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Death of "Holy Roller" Prophet is Avenged

GEORGE MITCHELL KILLED BY SISTER

Tragic Sequel to the Acquittal of the Murderer of Creffield Is Suddenly Enacted in the Union Station in Seattle—Avenger Arrested.

Seattle, July 12.—George Mitchell, the youth who recently shot and killed Franz Edmond Creffield, a Holy Roller prophet, and was acquitted of the charge of murder on a plea of insanity, was today shot and killed by his sister Esther in the Seattle union station.

Esther Mitchell joined the Holy Roller sect at Corvalis, Ore., and was one of the most ardent of Creffield's followers. When her brother pursued the leader of the Holy Rollers to Seattle and shot him in the street, he pleaded in justification that Creffield had deluded and wronged his sister.

George Mitchell was acquitted on the charge of murder on Tuesday, and nearly all of the following day he spent in searching for Esther in Seattle lodging houses. She had refused to be comforted after the death of Creffield, and would not have anything to do with her brother.

She was finally found, however, and came to the railroad station to see her three brothers, George, Perry and Fred, off to their home in Oregon.

The brothers and sister were sitting on a bench in the station waiting room, talking and apparently on the best of terms.

When the Oregon train arrived George arose and started for the door. At this moment his sister stepped to his side and pointing a revolver at his head fired the fatal shot before any one else in the room realized what was happening.

Miss Mitchell was arrested shortly after the shooting.

Perry and Fred Mitchell were arrested as witnesses. They were found together on a bench, sobbing on each other's shoulders.

CAVEN OF VICTORIA MAKES 9 BULLS EYES

Capt. Forrest of Vancouver Makes Five—Scotland Wins the MacKinnon Cup.

Bisley Camp, July 12.—In a strong and shifty wind this afternoon Sergt. Major Caven, of Victoria, made nine bulls'-eyes in the MacKinnon cup match at 600 yards. His score was 5, 5, 5, 3, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5—48. Capt. Forrest, of Vancouver, in the same match made five bulls'-eyes his score being 4 4, 5, 3, 4, 5, 3, 5, 5, 5—43. The other scores were fair.

Scotland won the MacKinnon challenge cup today. The scores were: Scotland, 1,445; England, 1,420; Canada, 1,376.

Water for Klondike.

Dowson, July 12.—J. C. Noel, member of the Dawson bar, who returned from Ottawa a few days ago, reports that the big company for the installation of the giant water system for the Klondike has been incorporated. London capital has been secured to back the company. The water has been applied for on the upper Klondike by Palmer Bros., who are associated with other Klondikers.

Mr. Noel will remain here for the season, and perhaps longer.

Thaw's Trial.

New York, July 12.—It was reported tonight that it is the intention of District Attorney Jerome to put Harry Thaw on trial the first Monday in October for the murder of Stanford White.

Careless With Revolver.

Winnipeg, July 12.—The careless handling of a revolver by a clerk in a second-hand store today nearly terminated in a fatality. The firearm was discharged, and the bullet shattered the clerk's hand and struck a horse on the further side of the street.

ORANGEMEN SPEND DAY AT ABBOTSFORD

Speeches, Music, Sports, Bathing, etc., Makes Up a Most Enjoyable Programme.

About two hundred Orangemen left yesterday morning on a special C. P. R. train at 6:20 a. m. for Abbotsford, and were joined by about 400 more from other points, who celebrated the day in their company. The picnic was held on a farm on the shores of the lake, where all arrangements for the celebration had previously been made. The ladies of Abbotsford were out in full force and vied with each other in entertaining the visitors.

A programme of races and Caledonian sports was indulged in, while a large number enjoyed the bathing facilities. In the afternoon addresses were delivered by well known speakers. Rev. Mr. Kidd delivered an address of welcome on behalf of Abbotsford. William Dunlop, of the grand lodge of British Columbia was in the chair. Other speakers included Rev. A. J. Brace, James Calvert of Mission City, R. H. Cairns, Ald. Garratt and Rev. Henry Wilson.

Leslie's fife and drum band accompanied the New Westminster Orangemen, while music was also supplied by the Mission City brass band and a fife and drum band from Chilliwack. Continuous music was supplied throughout the day, and a most enjoyable time was spent. The party left for home again at 6:20 p. m., arriving here about 9 o'clock. Mr. Cooksley accompanied the picnickers and took several photos of groups and points of interest in the neighborhood.

Fatal Accident in Mine.

Thetford Mines, Que., July 12.—Alex Paridis, 43 years of age, was instantly killed; Thomas Poulni, 22 years of age, fatally injured, and Hudger Dubries, 19 years old, seriously injured this morning by a fall of loose rock in the King's asbestos mines. All are married men.

NEEDS OF EMPIRE

London, July 12.—The Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire this morning unanimously adopted a resolution moved by J. E. Ellis, of Toronto, and seconded by F. H. Matthewson, of Montreal, that the British government adopt rates of postage to encourage the circulation of British newspapers and periodicals in all parts of the empire and thus promote trade unity.

The congress also adopted a resolution advising that colonial postoffices of the empire adopt uniform rates of parcel post.

A resolution was adopted requesting the imperial government to devise means whereby cable and telegraph news to and from all parts of the empire would be furnished entirely through imperial channels.

The tax imposed by some colonies on commercial travellers came up for discussion and a motion to have it abolished was carried.

A resolution by Col. Pontan, Belleville, advocating that the consular service of the empire be supplemented by the appointment of intercolonial commercial agencies, the colonies to bear cost, was carried.

A resolution that Newfoundland and the West Indies be brought into the Canadian confederation was withdrawn at the instance of the delegates from Australia, West Indies and New Zealand, who objected that the question was beyond the functions of the congress.

A resolution by C. N. Bell, Winnipeg, recording the opinion of the congress that British emigrants should settle in British colonies, was carried.

WATER FRIGHTENS A DELIVERY HORSE

Runaway Results and Little Child Is Knocked Down on Begbie Street.

The sudden sprinkling of water over a horse's legs caused a runaway yesterday afternoon on Columbia and Begbie streets. A horse and delivery cart belonging to the Pacific Meat Market were standing in front of the store when the street sprinkler came along, and passing too close to the standing horse sprinkled a liberal quantity of water over him. This so startled the horse that he bolted at full speed down the street, finally turning into Begbie street.

A little child who happened to be standing in the street was knocked down, but happily escaped injury.

The runaway was finally stopped near the Salvation Army barracks, a large smokestack lying across the street affectively checking the horse's wild race. No damage was done to the horse or cart.

Litigants Agree.

In the case of Rand vs. Peen, tried at Mission on Wednesday before His Honor W. Norman Bole, the disputed point being alleged damage that had been done to the land of the plaintiff by the erection of a fence, the parties to agree to leave the matter in the hands of his honor as arbitrator. Judge Bole got both parties to agree that each of them should fence up an equal portion of the land and notify the arbitrator when they had done so, when he would visit the premises to ascertain what damage had been done if any.

New Insurance.

Toronto, July 12.—Manager Hewton, of the insurance department of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, says two members of the association have signed agreements with the insurance branches of the association, which will be doing business in a few weeks.

BAND WILL PERFORM AT LACROSSE MATCH

Attraction at Queen's Park on Saturday to Be Enlivened by Music.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the New Westminster lacrosse club, held in H. Ryall's office last evening for the purpose of discussing arrangements for the match which is to be played with the Vancouvers at Queen's park on Saturday afternoon, it was decided to engage the Citizens' band to furnish music. Arrangements were quickly made with hte business man of the musical organization and a band of fiften pieces is promised for the occasion. The band will play a couple of selections on Columbia street before proceding to the park, where it will discourse music between the quarters of the match.

The question of referees will be decided this morning. It should have been decided four days ago, but the representatives of the opposing team were unable to reach an agreement. Unless they agree by 9 o'clock this morning President Welsh will exercise his perogative and select two referees from among the official bunch.

Hamilton Tragedy.

Hamilton, July 12.—Magistrate Jeffs has remanded Alex McDonald until tomorrow without2 bail. He is held on a charge of aggravated assault, but this may be changed to manslaughter, as the man he kicked, Andrew McGarvey, died after the information was laid.

Bees Captured.

The firemen at No. 1 hall have been presented with a swarm of bees which was captured by the employees of the creamery yesterday morning. The bees were resting on the market piles when a box was placed over them, and they were made prisoners. They will be taken to Capt. Esplin's residence to keep company with the swarm he captured a couple of weeks ago on Columbia street.

BAPTISTS DISCUSS VARIOUS QUESTIONS

Scheme for Erection of College is Outlined—Delegates Ask Support for Provincial University—Prof. Kierstead Disapproves of Secular Idea.

The question of the erection of a new college by the Baptists was fully discussed yesterday morning at the convention in the Olivet Baptist church. Rev. A. J. Saunders, who had taken an active part in the preparation of the plans for a building, spoke at length on the project, and said that a site had been offered to the Baptists at Summerland by James Ritchie, who had offered $20,000 towards the building fund. The sustenation of the college would be the hardest to meet, but this could be overcome by a plan whereby shares of $100, payable 10 per cent. each year, could be promised. Five hundred of these shares would be enough to justify the work being started. No definite vote was taken on the question, but the general sympathies of the Baptists present at the convention was strongly in favor of the college.

The report of the education board was presented by Rev. A. J. Pineo, who in the course of a few remarks commended the action taken by Mr. Saunders in connection with the building of a college. The following resolution was submitted:

"Whereas, as we as a convention recognize our obligation to encourage and promote in all possible ways the means for general education in our provinces, and, whereas, through the devoted generosity of a number of brethren in Summerland and elsewhere, and through the zeal of Rev. A. J. Saunders in organizing and promoting the work, lands have been donated and pledges of financial support have been given in order that a school of learning may be established under Baptist influences and control; resolved, that this committee gratefully accept the proffered resources with the responsibility of organizing and managing through its education board such school or schools as may be possible without pledging the property or credit of the convention."

The resolution will be discussed at this morning's session.

A deputation consisting of Judge Henderson, Mr. Cowan (barrister, Vancouver)., and Dr. Pierson was introduced to the session. All three addressed the convention on the need of higher education in the province, and proposed the establishment of a provincial university. After some discussion the following resolution was moved, but, with the preceding one, it was left over for decision until a later date:

"Whereas, the steady advance of educational standards necessitates that better and more extended provision should be made for the higher education of the youth of this province; resolved, that this convention declare itself in favor of the immediate establishment of a provincial examining university with which all colleges within the province, attempting university work could become affiliated, and resolved that this convention is in favor of the establishment as soon as practicable of a teaching university supported and conducted by the provincial government, resolved that the government of British Columbia be requested to set aside one-fourth of all public lands in the province, to be known as aducational lands, the proceeds of the sale or lease of such lands to be devoted to the maintenance and promotion of secondary and university education within the province, and further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the minister of education, requesting him to take action in reference thereto, and that a committee of three or more of the educational board wait upon th minister to urge that such policy be at once inaugurated.

Religion in Children.

The afternoon session was opened by Rev. H. B. West, who conducted the "Half-hour With the Word." He was followed by Mr. James Edmonds, of Portland, Ore., who spoke on the religious aspects of childhood. He handled his theme in a masterly manner, and for close on an hour he kept the attention of the audience riveted upon him. The report of the B. Y. P. U. was adopted after certain discussion. The following are the chief features of the report: A general rally was held during the past year at Victoria. The condition of the society was about the same as the previous years, and new societies had been formed at Nelson, Nanaimo and at Fairview church, Vancouver. The report very highly praised the work of the recently organized B. Y. P. U. Association, which comprised the local association, as well as the sister societies of Vancouver. At the rally held in Victoria it had been proposed to form a provincial society, and the report endorsed the recommendation.

Young People.

The next speaker was Rev.Dr. Bates, of Toronto, who spoke upon "How to teach young people." He spoke at length upon his own experiences in the matter, and instanced the work done by him in Toronto. His idea was that to keep the young people interested they must be put to work and that was the plan he followed, setting his class of young men to conducting a boys' service every Sunday morning. His address was closely followed, and bristled with helpful hints for those interested in young people's work.

Address on Education.

At the evening session the opening exercises were conducted by Rev. H. W. Piercy. This was followed by an address on education by Rev. Dr. C. B. Parker, of Winnipeg. He spoke on the necessity of instructing the young people in the religious truths, and said almost every one has come at some time or other under the influence of the power of God. Even Bradlaugh, the greatest of all English infidels, had once been a member of a Bible class, but he had drifted away from the truth. The Bible should be taught in the schools, and taught there every day. When this is being done there is a possibility that men will begin leading better and purer lives. Man was a creature of impulses, and unless trained in infancy

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Only One Voice Raised For Beauty of Niagara

Niagara Falls, N. Y., July 12.—Application was made by the Canadian Power Company to be allowed to transmit 298,000 horsepower from its plants to the United States. The Burton bill allows only 160,000.

Horace J. MacFarland, of Harrisburg, Pa., president of the American Civic Association, was the only speaker at the hearing who touched upon the question of preserving the scenic beauty of the falls.

Secretary Taft visited all the power plants this afternoon in order to gain personal knowledge of the conditions. He left for Washington tonight.

Power From Niagara.

Toronto, July 12.—It is definitely settled that power from Niagara Falls will be delivered in this city by October 1 to supply the street railway and for power and lighting purposes.

Salvadorean Leader Slain on Battle Field

Washington, D. C., July 12.—Regalador, former president of Salvador, and the leader of the Salvadorean troops in the present conflict with Guatemala, was killed in battle today.

The announcement of his death reached the state department through a dispatch from the United States minister at San Salvador.

The dispatch stated that Regalador was killed in the last movement of the Salvadorean troops against the Guatemalans, but did not indicate what the result of the battle was.

Court-Martial at Halifax.

Halifax, July 12.—Four members of the army service corps who were arrested last week for refusing to go to work when requested are to be court-martialed. The charge, it is understood, will be mutiny.

MINERS AND HUNTERS BUSY AROUND LILLOOET

Grizzlies and Black Bears Are Plentiful—Black Wolf Is Brought Into Camp.

Lillooet, July 9.—There has been very little change in the mining aspect during the last month or so.

Work is going ahead on the Lorne. The owners have already sent one cleanup to the bank.

Development work on placers still goes on at Alexander creek, Horseshoe Bend and the old Vancouver enterprise on Cayoosh creek.

Experts have been in to visit two or three quartz propositions, and one deal has already gone through on Bridge river.

The dredge on Horsebeef bar is working every day now, the repairs she underwent last winter putting her in shape to handle 2,000 yards a day without any stoppage for further repairs. Forest fires destroyed nearly 100 cords of wood which contractors had cut. There were about a thousand cords piled in the vicinity, but luckily the wind was not blowing in that direction.

County court was held on the 4th. Judge Henderson presided. The cases were Phair vs. Sutherland, Phair vs. Williams, Cherry vs. Marshall, Cherry vs. See Huig Lung, Eagleson vs. Johnson. All were suits for debt, and the plaintiff got judgment in all of the cases.

J. P. Babcock, provincial fishery commissioner, came in on tonight's stage. A few sockeye have been caught in the river during the past week, so there is a prospect of operations commencing at the hatchery soon.

Hunting parties have been very successful this year. Four grizzlies and quite a number of bear have been brought in.

Some of the town boys were out also, and have enough bear yarns now for the whole of next winter. One of them wounded a very big grizzly and followed him for a couple of days. Another brought in a black wolf, an animal not often seen in these parts.

J. Russel, deputy game warden, has returned from the Upper Bridge river. He says that no Chilcootins are hunting there this year.

We have been having a very hot spell, the thermometer going to 104 in the shade.

FULL COURT DECIDES AGAINST GOVERNMENT

J. S. Emerson Is Still a Winner in the Log Seizing Case.

J. S. Emerson has once more bested the provincial government in a legal bout, and the government pays the costs. In the appeal of Emerson vs. Skinner, in which R. J. Skinner, provincial timber inspector of Vancouver, appealed against the decision of Chief Justice Hunter, who refused to set aside a writ of replevin secured by Mr. Emerson, the full court at Victoria yesterday handed down a decision unanimously dismissing the appeal with costs.

It is understood on good authority that the department of lands and works, which is really behind Mr. Skinner, will carry an appeal to the privy council.

This action arose as a consequence of the passing of the timber manufacturer act, a bill introduced at the last session of the local legislature by Hon. R. F. Green, chief commissioner of lands and works. A provision of this bill was that all logs cut under hand loggers' licenses must be manufactured in the province of British Columbia. Prior to the passage of the act Mr. Emerson had secured some ten or fifteen million feet of logs cut under hand loggers' licenses, and he proposed to export them, claiming that the act was not retroactive.

Learning of his purpose, Mr. Skinner, acting on instructions from the department at Victoria, seized the logs. Then Mr. Emerson, through his lawyer, Mr. Taylor, of Taylor, Bradburn & Innes, secured an order of replevin on the logs. The government appealed before Chief Justice Hunter to have the writ of replevin set aside. He dismissed the appeal with costs.

Not satisfied with the decision of the chief justice, the government took an appeal to the full court, with the result mentioned.

THE AMBER HARVEST.

Work of the Waders and the Divers of the Baltic Sea.

The poor people who earn a precarious livelihood by gathering amber on the shores of the Baltic sea work only in the roughest weather. When the wind blows in from the sea, as it often does with terrific violence, the bowlders are tossed and tumbled at the bottom and great quantities of sea wrack are washed up on the beach. This is the harvest of the waders, for hidden in the roots and branches of the seaweed lumps of the precious gum may be found.

In other parts of the coast divers go crawling on the bottom of the sea for the lumps of amber hidden in seaweed and under rocks. It is believed that once a great pine forest flourished here where the great billows roll and that amber is the gum exuded from the trees, of which not a vestige remains.

The finds are very variable. The largest piece known, weighing eighteen pounds, is in the Royal museum in Berlin. The usual finds range from lumps as big as a man's head to particles like grains of sand. The larger pieces are found jammed in rocks or in tangles of marine vegetation. Divers work from four to five hours a day in all seasons, except when the sea is blocked with ice. The work is so arduous that they are bathed in perspiration even in the coldest weather. For all their grinding toil the Samland natives are happy in their way and increase and multiply as in more favored regions of the earth.

Doctors as Empire Builders.

The East India company in their attempts to make headway in India were signally indebted in various stages of their progress to humble practitioners in medicine. It was in consequence of a cure effected on the favorite daughter of one of the Mogul emperors that they had first been allowed a footing in Bengal.

Later still, in the year 1715, a medical man named Hamilton, as a reward for curing the reigning emperor of an illness, obtained for the company a grant of three villages near Madras, a permission to purchase thirty-seven townships in Bengal and the privilege of introducing and conveying their merchandise from Calcutta through Bengal without duty or search.

The footing thus gained and the accompanying patronage and encouragement enabled the East India company to make such progress as to cut out all foreign rivals. So England, through the company, gradually obtained full sway over India.—London Mail.

Modern Greek Fire.

"Marine torches" are the direct descendants of the Greek fire of the ancients, though the modern torch is used for defense rather than offense and prevents the surprise of a fleet through the silent approach of an enemy.

It consists of an aluminium cylinder used as a projectile. On being fired from a gun it produces no result until it falls into the sea. In its interior it contains stores of calcium phosphide and calcium carbide. The former produces phosphureted hydrogen on contact with water, which ignites spontaneously and also ignites the acetylene gas liberated from the carbide through the action of the water. Enough of the chemicals is contained to last for ten hours, and a few of these torches thrown to the points of the compass from which attack might be expected would leave the defenders in obscurity, while not permitting the enemy to approach.

English Cream Cheese.

Very thick cream is poured carefully into a linen bag and this hung up, with a basin underneath to catch the whey, in a cool room or cellar. The air in the room must be pure, as the cream easily absorbs odors. When the whey is partly drained off, the bag is twisted tight and bound so as to dry the curd more. Then, after twenty-four to forty-eight hours, according to temperature and the consistency of the cream, the "cheese" is ready to eat and may be molded as desired. This "English cream cheese" is hardly cheese, as no rennet is used. Perhaps it should be called a "sour cream curd."

Ohio Trees.

Even the trees in Geauga county, O., are full of wealth. Dwight Hues and Edgar Saber of Huntsburg cut down an old elm tree during the first week of December in which were two coons, a swarm of bees and two pails of honey. The tree was also valuable for its timber.—Gardening.

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Synopsis of Regulations for Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory.

COAL—Coal lands may be purchased at $10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

QUARTZ—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miners' certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $7.50 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1500x1500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end of the line of the lode, or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if ocated within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon Territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of a Royalty of 2½ per cent. of the sales of the products of the location.

PLACER MINING—Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory: Placer mining claims generally are 100 feet square, entry fee $5, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, not exceeding 1000 feet. Where steam power is used claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the Rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged beds or bars of the river below any low water mark, and subfor first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty same as placer mining.

Placer mining in the Yukon Territory—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch, the width being from 1000 to 2000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten days if the claim is within ten miles of the mining recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hold a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim of 1000 feet in length, aand if the party consists of two, 1500 feet altogether, on the output on which no royalty shall be charged the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee $10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent. on the value of the gold shipped from the ject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee can dredge to high-water mark on each alternative leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction thereof is sufficient. Rental, $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds $10.000.

Dredging in the Yukon Territory—Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of 20 years; also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bar or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental $100 per mile Yukon Territory to be paid to the comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying fee of $2. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river, by giving notice and paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.

A certificate that work has been abandoned, anad open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

Berths on their sleepers are longer, higher and wider than in similar cars on any other line. They protect their trains by the Block System.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon Official Gazette.

Petroleum—All unappropiated Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and within the Yukon Territory, are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the minister may reserve for an individual or company having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 1920 acres for such period as he may decide, the length of which shall not exceed three times the breadth. Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well, will be sold to the prospector at the rate of $1 an acre, and the remainder of the tract reserved, namely, 1280 acres, will be sold at the rate of $3 an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by Order in Council.

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Lv. N. W. 4.35 p.m.; ar. Seattle 10 p.m
Lv. Seattle 8.30 a.m.; ar. N. W. 3 p.m
Lv. Seattle, 4.34 p. m., ar. N. W. 9.35. p.m.

V., W. & Y.—VANCOUVER

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Victoria	10.30 a.m.	10.00 a.m.
East Burnaby	1.15	1.20 p.m.
Steveston, etc.	1.30 p.m.	10.30 a.m.
East, via C. P. R.	4.45 pm.	7.10 p.m.
East, via C. P. R.	10.00 p.m.	10.30 a.m
Sap., Mill, Coq'm.	4.45 p.m.	7.10 p.m.
Van. & Burnaby	3.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Timberland, Tues., Friday	12.00 m.	12.00 m.

THE CODE OF HONOR.

Dueling as It Was In France In the Time of Richelieu.

The passion for dueling, which had cost France, it was said, between 7,000 and 8,000 lives during the twenty years of Henry IV.'s reign, was at its height when his son came to the throne. The council of Trent in 1545 had solemnly condemned the practice of single combat, impartially including principals, seconds and spectators, its penalty of excommunication. In 1602 an edict of Henry pronounced the "damnable custom of dueling introduced by the corruption of the century" to be the cause of so many piteous accidents, to the extreme regret and displeasure of the king and to the irreparable damage of the state, "that we should count ourselves unworthy to hold the scepter if we delayed to repress the enormity of this crime."

A whole series of edicts followed to the same effect, but it was easier to make edicts than to enforce them. Degradation, imprisonment, confiscation of property, loss of civil rights and death were the penalties attached to the infringement of the laws against dueling, and still the practice prevailed. In 1626 Richelieu published a milder form of prohibition. The first offense was no longer capital, a third only of the offender's property was to be confiscated, and the judges were permitted to recognize extenuating circumstances.

A few months later the Comte de Bouteville thought fit to test the minister's patience in this direction. The Place Royale had long been a favorite dueling ground, and De Bouteville traveled from Brussels to fight his twenty-second duel here, in the heart of Paris, in deliberate defiance of the king's authority. The result was not encouraging. Montmorency though he was, the count went with his second to the scaffold, and the marked decrease from that time in the number of duels may be attributed either to the moderation used in framing the law or to the inexorable resolution with which it was enforced.—Macmillan's Magazine.

RUSSIAN PROVERBS.

Roguery is the last of trades.
Without cheating, no trading.
Every fox praises his own tail.
A debt is adorned by payment.
A good beginning is half the work.
Every little frog is great in his own bog.
Trust in God, but do not stumble yourself.
Go after two wolves and you will not catch even one.
If God doesn't forsake us, the pigs will not take us.
The deeper you hide anything the sooner you find it.
Be praised not for your ancestors, but for your virtues.
Send a pig to dinner and he will put his feet on the table.

Hops In England.

The English were taught the uses of hops by a native Artois, who introduced them into England in 1524. They met with some hostility, for physicians represented them as unwholesome, and parliament was petitioned against them as a "wicked weed." In 1528 their use was prohibited under severe penalties. Henry VIII. appears to have been prejudiced against hops, for in a manuscript, dated Eltham, January, 1530, occurs an injunction to his brewer "not to put hops or brimstone" into the ale.

The Living.

Sis—Why did you throw up your situation, Ernest? Brother—Because I am going to get married. Sis—But what will you live on—love? Brother—Oh, no! We are going to live on my love's father.

In Danger.

Gregson (in alarm)—Great Scott, I've left my pocketbook under my pillow! Fisher—Oh, well, your servant is honest, isn't she? Gregson—That's just it. She'll take it to my wife.

What we call despair is often only the painful eagerness of unfed hope.—George Eliot.

"Carat" as Applied to Diamonds.

Although the term "carat" is applied to diamonds as well as to gold, it does not mean the same thing. Used with regard to the metal it expresses quality or fineness, 24 carat being pure gold and 22 carat equal to coined gold. But applied to the diamond carat means actual weight, and by this measure 115½ carats are equal to an ounce troy. The value of a diamond is not merely so much per carat, irrespective of size, but increases in an increasing ratio with the weight of the stone.

Talk and Sleep.

Doctor—Do you talk in your sleep? Patient—No; I talk in other people's. I'm a clergyman.

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WHO WAS BUMPED?

In a news report of the meeting of the board of trade, published yesterday morning, The Daily News said: "J. D. Taylor rose and proceeded to make a political speech, when he was interrupted by the president."

This simple little clause, which, be it correct or not, certainly was not of a nature to do anyone serious harm in mind, body, or estate, causes the Columbian to break out all over as if it had contracted a bad attack of chicken-pox.

It has a front page, double column, and a back page "scare head" story, and a leading article, all because of that innocent little remark of our reporter.

And the fun of the thing is that the Columbian's own report of the "speech" made by J. D. Taylor fully justifies what our reporter said. A man can make a political speech without naming politics, or party, and that that was the opinion of the president is evident from the fact that he said, answering Taylor's remarks, "Politics should be kept out of the discussions of the board." (We quote from the Columbian.)

The personal attack upon Mr. Gilley is beneath notice; everyone knows that the Columbian cannot get away from personality; but it may be as well to correct the Columbian's blunder about the resolution which was passed with a view to preventing its editor from repeating the offence (using the board of trade for political purposes) which gave rise to all the trouble. That resolution was not moved by Mr. Gilley.

IMPARTIALLY CONSIDERED.

From an article in a recent issue of the Monetary Times of Toronto, a journal which looks at things from the point of view of finance and business, and does not meddle with politics as such, we take the subjoined sentences relating to the great "scandal" of the North Atlantic Trading Company:

"By his views on immigration you may pretty safely judge a man's wish to see Canada flourish. The mysterious North Atlantic Trading Company is not the sole incarnation of the immigration policy that has been directed from Ottawa during Sir Wilfrid Laurier's premiership. The letters and cables of Lord Strathcona to the Prime Minister, which were disclosed on Tuesday are unpleasant reading, albeit they only prove that the trouble in the Department of the Interior has been more apparent than real. We are all immigrants or the sons of immigrants. The growth of this country during the last decade could not have been nearly so heartsome were it not for the newcomers from Europe. Each able-bodied immigrant is estimated to be worth $1,000, as a capital asset of the Dominion. The cash brought in from over-seas by the strangers, who are a perpetual source of enjoyment to so many of us, is an enormous sum in the aggregate."

"Those who are free from party political governance may unfeignedly acknowledge the debt of Canada to the bold, strong hand that set going a propaganda, which whatever its intrinsic merit was, began before western development really struck the imagination of the east, and preceded the remarkable ascent of such securities as C. P. R. and Hudson Bay. Mr. Sifton administered the Department of the Interior in a way which is insufficiently understood from the investment point of view. The Department became a money-maker as well as a money-spender. His enemies say that it became a money-maker for Mr. Sifton and his appointees. The suspicion was at the back of the criticism of the North Atlantic Trading Company contract.

"That corporation was peculiarly begotten. The sponsors for it did not take into account the certainty with which, sooner or later, the arrangement for attracting continental people would be assailed. Lord Strathcona seems to have been very quiet about his doubts and fears. They did not expect that the secrecy, which they declare to have been unnecessary, would involve a demand for the dismissal of the officer who has directed the whole European campaign of publicity from a London office.

"Judged by broad results, the government has been well served in London. The Commissioner of Emigration there must necessarily carry large, direct, responsibility. He is perforce running a big business. His office should be judged by business standards.

"Whoever is frightened of immigration, the capitalist and financier cannot afford to be. We are running no risks of starvation in a country whose main business is to produce food for the uttermost parts of the earth. No people ever arrived in a new land with fewer of the necessities of bare existence than the Doukhobors. Man for man, none are betted fixed than these same poverty-stricken zealots, after six years of eight hours a day toil. According to population their share of the railroad mileage of Canada is 35 miles. They have earned $1,000,000 in wages in less than seven years."

The mayor of Vancouver says he would not serve another term for half the value of the city. He has had a year and a half of the "strenuous life" and does not covet any more of it. The position of mayor of any of our cities makes too great a demand upon the time and energies of any man who has to give continuous attention to his own business; and the "indemnity" is not sufficient to justify neglect of his own business. Mayor Buscombe's decision may have been arrived at for reasons quite apart from such considerations; we simply use his announcement as a text, and the heads of the sermon are, Give the mayors more power, put more responsibility on them, and make the "indemnity" correspond with the new conditions. We do not want partyism in municipal matters; substitute concentration of executive power and responsibility, and then when an election comes the voters will have a chance to know whose head should fall if things are not properly managed; who should be re-elected if desired reforms are to be carried out. As things are now, everyone concerned blames the other fellow, and the voter has little chance to know "where he is at."

A yarn was widely published a few days ago to the effect that a man who had been fined for crooked work as a returning officer, had been afterwards employed by the Dominion government as a census enumerator. The public were invited to allow their blood to boil a while with indignation at this sample of grit corruption. This man, we were told, had "queered" the returns at a poll in such a way as to favor the grit candidate, and although he had been caught at it and fined, the government straightway rewarded his "services" by giving him a fat job, and so on. Well, the truth of the matter is that there is no truth in it. It is a sample of whole cloth manufacture. Do the organs hasten to set that fact before their readers? Well, not much; that is not what they are paid for.

The Nelson Canadian, in the innocence of its heart, remarks "that the government of the province did not deal with the duly accredited representatives of the G. T. P. no one has dared to suggest." Of course not. He would be a very reckless person; or a wonderfully well-informed one (for an outsider) who ventured to make a negative assertion of that sort. Besides, why should anybody make such an assertion? The point is that the government did not at first deal with the G. T. P., but with a syndicate or band of individuals who proposed to turn an honest penny in a deal with the G. T. P. Official documents prove that; if the Canadian does not believe these official documents, that is its affair.

The Dominion revenue for the year ended June 30, is about eight and a half millions larger than the revenue of last year; it exceeds the ordinary, or current, expenditure by almost twenty-four millions; and the gross total expenditure by over eleven millions. We are afraid these cold facts may give some of our journalistic friends cold feet; and feel almost that an apology is due for printing them; but the public want to know what is going on and we presume they must be told.

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Local News Briefly Told

Market today.

Lacrosse match tomorrow afternoon.

Citizens' picnic to Nanaimo on Wednesday next.

Twelve new cottages are to be erected at Millside. The mill company is now calling for tenders on the work.

J. H. Wilkinson, the well known cattle breder of Chilliwack, was in the city yesterday, on his way home after spending some time in Vancouver on business.

The executive board of the Vancouver Tourist Association has accepted an invitation from F. J. Hart & Co. to take a trip to Pitt lake. The date has not yet been settled.

Tickets for the Citizens' picnic, which is to be held on Wednesday next, can be had at Ryall's drug store or from Chief Watson, George Blakely, D. Walker or J. R. Gilley.

C. A. Welsh has just received in stock several dozen bottles of Welch's grape juice, material for making a delightfully refreshing summer drink. It is made from the pure Concord grape.

T. J. Trapp will hold an auction sale on Lytton square this morning, commencing at 10:30. He will offer for sale six good family cows, freshly calved, several horses and one two-wheeled cart and harness.

The captain of the city baseball team has been advised that the Millside team cannot keep its engagement to play a match in Queen's park this evening. The match has accordingly been postponed until some day next week.

A large number of Baptists who were attending the convention held at Olivet Baptist church last evening left on the special car placed at their disposal through the efforts of Rev. Dr. Rugg, who had arranged with the British Columbia Railway Company to run a special at 10:30 for the convenience of the Vancouver people attending the convention.

The mast of a boat belonging to Sam Johnson, an employee of the Schaake company, was sawed off near the top by some unknown person on Wednesday, and the larger part of it carried away. The boat was tied up at the foot of Sixth street, and Mr. Johnson did not discover his loss till last evening.

The board of trade will meet the representatives of the different municipalities interested in the proposed tramway extension this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and at 4 o'clock they are to meet Mr. Buntzen, managing director of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company.

A Celestial named Loo Sing laid information against Mr. Johnston, an expressman, yesterday afternoon at the police station. The Chinaman claims that he had a trifling dispute with the expressman, who assaulted him. The matter will be threshed out in the police court this morning.

His Honor Judge Bole delivered judgment on Wednesday at Mission in the case of T. J. Trapp & Co. vs. Hoffard. The defendant was ordered to pay the sum of $5 a month to the plaintiff, the first payment to be made August 11. The amount owing to the plaintiff is in the neighborhood of $108, being for goods and implements supplied to the plaintiff.

The local corps of the Salvation Army held their annual picnic yesterday, traveling to Stanley park on a special car placed at their disposal by the British Columbia Electric Railway Company. The party enjoyed a happy time among the beauties of the park, and returned last night well pleased with their day's outing.

The firemen were called out to a small fire on Wednesday evening, the house occupied by Dan Williamson and his brothers on Royal avenue having caught fire by some means. The firemen quickly extinguished the blaze, though not before considerable damage had been done to the furniture. The loss comes particularly hard on the Messrs. Williamson, as they lost everything they possessed in the earthquake and fire of San Francisco, and had only recently come here to begin life all over again. They wish to thank all those who assisted them last Wednesday, and trust that they will soon be able to have another home, in spite of their many reverses.

The installation of officers of Granite Lodge, K. of P., took place last evening, Deputy Grand Chancellor P. Douglass officiating, assisted by W. Forrester, R. Semple, F. McIntosh and T. Hembrough. The installations were as follows: C. C., C. S. Keith; V. C., D. Grossman; Pre., C. B. Deans; M. at A., J. Perdue; M. of W., A. D. Campbell; M. of F., A. H. Ferguson; M. of E., A. McDonald; K. of R. and S., F. Maxwell; I. G., K. Mahony; O. G., D. Walker. The lodge was reported to be in a flourishing condition, several new members having been added to the roll recently.

A telephone message was received yesterday afternoon at the police station to the effect that a little boy about two years old had ben found wandering on the street car track in front of the semaphore station, near the penitentiary. Detective Bradshaw was sent out to investigate and found a kloochman taking care of the child, who was not able to tell his name. After making inquiries it was discovered that the boy belonged to a family named Stoney, who live up on the hill, and the boy was restored to them. The little fellow had wandered nearly a mile away from home before being found by the Indian woman.

The weekly shoot of the New Westminster Gun Club was well patronized on Wednesday, and a good evening's sport was witnessed. Bert Galbraith won the silver spoon put up for competition, coming sixth on the list of scorers, but as all those whose scores were higher than his own had recently carried away the trophy, he was awarded the spoon. Frank Trapp captured the medal offered by the Hamilton Powder Company for the highest individual score, and will retain it for one week. The scores were as follows: Frank Trapp, 78; Allen, 77; J. H. Vidal, 76; Capt. Garland, 66; Guy Johnston, 62; Bert Galbraith, 61; W. Gifford, 54; Fred Reichenbach, 54; Dr. Hacking, 53; H. F. Pullan, 50; W. Warwick, 40; Alex Turnbull, 29; L. B. Lusby, 28.

Band at Lacrosse Match.

The Citizens' band will furnish music at the senior championship lacrosse match, Vancouver vs. New Westminster, at Queen's park tomorrow afternoon. Match commences at 2:30.

Tent Meetings.

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EARLY MORNING FIRE DOES HEAVY DAMAGE

Business Section of the Town of Arrowhead Is Practically Ruined.

Arrowhead, B. C., July 12.—Fire which broke out in the general store of Bond & Young at this place early this morning spread rapidly despite all efforts to stem its progress, and at daylight this morning the whole of the business section of Arowhead was practically in ruins.

The loss altogether will amount to between $40,000 and $50,000, and it is not known yet just what amount of insurance was carried by the owners of the buildings destroyed.

The origin of the fire is a mystery, but it is believed that it started in Read & Young's store. The flames were first noticed about 2 o'clock this morning. A general alarm was raised, and all the residents of Arrowhead turned out to fight the flames. Half an hour after the fire was discovered it had Read & Young's store almost in ruins, and shortly after that the wind, which was blowing fairly strong from the lake, carried sparks to surrounding structures, and many caught fire.

The buildings destroyed were Read & Young, store; C. B. Hume, store; W. F. Dumphy, store; George Chapman, cigar store; Union hotel; City hotel and the residences of H. Stevens and Mrs. Kerr.

Some of the stocks carried in the burned stores were saved, but the majority of the goods were burned. The stocks saved were taken from the buildings before they had caught fire.

All the burned out merchants declare that it is their intention to rebuild immediately; and already some of them are figuring on orders for lumber to be placed with local mills.

GOLD BRICKS STOLEN FROM NORTHERN BOAT

Alaska-Pacific Express Company Loses Over One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

Fairbanks, July 12.—Over $100,000 in gold in care of the Alaska Pacific Express Company was stolen from the Northern Commercial Company's steamer Ida May. The shipment was placed on the steamer Tanana at Fairbanks and taken down the river to Nenena, where it was transferred to the Ida May.

The latter boat was to transfer it to the Sarah for an outside port, and the gold was missed when the transfer was to be made. There is no clew to the robbers.

The Ida May was placed in commission on the river service this year for the first time in four years. She had been previously engaged in harbor work at St. Michael. The gold, which was in the form of bricks, is the first shipment ever lost by this express company.

There was on board $90,000 being shipped by the Fairbanks Banking Company and $78,000 from the Washington Alaska bank.

CHILLIWACK GIRL DROWNS IN SLOUGH

Miss Annie Jackson Gets Beyond Her Depth and Sinks Out of Sight.

A drowning accident occurred at Hope's slough Wednesday evening in which Miss Annie Jackson, aged 14 years, second daughter of Thomas H. Jackson, of Chilliwack, was the victim, and her companion, Miss Kathleen Robbins, had a very narrow escape. The two girls while bathing got beyond their depth, and although Miss Robbins managed to scramble ashore, the other girl sank out of sight. Their screams for help attracted two men named Richardson and Perdue, who were in the vicinity, and they immediately went to the rescue. Mr. Perdue had to dive several times in water fourteen feet deep before he reached Miss Jackson. Although both men made a hard fight to revive her, she died a few seconds after being brought ashore.

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Central—William Dean, John Tills, Vancouver; Harry Burr, Delta; J. W. Kerr, Central Park; S. Cameron, Vancouver; Robert Burns, Blaine.

Balks Prorogation.

Ottawa, July 12.—The House of Commons finished its business this morning, and everything was in readiness for the announced prorogation at 3 o'clock this afternoon when Senator Landry objected to the passage of the government bill abolishing ministerial pensions.

Procedure can only be suspended by unanimous consent, and Senator Landry availed himself of the privilege to withhold the same, telling the government leader to notify the governor general to come another day.

The government is not going to be forced into amending the bill which has already had the unanimous consent of the commons, and Secretary of State Scott announced that rather than submit to Landry's dictation, prorogation would be put off.

25,000 Settlers Coming.

Toronto, July 12.—Commissioner Coombs, of the Salvation Army, says 25,000 settlers will come to Canada from England next year under the auspices of the army.

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Tenders for a License to Cut Timber on Dominion Lands in the Province of British Columbia.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Timber and Mines Branch, Department of the Interior, and marked on the envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 494," will be received at this Department until noon on Wednesday, the 8th day of August, 1906, for a license to cut timber on Berth No. 494, comprising the West half of Section 26, Township 5, Range 7, West of the 7th Meridian, containing an area of 303 acres more or less.

The survey of this berth is to be made within one year of receipt of tenders.

The regulations under which a license will be issued, also printed forms of tender and envelope, may be obtained at this Department or at the office of the Crown Timber Agent at New Westminster, B. C.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank in favor of the Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, for the amount of the bonus which the applicant is prepared to pay for the license.

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES,
Secretary.

Department of the Interior, Ottawa, June 23, 1906.

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

Any available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate.

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans.

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

W. W. CORY.
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS TENDERS FOR RAILWAY TIES

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Ties, 1906," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon, of the 12th day of July, 1906, for five hundred and thirty-five thousand (535,000) Railway Ties in accordance with the specifications of the Commissioners.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Ties, 1907," will also be received as above until twelve o'clock noon, of the 4th day of September 1906, for one million and ten thousand (1,010,000) Railway Ties, in accordance with the specifications of the Commissioners.

Tenders must be made on the forms supplied by the Commissioners which, as well as the specifications, may be obtained on application to Hugh D. Lumsden, Chief Engineer, Ottawa, Ont., to A. E. Doucet, District Engineer, Quebec, P. Q., or to A. E. Hodgins, District Engineer, Kenora, Ont.

Full information in regard to delivery required is given on form of tender.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender and witnessed.

The successful tenderers will be required to sign a contract in form satisfactory to the Commissioners, and to furnish an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway for a sum equal to ten per cent. (10 per cent.) of the amount of the tender, as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract.

No tender for less than five thousand ties will be considered.

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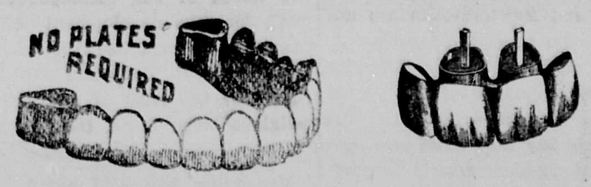

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Princess May, leaves Vancouver July 7th.
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Thackeray's Portrait.

The following story furnishes an example of the manner in which Thackeray did not hesitate to treat what he considered vanity in others. After long pleading his family induced the famous novelist to sit for his portrait, and Lawrence, the painter, gladly undertook the task. Soon after the picture was completed Thackeray chanced to be dining at his club when a pompous officer of the guards stopped beside the table and said:

"Haw, Thackeray, old boy, I hear Lawrence has been painting yer portrait!"

"So he has," was the reply.

"Full length?"

"No; full length portraits are for soldiers, that we may see their spurs, but the other end of the man is the principal thing with authors," said Thackeray.

Can Talk Without Tongue.

"There seems to be a mistaken impression abroad," remarked a doctor the other day in speaking of the case of a man who had his tongue cut out in an effort to cure a case of cancer of that member, "that when a man is unfortunate enough to lose his tongue thenceforth all power of speech is denied him. This is not so. While it is true that not many men survive this operation for any great length of time, it is equally true that they can speak so long as they live and with only a comparatively slight impediment in their utterances. If you will hold a pencil crossways between your teeth and speak while it remains in that position you can get just the effect it has on human speech when the tongue is entirely removed."

Sea or Desert?

If it be true, as conjectured by the latest explorers, that Lake Chad is rapidly drying up, the process will probably be regarded by the geologists as simply a continuation of one which has been going on for ages in northern Africa. The whole of the Sahara was certainly once either an arm of the sea or a vast lake, and Lake Chad is probably only the final remnant of that huge sheet of water. The Sahara sea must always have been very shallow, a fact which made its evaporation easy, and Lake Chad is reported to be little more than a morass over the greater portion of its area.

Giving Them Fits.

Some years ago George F. Haley of Biddeford was trying his first criminal case before the supreme judicial court of Maine, with Chief Justice John A. Peters on the bench. Mr. Haley was in the middle of his plea when a man in the audience fell over in a convulsion. The young lawyer stopped, disconcerted.

"Go on, sir; go on," said the chief justice. "You're giving them fits!"

An Honest Thief.

On leaving a Paris theater a German gentleman felt for his watch. It was gone. Having a strong suspicion, he laid violent hands on a man in the crowd, who quietly gave up the ticker. When he got home, he found his own watch lying on the table.—Paris Journal.

She Recognized Him.

"This," remarked Mr. Sappyhead, "is my photograph with my two French poodles. You recognize me, eh?"

"I think so," said Miss Sulfuric. "You are the one with the hat on, are you not?"—Houston Chronicle.

His Complaint.

Insurance Official—Of what complaint did your father die? Applicant—The jury found him guilty.—London Tit-Bits.

The Mole Has Eyes.

The majority of people believe that the mole is even "blinder" than the proverbial bat, but the naturalists know that such is not the case. Sir John Lubbock and Carl Hess, the latter a noted German naturalist, by careful investigation proved that the mole has eyes which are as perfect as those of a horse or an elephant. They are very small optics, to be sure (only one millimeter in diameter), but in the matter of reflection and refraction do not differ from the normal eyes in larger animals.

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French Marriage Restrictions.

It sounds almost incredible, but is none the less a fact, that a Frenchman under twenty-five years of age whose parents are dead and whose grandfather or grandmother is alive cannot enter the married state without the written authority of both or either of them.—Paris Letter to London Post.

December.

"Nobody is worried nowadays by the fact that the twelfth month of the year is called the tenth, December," says a writer, "and no doubt even the ancient Romans soon got used to the anomaly when the new year was shifted back from March to January, though the old names of the months were retained. But there was one of them who made ingenious use of it—Licinius, a rascally procurator at Lyons under Augustus. He insisted on having certain monthly payments made fourteen times a year, arguing, when December came round, that as it was the tenth month of the year and there ought to be twelve there must be two more to be accounted for."

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BAPTISTS DISCUSS VARIOUS QUESTIONS

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would follow these natural impulses all his life. To send men and women heavenward the Zionist movement must be implanted within them, and this must be done from earliest childhood, and done every day. This approach to a divine life can only be got by prayer. The conclusion of Dr. Parker's remarks was greeted with applause.

Missionary Movement.

Rev. W. H. Barraclough was the next speaker. In his opening remarks he said that he almost felt at home among them, the very one of things, all around him was homely. In the western parts of Canada, he said, things were moving swiftly with regard to missions. There was a forward missionary movement that was noticeable in all the churches, and it was a happy state to be in.

Higher Education.

Rev. J. W. Litch, of Vancouver, chairman of the meeting, next introduced Prof. E. M. Kierstead, D. D., of McMaster university, Toronto, who gave an interesting address. In part he said:

"It has been my pleasure to travel considerably recently. After leaving Toronto, with its endless visions of brick and mortar, I traveled to the Pacific coast, and in the course of my wanderings I visited Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver, and finally I find myself in New Westminster. I was glad to get away in the country after being for so long in a city. I am expected to speak on higher education this evening, and it is a subject with which I am heartily in accord. We need higher education, we who are the light of the world and the salt of the earth. There is no higher means of education than going Sunday after Sunday listening to the word of God preached from the pulpits of our churches. Think of the light there is in the remarks you listen to every Sunday. There is nothing that stimulates the life of a man as the listening to the reading of God's word."

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Prof. Kierstead then procedeed to demonstrate to his hearers by simple means the fallacy of the theory of certain scientists that all things were matter. He showed that while they might be atoms of matter, there was a certain divine arrangement about everything that could not be gainsaid. This was one of the reasons why he was in favor of having their own colleges and universities. In a state university, where the classes would be composed of Mahommedans, Agnostics, Christians and other people who pay taxes, it was impossible to teach botany and geology in any other than a matter of fact way, without any reference to God, because otherwise one would be certain to offend some of the scholars at any rate. He reminded his hearers that what they were willing to do in connection with the establishment of a university would have its bearing upon the Dominion for ages to come. In conclusion he said that he hoped that the Baptists would carry the proposed measures through, and that they would realize the importance of the work in which they had entered.

Give College Yell.

Hearty applause greeted the concluding remarks of Mr. Kierstead, and after this had somewhat subsided, Rev. Mr. Litch proceeded to raise another round of applause by exclaiming, "He's all right." Continuing, Mr. Litch said that he was surprised that some of the professor's old college students had not raised the college yell at the conclusion of his remarks. He suggested that it should be done, and offered to lead them. About twenty ex-students of Acadia college, N. S., then stood up and with lusty voices yelled the old college cry of "Hah, hah, hah, yah, yah yah. We are the boys of A-ca-di-a." It is safe to say that never before had the Olivet Baptist church been the scene of the raising of a college cry from the far shores of Nova Scotia, and many of the good people present looked slightly shocked when they listened to the yelling voices of the old Acadia students.

Before the pronouncing of the benediction, Rev. Dr. Rugg announced that the question of the provincial university and college would be settled probably this morning, and he made a special request to all interested to be present.

PRIEST TAKES EXCEPTION.

New Westminster, July 12, 1906.

Editor Daily News:

Dear Sir—Since its beginning I looked upon your valuable paper as a broad-minded one, exempt of bigotry and spite. Now, the title of your first article this morning and its contents surprise me very much, and I deem it injurious to me, to my fellow priests and to the Catholics of British Columbia. We do not want to rule people in any part of the world, no more in Quebec than in British Columbia, and our Catholics are not disposed to be ruled improperly.

It is not my intention to dwell with Rev. E. Bosworth on the merits or demerits of the Quebec province, but I would only say that nowadays people are fond of their liberty in Quebec as anywhere else. If priests were rulers there, I am sure there would be more than 2,600 out of 1,650,000 who would stand up and crush down any improper rule to join a fold were they are so well looked after.

Besides, I strongly object to the insinuation of the Rev. Bosworth about Catholics "worshiping Mary and the priest" instead of worshiping Christ. A Catholic child ten years old knows the difference between the adoration of God and the honor paid to the saints and to the virgin mother of Christ in the church.

I feel sure that The Daily News will understand these remarks. I protest against anyone coming from the east and speaking in a way that may hurt the feelings of a part of the community. In a country such as this we should not interfere with the religion of anyone. No matter what our creed may be, we should all work to the development of this province as good Canadian citizens, interested in the welfare of our country. Yours sincerely,

F. LARDOU, O. M. I., D. D.,
Acting Parish Priest.

[The article to which our correspondent refers was printed simply as news—the report of the proceedings of a public or semi-public body. The heading was a paraphrase of the speaker's remarks on the subject. It is the policy of this paper to give fair reports of all matters of public interest; but it is not its policy to take any side in religious controversy. Members of all denominations are, in the words of our correspondent, at work for "the development of this province, as good Canadian citizens," and The Daily News has neither the right nor the wish to criticise their religious beliefs.—Ed. Daily News.]

Vancouver has sold nearly three-quarters of a million worth of debentures at the nominal price of 96.03. We describe the price as "nominal" because all the debentures are to bear interest from the date of issue, so that 4 per cent. is really deducted from the price in the case of one lot which was issued a year ago, and some 1¾ per cent. from that of rather more than half the total issue. As the total bonded debt of Vancouver, deducting sinking fund, is under $5,000,000 and nearly half of that total is represented by the waterworks and by local improvement debentures, the comparatively unfavorable price obtained must be attributed to the condition of the money market, although there may have been created some impression in the minds of financial men that Vancouver is a little too "rapid." Excessive "booming" has its drawbacks; and one of them is a tendency to create an impression in the minds of outsiders that the "hurrah boys" element is in control.

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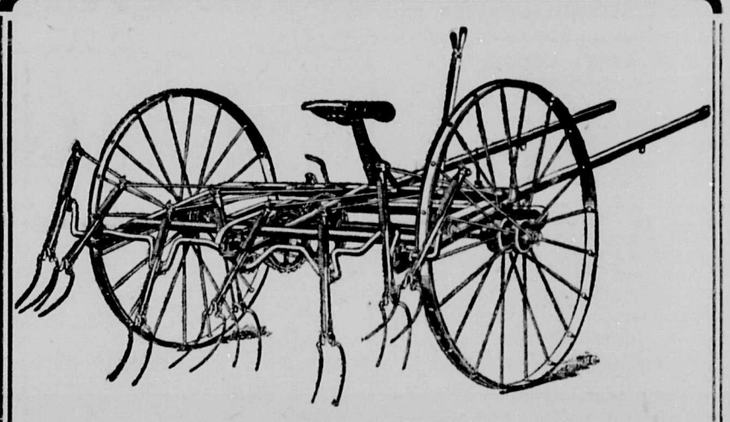

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