBED.

When He Came to Watch and Cash Were Gone.

Seattle, Nov. 2.—When P. O. Turnberg, 123 Bell street, early yesterday morning regained consciousness that had been beaten out of him in some manner of which is unable to give a clear story, he found he had been robbed of a watch valued at $150 and $63 in cash.

The memory of a pleasant chat with a stranger who had come into his room Wednesday night is the only possible explanation Turnberg was able to give the police. He said the stranger introduced himself as a plumber. The two talked about Seattle for a while and finally the stranger walked over to a faucet to get a drink. That was the last Turnberg remembers. When he regained consciousness he had a black eye, some of his teeth were missing, and there were bruises about his head. Then he discovered he had been robbed.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY IS PUT ON THE DEFENCE

Seattle, Nov. 2.—The tactics adopted in the defense of Peter Miller when he was on trial for burglary and other offenses will be repeated in the present trial before Judge Mitchell Gilliam, of the superior court, in which Miller is charged with the murder of Hugh McMahon. The difference will be that Prosecuting Attorney John F. Murphy will be the butt of the charges of malfeasance and other offenses laid by Miller and his attorney, J. M. Glasgow.

Murphy is to be charged with having kept in the King county jail a stool pigeon, who furnished the prosecuting attorney's office information relating to Miller, and that in return for these favors, Murphy procured a pardon for his informant. It was intimated around the court house this morning that this was the reason for the summoning of former Lieutenant-Governor M. E. Hay as a witness in the Miller trial.

Everett Ellis, deputy prosecutor, this morning examined a number of witnesses, drawing a chain of circumstantial evidence to connect Miller with the crime, the most important testimony being that of Nettie Milligan, who declared that on the night of McMahon's death she met a tall, heavy man with a florid complexion, who asked how often the cars ran; that a few minutes after reaching her room she heard a scuffling noise in front of the house next door—the place where McMahon's body was found. Thomas R. Davis, Dinah Davis and J. E. Drummie testified that the body bore several bruises and abrasions about the neck and face.

Dr. William McDowell, McMahon's family physician, late yesterday afternoon and this morning shattered the theory that McMahon died of Bright's disease or other natural causes—a theory that the defense has been endeavoring to establish.

PIONEER JESUIT DIES SUDDENLY

Father Caruana Had Spent Fifty Years in Northwestern States.

Spokane, Nov. 2.—Just two days after his return to his old mission at DeSmet, Idaho, after attending the 50th anniversary in Spokane of his baptism of 17 Indians on the site of the present Northern Pacific depot in October, 1863, the Rev. Father Joseph M. Caruana, S. J., died Wednesday morning at 8:15 o'clock. He had made his home at the mission for half a century. Death was due to heart failure, following a paralytic stroke, at the little town, 12 miles east of Tekoa.

Father Caruana was a pioneer priest of the northwest and one of the most widely known clerics in this part of the country. He was 77 years old, born on the island of Malta, August 24, 1836. His family was prominent in church and public affairs on the island and he was educated in the Jesuit college there.

Sent to California.

He went to the college at Rome and joined the Jesuits. Before he was 23 years old he had passed the examination and was ordained. He asked for a missionary appointment before completing his probation in 1860 and was sent to California. Before his novitiate was completed he was permitted to come north. At Vancouver, Wash., he was met by Father Zazzoli from the Couer d'Alenes mission.

Up the Columbia to The Dalles they traveled on horseback to Walla Walla and the Palouse, and Father Giorda, superior general of the Jesuits in the northwest, brought him to the Indian fishing camp of Spokane Falls. Here in 1863 he baptized the 17 Indians of the band of Chief Enoch.

Just ten days ago Father Caruana was the central figures in one of the greatest Catholic celebrations ever held in Spokane. Rugged and cheerful in spite of his years, he conducted the same service at that time before the bowed heads of 3,000 communicants as he did for the 17 Indians 50 years before and almost on the same site. He entered into the spirit of the celebration with wonderful vigor and delighted with his stories.

Returned Home Monday.

His first trip to Spokane half a century ago was made on horseback, but his last journey was in a modern automobile. Father Brogan, president of Gonzaga university, accompanied the aged priest to his home at DeSmet last Monday morning.

"God spared him to come back to Spokane to see the fruits of his labors," said Father Brogan last night.

Father Caruana had twice before suffered paralytic strokes and his sudden demise was not a surprise to his friends in Spokane. He was a sufferer from endocarditis.

Father Caruana will be buried at the little mission where he spent the most of his life.

"DEAF MUTE" ARRESTED SUDDENLY FINDS TONGUE

Seattle, Nov. 2.—Police Captain L. J. Stewart, without the use of hypnotism or mechanism concealed in his sleeves developed a first-class orator at police headquarters this morning by propounding the question, "Well, what have you got to say about it?" to Peter Wald, 16 years old, who was arrested for begging and posing as a deaf and dumb unfortunate.

The question caught the youth in an absent-minded state, and before he realized what he was doing he was lecturing fervidly on the subject "Why I Should Be Released."

Wald, bearing a certificate signed by a Vancouver, B. C., physician to the effect that the bearer was suffering from speechlessness and inability to hear as the result of an acute attack of scarlet fever, appeared on Queen Anne Hill this morning, begging for assistance. His certificate stated he was endeavoring to obtain sufficient funds to get to his home at Visalia, Cal.

Motorcycle Policeman F. C. Fuqua arrested him and removed him to police headquarters without endeavoring to speak to him. Arriving there he was permitted to wait twenty minutes in the captain's office while his case was discussed. The captain then flashed his question at the boy, with the result that the youngster, caught off his guard, orated freely.

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Great Bargains in Our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department

Ladies' Winter Coats.

Ladies' and Misses' New Winter Coats in a very large variety of new cloths, coatings, bouche cloths and reversible tweeds; many handsomely trimmed and finished with large buttons; all strictly tailor made. Every garment in this department is new for this fall season, and without exception every garment will be at special sale prices during this great opening sale. We are specializing in the following lines:

Girls', Misses, and small Women's Coats in a big variety; values to $15; all at $9.95

Ladies' smart Fall Coats; values to $17.95; all at $13.75

Ladies' smart Fall Coats; values to $21.50; all at $16.75

Ladies' smart Fall Coats; values to $35.00; all at $26.75

Very special values in Coats for Children of all ages, from three years to misses' sizes, in a variety of cloths, coatings, etc. Every garment reduced for this sale.

New Silk and Velvet Coats.

All new Fall Velvet and Silk Coats also a pretty range of Opera and Evening Coats at exactly 25 per cent. off regular prices. You can choose any of these garments during this opening sale less 25 per cent. from regular prices.

$8.50 Dress Skirts for $5.75.

A hundred smart tailored Dress Skirts, in coatings, serges, tweeds, etc all strictly tailored and in sizes to fit all; values to $8.50; all at one price $5.75

In our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department will be found special tables of bargains in silk, net, flannel and white waists of all kinds.

Sweater Coats in every size for Misses and Children all at special bargain prices.

Our Ladies' Underwear Department will be full of bargains in every kind of fall and winter garments for Ladies and Children's wear. These will be put on special tables on the first floor at bargain prices for your selection during this opening sale.

Children's heavy ribbed Cotton Hose; regular 25c a pair; sizes 7 to 9 at ...... 2 pair for 35c

Boys' two and one ribbed Hose; all wool; regular 50c per pair; odd lines reduced; to clear out at pair 30c

Boys' all-wool golf stockings with fancy top; a few odd pairs left; sizes 8, 8½ and 9; regular 50c up; to clear at 25c

Ladies' plain all-wool cashmere hose; good values; 8½ to 10 inch sizes. Special each 25c

Ladies' Plain All-Wool Cashmere Hose; splendid quality; regular 50c per pair 35c

Fancy Department.

Tinted Centre Cushions and Scarfs for working; values to $1.25. Sale price 25c

Embroidered Centres in round and square worked in colors; fringe and lace trimmed; values $2.75 and $3.75 each; sale price $1.50

Embroidered Cushion Tops with back in good designs and good coloring; a nice assortment; values $2.00 and $3.00 each; sale price $1.00

Bear Skin Caps; regular up to $3.75; sale price $1.00

Mohair finish Caps in red and white and blue and white; regular 65c; sale price 25c

White Touques with tassel; regular 50c each; sale price 25c

Allover Nets in cream and white; values 65c, 75c and 85c a yard; sale price 35c

Laces and Insertions in white and cream; regular $1.50 and $1.35 values; sale price 50c

Wide Cream Insertion; regular to $2.25 value; sale price $1.00

Laces and Insertions; values 15c to 25c a yard; sale price 10c

Laces and Insertions; values 7½ to 12½c yard; sale price 5c

Bargains on the Carpet Floor

Brussels Stair Carpets; 27 inches wide, values to $1.75 for $1.50

22 1-2 inches wide; values to $1.50 for $1.25

Axminster Stair Carpets; 22 1-2 inches wide, values to $2.25 for $1.75

27 in. wide, values to $2.50 for ...$1.95

Wilton Stair Carpet, 22 1-2 inches wide, values to $2.50 for $1.95

27 in. wide, values to $2.75 for ...$2.25

27 in. All Wool Reversible Stair Carpet, values to $1.15, for ...... 95c.

22 1-2 in. Tapestry Stair Carpet, values to 80c. for ...... 65c.

22 1-2 in. Tapestry Stair Carpet, values to $1.00, for ...... 85c.

27 in. Tapestry Stair Carpet, values to 90c. for ...... 75c.

Reversible Jute Stair Carpet; 18 in. wide; value to 40c. for ...... 30c.

22 1-2 in. wide, value to 50c. for ..40c.

27 in. wide, value to 65c. for ...... 50c.

Tapestry Squares.

9x9, values to $8.75, for $7.50

9x10.6, values to $10.50 for $9.25

9x12, values to $12.50, for $10.75

10.6x12, values to $15, for $13.25

Brussels Squares.

4.6x7.6, value to $7.75, for $6.50

6.9x9.0, value to $15, for $13.25

9x9.0, values to $18.50, for $16.75

9x10.6, value to $24.50, for $21.00

9x12.0, value to $28.50, for $23.50

Axminster Squares.

9x9, value to $32, for $25.00

9x10.6, values to $38.50, for $31.50

8.3x11.6, values to $35, for $29.50

36 in. All Wool Carpet (Reversible) value to $1.65, for $1.25

Chinese Matting, 20c. values for, per yard ...... 12½c.

Odd Carpets and Rugs, to clear about half price.

Inlaid Linoleums, values to $1.10 for, square yard ...... 95c.

Inlaid Linoleums, values to $1.25 for, square yard $1.15

Inlaid Linoleum, values to $1.50, for square yard $1.25

22 1-2 in. Velvet Stair Carpet, values to $2.00, for $1.50

36 in. All Wool Carpet (Reversible) values to $1.65 for, yard $1.25

Window Shades, size 3x6, plain green or cream, values to 50c. (including brackets and ring) each ...... 40c.

Plain green or cream, fitted on best Hartshorn roller, size 3x7 ft., values 75c., for ...... 65c.

Plain green or cream, fitted on best Hartshorn roller, size 3x7, feet, values to 90c. for ...... 75c.

Plain green or cream, fitted on best Hartshorn roller, size 41 1-2 inches by 7 feet, value to $1.25, for $1.00

Combination Shades, green or cream, size 3x6, values to $1.00 for ...... 75c.

size 3x7, values to $1.25, for ....95c.

size 41 1-2x7, values to $1.50, for $1.25

Tapestry Carpet, values to 75c. for per yard ...... 65c.

Tapestry Carpet, values to 90c. for per yard ...... 75c.

Tapestry Carpet, values to $1.00, for per yard ...... 85c.

Brussels Carpet, body and borders to match, values to $1.35, for, yard 95c.

Brussels Carpet, body and borders to match, values to $1.50, for, yard $1.25

Brussels Carpet, body and borders to match, values to $1.75, for, yard $1.50

Brussels Carpet, body and borders to match, values to $2, for, yard..$1.75

Axminster and Wilton Carpets, body and borders to match, values $2.00. for per yard $1.50

Wilton and Axminster Carpets, body and borders to match, values to $2.50 for, per yard $1.95

Wilton and Axminster Carpets, body and borders to match, values to $2.75. for, per yard $2.25

Rope Mats.

Size 14x24, values to 75c. for ...... 65c.

Size 16x27, values to $1.25, for ..$1.10

Size 18x30, values to $1.50 for ..$1.25

Axminster Rugs, size 36x63, values to $5.00, for $4.25

Wilton Rugs, size 27x54, values to $3.50, for $2.75

Axminster Rugs, fringed ends, size 27x54, values to $2.50 for $1.95

Japanese Rugs, size 27x54, value to $1.25, for $1.00

Carpet Door Mats, size 12x30, value to 55c., for ...... 45c.

Jap Door Mats, size 18x36, fringed ends, value to 60c. for ...... 50c.

Great Bargains in Our Furniture Department During This Sale

15 odd Bed Springs, different sizes, regular values up to $7.50. Some of these are slightly damaged. They will be cleared out regardless of original prices at $2.50

One dozen slightly soiled Mattresses, ranging from our cheapest makes to our best qualities. These will be sold at exactly 33 1-3 per cent discount off regular prices.

Two Wood Beds, slightly damaged. These used to sell at $10 each. Sale price $2.75

White Enamel Beds, brass trimmings, complete with spring and cotton top mattress, regular price $11.50. Complete for $7.50

A number of odd White Enamel Beds in different sizes and patterns. Regular prices from $3.00 to $10.00. Sale price ...... $1.75 to $6.50

Special prices on Baby Carriages and Go Carts; all kinds, shapes and sizes. On sale at ...... $2.50 up

Very special prices on all Brass Beds in bright or satin finish:

Regular $35, sale price $27.50

Regular $45, sale price $33.75

Regular $25.00, sale price $19.75

Regular $48.75, sale price $38.50

Office Desks, Typewriter Desks, Filing Cabinets, Roll Top Desks, Office Tables, etc., during the two weeks opening sale less 33 1-3 per cent of regular prices.

Chiffoniers with five large drawers, brass handles and bevel plate mirror, regular $12.50 for $9.75

Without Mirror, reg. $10.95 for..$8.50

Golden Oak Dresser and Stand, with large bevel plate mirror, regular $18, for $12.75

Duchess Dressing Table, with two deep drawers, in golden oak finish, large bevel plate mirror, regular $20, for $14.50

Golden Oak Hall Rack, with brass hangers, box seat, regular $29.00 for $24.75

Kitchen Queen Tables, with four drawers and flour bins, regular $5.50. Special price $3.75

Seven foot Kitchen Cupbord with glass doors; regular $15, for..$11.75

Kitchen Cabinet, in Maple Finish, complete with every requisite, regular price $39.50. Sale price $28.75

A number of odd Kitchen Chairs to clean out at 75c., $1 and $1.25 each

Silk upholstered Parlor Chairs, in different designs, some slightly soiled to be cleared at $5, $7.50 and $10.00

Three-piece Mahogany Parlor Suite, upholstered with green velvet; regular price $60, for $32.50

Five-piece Parlor Suite; mahogany finish, upholstered in green velvet, regular price $35. for $21.50

Three-piece parlor Suite, upholstered in green silk tapestry; regular price $37.50. for $22.50

Morris Chairs, with green velvet cushions, regular $11.25 for $9.50

One Mahogany Morris Chair, green velour loose cushions; regular $40, for $21.00

Solid Oak Leather seated Bedroom Rockers, in an assortment of designs regular $9.75, for $6.95

Special prices on Dining Tables for this sale.

One very handsome square Table; fancy carved legs, extending to 12 ft., regular $40, for $22.50

Early English Pedestal Dining Table, regular $36.50 for $28.75

Early English Pedestal Dining Table, regular $27.50, for $22.75

Extra large Golden Oak Dining Table, very nicely turned pedestal, regular $100, for $67.50

Buffet in oak, with copper finished trimmings, bevel plate mirror, exceedingly pretty design, regular $55, for $27.50

Buffet in Golden Oak finish, with two small drawers and one large linen drawer and two cupboards bevel plate mirror(reg. $20. for....$11.50

A very handsome Solid Oak Sideboard, beautifully carved top and front, with curved drawers and good bevel plate shaped mirror, regular price $75. Sale price $45.00

Sectional Book Cases.

We can supply you with any size or finish in Sectional Book Cases during this sale for 20 per cent off regular prices.

Steel folding Davenport Couches fully upholstered, reg. $22.50, for ..$16.50

VerySpecial Prices on all Ranges During This Sale

Big Reductions in all Kinds of Cook Stoves.

Heaters at Special Prices.

Garnet Oak Heater, regular $18.00, now $15.00

Live Oak Heater; regular $21.00, now $17.00

Fairy Oak Heater; regular $14.00, now $11.85

Dandy Oak Heater; regular $14.50, now $12.15

Washington Grand Oak Heater, regular $26.50, now $22.75

St. Clair Oak Heater, regular $39.50, now $32.50

Regal Franklin Heater, regular $25.00, now $21.50

Twilight Herald Heater, regular $16, now $12.50

Evening Star Heater, regular $11.00, now $8.50

Scout Heater, regular $10.50 now $9.00

Victor Airtight Heater, regular $3.25, now $2.85

Victor Airtight Heater, regular $5.00, now $4.20

New Melrose Wood Heater, regular $17.50, now $14.85

New Melrose Wood Heater, regular $21; now $16.75

Box Heaters, all cast iron; regular $8, now $6.00

Box Heaters, all cast iron, regular $10, now $8.50

Big Reductions

in guaranteed Tungsten Lamps. 15 watt, 25 watt or 40 watt, Special at

40c

Odd Lace Curtains at Nominal Prices

Reg. Prices range from 75c. to $5.00. These sample curtains will be cleared out at from 25c. to $1.45 each.

Novelty Muslin Curtains, reg. $2.25 a pair. Sale price $1.00

Big clearance of Lace Curtains, many lines have only one or two pairs of its kind hence these big cuts in price; some slightly soiled:

Reg. $2.75, sale price, pair $1.35

Reg. $3.75, sale price, pair $1.65

Reg. $4.25, sale price, pair $1.95

Reg. $4.00 to $7.00, sale price per pair ...... $2.45 to $3.45

Bargains in Notions and Neckwear.

Bar and Veil Pins; values up to 75c. for, each ...... 25c.

Black, Dull and Bright Jet Strings of Beads, regular 25c. string, to clear out selling at ...... 10c.

Hat Pins, New Westminster souvenir flag top, pin in colored enamel, reg. 25c., now ...... 2 for 25c.

Odd lines of Neckwear; white stock collar with jabots in pique and lawn, trimmed with valenciennes and torchon lace., also a few Robespierre collars in tan, black and navy; silk with white lace and net jabot effect.

A few children's odd lawn and lace embroidery trimmed sailor collars; the Dickie front in blue trimmed with white braid. The lot clearing out at a splendid bargain; each [illegible]

Ladies' White Linen Lounge Collars: a splendid assortment to choose from; [illegible] odd lines and patterns with embroidered edges and [illegible]; sizes 12 1-2 to 14 1-2; values to [illegible], now selling ...... [illegible]

Veiling in black, [illegible] and [illegible] shades; some with [illegible] chenille spots and [illegible]; values to [illegible] a yard, for ...... [illegible]

Great Bargains in Our Soft Furnishings Department

We have decided to reduce this stock by half, hence these prices

Every yard of piece tapestry reduced. Now is the time to recover old furniture or make a pair of curtains, etc., for a nominal cost.

Piece Tapestries, regular $1.00; sale price, per yard 75c

Piece Tapestries, regular $1.25 to $1.75; sale price, per yard $1.00

Piece Tapestries, regular $1.75 to $2.00; sale price, per yard $1.25

Piece Tapestries, regular $2.50 to $3.00; sale price, per yard $1.75

Piece Tapestries, regular $3.50; sale price, per yard $2.50

Piece Tapestries, regular $3.75 to $6.00; sale price, per yard $2.95

50-inch Double Faced Velour, regular $3.50; sale price $2.95

50-inch Single Faced Velour; regular $2.50; sale price $1.75

Casement Cloths, Bungalow Nets and Madras all reduced in price.

Reg. $1.25 and $1.50 values, for, per yard $1.00

Reg. $1.00 values, per yard 75c

Reg. 75c values, per yard 50c

Unbleached Table Damask.

The Right Kind for Restaurants and Cafes

58 and 60-inch; values to 65c. Special price 50c

70-inch classy designs; regular 95c. Special price 80c

Sale of Flannellette Extraordinary.

Strong colored striped Flannelette; reg. 10c; sale price, per yard 8c

Reg. 12½c; sale price, per yard..10c

Reg. 15c; sale price, per yard ..12½c

Special purchase of colored, striped and checked flannelette; full 33 ins.; reg. 20c value. Sale price 15c

10 pairs only, white wool blankets; size 60x80; reg. $4.25; sale price $3.75

25 pairs White Wool Blankets, size 60x80; pink or blue border; regular $5.00; sale price $4.25

50 pairs White Wool Blankets; size 64x84; pink or blue border; regular $6.50. Sale price $5.95

Flannelette Blankets at special prices, in white and gray.

10-4; regular $1.50. Sale price ..$1.25

11-4; regular $1.75. Sale price ..$1.50

12-4; regular $2.25. Sale price ..$1.85

Large stock of gray wool blankets, suitable for hunters, loggers, etc., at lowest prices.

100 dozen White Sheets; large double bed size; the kind that stand hard wear. Regular $2.00; sale price, per pair ...... [illegible]

100 dozen hemmed and hemstitched Pillow Cases; size 40x42; regular 40c pair. Sale price 35c

50 dozen White Grecian Bedspreads; large size, regular $2.00. Sale price $1.25

25 dozen White Grecian Bedspreads; 70x80; regular [illegible]. Sale price $1.85

10 dozen White Marseilles Bedspreads size 11-4; reg. $3.50. Sale price..$2.75

10 dozen White Marseilles Bedspreads size [illegible] reg. $4.66. Sale price..[illegible]

Saxony Wool Flannel at Reduced Prices.

WHITE—

24½-inch; reg. 40c. Sale price, yd. 35c

25-inch; reg. 45c. Sale price, yd. 40c

26-inch; reg. 50. Sale price, yd. 45c

28-inch; reg. 65c. Sale price, yd. [illegible]

30-inch; reg. 85c. Sale price, yd. 75c

RED—

24½-inch; reg. 40c. Sale price, yd. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

GREY—

[illegible]

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RATS IN HARBOR DANGER TO HEALTH

Bubonic Plague Carried by Rodents—City Harbormaster Ordered to War on Them.

At most ports of the Pacific along the coast of North and Central America there is being waged at the present time a battle against rats. Harbormaster W. B. Shiles of New Westminster has received a telegram from Ottawa directing him to enforce the regulations for the extermination of the pests. At Seattle, near the foot of Jackson street there was a general cleaning up last week. Old buildings were torn down and burned, rubbish carried away and earth filled in many hollows that acted as breeding places for rats. It was at this part of the Seattle waterfront that several rats were trapped and found to be carrying the bubonic plague.

The fight in Seattle against rats has been waged for six years but Health Officer Crichton has become alarmed by the multitude of rats and has asked the city authorities to grant a speacial fund to be used in their extermination.

There are several properties along the waterfront at New Westminster that serve as breeding places for these. Near the Sixth street slip and between the C. P. R. and D. P. W. wharves, where rubbish and earth has been dumped rats seem to be flourishing.

Experiments have proved that rats do not travel far. They keep to one locality, and rats caught, dyed and liberated have been recaptured weeks afterwards in the same places as they were set free.

At Seattle the proposal of a seawall is meeting with favor, as the wooden wharves and warehouses cannot be kept free of rats. Rat guards on the hawsers of vessels do not prevent their landing. Driven by hunger, rats will often jump from a vessel and swim ashore. It is because of this that the bubonic plague is carried from the Orient and distributed to ports all over the world.

OFFSHORE VESSELS RATHER SCARCE

Five Charters of Sailing Ships by Hind Rolph to Carry Lumber From Coast.

Five important charters of off-shore vessels, made in the face of unusual scarcity of tonnage and affecting the sailing vessels Expansion, Ariel, Mindora and Mahukona, have been made by Hind, Rolph & Co. All of these vessels, which are well known on the coast, have been taken to carry lumber cargoes. In addition several steamships have been engaged by other firms to carry wheat or lumber from this coast to foreign destinations.

At 47 shillings 6 pence the Expansion has been chartered to convey lumber from Puget Sound to a direct port on the west coast of South America. The Ariel gets 52 shillings 6 pence for a voyage from the north Pacific to Auckland. Suva, Fiji, is the destination of the Mindora, which is fixed to carry lumber from Vancouver, B. C., at 50 shillings. The Mahukona is engaged at 80 shillings for lumber from Puget Sound to one port on the Capetown, Delagoa Bay range.

Mitsui & Co. have chartered the Japanese steamship Artagosan Maru for a cargo of wheat and flour from Puget Sound to Japan. The Artagosan will bring coal from Moji before taking up her grain charter.

The Japanese steamship Dairen Maru has been chartered by the Oriental Trading company for a wheat cargo from Puget Sound to Japan.

It is understood that the British steamship Harpagus has been chartered for lumber from Puget Sound to South Africa by A. F. Thane & Co. The vessel is now at Java and will bring sugar from there.

The schooner Fred J. Wood, bound from Levuka to Grays Harbor, has been chartered to load lumber there for South America by W. R. Grace & Co.

The British steamship Auckendale, just arrived at Tacoma, is under charter to Scott Henderson & Co. to load lumber for Sydney. The British Isles, another arrival at Tacoma, is under charter to the Portland Flouring Mills to load wheat for the United Kingdom.

The schooner W. H. Talbot, at Astoria from Callao, is under charter to Comyn, Machall & Co. to load lumber for Valparaiso at 65 shillings, or New Zealand at the same figure. This figure was made eight months ago, the rate for these voyages having declined since then to 52 shillings 6 pence.

MALKIN'S WEEK

... AT ...

Dean's Grocery

This week we are demonstrating Malkins Best Tea, and Brown Berries Coffee. If you have not tried this delicious Tea and Coffee come in our store and have a sample cup.

Buy Malkin's Tea and Coffee This Week

We are giving away dainty chinaware with every purchase.

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BRITISH BUOY CARRIED 250 MILES BY CURRENT

Victoria, Nov. 2.—What is considered to be a remarkable drift has just come to light in dispatches received at the Victoria office of the marine and fisheries department. About eight months ago a can buoy of considerable dimensions was temporarily placed in position by the Quadra in the Portland canal and shortly afterwards was reported as missing by the navigators plying the northern coasts of British Columbia.

Last week the department was notified that the United States lighthouse steamer Columbine had picked up the missing buoy in Alaskan waters in the vicinity of Wrangel narrows. During the many months that have elapsed since the buoy broke loose from its moorings it has drifted from 200 to 250 miles.

Dog Salmon Running.

During the past several days dog salmon have been running well in the Fraser, and some concerns, including the Columbia Cold Storage company, have been freezing this species. Cohoes are not very plentiful, and the northern cohoe run has been almost a failure.

TIDE TABLE—FRASER RIVER.

For the Week Ending Sunday, Nov. 2.

	Westminster. Time.			Sand Heads. High.		Low.	
	High.	Low.		Time.	Ht.	Time.	Ht.
27	4:15	11:20		3:16	11.1	9:06	5.2
	16:15			15:16	12.7	21:59	3.1
28	5:20	0:45		4:18	12.0	9:58	6.2
	16:45	11:45		15:47	12.8	22:37	1.8
29	6:20	1:55		5:19	12.8	10:49	7.2
	17:20	12:20		16:19	12.9	23:17	0.7
30	7:20	2:40		6:19	13.4	11:41	8.2
	17:50	13:00		16:50	12.8	23:59	0.1
31	8:20	3:25		7:18	13.8	12:36	9.1
	18:20	13:45		17:22	12.5		
1	9:15	4:10		8:16	13.9	4:43	0.1
	18:55	14:45		17:54	12.0	13:38	9.8
2	10:15	4:55		9:13	13.9	1:28	0.2
	19:25	15:45		18:27	11.4	14:47	10.2

START 675 MILE AUTO SPEED CONTEST

Twenty-five Cars Leave Los Angeles for Phoenix, Ariz.—Prizes Total $950.

Los Angeles, Nov. 2.—With 575 miles of race course stretching before them over city streets, mountain roads and desert trails, 25 automobiles will leave this city at daybreak tomorrow on the sixth annual Los Angeles to Phoenix, Ariz., speed contest.

The course has only 150 miles of boulevards. The mountain roads measure 160 and the sandy thoroughfares through the desert 254.

It is estimated the winner will reach Phoenix in 18 or 19 hours actual racing time, though the time limit for the arrival at the fair grounds at Phoenix is fixed for 6 o'clock Tuesday evening.

There are 11 checking stations between Los Angeles and Phoenix, including the control at Yuma, where the cars will be housed tomorrow night.

Six prizes, totalling $9500 will be awarded. The winner will receive $3500.

104TH WILL BE CRACK REGIMENT

Col. Duff Stuart Inspects Different Companies and Expresses Words of Praise.

Returning Saturday night from an inspection of companies A, B, C, D and E of the 104th regiment, Col. Duff-Stuart, acting for the D.O.C., Col. Roy, Victoria, told his satisfaction in that regiment both the detachments here, at Chilliwack and at Cloverdale, and said if the present improvement was continued the 104th would be the crack regiment of the district. "I see no reason why this should not be the best regiment in the 23rd brigade," he stated.

After inspecting A and B companies here on Friday night Col. Duff-Stuart, with Capt. Foulkes of Victoria, Capt. Slater of the 6th D.C.O.R., Vancouver, Acting Adjutant Smith of the 104th, and the staff from headquarters, left on Saturday morning for Chilliwack. There companies D and E and the regimental band were inspected. At 6 o'clock the officers left for Cloverdale where C company paraded full strength. The entire party left that place by motor car and reached New Westminster at 10:30.

Interest up the valley is increasing in militia matters and when companies G and H are organized here and F company at some other point in the district to be named soon, the regiment will be in fine shape.

HALLOWE'EN DANCE WAS A DISTINCT SUCCESS

The Hallowe'en dance of the West Coquitlam Conservative association held on Friday evening last was easily the most successful affair of its kind held in Burquitlam this year. Some 50 couple attended and everybody thoroughly enjoyed the pleasures of the evening which consisted not only of dancing, but also in the partaking of a Hallowe'en pudding containing presents and the holding of a musical competition.

In the latter event there was a large entry. Among the prize winners were Miss Martin, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Finley and Sherb Atkins. The prizes were presented by the ladies of the association.

Much credit for the results of the dance are due the members of the energetic committee in charge of the arrangements. Among these were Mrs. Cowan, the Misses Bishop, Messrs. Herman, Finley, Atkins, Stanley and George Alderson. It has already been decided to hold another dance on November 21. For the purpose of arranging this the entertainment committee will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Alderson this evening.

INSTITUTE MILLION MEMBER CAMPAIGN

Sixteen Coast Y. M. C. A.'s Will Endeavor to Augment Membership Roll.

A campaign for one million members starts today among Y. M. C. A.'s of 16 cities of the coast. It will last until the last day of December and each week the returns will be collected and posted at the state Y.M.C.A. in Seattle.

Various are the plans now on foot to secure the number of members set as a goal, and tonight when the board of directors of the local institution meet a scheme will be proposed. This will be an organization of members here who will each go out to bring in men who heretofore have not been identified with the institution.

In other cities this and other means will be employed to roll up the one million. To reach the goal each city must average something like 62,500 members. Considering the territory to be covered the proposal seems gigantic but the Y. M. C. A. officers and men are going at the job with their sleeves rolled up and hope to present the association with one million members by Christmas time.

The cities united in the campaign are Bellingham, Doty, Ellensburg, Hoquiam, North Yakima, Port Townsend, Roslyn, Seattle, Spokane, Tacoma, Walla Walla, New Westminster, Portland, Albany, Eugene and Baker.

BOYS CHANGED SIGNS ON BURQUITLAM CHURCHES

It is not often that churches change their denominations overnight, but that is what happened in Burquitlam on Friday evening last. While their parents were celebrating the occasion on the dance floor of the agricultural hall some youthful Hallowe'en observers set to work and exchanged the notice boards of the Union and Anglican churches. Fortunately the situation was discovered before Sunday morning and a quick re-exchange of the boards occurred.

Practically every resident of Burquitlam is complaining of the work of the Hallowe'en mischief makers. Gates were carried off, signboards transplanted and even saw-horses removed from the yards of unsuspecting residents. A search party discovered some of the missing property on Saturday, but there is still a few gates, etc., to be returned to their owners. No serious damage was done.

FATALLY SHOT BY BROTHER-IN-LAW

Quarrel Over Possession of Farm—Man Who Did Shooting Claims Self-Defence.

Marshfield, Ore., Nov. 2.—L. L. Haines, a rancher of Ekley, Curry county, was shot fatally on Saturday by his brother-in-law, H. Hampton, and died last night. The scene of the tragedy is an isolated spot and first reports were that Haines had shot Hampton. Hampton's story is that Haines called at his home and started to make trouble and that he fired in self-defence.

The Hampton family lived on the old home place, owned by Mrs. Hampton's father and the quarrel was over the possession of the farm. Haines was a bachelor and had a claim in the mountains.

Signals of Distress.

Chatham, Mass., Nov. 2.—The schooner Henrietta Simmons which was sighted with her sails blown away last Friday by the British steamer Anglian, 35 miles southeast of the Boston lightship, anchored here today flying distress signals. She was taken in tow later by the revenue cutter Androscoggin.

Murder and Suicide.

Pendleton, Ore., Nov. 2.—Dave Rowan, who was shot here by Charles Cook, who then killed himself, died later last night at a hospital. Jealousy is given as the cause, Rowan being in the company of Cook's divorced wife and his little daughter at the time of the shooting, which occurred on a street.

Reassured.

"Daughter," called the irate father from his position at the top of the stairs, at the well known hour of 11:55 p. m., "doesn't that young man know how to say good night?"

"Does he?" echoed the young lady in the darkened hall. "Well, I should say he does."—Pittsburgh Post.

Poverty.

"The advantages of poverty are overrated," said a man who had experienced it. "The rich declare that poverty brings out a man's good points. Well, so it does—by the roots."

Remedy your deficiencies and your merits will take care of themselves.—Bulwer.

Degeneration of Names.

Thomas Hardy showed his keen eye for the characteristic in giving his heroine the distinguished name of D'Urberville, corrupted by long rustic wear to Darbyfield. But many stately English names have gone further down hill than that, for example the mean and trivial Snooks, which has little to recall Sevenoaks. One would suppose that an easy prize winner in a degeneration race, yet Professor Weekley, in his book on the romance of English names, finds some that have descended as far and started higher. There is nothing very distinguished, for example, about Codlin—a novelist would hardly dare use it save for a comic figure. As Quodling it is merely queer. As Querding it begins to seem foreign, and the etymologist can make a shrewd guess where he is coming out; while Querdelyon is but the thinnest of masks for the illustrious Norman original, Coeur de Lion. In England the meanest little names may have the greatest history, especially if they started as French, which fares badly on English tongues.

Berberine Belief.

Everything that goes wrong is attributed by the Berberines, a tribe of the Sudan, to the devil. Ethel S. Stevens, in "My Sudan Year," quotes a story told her by Bishop Gwynne of his "boy's" coming to him one day and announcing, "The devil is in the house."

"Oh," said the bishop, "that is very interesting! When did he arrive?"

"He came in with the cook from the souk market yesterday evening."

"Really?" commented the bishop, puzzled.

"Yes, and in the night he came out of the cook and passed into me."

"Oh, and what did he do?"

"He went to the cupboard and broke a plate and the top of the jam jar."

A light broke in on the bishop.

"Oh, he was after the jam! I suppose he ate some?"

"Yes," said the boy, "he did!"

The idea of devil possession is not merely an elaborate form of excuse; the native servant really believes in it.

When Pope Was Broad.

Alexander Pope, the deathless poet of England, had a large and intimate experience of the theater. In his time he was a welcome visitor behind the scenes, and most of the contemporaneous dramatic authors and actors were proud to be on friendly terms with him. Mean and little and contemptible as he was in many of his personal relations (recall Lady Mary Wortley Montagu's estimate of his infinite littleness), he nevertheless had a broad streak, this, of course, from the viewpoint of the intellectual. He was in ready sympathy with the strugglers on the stage, and he wrote this apology for imperfections that are inseparable from plays no less than from other works of finite, therefore imperfect, beings:

Whoever thinks a faultless piece to see
Thinks what ne'er was nor is nor e'er shall be.

—Exchange.

Fined For Not Voting.

The outstanding feature of most British elections is the large number of electors who fail to record their vote. In some countries voting is compulsory and electors are fined if they do not do their duty as citizens and avail themselves of the franchise.

According to the universal suffrage law of Australia, all those on the register must record their votes, and at the last general election in that country 50,000 electors were fined sums from 8s. 4d. downward because they neglected to go to the polls.

Spain is another country that looks on voting as a national duty, at least in a municipal election. Should a citizen omit to cast his vote his name is published as a defaulter, his taxes are increased by 2 per cent, while if he be in the public service his salary is reduced by 1 per cent. Should he commit the fault a second time he is debarred forever from holding an elective position or an appointment under government.—London Spare Moments.

Wiles of the Waiter.

"I know I am looking like a fright tonight," the woman said.

The man studied her dress, her hair and her complexion closely.

"I don't see anything the matter with you," he said. "So far as I can see, you are looking as well as usual."

"But I am not," she insisted. "There is something wrong, and that head waiter saw at a glance what it was. If I had been up to the mark he wouldn't have put us away over here in this out of the way corner. He would have given us a table right under the chandelier in the middle of the room.

"All the best dressed people are always seated in the most conspicuous places, so as to make the restaurant look more attractive. I am glad to say that that is where I usually sit. The plain people are ranged along the sides of the room, just as we are tonight.

"That is why I know I am not looking well."—New York Times.

A Perilous Experience.

While hunting in the Big Horn mountains two men found a narrow path, little more than a deer trail, leading up to the summit. They dismounted and led their horses, moving very cautiously, for on one side the mountain rose up like a wall, and on the other sloped down a thousand feet to the canyon below. Suddenly both horses pricked up their ears as if scenting a wild beast. Then there came a shot from the hunter in advance, and the hunter in the rear found himself hanging over the cliff. He had been leading the horse by the reins, and when the horse shied and upset him he held on with a death grip. It was nearly five minutes that he thus hung on to the slender strap, while the horse held back with all his strength. But he could not climb up, and his companion had to haul him up to a place of safety, and then he naturally fainted.—St Paul Pioneer Press.

WILL HOLD YALE GOOD ROADS DAY

Members of Westminster and Vancouver Auto Clubs Will Get Busy With Pick and Shovel.

With a view to eliminating the rough spots on that portion of the Yale road that passes through Surrey, the New Westminster Auto club will join hands with the Vancouver Auto club in the celebration shortly of a "Yale Good Roads Day." The celebration will last one day, when every member of the two auto clubs is expected to do one day's hard work with the pick and shovel in removing the objectionable deep ruts, soft spots, occasional roots, etc which at the present time make a few miles of the Surrey section of this highway uncomfortable for auto travel.

Though novel to this part of the country, similar schemes, brought about by urgent necessity are not uncommon in other parts of the North American continent.

Although the exact date on which the "Yale Good Roads Day" will be celebrated has not been settled as yet interest in the event amongst automobile owners is running high and the proposal has been taken up very enthusiastically by the members of the clubs of city and Vancouver.

In addition to lending their own services for the occasion the auto owners will be asked to enlist and pay for the services of as many able bodied persons as possible to assist in the event and transport these to the scene of operations.

Licensed chauffeurs are requested to lend their assistance in making the event a success.

More Wheat in Store.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—The total amount of wheat in store at the terminal and eastern elevators on Oct. 23, 1913, was 15,102,135 bushels as compared with 12,746,758 bushels on the same date last year. On the same date 12,579,239 bushels of other grains were in store as compared with 3,424,400 bushels on the same date last year.

SUPREME EFFORT TO OUST HUERTA

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have been held with that end in view.

Will Be Compelled.

Senator Bacon, chairman of the foreign relations committee, said today the one thing needed to insure a peaceful settlement of the Mexican problem was for the European governments to indicate in some positive way that they intended to leave in the hands of the United States the formation of a policy to be pursued toward Mexico and that they would give the policy their support.

"If this is made so clear," he said, "that General Huerta will understand, he will be compelled to accede to any demand made by the United States and a peaceable solution of the Mexican problem would very promptly be found."

No Denials.

The subject of much comment in official circles is the absence of official denial to the many stories forecasting intervention. Such officials as were asked tonight if they would authorize a denial that the United States might use drastic measures in case Huerta refused to yield, said they did not care to discuss the matter Secretary Daniels of the navy department, when asked concerning the transfer of the American vessels to the east coast of Mexico, for whose relief four other ships are on their way from Hampton Roads, declared that while the transfer ultimately as intended the ships at Vera Cruz had been notified not to leave until ordered. He declared that the navy department had not yet decided when it would order the ships to return, but that for the present seven American warships would be kept in and around Vera Cruz.

Though it had been generally supposed the Mexican Huerta government had made objection to the presence of the American vessels beyond Oct. 26, the date on which official permission for them to stay expired, it was learned today that no objection had been conveyed at any time to the United States through official channels to the presence of the ships. It is believed here that Huerta's proclamation as to the result of the election of Oct. 26 would be made tomorrow or shortly thereafter.

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BURNABY SPRING BIG SURPRISE ON BANKERS

Suburbanites Win Out 1-0—City Run Away from Burquitlam—Rovers Ahead.

Playing a dashing forward game and just as stubborn on the defensive, Burnaby pulled off one of the surprises of the soccer season on Saturday afternoon at Sapperton park when they nosed out a win over the hitherto unbeatable Bankers, present league leaders and last year's champions. Only one goal was scored, Donald for Burnaby registering this early in the first half and from then until the final whistle blew, the suburbanites repelled every attack of the financial students.

One of the best crowds of the season watched the game, half of East Burnaby's population making the trip, confident of their aggregation coming out on top.

Saturday's win for Burnaby has given strength to the opinion that this year's race will be a close one from start to finish with prospects of a play-off at the end of the season between two and perhaps three of the present leaders.

It is interesting to note that the Bankers failed to make any impression against Burnaby last season, both games resulting in draws.

Joe Hart was the star man of the afternoon, although Donald performed the needful on the scoring division. Hart played the best game of his career in New Westminster soccer and was a source of wonder and worry to the defending Bankers. Stacey for the Bankers played his usual brilliant game as full back, his clearances and his all round clean play bringing favorable comment from the spectators.

City 6, Burquitlam 3.

The City eleven continued their winning streak at Burquitlam the same afternoon, taking the homesters into camp to the tune of six goals to three. This was the first home game for Burquitlam and will probably be the last if suitable arrangements can be made for the use of Sapperton park as the venue of double headers, when the suburbanites are scheduled with a home game.

The grounds are perhaps the best obtainable in Burquitlam, but hardly of a class to warrant the players going out and taking chances on the rough turf. In Saturday's fixture, more players received kicks and bruises than in any other game this season solely on account of the unevenness of the grounds. Barnes of the City's full backs, stepped into a hole while making a clearance early in the first half and remained a mere passenger during the rest of the session, Craig being sent to the back division, while Barnes was moved to outside left.

Barclay opened the scoring for the City in the first half followed by one from the foot of Hague. Burquitlam kept plugging along and took more chances on the turf than did the City with the result that until towards the end of the half they were only one goal in arrears.

In the second half the City forwards commenced a bombardment of the Burquitlam sticks, only allowing the ball to get in their territory on three separate occasions during the entire 45 minutes.

Barclay, Hague and Davis divided the honors in goal scoring for the City, securing a brace each. Few, if any, fouls were awarded, the game being remarkably clean.

Rovers 2, Sapperton 1.

At Moody park the Rovers with a weakened team, were forced to extend themselves to the limit in order to secure two points from Sapperton, the game ending two to one in favor of the former.

Even play featured the first half until McLeod, for the Rovers, broke away and gave Birchfield no chance whatever. Early in the second period Chiel became well placed, evening up the score. The half back line of the Rovers was an experiment and gave the back division considerable trouble in clearing. The Rovers were awarded a penalty in the second half, Shawcross failing to penetrate the net. McLeod, who was playing one of his old time games, placed the decision on ice for the Rovers 15 minutes from time. A fair crowd witnessed the struggle, which was closely fought throughout.

OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

Blackburn Rovers and Bury Dislodged from Head of League Tables—Hearts Drop First Game.

Two clubs in old country soccer, which until Saturday had maintained an unbeaten record, went down to defeat, viz., Blackburn Rovers and the Hearts of Midlothian. Both clubs, however, were playing away from home, the Rovers dropping a game at Sunderland while the Hearts were forced to accept defeat at St. Mirren.

The defeat of the Rovers dropped them from the leadership of the first division in place of Manchester United, the old Newton Heath club having lost but one game so far this season, while their win column shows a better percentage than the Rovers who have drawn no less than three games.

The same case applies to the second division clubs, Bury losing premier place to Notts County.

In the Southern league, Swindon Town maintain their present position at the head of the table, two points ahead of their nearest rival, Crystal Palace.

Soccer fans are surprised at the lowly position of several of the premier clubs, notably Aston Villa, Manchester City, Newcastle United and Sheffield United. By this time these four clubs are generally in the running for first place and many are asking whether the old standbys of the clubs are going back in favor of newer material secured by the other organizations.

Saturday's games together with the standings in the first division are as follows:

First Division.

Bolton Wanderers 3, Sheffield United 1.
Burnley 1, Newcastle United 0.
Chelsea 3, Middlesbrough 2.
Everton 1, Bradford City 1.
Manchester United 3, Liverpool 0.
Oldham Athletics 0, Aston Villa 1.
Preston North End 1, Tottenham Hotspur 2.
Sheffield Wednesday 1, Derby County 3.
Sunderland 2, Blackburn Rovers 1.
West Bromwich Albion 0, Manchester City 0.

Second Division.

Birmingham 2, Lincoln City 0.
Bradford City 1, Huddersfield Town 0.
Clapton Orient 1, Barnsley 0.
Glossop 2, Hull City 1.
Grimsby Town 2, Blackpool 0.
Leeds City 2, Bury 1.
Notts County 4, Fulham 0.
Stockport County 0, Wolverhampton Wanderers 0.
Woolwich Arsenal 3, Notts Forest 2.

Southern League.

Norwich City 1, Bristol Rovers 1.
Watford 3, Merthyr Town 0.
Coventry City 2, West Ham United 4
Crystal Palace 2, Plymouth Argyle 2
Reading 2, Southampton 0.
Gillingham 2, Swindon Town 3.
South End United 1, Exeter City 0.
Brighton and Hove Albion 2, Millwall Athletic 0.
Portsmouth 1, Queens Park Rangers 1.

Scottish League.

Hamilton Academicals 3, Aberdeen 0.
Airdrieonians 3, Queens Park 3.
Ayr United 3, Falkirk 2.
Celtic 4, Kilmarnock 0.
Hibernians 1, Clyde 1.
Third Lanark 1, Dumbarton 0.
Partick Thistles 2, Dundee 1.
St. Mirren 1, Hearts of Midlothian 0.
Morton 3, Motherwell 1.
Raith Rovers 0, Rangers 3.

Irish League.

Linfield 2, Cliftonville 0.
Celtic 1, Glentoran 2.
Glenavon 2, Bohemians 0.
Shelbourn 1, Distillery 1.

Northern Rugby Union.

Hunslet 18, Bramley 0.
Battley 8, Swinton 3.
Hull 15, Broughton Rangers 0.

First Division.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Manchester United	9	1	0	18
Blackburn Rovers	7	1	3	17
West Bromwich Albion	5	1	4	14
Bolton Wanderers	6	2	2	14
Oldham Athletic	6	3	1	13
Sunderland	5	3	3	13
Tottenham Hotspurs	5	3	3	13
Everton	4	3	3	11
Burnley	4	4	3	11
Sheffield Wednesday	5	5	1	10
Bradford City	2	2	6	10
Derby County	3	4	4	10
Chelsea	4	5	1	9
Aston Villa	3	5	2	8
Sheffield United	3	7	1	7
Newcastle United	3	6	1	7
Manchester City	1	4	5	7
Middlesboro	1	6	3	5
Preston North End	1	7	3	5

EASTERN RUGBY

McGill Lose Out to Queens—Varsity Win—Wing Wheelers Lose Their Fifth.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 2.—Queens surprised their opponents, themselves and everybody else yesterday afternoon by defeating McGill by a score of 12 to 7. The Montreal men were playing under some disadvantage, however, Lee having a sprained wrist, Draper a twisted ankle and Watrous a sore ear.

Toronto Varsity Jubilant.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—Toronto's Varsity win from the military college, 36 to 11 on Saturday, combined with the unexpected defeat of McGill by Queens, put much heart into the supporters of the local collegiates. Varsity played their best game of the season. If they are able to win the game here with McGill on the 15th, they can tie the league.

A Disastrous Season for M.A.A.A.

Montreal, Nov. 2.—The M. A. A. A. fourteen wound up the Big Four season in Montreal Saturday afternoon by losing their fifth straight game this year. The Hamilton Tigers were the victors by the rather one-sided score of 29 to 12.

Ottawa Combines Win.

Ottawa, Nov. 2.—Ottawa scored a well earned victory over the Argos on Saturday in the Big Four match at Lansdowne park. The game was played before a crowd of over 6000 and it resulted in an Ottawa by a score of 18 to 11. Ottawa's backs out ran the Argos rear guard and on the line Ottawa had a few shades on the visitors.

Winnipeg Union Unsettled.

Winnipeg, Nov. 2.—By defeating the Tigers 11 to 6, after the hardest fought gridiron battle seen here in years, the Rowing club team made a three cornered tie and a play-off between the Tiger, Rowing club and St. Johns will take place this week to decide which team will compete in the final for the western championship.

WHITE KNOCKED OUT

Joe Bayley of Victoria Administers Haymaker to Windy City Boy in Ninth Round.

Sailing in on his opponent right from the first tap of the gong, Joe Bayley, of Victoria, former Canadian lightweight champion, earned the right to be classed as still in the race, on Saturday afternoon at Steveston when he stopped Jack White, of Chicago, after nine rounds of strenuous battling.

Bayley showed a remarkable return to form and had a long lead in the opening rounds before White seemed to get his bearings. With the exception of the fourth and seventh rounds, White was outclassed from bow to stern and at the opening of the eighth stanza, the crowd realized that what was to be a fifteen round affair would finish before the tenth.

A heavy right cross turned the trick in the eighth, Bayley getting a pile of steam behind his blow which staggered the Windy City boy. Dazed from the former round, White appeared dazed at the opening of the ninth and came in contact with another right swing from Bayley, which dropped him for the count of nine. The Chicago boy staggered to his feet, but another blow from Bayley ended matters, Referee McDonald awarding the decision to the Victoria lightweight.

Billy Weeks defeated Bob Brackton in a six round preliminary.

R.C.H.S. COME BACK

B. C. E. R. No Match for Local School Team—First Round Brunswick Cup Saturday Next.

The soccer team of the Royal City High school came back to true form on Saturday afternoon playing at Robson park, Vancouver, when they administered a crushing defeat to the B. C. E. R., the score standing five goals to nil. The Royals played their best game of the season and appeared to have hit the stride which won them the Brunswick cup several years in succession.

Kitsilano Baptists defeated the Seaforth Cadets 5-1, while Cedar Cottage nosed out a win over Kitsilano Presbyterians 2-1.

Next Saturday the Royal City boys entertain the B. C. E. R. on Moody park grounds in the first round of the Brunswick cup contests.

The standing of the clubs is as follows:

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Baptists	6	4	2	0	8
Cedar Cottage	5	4	1	0	8
McLean Park	5	3	2	0	6
R. C. H. S.	5	3	2	0	6
Presbyterians	4	1	3	0	6
B. C. E. R.	5	1	4	0	2
Cadets	4	1	3	0	2

SPORT CHATTER

(By the Potter.)

For a consistent bunch of rooters one has to lift the lid to East Burnaby. Their victory over the Bankers on Saturday will do much to uplift the standing of soccer in this rising village.

Bat Nelson is about to desert his old love—the prize ring—for a new one—the political ring. It is whispered that Bat is after the job of sheriff of Cook county, which includes the big city of Chicago. To many in the Windy City such an announcement would be about as welcome as a squad of coppers butting in on a safe-smashing party.

James L. Sullivan is also after a political plum, nothing less than city clerk of New York.

Harry Vardon and Edward Ray, the two English professional golfers, will be seen in action of the Shaughnessy Heights links in Vancouver today. Vardon and Ray have been picking up some easy money and incidentally showing the golfers of the continent just how the game should be played since young Oulmet defeated them for the open championship several weeks aog.

Freddie Welsh and Saylor are likely to come together again in the near future. Welsh was knocked out on a foul two weeks ago, but Saylor believes he can still lick the English champ.

Rain, in sunny California, was responsible for the postponement of the All-Blacks-University of California rugger game on Saturday afternoon. The two teams will clash again this afternoon.

The City Soccer league delegates will meet in Ryall's office tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in order to settle details for Saturday's Iroquois cup games.

W. M. Clark, who became prominent in cricket, soccer and rugby since he arrived here last winter, having affiliated himself with the New Westminster cricket and rugby clubs and also with the soccer team of the Banks, has been transferred to the Victoria branch of the Dominion bank, leaving for there last evening.

HORNETS DEFEATED

Nanaimo Rugger Players Fail to Make Impression Upon Open Work of Vancouver.

Nanaimo, Nov. 2.—Playing a better and more experienced brand of rugger, the Vancouver 'rep team outclassed the Nanaimo Hornets here yesterday afternoon to the tune of 21 points to 8, this being the opening game for possession of the McKechnie cup.

Two different styles of play were tested thoroughly, the visitors replying on their three-quarters while the Hornets, finding themselves outclassed in open play, attempted to keep the ball at the feet of their forward line. The first half ended 8-3 in favor of Vancouver. In the second half the Vancouvers got away to a flying start, the brilliant work of Baker resulting in heavy gains being recorded for the Terminals.

Baker, Bell-Irving and Richardson were the stars for Vancouver while Bushby, Killeen, Potts and Little showed up strong for Nanaimo.

White Sox Turn Tables.

Houston, Tex., Nov. 2.—The Chicago White Sox defeated the New York Giants 9 to 4 here today. The batting of Crawford for the Sox featured. Fromme, pitching for New York, was unable to stop the Sox, while the Giants bunched hits on Russell in two innings only. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	9	14	4
New York	4	8	3

Batteries: Russell and Schalk; Fromme and Meyers.

COLLEGIANS WIN

St. Louis and John Robson Teams Improve Their Standing—Richard McBride Defaults.

St. Louis college kept up their winning streak in the schools soccer on Saturday by defeating the Lord Kelvin boys two goals to nil. Many admirers were on hand to watch the two games at Moody park, this denoting the interest which is being taken in the junior soccer league. Guichon was the bright star of the college boys, scoring both goals. George Feeney officiated.

The John Robson boys made a runaway race with the Herbert Spencer school to the tune of five goals to nil. Richard McBride defaulted to the High school, the game being scheduled at Sapperton.

School Soccer League.

	W.	L.	Pts.
St. Louis	4	0	8
High school	3	1	6
John Robson	3	1	6
Lord Kelvin	2	2	4
Herbert Spencer	0	4	0
Richard McBride	0	4	0

CHASING THE PUCK

Manager Ed. Savage, of the Arena company, returned yesterday from Portland where he inspected the work going on in the Rose City for a new ice rink.

Ran McDonald is out of the race for manager of the Royals according to what he told The News Saturday evening. The position now rests between Hugh Lehman, the Berlin goaltender, and Kenny Mallen.

Joel Rochon, cousin of George Rochon, is slated for a position on the New Westminster team this winter. Rochon is said to have plenty of speed and has been making a name for himself with the Fort William septette where his home is located.

Every man of the Royals should be in the best of shape when they start practice in about two weeks time. Ken Mallen has been mixed in city league baseball throughout the summer; Ran McDonald is back on the coast after playing lacrosse with Kamloops this past season. Ernie Johnson went back to the simple life last spring, acting as a foreman of one of the gangs at Essondale. Charlie Tobin is back in the city after spending two weeks fishing and hunting around Pitt lake. George Rochon made a name for himself in the Western Canada Baseball league. Hugh Lehman, during the summer months, works with his father laying cement walks, while reports from Eddie Oatman indicates that the star forward is due for another brilliant season.

Fred Lake may possibly take the place of Carl Kendall on the Vancouver team this winter following the dispute between the Ottawas and Skene Ronan. Sam Lichtenhein, of the Montreal Wanderers, is after Ronan, but the Ottawas state he will not play for any team outside of Ottawa and Vancouver. It may turn out to be another Cyclone Taylor case. Taylor was kept out of the game one season owing to a similar dispute, the Listowell star making the jump to the Coast league where he intends to stay.

Several Westminster and Vancouver hockey players will hold their first work-out on Vancouver ice this afternoon.

Coquitlam-B. C. E. R. Draw.

Before a crowd of between 2000 and 3000—which incidentally kicked in with ten dollars as a collection fee—the B. C. E. R. and Coquitlam soccer teams battled to a goaless draw on the Cambie street grounds on Saturda yafternoon. Both sides were considerably strengthened by the inclusion of several players who had made the trip to San Francisco.

The contest was featured by stellar work on the part of both back divisions, Miller and Marshall being especially brilliant for the Port City team, while Worrall saved an almost sure goal by flinging himself at full length during one moment in the second half.

At the Theatres

"THE VAMPIRE" AT THE EDISON THEATRE

Two of the world's most famous dancers, Bert French and Miss Alice Eis, will be seen in the wonderful three-part Kalem production, "The Vampire," at the Edison theatre today. These renowned artists appear in the theatre scene of the picture and present their "Vampire Dance," one of the most extraordinary dances ever shown. The story tells of a country boy who falls into the clutches of an adventuress. She drags him down. When at the lowest depths of degradation, he wanders into a music hall and sees Bert French and Alice Eis in their "Vampire Dance." It tells of an ambitious young artist ensnared by the terrible wiles of a human vampire. The artist is overcome and is lured to death. To the country boy, the playlet seems to picture his own life with the adventuress. Rushing from the theatre he turns over a new leaf and marries his little country sweetheart.

TO SERVE FIVE YEARS FOR ARSON

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by swearing that the boat which was upset was his and the dead man had no interest in it. In sentencing the accused his lordship reflected on the seriousness of perjury.

Sneak Thief.

The court termed Cassio, the Mexican who was given two years, one of those night thieves who sneaked into people's places in the dark.

Oliver Prevost was convicted of stealing a considerable sum of money from S. Lamereaux while he was a guest at the latter's home in Maillardville. After the crime was committed he fled to Ottawa, but was seen by Mr. Lamereaux during a trip to the capital several months ago. Mr. Lamereaux instigated his arrest. In remarking on this case, his lordship stated that the accused had violated the hospitality of another man.

The rather peculiar feature of Frank Hanson's sentence is that he has been returned to the institution where he did service as a guard. Hanson was given two years for intent to commit an indictable offence.

Assault and Perjury.

Before sentencing Richard Goodwin the judge stated that he had decided that the question which arose on Friday with reference to the misconduct on the part of a juryman should be brought to the attention of the provincial and federal authorities. In connection with the verdict in the case of Goodwin the court stated that he must consider the verdict justified which meant that Goodwin was not only guilty of assault, but also of perjury. To what extent the latter should be considered his lordship was not certain. He felt with prisoner's counsel, Mr. Leighton, that the offence was not of a serious nature.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 5, of Blocks 148 and 149, of Lot 92, Group 1, Map 1757, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 2133E, issued in the name of Harry Cline, 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., October 9, 1913. (2226)

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re the Southeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 8, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 13164F, issued in the name of James C. Forlong and Charles Rummel has been filed in this office.

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E. S. WITHERS,
Secretary.
Royal Columbian Hospital, New Westminster, B.C. (2340)

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Construction of Wharfs at Victoria Harbor, B.C.," will be received at this office until 4:00 p.m., on Tuesday, December 9, 1913, for the constructions of Wharfs at Victoria Harbor, B.C.

Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and at the District Engineers' offices at New Westminster, B.C., Victoria, B.C., Confederation Life Building, Toronto, Ont., Post Office Building, Montreal, P.Q., and on application to the Postmaster at Vancouver, 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 Honorable the Minister of Public works, equal to five per cent. (5 p.c.) of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
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RUSSIAN BEAR MENACES JAPAN

Mikado Would Not Dare Attack America on Account of Threatening Muscovite.

Seattle, Nov. 2.—"Japan knew almost every detail of America's preparations for trouble during the last year. But Japan never had the slightest intention of attacking." So spoke John C. Ferguson, one time adviser to the Manchu dynasty in China, and principal owner of the largest Chinese newspaper. Mr. Ferguson spent only a day in Seattle and is now on his way to San Francisco.

"Japan knows—every American in the Orient knows—that she can take the Pacific coast at any time she wants to. At least she could before the completion of the canal. It's another story now that the American fleet can get into the Pacific. But the rulers of Japan were too wise to become involved with Uncle Sam. Taking the Pacific coast would have meant in the end the utter annihilation of the Japanese people at the hands of the Americans, even provided that no one else interfered to help the cause of the white race.

"But far more potent is the Russian menace. Muscovy would have conquered the Japanese in two years more of the war Mr. Roosevelt ended. Not for one day has Russia ceased her preparations for the renewal of the conflict. When she is ready she will strike and not before unless Japan incautiously attacks another power. Let Japan become entangled in a war with the United States and Russia will take the island. Japan will not give Russia the opportunity. The time will come soon enough when Japan must enter into her final struggle for existence."

Scholar in Two Languages.

Mr. Ferguson's paper is published in Shanghai and is called the "Sin Wan Pao." It is the largest newspaper in China, not even excepting the North China Daily News. The latter publication, unlike Mr. Ferguson's, is printed in English. Mr. Ferguson has lived in China for twenty-six years. His home is in Peking, where he amassed one of the most wonderful collections of bronzes in the world. He is a native of Newton, Mass., a fact betrayed in his Emersonian English. His Chinese, of which he speaks many dialects, is said by those who know to be singularly perfect.

"The Chinese," said Mr. Ferguson, "are the most artistic people of the east. They have originality, wit and kindly feeling in the handling of their chosen mediums. Some of my best friends are Chinese. Their viewpoint is the same as ours, their sense of right and justice and morality just the same outside of those things affected by educational and national habit. A Chinese gentleman has more heart and heart of better quality, if I may express myself in that way, than a man of any other nationality."

ACCUSES MARSHAL.

Prisoner Says He Was $4 Short in His Change.

Blaine, Nov. 2.—Marshal H. Nelson was made the defendant in a civil suit this week when John Hayes, a cannery worker, charged him with holding back $4.90 after arresting him and placing him in jail. The trial came before Justice Shay, and a change of venue was taken to Justice Hughes. Hayes placed in the justice's hands $20 to insure the costs of the case in case of failure to prosecute, and the case was deferred until next Friday evening. Both sides will be represented by attorneys.

Marshal Nelson placed Hayes under arrest on a drunk and disorderly charge and the next morning he was fined $5.00 and costs by Police Magistrate R. W. Ridings.

TANGO WRIGGLES SHOCK SPECTATORS AT Y. M. C. A.

North Yakima, Nov. 2.—Wiggles and twists in the carabet scene, the tango chorus and other parts of "The County Fair," a home talent show given recently by 300 of the young people of North Yakima, under the sponsorship of St. Michael's Episcopal church, so shocked one of the secretaries of the local Young Men's Christian Association that he threatened to stop the dress rehearsal last night.

The Young Men's Christian Association's auditorium had been hired for the final practice before the show was presented to the public tonight. The carabet scene not only calls for some intricate wigging by two dozen young men and women but has a background of cigarette smoke.

When its rehearsal was at its height one of the association officials looked in and declared that the rules of the Young Men's Christian Association did not permit cigarette smoking and the tango. In the discussion he threatened to turn out the lights, but was restrained and the rehearsal completed.

The show will be repeated tomorrow night.

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Chrisianity Bound to Conquer the World

Theologians Believe It Will Become Universal—Some Striking Facts and Figures.

Vienna, Nov. 2.—Is the world becoming a world of Chrisians. Austrian theologians and statisticians are busy with this old problem. The thesis that it is, and also that it is not, has been propounded often since Christopher Friedrich V. Ammon wrote his formidable four-volume essay on "The Development of Christianity into a World Religion." Things have changed radically since then, for every measure and reform suggested by Ammon as a means of making Christianity universal has since been condemned and rejected.

Ammon's theory was that the world is slowing growing Christian; and that the Christian religion is being modified and adapted in the necessary direction so that it will find favor with the heathen, but he admitted that the final form of Christianity and the full Christianization of the world were both far off.

Now, after 80 years of preaching Christianity without, and increasing its recentibility and plasticity within, only a third of mankind is Christian and missionary records show that at the present rate of conversion milleniums must pass before—in the words of the Magyar poet, "the last heathen dies obdurate in unbelief, while his children pray for his soul to the Christian Redeemer."

This is a tiresome prospect for everyone, except for paid officials of missionary leagues. But the prospect is less black than it seems. At least that may be judged from the present Austrian discussion, set going by lectures of Herr Arthur Pagacnik and by a remarkable book recently published by Professor Karl Beth, of Vienna. The book is "Die Entwicklung des Christentums zur Universal-Religion," a title almost the same as that of Ammon's big work.

Dr. Beth is the leading Austrian theological writer in the lay world, and though a comparatively young man he has written numerous books, dealing with the theology of Schleiermacher, with Oriental Christianity with the philosophy of Giordano Bruno against Drews' famous "Christion Myth," and on other such subjects, which are all dealt with in liberal but apologetical mood. And in his new work he sets himself to deal with the factors which are making Christianity essentialy a world-religion which has potentialities of conscious free development as apart from mere evolution along predetermined laws. It is in this conscious development to meet the exigencies of the age and of geography and race that he sees a radiant hope that in a not far distant future Christianity will possess the earth.

Optimtisic Over Christianity.

In his lectures Herr Pagacnik began with a fierce attack on what is called the fruitlessness of missionary enterprise; and yet ended with optimistic predictions of universal Christianization. It will be a diluted Christianization. The position of the world, as Herr Pagnacnik puts it, is that in 1909, the last year for which there is a reliable estimate, there lived 550,000,000 Christians, and about 967,000,000 non-Christians. The relative proportion of Christians has in the last century rapidly increased, although there has been a large absolute increase in the number of non-Christians. Christianity owns a much larger percentage of the world than it did in 1800.

But this is not due to missionary conversion, for there has not been a single case of a whole nation going over to Christianity, as nations did in the first millennium A. D. The relative increase in the number of Christions is due to the economic development of Europe, which has enabled five persons to live comfortably on an area which formerly supported with trouble one; to the improved world-communications and commerce which have made Christian mankind (with the sole exception of Russia) proof against famine; and finally to emigration over the Atlantic which has prevented economic pressure and starvation whenever population-pressure in Europe proved too strong.

"It is an inscrutable mystery,' 'says Pagacnik, "that Christ, who denied wealth, has had His religion spread by wealth. Were it not for the abnormal growth of riches in England and America since 1800, it is certain that the number of Christians would be far below the number of Mohammedans, which is probably now less than 250,000,000."

Other Religoins Lost Ground.

Pagacnik says that the intense crowding reached already a century ago in India and China, being combined with low economical development, has prevented anything like an equal increase for the religions of Mohammed, Brahma and Buddha. So these religions, when compared with Christianity, have all lost ground. But this stage of relative Christian increase has now reached an end.

Christianity will not much longer be able to rely on economic superiority. The industrial and commercial developments which formerly made Europe and America able to increase their populations with the greatest speed are now spreading to Asia, and will later spread to Africa. Machinery and organized industrial methods will rapidly raise the economic efficiency of these continents; and if the standard of production rises while the standard of consumption remains as modest as it is, the non-Christian populations of Japan, China, India and Africa will be able to increase at as great a rate as the Christians increased at during the nineteenth century. In this way Christianity, which now embraces a third of the world, threatens, even if it still increases, to see its relative strength decaying, owing to a sudden spurt in population-increase among the awakened colored world.

Pagacnik concludes from this that if it relies merely upon increase of its own population, Christendom will become relatively weaker, or at best, will remain in the present position. In order to increase its shares, it msut relp on propagandism, and not upon birth-rate. Is there, he asks, any prospect of success? Judged by the past, no. Compared with the mass conversions of Europe in the centuries after Christ, the achievements of missionary work in Asia, Africa, Oceana and South America are very small.

The total number of "native Christions" claimed by Protestant and Catholic missions is 16,200,000. That is only 1.4 per cent. of the 1,174,000,000 populations of these continents; or, leaving out America as a primarily Christian continent, and American "native" Christians, it is 0.6 per cent. Asia has 822,000,000 inhabitants, but at most 5,000,000 Christians, the majority of whom are shaky enough in their faith.

Africa, with a population of 140,000,000, has, excluding the whites of the South African union, barely 1,300,000. That implies very small missionary progress; because many of the "native Christians" in all continents are not converts of the last few years, but descendants of men and women who were converted a generation back or more; and it is observed that these Christian families as a result of foreign protection, better hygiene and greater average wealth, have tended to increase more rapidly than does the local heathen population.

Fault of Missions.

Pagacnik declares that the cause of this relative failure is to be found in the words which the king of Wurtemberg addressed in 1897 to the African missionary Kolberg. The king and queen are great friends of missions, and firm believers in the approaching Christianization of the world. The king's observation was that "Christianity must not merely summon; it must also come." Christianity, if it is to win the globe, must not content itself with beckoning the uncomprehending native to its standard; it must provide a standard of a color which will suit his peculiar taste. "The fruit of missions," says Pagacnik, "is that they will not do this. They ascribe far too much importance to formal acceptance of doctrine and precepts; they rejoice when the native accepts these; and then being able to count him as saved, they too often leave him alone. Christianity would be better served by relaxing its dogmas and precepts to the level of the native's understanding; and by seeing that the natives live fairly well up ot this easire relaxed standard. The native will flock to the Christian flag when it means something he understands; something in sympathy with his own crude ideals of morals and theology. Upon Christianity's power thus to develop in fact, to some extent to de-Christianize itself, depends its prospects of conquering the world."

"MASKED BANDITS" WERE ONLY FARMERS' BOYS

Blaine, Nov. 2.—The report that masked men on horseback were lurking in the vicinity of the second railroad crossing on the Lynden road caused a little uneasiness in Blaine the other night. "Bob" Smiley, chauffeur for the International Garage, who was about to leave for a tourist, stranded near Haynie about 11:30 o'clock on Sunday night, was informed by Marshal Nelson of the danger. Marshal Nelson was unable to accompany Smiley at that hour, and Valde Noci was enlisted as bodyguard. When they arrived at the crossing they could see nothing in spite of Valde's brave search and also upon returning a search revealed nothing. The alleged bandits weer observed early in the evening by Ed Whalen, of Blaine, who passed them. They did not attempt to disturb him, and it is believed that the pair were only farmer boys, mischievously staging a Wild West scene.

HALL AND BOWSER DO NOT AGREE

Colonel and Attorney-General Discuss Question of Troops in Strike Zone.

Victoria, Nov. 2.—Fearing that if small detachments of troops were left in the troubled strike zone they would not be able to cope with any possible disorder, it is stated that Lieut.-Col. Hall, commanding officer of the soldiers doing strike duty at Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Cumberland and the other formerly affected places, has refused to consent to Attorney-General Bowser's decision that the force be reduced by slightly over half. "All or none," is Colonel Hall's answer to this.

Since Monday all the men stationed at Ladysmith and Nanaimo and these other places have been under orders to be ready to return any day this week for good. No orders have been given by Colonel Hall regarding a portion of the men returning, it is stated. This is taken to indicate, in the light of the attorney-general's positive announcement at the beginning of the week that 40 per cent. of the force would be left on the scene of the former trouble, that the situation between the civil and military authorities is at a deadlock.

Colonel Hall is of the opinion that he present force is the smallest that could possibly be effective in case of further trouble, while the attorney-general, in the present financial difficulties, dislikes more expense, it is understood.

The latest proposal was to have 25 men at Nanaimo, 25 at Ladysmith, 10 at South Wellington and 10 at Extension. Colonel Hall has given no orders to his officers to carry out any such arrangement as this, however, and it is generally believed that he will not.

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SELKIRK TUNNEL TO TAKE FOUR YEARS

Most Stupendous Engineering Project of Its Kind on the North American Continent.

High up in the Canadian Rockies, soaring to dizzy heights and surmounted by snow-covered peaks, lies the Selkirk range of mountains. Through Mt. McDonald, the largest of these, stretching its topmost point 9,860 fete above the sea level, it is the purpose of the Canadian Pacific railway to bore what will when completed be the most stupendous engineering project of its kind on the North American continent.

Selkirk tunnel will measure, from east to west, five miles through, with an approach of 1,700 feet on the west side, and a quarter of a mile approach on the east. Although actual work on the tunnel itself has not been started, the preliminary preparations, such as sleeping and boarding accommodations, boiler house, general offices and engine house, are being rushed to completion, and it is expected the first of January, 1914, will see the tunnel work started.

The advantages of this tunnel will be three-fold. First and by far the most important, is the fact that the *tunnel will lower the present grade* of the road 545 feet, the approaches on either side having a 2 per cent. grade, and the tunnel itself having a 1 per cent. grade, sloping west.

It also will decrease distance by very close to four miles, and practically does away with the danger arising from *snow slides between Canby* on the west and Bear creek on the east. The distance between Canby and Bear creek is twelve miles, four and a half of this necessitating the use of snow sheds.

To Employ 500 Men.

Somet idea as to the magnitude of the undertaking may be gathered from the fact that over 500 men will be given tseady employment for nearly four years and throughout it will take somewhat over 20,000 yards of concerete to enclose the tunnel.

There are working at the present time on this job about 340 men, these being divided into three groups, or camps. Camp No. 1 is the largest and will be the scene of the main operations. Another camp is located on the west side, and one at Bear Creek, some six miles east of camp No. 1.

Camp No. 1 has at the present time and will continue to have throughout the construction of the tunnel, three steam shovels, there will be put one other shovel, on the east side of the hill.

The portal of the tunnel will be 150 feet wide and 40 feet deep, and it will be necessary to go down 50 feet further before reaching tunnel grade, so, owing to the fact that somewhere in the neighborhood of 240,000 feet of gravel have yet to be removed before actual work on the big tunnel can commence, these steam shovels will have plenty of work ahead.

Change River's Course.

It will be necessary, before getting at the main tunnel, to change the course of the Illecillewaet river for nearly a mile of its course, as this mountain stream rushes directly over wheer the big cut of the tunnel comes. The river will be taken some 300 yards to the left of its present course, and gradually worked back into the original channel.

When the tunnel work is started, there will be at Camp No. 1, seven building, including the permanent buildings for the Canadian Pacific engineers and such men as will be permanently located at the west end. These will be finished considerably better throughout than will be the case with the contractors' buildings, as all building erected for this contract must be figured at a loss, there being little chance of salvage in this timber, the most of which will be destroyed when tearing the buildings down.

The C. P. R. quarters will consist of four buildings, two residences, general *offices and mess house*, or, as they call it on the works, "cook house." They will be located on the right hand side of the tunnel and will be directly over the present course of the Illecillewaet river.

Living Quarters.

The business and living quarters of *the contractors will include two* immense buildings, one boiler house, and an engine house capable of holding four locomotives at one time. The largest of these buildings, given over entirely to the housing of the working force, with the exception of the office staff, will be 360 feet long by 50 feet *wide, and of two stories*. Steam heat, and hot woter for washing purposes, will be supplied from the boiler house, as well also as electric power for lighting both buildings and tunnel.

Shower baths for the men, and from 30 to 36 wash stands are to be located on both the first and second floor. The rooms will be each 12 by 12 feet, with large windows, swinging out, giving plenty of ventilation to each room. The best of mattresses, springs and pillows will be furnished the workmen.

Messrs. Foley, Welsh and Stewart, who have charge of this undertaking, point out that although they may seem to be erecting better and heavier buildings than seem necessary, it is nevertheless a fact that owing to the enormous pressure of the snow in winter, the most substantial buildings must be erected. The average snowfall in the winter, ranging from 20 to 30 feet, has a pressure of over 150 pounds to the square foot.

All buildings will be built upon stilts and will be raised about 12 feet above the ground, the reason for this being that the winter would block all light, and in some cases bury the buildings. Raised walks are also run from the tunnle directly into the building as it would be practically impossible to keep a cleared track trough the heavy snow. These walks are all supplied with roofs.

IT'S ALL BEEN TOLD BEFORE MANY A TIME

Wilson's Mobile Declaration Is a Rehash of Fomer Similar Announcements That Were Not Lived Up To.

That there is nothing new in President Wilson's Mobile declaration that the United States seeks no territory by conquest and that stress of possible circumstances forces its acceptance only with a grain of salt is the opinion of the Spokesman-Review, of Spokane.

The good faith and sincerity of President Wilson's Mobile declaration will not be questioned, says the Spokesman-Review. "The United States," affirmed the president, "never again will seek one additional foot of territory by conquest."

But we have said that before, said it in all sincerity at the time, said it in a period of our national life when we seemed overburdened with existing territory—and the logic of events swept it harshly aside.

Our people do not want a war of conquest; are content with their existing areas, and will make many concessions to avoid war. But once involved, once they have seen their dead and poured out their treasure to prosecute to victory a war that was forced upon them against their deep desire, their resolution may harden as it has hardened before. They will demand indemnity for their sacrifice of blood and gold, and that indemnity may take form in wrested territory, as it has done before.

With all his brilliance there seems something of the superficial about President Wilson. A historian of rank, he seems not to know the history of our clashes with Mexico and Spain.

What Was Done to Mexico.

Mexico has reason to remember our previous war of 1846-7. We went reluctantly then to battle with our sister republic to the south; went protesting in all sincerity that conquest was not our aim and conquered territory not desired. And when that war was ended we took and kept forever New Mexico and California north to the Oregon line.

In a message to the senate of August 1, 1846, Jresident James K. Polk said: "The chief difficulty to be anticipated in the negotiation (for pence) is the adjustment of the boundary between the parties by a line which will at once be satisfactory to both, and such as neither will hereafter be inclined to disturb. This is the best mode of securing perpetual peace and good neighborhood between the two republics.

"Should the Mexican government, in order to accomplish these objects, be willing to cede any portion of their territory to the United States, we ought to pay them a fair equivalent—a just and honorable peace, and not conquest, being our purpose in the prosecution of the war."

Took and Kept Them.

The war, however, was not to be ended in that way. Mexico had not learned her harsh lesson sufficently well. The conflict ran on, and the *temper of our people hardened as* sons were lost in battle. Four months later we find President Polk saying in his annual message to congress:

"The war has not been waged with a view to conquest, but, having been commenced by Mexico, it has been carried into the enemy's country and will be vigorously prosecuted there with a view to obtain an honorable peace, and thereby secure ample indemnity for the expense of the war, as well as to our much injured citizens, who hold large pecuniary demands against Mexico."

A little later the president said in a message to congress: "The doctrine of no territory is the doctrine of no indemnity, and if sanctioned would be a public acknowledgement that our country was wrong and that the war declared by congress with an extraordinary unanimity was unjust and should be abandoned—ad admission unfounded in fact and degrading to the national character."

And again: "Early after the commencement of the war New Mexico and the Californias were taken possession of by our forces. These provinces are now in our undisputed occupation and have been so for many months. I am satisfied that they should never be surrendered to Mexico."

And they never were.

Mexico in 1913 is playing with fire and dynamite as she played with fire and dynamite in 1846.

What Happened to Spain.

It was also thus in our recent war with Spain. Discussing, in his message of December, 1896, the Cuban revolution against the authority of Spain, President Cleveland said:

"Though the United States is not a *nation to which peace is a necessity*, it is in truth the most pacific of powers and desires nothing so much as to live in amity with all the world. Its own ample and diversified domains satisfy all possible longings for territory, preclude all dreams of conquest, and prevent any casting of covetous eyes upon *neighboring regions however attractive*."

And dealing with the same troubled situation a few months later, Prasident McKinley said:

"There is no desire on the part of our people to profit by the misfortunes of Spain. . . . I speak not of forcible annexation, for that can not be thought of. That, by our code of morality, would be criminal aggression."

The whole nation applauded these sentiments, as the whole nation will now applaud the sentiments uttered by President Wilson at Mobile. But when the war was ended this is the protocol which the Spanish minister had to sign:

Article 1. Spain will relinquish all claim of sovereignty over and title to Cuba.

Art. 2. Spain will cede to the United States the island of Porto Rico and other islands now under Spanish sovereignty in the West Indies, and also an island in the Ladrones to be selected by the United States.

Art. 3. The United States will occupy and hold the city, bay and harbor of Manila, pending the conclusion of a treaty of peace which shall determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines.

The nation had seen its dead and looked upon its bullet-riddled battle flags.

WESTMINSTER FUSILIERS.

Battalion Order No. 8 by Major C. E. Doherty, Commanding.

Officers' Leave—Lieut.-Colonel J. D. Taylor has been granted 14 days' leave of absence from October 25.

Officers' Movements—Major A. L. Coote will proceed to Victoria on November 1 for field officers' course, commencing November 3.

Command—During the absence of Lieut.-Colonel Taylor on leave, Major C. E. Doherty will command the battalion.

Officers' Duties—Orderly officer for week ending November 9, Lieutenant Diamond. Next for duty Lieutenant Knight.

Battalion Duties—Battalion duties will be furnished by B company for the week ending November 9.

Orders—Part II of orders will not be published until regimental records have been completed and regimental numbers allotted.

L. E. HAINES,
Captain and Acting Adjutant.
First Battalion 104th Regiment Westminster Fusiliers.

WOULD HAVE U.S. TAKE NEW TACK

American Military Publication Throws Out Some Hints on Mexican Situation.

"Arms and the Man," the Washington publication of which Brig.-Gen. James A. Drain, retired, is the editor, in its issue of October 23, presents a solution of the Mexican difficulty which has earned the approval of many.

Recent developments have made the Mexican pot, so long simmering its stench into our nostrils, an object of more than special interest, as it again threatens to boil over or possibly to blow the lid clear into the air.

We have listened patiently to many plans for dealing fairly by Mexico and for her best good; all the way from immediate annexation and forcible entry to a plea for an attitude of bored indifference. Meanwhile the world waits and watches and Central South America views our every act with strained attention.

What the administration proposes to do is unknown. If definite plans have been decided upon they have not been disclosed. What the United government should do is to ask the A B C of South America (Argentina, Brazil and Chile, the strong nations of the other America) to join hands with us in applying a remedy for the shocking ill-health of Mexico.

Argentina, Brazil and Chile are almost as interested in Mexico as we are. We lie closer, but there are other considerations which have the effect of balancing our nearness. It is not only fair and right that we should join hands with the other strong American nations to correct any unbearable conditions in Mexico or elsewhere in North or South America, but it is expedient from every viewpoint that we should recognize their right to have a full say in American affairs.

Attitude Resented.

The Monroe doctrine, when it was initiated by us, suggests a hen brooding over unhatched chicks of new nations.

The little creatures came out, grew and became strong; they are no longer in need of material protection from us. Naturally they resent the attitude of superiority which such brooding involves. Except for our greater size, they have just as much right to declare a doctrine equivalent to the Monroe, over us, as we have to swing it over them.

Outside of the equities of the case, involved in treating the other Americans as they deserve to be treated, a selfish motive which the United States should not ignore, is found in the fact that should we, on any account, intervene in Mexico, the suspicion with which all our acts touching Latin American affairs on the southern continent and in all Europe, will be increased.

It is worthy of note that the German, Frefich, British and Italian competitors of our busines men are poisoning the minds of the other Americans wherever they can, with relation to the purposes of the United States, and our own stupid acts have often furnished the best material for charges of bad faith and intended aggression.

What we should do now is to invite the three strongest nations in South America to join with us for the purpose of forming a council of administration, to be made up on one or at most two, men from each country represented; this council to frame the general policy and have supreme control of the situation, military and civil.

Pro-Rata Contribution.

Let each country then contribute to the necessary military force required on a basis of its population; thus, Brazil having 20,000,000, Argentina, 8,000,000 Chile 6,000,000 and the United States 100,000,000, each will provide its pro rata share of land or sea forces required. Mexico would be divided into zones, these in turn into districts. Such a force could be used for Mexican requirements without embarrassments which one would expect to arise from the differences in language and variations in methods and armament. In no case would the pacification of Mexico by a force of this character mean a battle on a grand scale. It would mean a series of small combats; nothing more than guerilla warfare. The necessity for coordination of the efforts of the whole force in one grand campaign or series of campaigns would neverarise.

The joining of forces at the top in the council of administration would answer every purpose of unified action.

When peace had been restored and a constitutional president elected, the protectorate should cease and troops and ships of war withdrawn.

That would dispose of the Mexican trouble is the only way in which it can be disposed of to the actual benefit and least injury to all concerned. It would immensely increase the closeness of relations and engender confidence between other Americans and *ourselves, and it would help us* Yankees to realize that we are not alone charged, either by an obsolete doctrine or by the Almighty, with the sole responsibility of preserving peace on American soil.

FORMER U. S. CUSTOMS INSPECTOR UNDER ARREST

Seattle, Nov. 2.—Royal A. Beall, former customs inspector on passenger trains plying between across the international boundary at Sumas, was arrested last night in San Francisco on a secret indictment charging him with having solicited money from a passenger crossing the line.

Indictment against Beall was returned by the federal grand jury in this city several days ago, and Beall, who had left this state, was traced to San Francisco. Ross E. Chesnut, deputy collector of customs; G. E. Channing, special agent of the treasury department, and J. J. Sullivan, deputy district attorney, interviewed Beall in San Francisco, and upon returning to Seattle decided to lay the matter before the grand jury.

Since leaving the employ of the government Beall has served as a fur salesman. He will be brought back to this city at an early date by deputy marshals to stand trial.

Details of the offense with which Beall has been charged will not be disclosed by the government here, but it is intimated that the passenger in *question is a woman who was awaken*ed out of her sleep just as the train was crossing the boundary and asked to hand over a sum of money. Thinking that the money was required as duty the passenger claims to have paid it over.

Just how many passengers had been *approached in this manner or how* much money had been collected the government refused to say. Only one charge was named in the indictment.

MINER DREAMS OF LIFE ON FARM

Sourdough of Long Standing Comes Outside for the First Time in Years.

Seattle, Nov. 2.—Out from the Yukon for the winter for the first time in five years, G. N. Williams, sourdough of Klondike sourdoughs and mining man known throughout the north, has arrived in Seattle. Mr. Williams, who has lived in Alaska and the Yukon for 22 years, is now in the employ of the Guggenheims, and during the past season has been superintendent for the smelter trust magnates in dredging operations on claim No. 3 on Eldorado, a creek where several of the largest fortunes ever taken out of the ground in the Klondike were made.

Williams has accumulated a tidy fortune in mining in the Klondike and intends sooner or later to quit the north forever and settle down and spend the rest of his days on a fine apple ranch he purchased five years ago in the Hood River district in Oregon. One of his objects in coming out this winter was to make a visit to the ranch and ascertain just how much more development work will have to be done or it before he can realize his dream of turning gentleman farmer.

Williams came to Seattle from Australia twenty-three years ago with R. E. Nixon, who later became his partner in Klondike mining ventures and who is now manager of the Hotel Frye. Nixon remained in Seattle for a time, but Williams went north the year after he reached Puget Sound, and was in the teaming business in Juneau when the Klindike was discovered. He was one of the first to reach the new diggings in 1897 and obtained a foothold there that he never lost.

He bought claim No. 27 on Eldorado when that creek was making fortunes for some of the lucky stampeders and was the first superintendent of No. 30, which with one exception was the richest claim on that famous stream. He recently sold No. 27 to the Guggenheims, who are now engaged in a fight with the Treadwell interests for control of the gold dredging situation on Eldorado gulch.

Williams brought south with him his wife and two children, a boy of 14 and a girl of 7, both of whom were born in the Klondike. In honor of Jack Wade Creek on which his father was working at the time of his birth, the boy was named George Wade Williams.

Besides recognition as one of the most expert miners of the Klondike, Williams has goined political honors in the Yukon and is now serving his second term as representative of the Bonanza district in the Yukon council.

SKELETONS AND MISSING MEN

Finding of Human Bones Brings Back Stories of Old Disappearances.

Dayton, Wash., Nov. 2.—The discovery last week near the Little Tucanon of a portion of a human skeleton, which so far is unidentified, has emphasized the fact that during the last few years several hunters and fishermen have gone into the mountains in and around Columbia county and have not returned. About six weeks ago part of the skeleton of Charles Schmidt of Pomeroy, who for three years before had been missing was found near one of the mountain trails that interline the southern boundaries of the county. In this instance there were still left sufficent marks to make the identification certain. In the case of the most recent discovery there is little to aid in identification. A much rusted Winchester rifle, a belt, pocket knife and watch were found.

Mysterious disappearances within the last few years are now being related. About three years ago a hunter, William Lease, came to this city on his way into the mountains, being particularly attracted by the fact that the Columbia county stock association was offering a reward for the capture of a cow-eating cougar that for months had been ravaging herds. His personal belongings are still held at one of the local livery barns where he had deposited them pending his return.

About eighteen months ago Frank Traver did some work for George Wick of this city, who also owns a mountain ranch. After a day or two of labor the man disappeared. The matter was a subject of comment at the time. Some persons think the skeleton recently discovered is that of Traver.

Clark Fenton of the Yakima country came here about three years ago. For a short time he worked for Dave Webster, a local rancher. Immediately after this he started across the mountains on horseback. Being missed by his people at home a brother came from Yakima here to institute inquiry, but nothing has since been seen or heard of Clark Fenton.

KILLED IN AUTO SMASH.

Mount Vernon Man Pinned Under His Car.

Mount Vernon, Nov. 2.—John T. Reed, a real estate dealer of this city, was instantly killed and five other occupants of an automobile escaped unhurt when the machine overturned at 4 o'clock this morning three miles from Mount Vernon, near the Riverside bridge.

J. B. Loughlin, J. L. Ford, Joe Cuck, Lou Pelle and L. H. Vought were riding in the car with Reed, and aside from minor bruises escaped serious injuries. Reed was driving his own machine when it rounded a curve and overturned, pinning him beneath the wheels. He was dead when his friends picked him up.

Mrs. A. E. Moyer, a daughter, and Day Reed, a son, reside in Mount Vernon. Another son is in eastern Washington. Reed has been a resident of this city for fifteen years.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

SOME men don't know the difference between a poker chip and a coat button—when their wives are around.

Nothing is more suspicious than too great an appearance of innocence.

Politics is like the weather—there is always some one kicking about it.

Many a man who is a good sport at the track welshes when it comes to putting up for a new parlor rug.

No house is truly homelike to a man's eye unless it has a mantel that may be used for a footrest.

It takes a true patriot to get any comfort out of the thought that this hot weather is just what the corn needs.

A man may talk about the glories of the old swimming hole, but given the choice between the hole and a bathtub he'd reach for the tub.

One of the worst features of hot weather is the stamp of literature that is handed out to entertain us.

There is no pleasure in life like a good dinner unless it is a bank account that will stand for the same.

The man who takes time by the forelock occasionally gets slugged for his familiarity.

A Heated Protest.

I wish I could go where the green waters flow
The antarctic circle around,
Where icebergs are nigh and aspire to the sky,
Where walruses daily are found,
Where the blizzard is keen and the snowstorm is seen
And also quite plainly is felt,
So gladly I'd hail the sharp frigid gale
Where nothing—no, nothing—could melt.

I wish I could sit where the arctic birds flit
Or else down a glacier could ride
Or sit on the pole where the arctic streams roll
And dangle my feet in the tide.
I wish I could beat a rapid retreat
Away to old Greenland's cool shade,
With nothing to do but to eat Irish stew
From nice frozen walrus meat made.

To live upon ice in the snow would be nice—
Of that I'm as sure as can be—
And gladly I'd go to a distant ice floe
To live on the white arctic sea.
But here I must stay through the hot summer day
In this sun frizzled, heat crazy clime
And patiently wait for the ice wagon's date
To buy what I can for a dime.

Just So.

"Did you present this bill to Williams?"

"Yes."

"Get anything?"

"Kind words."

"That all?"

"Yes, but remember kind words can never die."

"That's all right, but you hustle out and bring in something that looks like money or you and I will differentiate ourselves from kind words by starving to death."

Something to Be Thankful For.

"I think that the women are perfectly shocking nowadays."

"Why?"

"They are so coarse. Some of them even swear."

"Well, as long as their work isn't coarse enough to make you swear you have something to console you."

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Greater Westminster

May Resume Operations.

A fairly well grounded rumor is current in Burquitlam and Sapperton that operations will be resumed on the North road cut of the G. N. R. shortly.

To Arrange Meeting.

A meeting of the West Coquitlam Conservative association will be arranged at an early date to receive the reports of the delegates appointed to attend the Dewdney Conservative convention held at Port Coquitlam.

Local talent will give a concert in St. Patrick's hall this evening. Splendid program. Admission 25 cents. (2344)

Victorian Order of Nurses.

Members of the Victorian Order of Nurses will meet in regular session this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's church will hold their annual Scotch supper and concert on Thursday, November 6. Don't miss it. (231[illegible]

Meet on Tuesday.

The executive committee of the Local Council of Women is to meet tomorrow afternoon in St. Stephen's church at 3 o'clock.

Adressed Meeting.

H. C. Hunt, financial secretary of the Vancouver Y. M. C. A., spoke to a gathering of men at the Y. M. C. A. here yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Miss Eileen Gilley sang at the meeting.

Money to loan on first mortgages, improved city and farm property. 9 per cent. Alfred W. McLeod. (2337)

Increase in Receipts.

An increase of $286.77 over the corresponding month of 1912 is reported by Postmaster J. W. MacDonald in the receipts for October at the local office. This year's figures were $4271.55.

Fred Davis will sell by public auction at the Westminster Auction House, Kings hotel block, on Tuesday, November 4, at 2 p.m. sharp, the household effects of Mr. F. W. Cameron, brought here for convenience of sale. The sale comprises nearly new Monarch range, oak dining table and chairs, beds, springs, mattresses, etc., etc. Full particulars can be had of H. J. Russell at his Westminster Auction House, Kings hotel block. (2329)

Farmers' Institute.

For the purpose of discussing means of obtaining cheap grain for use by the poultry breeders of the district the members of the Burquitlam Farmers' institute will meet in the Burquitlam hall on Monday evening, Nov. 10. Other business will also be transacted.

Don't forget the concert at St. Patrick's hall tonight. Amateur talent. (2344)

Gas Purchase Bylaw.

It is altogether possible that the petition which was signed freely on Friday and Saturday last towards having the city council resubmit the gas purchase bylaw to the people, will be presented to that body at the weekly session to be held this evening. One-fifteenth of the number of eligible voters are necessary for the petition before such can be presented to the council and this number is understood to have been obtained by the workers during the two day canvas.

Amateur Production.

Rehearsals for the amateur comic opera to be staged by James W. Evans will start tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Conservative club rooms, 630 Columbia street. The entertainments are to be given in behalf of the Royal Columbian hospital, under the auspices of the young people of New Westminster, Miss Wright, Miss Corbould, Miss Peele, Frank Major, Matt Knight, C. D. Peele and others co-operating with Mr. Evans in the organization. About 100 participants will be needed, and general invitation is extended for talent to be at the opening rehearsal Tuesday.

Removal of Lightship.

When the board of control of the board of trade met on Saturday morning the lightship matter was once more discussed. Captain Ford, pilot, addressed the meeting. He said the removal of the light would work a great hardship upon vessels from this port. The navigation committee was given the matter to act upon. It was explained that the Fraser river lightship was secured by New Westminster for the river and not for the whole channel.

Municipal Employment Bureau.—People desiring help of any description can be supplied at short notice by applying to the office, City Hall, Clarkson street entrance. Phone 852. (2305)

Burquitlam Athletic Club.

The Burquitlam Athletic club is endeavoring to have basketball included among its athletic activities. At the meeting of the directors of the Agricultural society to be held this evening a delegation from the club will attend to request the use of the hall for practice purposes.

Mikado's Birthday.

Because the emperor of Japan was 34 years old yesterday Japanese of New Westminster, Vancouver and Seattle met in the Japanese mission hall, Sapperton, to celebrate. The event was observed by speeches by men of that nationality, and a good audience was in attendance.

Delay on B. C. E. R.

The burning out of a controller on an interurban car between New Westminster and Vancouver on Saturday evening caused a delay of nearly half an hour before the passengers were transferred to the second car of the doubleheader, the lame duck being detached and dropped at the Lakeview siding.

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. (2338)

Song of Thanksgiving.

Holy Trinity cathedral was filled to the doors last night by people who attended to hear the special service in celebration of Thanksgiving. The regular service was shortened and the choir gave a cantatta "Song of Thanksgiving" by Adams. Those who sang, including all of the four soloists, are regular members of Holy Trinity choir and their presentation of the sacred composition was excellent.

Singing, Scotch dancing, acrobatic stunts at St. Patrick's hall this evening. Admission 25 cents. (2344)

Lives up to His Name.

James Motion of Vancouver lived up to his name when charged with speeding on a motorcycle over Kingsway, Burnaby. Magistrate Beatty who heard the case in court Saturday morning decided that $25 and costs would just about fit the case. Del. Thomas, another Vancouver man, answered two charges, one of riding a bicycle without a light and also with giving the police a wrong address. He was commanded to kick in with a ten spot and costs. W. T. Hautey added $5 to the treasury for failing to have a tail light on his machine lighted.

Killed by B. C. E. R. Train.

While returning from a Hallowe'en dance held near Yarrow station on Friday evening, a man named Fullerton was instantly killed by the westbound freight of the B. C. E. R. early Saturday morning. The crew of the freight did not see the mishap, neither did the crew of the first passenger train which ran over the body. Train No. 3 came across the badly mutilated body of Fullerton, who was a musician, the remains being taken to a nearby camp where an inquest will be held some time today. Just how the man happened to be walking the track at that time of day has yet to be discovered.

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Raid Alleged Opium Joints.

Chief Bradshaw and Detective Burrows swooped down upon three alleged opium joints in the Chinese quarter late Saturday evening with the result that six names were entered on the police blotter, the keeper of one joint leaving $50 as bail money, while the other five deposited $100 in all calling of their appearance in court this morning. Three charges of vagrancy and one of supplying liquor to Indians will be heard before Magistrate Edmonds this morning.

No New Evidence.

Although Police Officers William Stanton and Pare, of Fraser Mills and Coquitlam municipalities, respectively, have been working on the case, little evidence has been discovered in connection with the suicide discovered at Fraser Mills early Friday morning. The man's name is believed to be that of G. McCue, but his home or relatives have yet to be found. Dr. McQuarrie has been notified of the case, but when seen last evening stated that unless more particulars are brought out, he would not deem it necessary to hold an inquest as it appeared to him to be nothing more than a deliberate and successful attempt of suicide. The body still lies at Murchie's undertaking parlors awaiting burial.

Charity Begins at Home.

To the congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last night Rev. Dr. Pidgeon preached a sermon which, summed up, was really an elaboration of the adage "Charity begins at home." The preacher told how people often watched the vineyard of others while their own needed attention. A church should look to its own faults before finding those of others or even before trying to repair those faults. Not that others should be neglected, but at the same time people and churches should be watchful of their own good.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. S. Swain, of 818 Sixth avenue, have returned after an extended and very enjoyable tour of eastern Canada and the New England states, spending a most entertaining and pleasant holiday revisiting old friends and scenes of their early Canadian associations.

F. Stanley, of Burquitlam, has succeeded Fred Cockerill as secretary of the West Coquitlam Conservative association. Mr. Cockerill is now recovering from a very serious and protracted illness which prevented him from attending to his duties as secretary of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Reid have just returned from a very pleasant trip to Appleton, Wis., where they attended the golden wedding celebration of Mrs. Reid's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Walker accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Walker back to this city, with the intention of remaining here for a period on a vacation. On the return trip the party took the southern route, making stop overs at Denver, Salt Lake City and Portland.

Miss Mable Armstrong was the guest at an enjoyable party given on Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. West, Edmonds. In view of her marriage, which takes place today at noon to David McWaters, Miss Armstrong was given a miscellaneous shower, which included presents of every description ranging from silverware and table linen to rugs and kitchen utensils. Games, music and refreshments contributed to the pleasure of the affair.

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Mexicans Arrest American.

Nogales, Mexico, Nov. 2.—Dr. S. F. Williams, a physician formerly of Los Angeles, has been arrested and imprisoned by General Ojeda, the federal commander at Guaymas, according to information received today by American Consul Simpich. Dr. Williams, who had been practicing at Hermosillo, the Constitutionalist capital, went to Guaymas several days ago, against the advice of friends.

Religious Census.

Saskatoon, Nov. 2.—On Nov. 15 a religious census will be taken. Twenty-one districts have been blocked out and the workers who are allied with the various churches will each have 25 to 50 houses to call upon. The ages are classified under 3, from 3 to 12, 13 to 19 and over 19.

OBITUARY.

DANIELS—Herbert Myers Daniels, age 7, died Oct. 24, 1913, at the home of his parents, Alfred R. and Eethel B. Daniels, corner of Rose avenue and San Pasqual street, Pasadena, Cal. Burial at Rosedale cemetery, Los Angeles, Oct. 25, private, with Rev. Leslie E. Learned, rector of All Saints church officiating.—Pasadena, Star.

McDONALD—The remains of the late Beatrice McDonald were laid to rest yesterday morning in the Roman Catholic cemetery, Rev. Father Beck administering the rites of burial. At 9:30 o'clock the funeral took place from the home of the deceased's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McDonald, 119 Agnes street, to St. Peter's church thence to the cemetery.

GILBERT—The funeral of the late Chas. Wilfred Gilbert took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence, Edmonds, to the Edmonds Anglican church, and from there to the Church of England cemetery. The deceased was an Englishman and the sons of England attended the funeral in a body. His widow and two children survive.

HIDAKA—S. Hidaka, the Japanese who was hurt in a lumber camp at Mt. Lehman some weeks ago, died in St. Mary's hospital on Saturday and that afternoon burial, with the rites of the Buddhist faith, was made. A priest of that religion from Vancouver officiated and interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery here.

STOTT—There died at his home, 240 Keary street, on Saturday morning William Stott, for 18 years waterworks superintendent of New Westminster. Deceased was over 60 years of age and retired from the position he held so long three years ago. Under his supervision the city waterworks system has been brought into being. His first work for the corporation was when the first pipe line was installed, his capability on this work winning for him the position of superintendent. He superintended the laying of most of the mains in this city. Deceased was a native of Scotland, coming to this city about 20 years ago. The funeral will take place tomorrow at 2:30 p.m. from Knox church, Sapperton.

DIED.

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