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SENSIBLE ADVICE TO YOUTH

Sermon on Sinful Pleasures Is Full of Good Suggestions For Young Men Who Flirt With Fashion's Follies.

ATHLETES ATTEND THE SERVICE

"Pleasures That Unmake Men" was the subject of a powerful address in St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last evening delivered with all the force and magnetism that the pastor, Rev. J. S. Henderson, is so well capable of commanding. Some forty players and members, past and present of the Westminster Lacrosse club filled the front seats of the church, and listened to the words of their president, who as many a one was heard to say was a preacher. It also a true sport. The pastor in his announcement stated that his sermon subject, while not directly dealing with athletics yet was closely connected with it in some bearings of the benefits and training on the campus, and while admitting that the church was unable through financial circumstances to do what he would wish, throw open to its members a thoroughly equipped gymnasium, yet believed that the city should undertake this.

The preacher took his text from the history of Esau and Jacob, and the selling of the birthright by the former for a mess of pottage, and from this showed the many lessons of his sermon. He pointed out the different natures of the two men, who, while brothers, were entirely opposite in character. Esau was a lover of pleasure and cared not what price he paid for it. Jacob on the other hand was a schemer and was constant in his aims while his brother was fickle. Taking advantage of the first weak moment, Jacob drove a bargain by which he obtained the right to lead his tribe, spiritually and physically, a power which Esau scorned, since it did not appeal to the senses. Bringing the subject to the present day, Mr. Henderson found in the community many Esaus, men and women who for a season; enjoyment would barter away their spiritual rights. He would not, he said, say that none should attend the dance, the theatre or the card table, he himself was not bold enough to say this. Yet he could unconsciously do so, for he considered it a waste of time. Pleasure was as necessary to every man as work or sleep, but not the sensual pleasures or the pleasures that wasted time without return that would benefit the soul or the body. The speaker showed a copy of the Daily News, showing the holes from which had been clipped invitations to theatres, card parties, dances and "five o'clocks," nine in all on the page. Underneath one he pointed to a funeral notice, and remarked that it was in the proper place. In vigorous terms he denounced the wasting of hours that were intended for rest, and the building of the body, the money wasted in drinks and narcotics that should be put to better use.

The night hours spent by the youth in revelling, in rushing the pace that leads to death, crying "we are young, let us have our fling while we may," the young men and women leading a life of shame, he spoke of in burning words. Then he turned to the social life, the afternoon teas. He had read an article that dealt with the "groundhog life," the life of the underworld; but it seemed to him that many were apt to forget that there was also a "butterfly" life, and in his opinion the butterfly life of society was as bad as the groundhog life. To illustrate his point, the pastor mentioned many examples from history of the world and cases that had come before his own observation. Edgar Allen Poe, one of the greatest writers, had died in an asylum with delirium tremens, and Napoleon, whose every footstep in Europe caused the world to shake, died in St. Helena, a victim to snuff. Paderewski was upheld as an example of what proper care of soul and body were capable of producing, where the soul controlled the body and not the body the soul.

Among the lacrosse men present were a number of ex-presidents including J. Leamy, C. A. Welsh, Nels Nelson and R. Jardine. Others there were Vice-President J. R. Payne, Ald. Gray, H. Ryall, treasurer; C. D. Peele, president of the intermediate league; J. Lewis, J. J. Cambridge, W. Johnston and P. Peebles and J. Mahoney.

BODY FOUND FLOATING IN VANCOUVER HARBOR

Vancouver, Feb. 23.—About 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the body of a man identified as Charles McKinnon, of Seattle, was found floating in the harbor near the landing place of the steamer Joan.

Mr. McKinnon came to this city during Christmas week and had been missing ever since that time. He was a bricklaying contractor and owned a good deal of property in Seattle.

Mr. McLellan does not believe that his friend committed suicide, as there was nothing in his business or personal affairs to give him cause to worry. Mrs. McKinnon is in Vancouver, almost distracted over her husband's sad death. The identity of the body was fully proved by papers and documents found in the pockets of the dead man's clothing.

AMATEUR ATHLETIC UNION FAVORED FOR PROVINCE

Vancouver, Feb. 23.—The committee appointed last November by the athletic clubs of the province to look into the question of organizing an amateur athletic union in British Columbia, decided at a meeting held on Thursday last to recommend the immediate formation of a governing body in athletic circles in the west. In order to perfect organization a mass meeting of athletes of the province will be held at the Vancouver Athletic club on Friday, March 13, when officers will be elected and the constitution prepared by the committee submitted.

News has been received from New Westminster to the effect that the lacrosse and baseball clubs of that city have decided to support the proposal to form an amateur club and they will send representatives to the local meeting.

The B. C. Electric Railway company is calling for tenders for an addition to the car shops, equal to the present building, thus doubling it in size. The company builds its own cars from the ground up and has a heavy demand for new rolling stock. The tenders will be received until noon on March 5, the specifications now being open for inspection at the office of the superintendent in Vancouver.

SOCCER GAME WATCHED BY HALF A THOUSAND

Hard Fought Battle Ends In a Draw—Protest Going to Executive.

Over five hundred enthusiasts of the grand old game of soccer thronged to the Moody square grounds on Saturday to watch the struggle between the Rovers and the Thistles, of Vancouver, in the semi-finals for the B. C. cup, which resulted in a draw, one all. For the first fifteen minutes of the game nine men only faced the ball for the locals, and one of those nine was a man who, while a good player and doing his best, was yet sadly out of practice and only played to fill the place. With this handicap, those fifteen minutes passed without a score, then came Bruce, the new full back, and Lockhart, the latter pluckily taking the field despite a game knee.

Two goals only were scored and these from penalties, one on each side. The first was for a foul off Turnbull, the referee claiming that he placed both hands on a player during a rush for the goal. The shot was an almost impossible one to stop and it was no discredit to the goal keeper that he failed to save it. The second was for a nasty trip on the part of a Vancouver man and evened the score. Several ugly fouls were credited to the visitors, one of which may yet prove the awarding of the game to Westminster, the Vancouver goal keeper delivering a nasty kick to Locke; he was ordered from the field by the referee but refused to go. The referee, it would seem, should have stopped the game, but failing to do so, the game should be awarded to the Rovers. The case will probably be carried to the league executive by the management of the team if not by the referee himself, Haslett, of Westham island.

Both teams played a strong game, and both were exceedingly solid in their defence. The goal keeper for the visitors put up a fine article of ball, except in the case mentioned. Barbaree for the home team, was ever there when wanted and nothing missed him. The backs of both teams were good, but the Rovers showed a weakness in their forward line, which but for the excellent work of the backs, might have proved disastrous. The forwards of the visitors were strong, but they never broke through. The halves of the home team fed the forwards well, Turnbull and Leamy in this position doing grand work. Locke at centre forward played brilliantly using his judgment with good results, ably backed by Watson and G. Fleming; the latter, however, is a much better man at back. Special mention must be made of the new man on the team, Bruce, the back who figured in the dipper dredge team. Bruce was at full back and his work was more than had been expected from him; he proved a barrier that broke several fine combinations on the part of the Thistles, and worked off a number of the genuine old country tricks on his opponents.

Should the executive decide that the game will have to be played again, it will almost certainly be demanded that it shall take place on Westminster grounds and with a stronger team, the match of the season should bring the biggest crowd of the coast out to boost for the Rovers. Some $14 was contributed on a hat collection being taken up.

FIREMEN BADLY BURNED WITH SULPHURIC ACID

Victoria, Feb. 23.—W. Duncan and V. Stewart, hosemen of the Victoria fire department, were both badly burned yesterday by the breaking of a large glass carboy of sulphuric acid intended to be used in charging the chemical engines. The men were lifting the carboy when the glass broke, the acid flying over them and eating their clothing away in a minute.

Duncan was so badly burned he was removed to the hospital, where it was found that the acid had eaten the flesh in large patches from his hips down. Stewart was taken to his home and is suffering with burns on his feet, ankles and hands.

AUSTRALIA PERFECTS CONSCRIPTION SCHEME

Army of 214,000 Men to Be Equipped For War—Compulsory Training For All.

Melbourne, Feb. 23.—The minister of defence has laid on the table of the Senate a memorandum amplifying the details of the new defence scheme, which provides that every male is liable to undergo military training from the age of 12 to 18 in a cadet corps, and from 18 to 26 in the national guard. Compulsory training will, however, be held in abeyance until a sufficient number of instructors is available.

For the national guard the men will be divided into two classes. Those from 18 to 21 years of age will attend a training of eighteen days in each of their first and second years and twelve days the third year. After 21, if not promoted, the men will be incorporated in the senior regiments. Up to 21 they will not be paid, but after 21 they will be paid at the present rates.

All officers and noncommissioned officers will pass through the ranks. Appointments up to the grade of lieutenant colonel will depend upon examination. The equipment will be of a simple character, and will cost $15. It is estimated that in eight years there will be 214,000 men trained and equipped for war.

DEAD HERRING NUISANCE CLEANED UP BY GULLS

From Nanaimo comes the story of an enterprising government fisheries official who is enlisting the services of thousands of sea gulls in the task of cleaning up the immense number of dead herring dropped overboard by boats at the different wharves where cargoes were loaded on the vessels. While making his rounds on Friday, this party tied up his gasoline launch at one of the wharves while figuring out the best method of attempting to remove the fish. Neglecting to switch of the power, the propeller churned up the water to such an extent that a large number of dead herring came to the surface, thousands of sea gulls immediately swooping down and glutting themselves on the fish. The experiment was tried at several of the other wharves, and in every case the gulls performed the task which would have entailed considerable expense had it been done by manual or mechanical labor.

New Orleans Has Big Fire.

New Orleans, Feb. 23.—Fire threatened a large part of the city's business district today. The Julius Weis building on Cotton street and Varilles place was practically destroyed and several adjoining buildings were damaged. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

WASHINGTON HATCHERIES HARBOR MILLIONS OF EGGS

Bellingham, Feb. 23.—Millions of salmon have been hatched and turned loose from the fish hatcheries of the state since April 1, 1907, to date. As reported by Commissioner J. L. Riseland the total number of salmon eggs actually taken and cultivated at the hatcheries since April 1, 1907, aggregates 56,528,357. He estimates by the close of the fiscal year, March 31, 1908, that between 65,000,000 and 70,000,000 salmon eggs will have been taken and nurtured by the combined hatcheries of the state.

Up to the present the actual number of eggs taken at the state hatcheries of the several species of salmon are as follows: Spring and chinook, 18,647,600; silver, 28,574,432; dog salmon 4,342,350; humpback salmon, 2,655,900; steelhead, 4,378,075; or a total of 56,598 357.

In addition to this 2,000,000 trout eggs were taken at the hatcheries at Little Spokane and Lake Chelan, besides the importation of 500,000 speckled brook trout from the hatcheries of the east.

It is conservatively estimated by Riseland that 90 per cent, of the eggs are successfully hatched.

YELLOW PERIL CLASSED AS BOGEY OF LABOR UNIONS

London, Feb. 23.—R. Newton Crane, who has represented the United States government on several important commissions, in a speech at the annual celebration of Washington's birthday anniversary by the London section of the Navy league, characterized the "yellow peril" as the bogey of labor union demagogues. He also expressed strong disapproval of the voyage of the American fleet to the Pacific and said that he feared that when it reached San Francisco it would excite passion which might result in war.

A large proportion of those present expressed disapproval of Crane's sentiments by a noticeable silence at the conclusion of his speech.

The speakers included Marshal O. Fox, Frederick Fish, Col. Ashley Cole and F. C. Vanduzer.

DEATH IN SHALLOW WATER IS FATE OF CHINAMAN

Falling in a fit while handling a small boat at Port Moody on Saturday afternoon, a Chinaman, supposed to be named Tung Wi, overbalanced and fell into shallow water close to land. His plight was noticed by a number of people on shore, but before assistance could reach the unfortunate Celestial death had claimed its victim. The body was easily recovered from the water and brought to this city, being laid out at Murchie's undertaking parlors, where an inquest will be held this morning by Coroner Captain Pittendrigh.

Deceased was a middle aged man, and was known to be subject to fits, having been rescued from a watery grave a few months ago after a similar accident to that which ended his career on Saturday. He had been working at the little burgh for a considerable time, and was well known to the majority of the residents. No known relatives of the deceased are in this country.

ALASKA INDIANS [illegible] IN STARVING CONDITION

Valdez, Feb. 23.—The grand jury, touching on the question of the condition of Alaska Indians in its final report last week, says that the natives practically all over this district are in a starving and deplorable condition, and urges that some action be taken by the government to alleviate this condition. The tribes in the Copper river country and at the head of the Sushitna are said to be in danger of complete extinction if relief is not soon given them.

EPIDEMIC OF SMALLPOX STARTED BY PREACHER

Bellingham, Feb. 23.—Because a minister who had contracted the disease in California was careless and visited a number of homes in the country districts of Whatcom county an epidemic of smallpox has broken out that is becoming serious. This is the statement made tonight by Health Officer Martin, although the name of the careless parson is not revealed.

He has been placed in quarantine so that he cannot spread the disease any farther. The first cases were reported from Lynden and yesterday it became necessary to quarantine six families at Custer.

Cementing the Pact.

London, Feb. 22.—The union between Boers and Britons was further cemented this afternoon by the marriage in the Dutch church in London of Marie, youngest sister of General Botha, former commander-in-chief of the Transvaal army, and now premier of the new colony, to R. C. Hawkins, a barrister-at-law and a prominent Liberal. The ceremony was witnessed by fully 2000 persons, including some members of the cabinet and a number of persons prominent in London society.

An elderly man, Mr. McDowell, yesterday afternoon suffered a slight injury to one of his feet while walking around his house. Removed to to the Royal Columbian hospital, it was that two toes had been broken. Mr. McDowell will be unable to leave that institution for some days.

OPIUM IS LINKED WITH BIBLE

Miss Ada Murcutt, Lecturer, Declares Orientals Class Christianity, Holy Bible and Baneful Drug as One.

WE ARE NOT "CHRISTIANS"

Every available seat in the opera house was occupied last evening and many were standing when Miss Murcutt, journalist and temperance lecturer, arose to speak, introduced to the large audience by his worship Mayor Keary, who in a few words welcomed her to the city in the name of the corporation, expressing the hope that her object in speaking would be attained. Miss Murcutt appears here under the auspices of the local W. C. T. U. and is a clear, forceful and outspoken speaker, and her arguments bear the stamp of sincerity and common sense, a fact that was early recognized by her hearers and commanded their close attention.

Miss Murcutt opened her remarks by stating that she had travelled a distance equal to twelve times round the world, and had come to the conclusion that nine tenths of the misery of the world was directly or indirectly due to strong drink. The Anglo-Saxon race, she affirmed, were the greatest egotists in the world, they claimed to be Christians because they affected Christianity as a religion.

"But I maintain that we are not a Christian people, but only nominally Christian; if we were Christians we would immediately close the saloons." In the egotism of the race, missionaries had been sent to foreign lands to convert the people; if the nation were really interested in the interests of the missions they should keep them at home where they were more required. The United States had taken over the Philippines and an eminent divine had declared that it was for the good of the people that they might become Christianized, but instead of missionaries being sent, there were fourteen train loads of liquor shipped to the Islands. $1,700,000,000 were spent yearly on liquor as compared with $[illegible],000,000 for the evangelization of the world.

A strong feature of the address was the attack of the lecturer on the policy of Britain in China. The British had first introduced opium into China, the East India company had applied to the emperor to give them rights to traffic in the drug and had been refused; the government of Great Britain was appealed to and backing her demands with her cruisers forced the trade upon the Orient—and then sent missionaries to convert them. She only wondered that the Chinese allowed a single missionary to remain in the land and that the Chinese did not send missionaries to this country. Before Great Britain should take up the matter of missionaries, they should crush the opium traffic. The Orientals now naturally looked upon opium, Christianity and the bible as one, and had even coupled the name of Christ with the drug. They could not discriminate between the practical and the nominal Christianity.

Miss Murcutt described the Japanese as a most humane race and instanced their treatment of the injured and of the prisoners in the recent war with Russia. In all her travels she had not witnessed such scenes in these so-called heathen countries, as on the streets of Christendom. The cry today was not to evangelize heathendom, but to Christianize Christendom. Were Great Britain truly Christian, then the nation would be truly great, and it would be an easy matter to Christianize the heathen. Evangelization should commence with the individual, then it would quickly spread through the nation.

Mayor Keary thanked the lecturer for her excellent address and Rev. W. H. Barraclough, after thanking the chairman, Mayor Keary, for having consented to give his time to attend the meeting, called for an expression of the appreciation of the audience of the lecturer's address. The audience responded with vociferous and prolonged applause.

"This Is My 57th Birthday"

Frederick Warde.

Frederick Warde, the well known tragedian and Shakespearean scholar, is a native of England, born in Oxfordshire, February 23, 1851. In 1867 he made his first stage appearance in a minor part in Macbeth at the Lyceum theatre, Sunderland. In the several years that followed he was a member of the company playing at the Theatre Royal, Glasgow, and at theatres in Leeds and Manchester. In 1874 he came to the United States and for three years was leading man in the celebrated stock company playing at Booth's theatre in New York. Subsequently he supported Edwin Booth, John McCullough and other of the most famous players of their day. In 1881 he began his career as a star, and for a number of years he appeared with great success in tragedy. Much of this time he was associated with Louis James. Several years ago Mr. Warde retired from the stage and has since become famous as a lecturer on Shakespeare and kindred subjects.

SPORTS RESULTS SURPRISE COLLEGE

City Wins Rugby Game by Big Margin—Baseball Looms on Horizon.

The preliminary practice game between Columbian college rugby team and the senior city fifteen, Saturday afternoon, was won by the city with a score of six to nil. The game was a great surprise to everyone, including the collegians, for it was with only the utmost difficulty that the city scored the two unconverted tries that won the game. In fact, if it had not been that five of the Columbians had just finished playing a soccer game and were winded when they entered this, it is entirely likely the match would have turned out differently. In the first half the play was in favor of the scholars and the ball was kept close to their opponents goal line, but the fast pace set was too much for the already fagged-out players, and two quick rushes in the last of the second half by "Obe" Brodeau could not be stopped and resulted in the tries that won the game.

The result of the game is very gratifying to Columbian college, which is now confident of success against the Victoria team on Saturday. Another practice game with the city will be held on Wednesday, and the teams are now considered so evenly matched that it will doubtless be a game well worth seeing. The college line-up, which will probably be the same as will go to Victoria, was: Goal, Davidson; P. Turner; three-quarters, Walker, W. Myers, Prouty, Williscroft; half backs, H. Watson, J. MacArthur; forwards, Prof. Burwash, Fitzgerald, J. Houle, W. Mowat, G. Cameron, H. Rugg, H. Betts and Ferguson.

In the soccer game, which preceded the rugby exhibition, between the college and Westminster juniors, the former won by two goals to one. This is the first game the college has won this season, and as the city team is considered the strongest in the league the improvement showed was necessarily very marked. The play showed the college to be the superiors throughout the entire game; a little spurt at the tail end by Westminster won them their goal. The college scored one in each half. T. Mahoney refereed. The line-up of Columbian college was: Goal, H. Betts, full backs, W. Myers and G. Latimer; half backs, Prouty, H. Drainey and A. Pound; forwards, N. Kenny, C. Smith, P. Turner, J. MacArthur and J. Drainey. The city players were goal: Goal, Davidson; full backs, Fletcher and Collier; half backs, Barclay, Holt and H. Archibald; forwards, H. Munn, P. Wilkie, Dougal, Sharpe and C. Currie.

The intermediate game between the Celtics and Columbian college association football teams, schudled for next Saturday is postponed indefinitely on account of the Victoria match.

The coming rugby match, with two postponed intermediate soccer games will end the football season for the college. These last few warm days have caused the gymnasium and basketball to be deserted, and now baseball is looming large in the horrizon. For several weeks a desultory practice has been indulged in, and regular team work is to be started as soon as the football games are off the players' hands.

PUNY EAST INDIANS.

The Native Born of English Parents Are a Sorry Lot.

"The queerest sight you see in India is the native born," said the sailor. "The native born is the thinnest, softest, laziest, sallerest thing in the way of a white man that was ever invented.

"And he is the proof that England won't never colonize India. For the English can't live in India, you see. The moist heat of that there land, with its nights of 110 degrees and its noons of 130 or worse, takes the strength and backbone out of an Englishman, gives him liver trouble and makes a complete wreck of him.

"If he goes back home, he may recover his health. If he stays in India, he don't never recover it. If he has children born in India, those children are called native born, and for poor, little, puny, spiritless critters they're the limit.

"If them native born English have children in their turn—well, that third generation of native born has none, at least. It is a generation of idiots, paralytics, catalepties, cripples. If you was to see an army of native born of the third generation, you'd think you had the rams sure.

"Let England get out of India. She does the Indians only harm, and what she does for herself is to turn tall, strong, bloomin' young colonists into them skinny, yeller, whimperin' specters what you call native born."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Puncturing a Fallacy.

The barber applied the rich brown dye with a fine tooth comb, combing it evenly into the grizzled locks of the old man.

"Hair dye, sir," he said. "Plain, unvarnished hair dye is the base of that absurd fallacy about people turning gray in a single night.

"If you investigate those yarns you find that invariably they concern persons in prison. Orsini, pining in jail, had his hair go back on him. Marie Antoinette, languishing in a cell, found the deep hue of her hair changing to an ugly gray. Raleigh, imprisoned in the tower, developed grayish streaks with incredible speed.

"The secret of all that, my dear, is this:

"These prisoners in order to conceal their gray hair dyed it, using a poor sort of dye, one of those sorts that have to be applied every day or two. In prison, naturally, they could not get hold of this dye, and hence their locks whitened at a miraculous rate. When people said of them pityingly that their terror of sorrow had turned their hair gray in a single night they acquiesced themselves in the deception, for is it not embarrassing—I leave it to you, sir, is it not embarrassing—to explain to the world at large that one uses hair dye?"—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Difference.

Small Boy—Pa, what is the difference between a pessimist and an optimist? Pa—Well, let me see if I can illustrate. You know I am often discouraged, and things don't look to me as if they'd ever go right. Well, at such times I can be said to be a pessimist. But years ago, when I was a young man, everything looked bright and rosy, and I was always hopeful. Then I was an optimist. Now, my son, can you understand the difference between a pessimist and an optimist? Small Boy—Oh, yes; one is married and the other isn't.—Harper's Weekly.

Cause of His Joy.

"What are you looking so happy over, old man?"

"I am rejoicing over the birth of twins."

"Great Scott! I congratulate you!"

"Don't congratulate me. Go and congratulate Evans. He's the lucky man. I never did like him."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Take notice that application has been made to register Henry T. Thrift as the owner in fee simple, under a tax sale deed from Surrey municipality, to Henry T. Thrift bearing date the 11th day of September, A.D. 1903, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the district of New Westminster, in the province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as lots 10 to 14 inclusive, block 1, and lots 7 to 12 and 17 to 20 inclusive, block 2, subdivision of southwest quarter of section 11, township 1.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise I shall register Henry T. Thrift as owner thereof in fee. And I hereby direct that publication for one month in a daily newspaper published at New Westminster will be good and sufficient service thereof and by mailing one copy to Mrs. Catherine Kirby, Quiney, Wash.

Dated at the Land Registry Office New Westminster, Province of British Columbia, this 17th day of February, A.D. 1908.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar.

To Catherine Gerbrich, now Catherine Kirby.

All persons served with this notice, and those claiming through or under them and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent, whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act," shall be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land so sold for taxes as provided by the "Land Registry Act."

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I might particularly mention that the lower part of Carnarvon street, between Eighth and Tenth streets, and also Alexander and Blackie streets are in a most unsanitary condition, as well as many back-yards in the principal part of the city behind the business apartments. It is quite unnecessary for me to mention any names, but all you have to do is look in your own yards and you can tell at a glance whether they are sanitary or not. This work must be done before the 15th of March, 1908, or I shall be obliged to take the necessary steps to see that the work is done satisfactory to the Sanitary Inspector.

I trust that this notice will be accepted without any prejudice, as any broad-minded citizen knows that the population of the city has been steadily increasing in the last two or three years, and if we want this good success to continue, we want to show the newcomer this city in a good, clean, sanitary condition, and avoid criticism.

Yours truly,
(Signed) E. J. FADER,
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New York, Feb. 23.—That New York is the dumping ground for the criminals of Europe and that the immigration authorities are to blame for this fact is the opinion of Police Commissioner Bingham, expressed in an interview.

"We have had records of fifty Italian criminals," said Commissioner Bingham, "which would exclude from this country, or, once here, should bring about their deportation. Out of these fifty only six have been deported, notwithstanding the fact that the police have been ready to furnish the immigration department at all times with information to keep out and send out of the country these habitual criminals."

Immigration Inspector Watchorn was in Washington last night and none of his subordinates would discuss the charges made by Commissioner Bingham.

This Date in History.

FEBRUARY 23.

1632—Birth of Samuel Pepys, the diarist.

1766—Stanislaus I. of Poland died. Born 1677.

1815—American sloop Hornet captured the British brig Pengein, off Brazil.

1836—Siege of the Alamo by the Mexicans.

1847—Americans defeated the Mexicans at battle of Buena Vista.

1862—Federal troops took Nasnville, Tenn.

1870—Mississippi readmitted to the union.

1900—British under Lord Roberts defeated the Boers under General Cronje.

1907—United States senate ratified the Panama canal treaty.

THE SPANISH ESCURIAL.

It Is a Marvelous Specimen of Ancient Architecture.

The Escurial, the palace of the Spanish king, an architectural marvel, formerly described as the "eighth wonder of the world," is now seldom spoken of even by those who are ready to go wild over much less pretentious structures. The corner-stone of this "Spanish St. Peter's" was laid by Philip II. in 1563, but it was 302 years (1865) before the monstrous building was pronounced finished. It was built by Philip in fulfillment of a vow to "erect the finest monastery in the world" should his forces be successful in their great battle with the French. That battle was fought at St. Quentin on Aug. 10, 1557, St. Lawrence day, and in order to honor that saint as well as to fulfill his vow the king had the foundation of his great memorial laid off in the shape of a gridiron, the implement of torture upon which the goodly Lawrence is reputed to have suffered martyrdom.

To those who have never visited the Escurial the size of the gigantic structure is beyond comprehension. It is 740 feet from north to south and 580½ feet from east to west, the square towers at each corner rising to a height of over 200 feet. Within this monstrous building are the king's palace, a cathedral, a monastery of 200 cells, two colleges, three chapter houses, three library buildings, five large halls, six dormitories, three hospitals and over 3,000 other rooms. In order to make St. Lawrence's gridiron complete, the building is built in quadrangular form, with seventeen rows or ranges of monstrous stone structures crossing each other at right angles, these forming the gridiron's ribs, the handle being a wing 470 feet in length. The church, which is a part of this vast pile of masonry, is 364 feet long, 230 feet wide, with a dome 330 feet in height. It is estimated that the building cost $50,000,000.

Awkwardly Put.

This is one of the things one would rather have put differently: Mr. Bumblepup (at fancy dress ball)—I must apologize for coming in ordinary evening dress. Hostess—Well, you really have the advantage of us. We're all looking more foolish than usual, and you're not.—Punch.

Little Thinking.

Mr. Borely (who has been criticising) —Now, don't be offended. You know, I always say what I think. Miss Cutting—You don't talk much, do you, Mr. Borely?—Illustrated Bits.

It is only reason that teaches silence. The heart teaches us to speak.—Richter.

Obviously.

"Let me see," mused the sporting editor. "What is an incubator?"

"An incubator," replied the agricultural editor, "is an egg plant."

Discouragement is but disenchanted egotism.—Massini.

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MONDAY, FEB. 24, 1908.

OPPOSITION SILENCED.

One side of an argument sometimes appears convincing until the other has been presented.

The recent attack of the Conservatives on the timber policy of the present Government has been very generally circulated throughout the country, but the reply made in answer to this attack, by Hon. Clifford Sifton, who was Minister of the Interior, at the time the acts complained of occurred, has not been so generally circulated.

A characteristic of the ex-Minister of the Interior is, that when any reflections are made upon the policy of the department affecting the period of time when he was charged with its administration, he stands ready to give the fullest explanation (not to defend for there is nothing to defend), but Mr. Siftotn invariably makes a valuable contribution to the debate, which throws light upon what is purposely kept obscure by those who seek to cloud the issue.

Some time ago a general attack was made on the administration of the Interior Department. Mr. Sifton's famous speech, delivered May 31, 1906, in the House, effectively silenced all criticism and the affair passed away and was forgotten. In the present instance after the ex-minister had spoken there was nothing more to be said, the Opposition had been effectively answered, and the House was quite satisfied to vote down the resolution.

Speaking of the contract between the administration of timber lands under Conservative Government, and the administration under Liberal Government, Mr. Sifton said:

"We came into power in 1896. We undertook the duty of developing that western country as it had not been developed before, and we performed that duty. As settlement progressed, here and there, wherever it became necessary we disposed of timber lands. During its eleven years of administration this Government has disposed of 6400 miles to satisfy the wants of a population of 900,000. What did our predecessors do? In three years they disposed of 21,000 square miles of timber lands for the purpose of satisfying the wants of 100,000 settlers."

Mr. Sifton alluded to other matters in connection with Conservative administration of timber lands which were of a most objectionable character. "I have," said he, "defended in the police court, miserable settlers who were prosecuted by the timber rangers of our honorable friends opposite (Conservatives), for taking firewood from the timber lands of the Government," and Mr. Sifton's caustic commentary on this was: "21,000 square miles for the speculators and the police court for the settlers."

OUR GLORIOUS CLIMATE.

It comes as a pleasant surprise to our visitors from Winnipeg and the Middle West to see our snowdrops, daffodils and violets in bloom, and to see buds on the trees ready for bursting forth in their spring glory. On gentleman from the Saskatchewan country yesterday said to his host that it was the first time in his life he had been able to walk around comfortably in the month of February without an overcoat. The fine bracing air full of the ocean's ozone and the beautiful sunshine are so life giving that it would be hard to fine a climate more suitable for those who have lived in the rigid north, where the extreme heat and cold have given the world a full bread basket and the toiler a fat bank account on which he can now rest comfortably, having done his share in the world's labor. Many thousands would gladly avail themselves of the comfort and enjoyment we have here did they only know that New Westminster was on the map and that her people live in the highest enjoyment of the glorious privileges that surround our beautiful climate.

The B. C. E. R. Co. are to be congratulated on the consideration they have shown for the travelling public who reach this city via the Great Northern Railway. The station they have erected above the bridge steps will be a welcomed boon in the hot or stormy days and if they will extend the same kind consideration at the end of the line at Sapperton it will be appreciated.

This fine weather would be very opportune for the guests of the Provincial gaol to do a little trimming and cleaning in the pleasure grounds above the million dollar bridge and put them in keeping with the magnificent structure they overshadow. This could be done better now than when the trees are in leaf.

KERRY GOW.

"Sing sweet Harp, oh sing to me
Some song of ancient days,
Whose sounds, in this sad memory,
Long buried dreams shall raise."

Like a breath from the green hills and vales of the Emerald Isle, is the work of Bernard Daly in "Kerry Gow." The insouciance and high Celtic temperament of the man, his merry quip and dashing comraderie, mingled in the next minute with the romantic sadness or ever ready championship of the helpless, and his supreme nobility of character which must ever combat all that is mean and despicable, carries his audience with him in a heart-throbbing interest that never flags from the rise of the initial curtain until it has descended upon the last scene. The moments when Daly's phenomenally high and bell-like tenor voice rise in the notes of some dear old Irish melody, are moments when the theatres in which he plays are hushed, to be followed at the close of the strains by instantaneous burst of applause. Daly is hailed as another Scanlan and comes to the opera house tomorrow evening in "Kerry Gow" under the management of U. D. Newell.

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Bellingham, Feb. 23—Because of the demoralized condition of the lumber market, logs have fallen in price. Today logs that sold two weeks ago for $13, $10 and $6 a thousand, are being sold for $11, $8 and $5.50. There is no indication of the prices going up; in fact, the market is exceedingly weak.

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There was no meeting held by the police commissioners Saturday, as scheduled, the members being unable to get together. The meeting will be held this afternoon.

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Tonight the Baptist Young Peoples' Union have provided for a special missionary program, with extra music, and a paper from an outside writer.

See our window for specials today. Public Supply store, George Adams, Prop. **

About fifty members of the Uniform Rank of the Knights of Pythias went over to Vancouver yesterday to attend divine service. The contingent travelled in a chartered car, returning to this city late in the evening.

Dr. T. H. Levey, Dentist, has moved into the new Dominion Trust building, opposite the post office. **

The "Pickwick Papers" mock trial, which was so successfully given by the Columbian college students on February 14, will be repeated at the St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church on Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Bible class.

Chapman's billiard and pool room now open, with eight pool tables and two English billiard tables. Dominion Trust block. **

On Saturday there died at East Burnaby an aged lady, Mrs. Dothora Froescke, a native of Germany. Mrs. Froescke was sixty years of age. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of W. E. Fales, but are not yet definitely decided.

A favorite of the elite smokers, the "Brilliante" cigar. **

The Henrietta went up river to Port Haney yesterday afternoon, where a part cargo of lumber, destined to Whitehorse, Yukon, will be taken on. Captain McKenzie, who is in charge of the boat, expects to be ready to sail for the north by the end of this month.

House of five rooms on 66 by 132 foot lot, good location; less than half block from street car; only $1200, terms. Abbot & Hyde. **

The next debate of the Columbian College Literary society will be on Friday afternoon, the topic up for discussion is, "Resolved, that four years of travel will give a broader education than four years' university course." The argumentators will be Miss Burnett, Miss T. Kerr, Mr. Hobbin, Mr. Lane and J. Houle.

An afternoon tea under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity cathedral will be held at the residence of Mrs. T. S. Annandale, Fourth street, on Wednesday. A special attraction will be Madam Gonzales, the celebrated gypsy fortune-teller. **

The funeral of the late J. I. Breen took place on Saturday afternoon, Rev. F. A. Magee conducting the services at the I. O. O. F. cemetery. Members of the two local Orange lodges, 1150 and 1593, followed the body to its last resting place, deceased having been a member of that order for many years. W. E. Fales was in charge of the funeral details.

Fourteen acres on North road, close to school; faces on three roads; $125 per acre; one-third cash, balance easy. White, Shiles & Co. **

Arrangements have been made for the establishment of a cannery for fruit and vegetables at Kamloops. A company has been formed under the title of the Thompson Valley Canning Co., Ltd., with $15,000 of capital, divided into 3000 shares of $5 each. The provincial directors are: Frank Rushton, chairman; A. E. Meighen, Dr. M. S. Wade, C. H. Strutt, treasurer; and W. T. Slavin, secretary. A large block of shares has already been subscribed for, and it is expected that the whole issue will be taken up within a few days.

The "Auto" cigar is becoming a favorite smoke. **

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The Shamrocks of Vancouver won yesterday from the North Vancouver soccer team by default in the B. C. cup series. This team, therefore enter the finals with the winner of the Thistle-New Westminster game, which may be replayed as a result of the draw yesterday. The winners will compete for the cup with the winners of the Vancouver Island league.

All kinds of pot plants and cut flowers, shrubs for lawns. Tidy, phone 184. **

The Vancouver lodge of the Knights of Columbus, reinforced by the local lodge, will attend the performance of "Kerry Gow" at the opera house tomorrow evening, fifty seats in the front of the house having been reserved for that body on Saturday. "Kerry Gow" is a typically Irish play that will appeal especially to that large percentage of the Knights of Columbus who are Irish, either by birth, descent or choice.

See the new ties in J. E. Brown's window. **

A snap—120 acres five miles from town; ten acres cleared; small house, barn and chicken house; good roads; fine land and easily cleared. Price $27.50 per acre; terms easy. White, Shiles & Co. **

A severe accident to one of the employees caused a temporary shutdown at the Royal City shingle mill on Saturday. The injured man is a saw filer and general mechanic. He was attempting to throw a belt on a moving pulley, an operation which he has performed times innumerable with safety, but this time he was not quick enough and his hand was drawn into the pulley, tearing it badly, and wrenching the sub-shaft to which the pulley was attached. The engineer, who saw the occurrence, immediately shut off the steam, otherwise the man's arm would have been crushed.

See the specials displayed in our window today. George Adams, Public Supply store. **

The regular meeting of the local W. C. T. U. will be held in Queen's avenue Epworth league parlor, Monday next, February 24, at 3 p.m. A special feature of the program will be the commemoration of the anniversary of Miss Frances Willard's "Home-Going." Honorary members will be welcome. *

A local branch of the South African Campaigners' association is to be formed in this city, a motion to this effect, proposed by Edward Hoult, and seconded by R. W. Cameron, at meeting of old campaigners held on Saturday evening at the office of Abbott & Hyde, having been passed unanimously. The matter will be further discussed at the next meeting of the association in Vancouver, when V. H. C. Abbott, who occupied the chair at Saturday's meeting, will formally move that the local branch be sanctioned by the parent association. Another meeting is to be held next Saturday at the same place, when a full attendance of ex-South African fighters is expected.

For cut flowers, bouquets or funeral designs telephone T. Davies & Son, B. 208. ***

Every day this week lectures are to be given in St. Patrick's hall by Miss Ada L. A. Murcutt, the talented lady lecturer who has recently come to this country from Australia, where she for many months delighted the dwellers of the antipodes with her talks on social, religious and political conditions. For her subject this evening Miss Murcutt has selected "Japan and the Japanese," a lecture which has been greatly appreciated wherever rendered. Her subjects for the remainder of the week will be: Tuesday, "New Zealand, the Home of Democracy"; Wednesday (for women only), "Women of Other Lands"; Thursday, "White Slaves of Great Britain"; Friday, "Russia and its Island Prison Saghalien." On Friday afternoon a limelight entertainment for children, entitled "Beautiful Pictures of Japan," will be given. To this an admission fee of five cents will be charged.

J. H. Brownlee, C. E., Dominion and B. C. land surveyor, has opened an office in the Guichon block. Phone 338. *

By a score of four-nought, the Royal City high school juvenile soccer team defeated for the second time the Vancouver Central school team. The boys are now the champions of the mainland and are ready to defend their colors against the leaders in the island series for the championship of the province in the juvenile series. The team that faced the ball on Saturday was: Storme, McAllister, Davidson, King, Wilkie, McKenzie, Disney, Currie, Hardman, Gifford and Innes. Goals were scored by Gifford two, Davidson and Wilkie one each. McKenzie, Disney and Gifford starred for the home eleven.

Five acre blocks of fruit land, two miles from town; $110 per acre; clearing light; easy terms. White, Shiles & Co. **

Carnegie Gives $125,000.

Berlin, Feb. 23.—Andrew Carnegie has contributed $125,000 to the Robert Koch institution for the investigation of tuberculosis.

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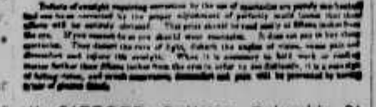

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A SPIDER FIGHT.

It Was a Fast and Furious Battle to the Death.

I once had a spider pet of a kind the books enabled me to identify. He was a fine big fellow. I caught him in the garden, carried him home, and for nearly two months he and I took a close interest in each other, he for the flies I introduced to him and I for the amusement he introduced to me. I kept him in a milliner's box, letting him out when I visited him, especially delighting myself with allowing him to drop from one hand by his fine spun thread and then either catching him in the other or gently compelling him to climb back again by apparently eating his own ladder.

One day I captured another spider of the same species. I kept him for a few days in a separate box, and then, with the kindly idea of companionship, I introduced him to Tiger. I have seen dogs fight; I have seen chanticleer fight and slay his man; I have seen rams fight till, with his skull crushed in, one lay dead at the foot of the other; I have seen men fight; but the fullest sense I ever realized of mad, murderous passion let ungovernably loose, centered in one destroying aim and summoning every physical energy to its devilish service. I realized when those two spiders rushed to mortal combat. I stood in boyish terror as their tangled legs dropped off, torn by mutual rage; and as with vicious dexterity they struck each other with their poisoned fangs, using for their own destruction the weapons and appliances with which nature has provided them for the capture and slaughter of their prey, I visibly turned pale.

Tiger was the victor, but even while with brutal wrath, all mangled as he was, he bit and spurned his dead and limbless foe he was seized with symptoms I took to be paralytic, and in a minute or two I helped him to his death. And this fearless gladiator was afraid of, I remember, and never would tackle a big bluebottle fly. What is courage?—Dundee Advertiser

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WHEN REST IS NEEDED.

Feeling of Uncertainty In Performance of Routine Work.

"When people fall into the habit of wondering whether they have done routine things it is high time for them to consider the advisability of a rest," said a physician. "There is no surer sign, to my mind, that the system is becoming overtaxed than this feeling of uncertainty.

"I was staying with a friend the other night—spending the night with him, in fact. He's a man whom I know pretty well, and I thought at dinner and through the evening, from a little nervousness in his conversation and manner, that things weren't all right with him, but I wasn't absolutely convinced till bedtime approached. We were sitting upstairs in his study, his family having retired, and he asked me to excuse him while he saw that the house was locked up. It was a still night, and I could follow his progress around the various rooms on the first floor. He seemed to me to be unnecessarily long, and, without being inquisitive, I really became interested to know whether he wasn't making the rounds twice. Finally I heard him go into the parlor, a room I was sure he had visited at least once before. When he came upstairs I asked laughingly how many times he had seen that each window was fastened. But he wasn't in a laughing mood at all.

"'It's a funny thing, old man,' he said, 'but I've been fool enough to look at each window two or three times. Do you know, it would strike me after I had left a room that perhaps I hadn't put the catch properly on one of the windows there, and back I'd have to go to make sure. Being in there, I'd examine the other windows again. It's been that way for half a dozen nights. Somehow doing those things doesn't seem to make the impression on me that one would expect. This lack of sureness isn't confined to locking windows either. I find myself at the office wondering whether I have given such and such instructions—instructions that are so much a part of my daily work that I suppose I give them mechanically and then forget them. Nine times out of ten I find everything is all right, but I'm not quite happy till I do. I guess I must be getting old maidish in my old age.'

"It was my turn to be serious then. I explained to him that his forgetfulness all came from being overtired. From habit he worked like an automaton, doing this, that and the other thing in his business or home life, but a great number of his actions were without the cognizance of the brain. He needed rest and if he did not take it he would break down.

"I got him away from cares for a bit, and the next time I saw him he laughed as heartily over the incident of the much locked windows as I pretended to. He doesn't know it, but he had a narrow escape. I'm telling this story that it may serve as a warning in an overstrenuous age."—New York Press.

TO KEEP YOUNG.

Be Active, Seek Variety and Don't Be Afraid to Laugh.

Never retire from active life if you can possibly avoid it; keep "in the swim;" keep the mind active; never refer to your advancing years or say "at my age."

To preserve youth you must have a variety of experience. The country woman at forty, although breathing a purer air and living on a more healthful diet than the city woman, often looks fifty, while the latter at the same age does not look more than thirty. But her mind is more active than that of her country sister; that is the secret of her more youthful appearance.

Nothing else ages one more rapidly than monotony—a dead level existence without change of scene or experience. The mind must be kept fresh or it will age, and the body cannot be younger than the mind.

Few minds are strong enough to overcome the aging influence of the monotonous life which rules in the average country home. City people have infinitely greater variety of life. They enjoy themselves a great deal more than country people. They work hard when at work, but when they are through they drop everything and have a good time. There is no doubt that the theater, in spite of its many evils, has done a great deal toward erasing the marks of age. People who laugh much retain their youth longer.—Success.

Four Tongue Twisters.

Tongue twisting sentences are always good fun makers. Here are four for our young folks to try: 1. She sells shells. 2. The sun shines on the shop signs. 3. Shave a cedar shingle thin. 4. How much wood would a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood? When you give these twisters out make it a condition that they shall be spoken quite rapidly, and you will have lots of fun.

A Financial Coup.

"You don't mean to say that you loaned Stickles your umbrella?"

"Yes. And it was economy to do it. It saves me the 25 cents a day he used to borrow."

Inaccuracy is the twin brother of dishonesty.—Simmons.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Re James Taylor, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of James Taylor, late of Fort Langley, in the province of British Columbia, deceased, who died on the 30th day of November, 1907, and whose will was proved in the supreme court of British Columbia on the 25th day of January, 1908, by Joseph Mayers and John Taylor, the executors therein named, are hereby required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to me the undersigned the solicitor for the said executors on or before the 20th day of March, 1908, at the undermentioned address, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said James Taylor, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of the said James Taylor deceased or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims and demands they shall not then have had notice.

Dated this 20th day of February, A. D., 1908.

A. WHEALLER,
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Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 28, 66, 71, 72, 73, 74 and 77 of subdivision 3, in suburban block 14, Sapperton; prices ranging from **$125 to $200.**

6 room house on Hamilton street, all modern improvements. One lot from car line; lot 60x132. Price **$1400**, $600 cash, balance in monthly payments.

8 room house, all modern improvements, full sized lot, Sherwood street, Sapperton. Price **$2700.** $1000 cash, balance on time.

3½ acres land next to Royal Oak hotel, has been cultivated, not a stump on it, now in grass, 28 bearing fruit trees, all kinds, sufficient lumber to build good large barn, 5-room house and barn and large chicken house for about 250 chickens; good well; near to school and tram; all fenced. Price **$3500**. Terms $1500 cash, $1000 in April and $1000 April following, or $3400 cash.

1 Lot 66x132 ft., S. ½ of 8, lane at back, 3rd and Queen's avenue. Price **$1250**; half cash, bal. 6 months.

Block corner of Fourth avenue and Thirteenth street 88x132 only $800, a splendid investment.

Lot 20, block B facing English church, next lot to bridge, Carnarvon street; price $650.

160 acres less right of way about 8 acres for railway; 25 acres stumped, 15 acres roughly cleared and fenced; 1 1-2 story house 18x28, lean too 14x28 and lean too 16x22; barn 30x32 and lean too 32x14; granary 10x16; two chicken houses, each 10x12; wagon shed 20x30; small milk house, small orchard, all kinds of fruit 65 bearing fruit trees; natural spring well. Price $6000; $2000 cash, balance easily arranged at 7 per cent.

Full sized lot on Third street, between Royal and Queens avenue east side, new house; **$1400.**

Two lots, block 34, lot 9, $1000 each.

6 LOTS FACING 4th AVE., 3rd ST. AND PINE ST.; ORCHARD, FRUIT OF ALL KINDS; 7-ROOM HOUSE, ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, SEWER CONNECTION. PRICE $8000; $3000 CASH, AND BALANCE IN 6, 12, 18, 24, 30 MONTHS, AT 6%.

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27½ acres of the best soil, 10 acres cleared, under cultivation; 200 young fruit trees, just comencing to bear; new house, 1½ storey, 5 rooms; hen houses, in good order; some acres planted with wheat, oats and potatoes. Water from nearby spring. Balance of property easily cleared. Price $4,700; $2500 cash, balance 6 and 12 months.

This property is only ½ mile from tram line. Over two hundred chickens and ducks could be sold with the property at a snap.

1 1-2 acres, more or less, in block, corner of 11th Street and Royal avenue, invaluable for industrial site, **$4,500.** One half cash, balance to be arranged.

Subdivision of lot 46, block 6, comprising some of the finest residential sites in the city for sale exclusively by us. This magnificent property is situated on the corners of Fourth avenue, First street (facing Queen's park- and Emory street, comprising in all ten 33x120 foot lots facing on First street at $700 (excepting the corner lot facing Fourth avenue and First street, held at $1000); two lots on Fourth avenue, 42 1-2x120, at $600 per lot; four lots, 52 1-2x85, $450; five lots, $400. Call at our office on Front street and inspect plans.

House, full sized lot, on Keary street, Sapperton; rents for $10 per month. Only **$1,050.**

10 acres in sec. 32. Timber, fir, cedar and alder. Good soil; good roads. Apply for full particulars.

Lots 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, face on 16th street and 8th avenue; 2 corner lots $250; 4 inside lots $200 each. Price **$950. cash.** Single lots at cash.

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160 acres, less 3½ for new railway, Township 4, Sec. 11; all bottom land, under grass, suitable for dairy farm; 40 acres under-drained, ditched all round and fenced around and through centre; 5 room house; barn 40x75, sufficient feed for about 300 head of stock. Price $8000; terms one-third cash, bal. to suit purchaser. One mile from station on new car line.

Lot 22, block B, between Mrs. Hoffards and Thomson house, Carnarvon street; full size $1600.

160 ACRES about two miles from Aldergrove station, 30 acres cleared and partly fenced, good house, barn and stable. Price **$16 per acre**; $1760 cash, balance to be arranged.

1¾ ACRES, Block 9, Lot No. 2, Dist. Lot 8; south side of the river, near bridge. **$300**; half cash.

2 LOTS, 132x132, N.-W. corner of 10th Street and St. Andrews. Price **$1050**; half cash.

2 lots on 8th St. between 5th and 6th Ave. on east side; full sized, 66x132; Nos. 9 and 12. Price **$1000 for both**, half cash, balance easy.

Block, corner of Auckland & 11th St. and Royal Ave., almost an acre. $2,500

160 acres, 2 miles from city. $40 per acre

Two lots on 18th street, between 7th and 8th avenues.

2 houses corner of Merrival and Agnes; full sized lot; city block 31, lot 11; one house rents for $25, the other $10; flush closets and all connected with sewers. Price **$3,500.** Cash $2,000, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months at 7 %.

Lots 14 and 15 of 1 of 6 of 4 (cleared.) Price **$500**; for the two, 1-2 cash, balance 6 months at 7 per cent.

Lot 14 on Sherbrook street of 11 of 3, cleared. Price $275; 1-2 cash, balance, 6 months at 7 per cent.

Six lots, 50x150, outside city limits **$60 each lot.** Fuller particulars on enquiry.

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160 acres on the Scott road, 15 acres cleared; barn 50 x 30; stables, etc.; splendid soil; only $30 per acre, $1,000 cash, balance easy.

Part of lot 369, joins Lake Commur, about 70 acres, only $25 per acre Half cash. Jump.

7 lots Nos. 81 to 86 and 95, 95 faces on 8th avenue, next to Gunns ranch, 4 lots cleared without a stump; small house, chicken house, 175 choice chickens; horse and rig; **$1500 cash.**

Lots 16, 17 and 20 of 11 of 3. Price **$500** for three or $175 each; 1-2 cash balance 6 months at 7 per cent.

Full sized lot on Royal avenue, between Fourth and Merrivale; all cleared. **$1,200, $800 cash**

Acreage on Vancouver road, corner of Gilley road. **$225** per acre. Acreage is selling fast at this price.

No. 308.—8-roomed House, with bath room, etc.; Agnes St. **$2,500**; ½ cash, balance 3 and 6 mos. at 7 %.

No. 306.—9-roomed house, with bath room, corner of 6th and Agnes St. **Price $4,000**; terms ½ cash, balance 3 and 6 months at 7 %.

No. 310.—9-roomed House and bath room, Agnes St. **$3,000**; ½ cash, balance 3 and 6 months at 7 %.

No. 312.—8-roomed House and bath room, Agnes St. Price **$2,500**; ½ cash, balance 3 and 6 mos. at 7 %.

160 acres, Westminster district, 40 acres under cultivation, 10 acres orchard, ¾ acre strawberries planted this year; alder bottom land; running spring; house 18 x 22; frame barn 30 x 32; 14-post frame house and cow stables, three in all, stable 8 cows and 2 span horses; near Mission Station; schools, churches near at hand; steamer lands twice a day; about 100 acres timber, fir and cedar, never been logged; $2,000 refused for standing timber; carriage house 16 x 24; hen house made of hewed timber laid in mortar, 12 x 30. A chance of a lifetime, **$9,000; $4,000 cash**, balance at 6 per cent.

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Full sized Lot on 4th St. at the end of Regina St., between 5th and 6th avenues, west side of 4th St. Price **$400**; half cash.

4 Lots 88x132 each, 4th avenue, 13th street. **$1200 cash.**

2 HOUSES on 1 lot, Keary Street, Sapperton; 5 rooms and kitchen, woodshed and 4 rooms, kitchen and woodshed. **$1000 each**, one-third cash, balance easy.

77.58 ACRES, black loam land, all ploughed and cleared and dyked; N. E. ¼ Sect. 5. **$75** per acre, one-third cash, one-third 3 months, one-third 6 months.

7 LOTS, 120x52, facing 8th Avenue, 4 lots cleared, small house, chicken house, 175 chickens; fenced. Inclusive price **$1500**, $1000 cash.

6 ACRES good loam soil, Group 3, Lot 16, corner Blue Mountain road and Brunette road, south side; 6-roomed house; parlor, dining room, kitchen and three bedrooms; plastered; conservatory 30 or 40 feet long, heated by pipes; well; stable; barn; 15 bearing fruit trees; considerable stock ready to plant out; 2 skep bees; 5 acres cleared, light timber on remaining acre; all fenced; ½ mile from school. Price $3000; half cash, bal. in 6 months at 7 per cent.

1 Lot 88x132, 4th avenue, 13th St. **$800 cash.**

3 LOTS, 5, 6 & 7, full sized and cleared, upper side of 5th Avenue, between 1st and 2nd Streets. Price $300 each.

4 LOTS, 2 lots from 1st Street and 6th Avenue on south side, No. 35, 36, 37 & 38, full size. Price $1100 for the four, or $300 each; half cash.

Double tenement house, 4th Ave., 1st and 2nd St.; 1 lot. Price $1,700; cash half and half in 6 months at 7%. Rents for $10 each tenant.

40 acres ½ section 14, N. ½ of E. ½ of Tn. 2, about 3 miles from bridge of Haworth road, Surrey; house 16x24, 1½ storey house, 3 rooms finished, other 3 can be added upstairs; small shack; 1½ acres cleared and seeded with clover, red; fairly easily cleared. One mile from shingle mill. Price $1,200; terms half cash, balance 12 months at 7 %.

Westerly 4, 11 of 63, Sub. Block 3, 132x132 corner 100 feet square, two houses drawing $28 per month. Price **$5,000**, half cash, balance in 6 and 12 months.

160 S.E. ¼ of Section 26, Dist. 18, 10 acres, partly cleared; Kanaka creek running through; good road; one mile north of Webster's corner; shingle mill and P.O. at the west corner; timber worth $7 per acre; cedar and fir; 4 miles from Port Haney. Price **$2,100**; terms $1,100 cash, balance arranged.

Large lot and two cottages on Columbia street, Sapperton. Both rented at **$10 each.**

One and one-half storey house and full size lot, situated north side of Royal avenue and corner of McKinnis street; 9 rooms; bath room, hot and cold water, closet; woodshed; young bearig fruit trees; streets on three sides; fine view. Price $1,800 $900 cash.

Lot facing 2nd St., between Queens and 3rd Ave., second lot from Queens Ave.; 52x122 feet; all cleared; lane alongside and back. Price $1,000; half cash, balance easy at 7 %.

150 acres improved land, buildings and sheds complete, near Cloverdale; all under cultivation, $15,000. If you can handle this, don't delay; it's a bargain; terms can be arranged.

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House 30x42, 4th St., between 4th and 5th Ave.; 2 single and 1 double bedrooms upstairs, and bath room down stairs; parlor, dining room, kitchen and pantry. Full sized lot running back to Ash St. Price $3,800; **$1,500 cash**, balance at $500 per year at 7 per cent.

Three ful sized lots on Fifth avenue, north side between First and Second streets, No. 5, 6 and 7. Price $400 each or $1100 for the three.

Full sized lot, north side of Hamilton street between Sixth and Eighth streets; **$225.**

28 acres on Mara road, Burnaby, **$160 an acre** FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY. One-quarter cash, balance 1 and 2 years at 7 %.

1 lot No. 24 on 13th street south side of 4th avenue. Price $200 cash.

Block 12 on 12th St., east side; 10 full sized lots. Price $2,500, one-third cash, bal. 6, 12 and 18 months

4 lots on Fifth Street, 11 12, 13, 14 Sub. 15, S. Blk. 13. $350 each, half cash, balance 6 months at 7 %.

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Homestead Regulations.

Any even numbered section of Dominion lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, 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.

Application for entry must be made in person by the applicant at a Dominion Lands Agency or sub-agency for the district in which the land is situate. Entry by proxy may, however, be made at an agency on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

The homesteader is rejuired to perform the homestead duties 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) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

(3) The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, exclusive of the width of road allowances crossed in the measurement.

(4) A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the agent of the district of such intention.

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

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

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

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Take notice that an application has been made to register M. W. Minthorne as the owner in fee simple, under a tax sale deed from the mayor and treasurer of the city of New Westminster, to M. W. Minthorne, bearing date the 16th day of February, A.D. 1904, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the city of New Westminster, in the province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as: Subdivision "A" of block "A" of the middle acre of the south half of the south half of lot 6, suburban block 12, map 566.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise I shall register M. W. Minthorne as owner thereof in fee. And I hereby direct that publication of this notice for thirty days in a daily newspaper published at New Westminster shall be good and sufficient service thereof.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, province of British Columbia, this 22nd day of January, A.D. 1908.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar.

To Louis R. Bayne.

All persons served with this notice, and those claiming through or under them and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent, whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act," shall be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land so sold for taxes as provided by the "Land Registry Act."

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register Margaret Dobbie as the owner in Fee Simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from S. A. Fletcher, to Margaret Dobbie, bearing date the 1st day of December, A. D. 1902, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lots 18 to 25, inclusive, Block 4, being parts of southwest of Section 2, Township 16.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the first publication of this notice upon you, otherwise I shall register Margaret Dobbie as owner thereof in fee. And I hereby direct that publication of this notice for one month in a daily newspaper published at New Westminster will be good and sufficient service thereof.

Dated at the Land Registry office New Westminster, Province of British Columbia, this 29th day of August, A. D. 1907.

C. S. KEITH.
District Registrar.

To Benjamin Douglas, Esq.

PROFESSIONAL.

W. NORMAN BOLE, K. C., Barrister and Solicitor. Chambers, Canadian Bank of Commerce building, New Westminster, B. C.*

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Leaves Seattle 11:30 p. m. daily except Monday; arrives Victoria 7 a.m. daily except Tuesday.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Construction," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon of Tuesday, the 10th day of March, 1908, for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of the Commissioners, of the following sections of the Transcontinental Railway, viz:

(1) District 'A'—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, about the 58th mile west of Moncton, to the crossing of the Intercolonial railway at or about mile 97.7, a distance of about 39.7 miles.

(2) District 'A'—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, at or about the crossing of the Intercolonial railway by the Transcontinental railway at mile 97.7 west of Moncton to the Tobique river, at or about mile 165.7 less one mile, a distance of about 67 miles.

(3) District 'A'—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, at or near the Tobique river to a point shown on the said plans about 2½ miles west of the Town of Grand Falls, in the Province of New Brunswick, a distance of about 31.5 miles.

(4) District 'B'—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, at or near the boundary line between the Provinces of Quebec and New Brunswick, westerly a distance of about 52.4 miles.

(5) District 'D'—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, about eight miles west of the Abitibi River crossing, in the Province of Ontario, westerly for a distance of about 100 miles.

(6) District 'E'—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, about 19½ miles west of the crossing of Mud River, near Lake Nepigon, in the Province of Ontario, easterly for a distance of about 75 miles.

Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners at Ottawa; also in the offices of the District Engineers concerned, viz: Guy C. Dunn, St. John, N. B.; A. E. Doucet, Quebec, P. Q.; John Aylen, Acting District Engineer, North Bay, Ont.; and T. S. Armstrong, Nepigon, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made in duplicate, and on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners.

A separate tender must be submitted for each section.

Tenderers shall not be in any way entitled to rely upon the classification, or any other information given by any person on behalf of the Comm'ssioners; and before submitting any tender, bidders should make a careful examination of the plans, profiles, drawings and specifications, and read the forms to be executed, and fully inform themselves as to the quantity and quality of materials, and character of workmanship required; and are understood to accept and agree to be bound by, the terms and conditions in the form of contract, specifications, etc., annexed to the form of tender.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the order of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, as follows:

For Section No.	1,	District 'A'	.	$ 75,000
" "	2,	" 'A'	..	100,000
" "	3,	" 'A'	..	75,000
" "	4,	" 'B'	..	100,000
" "	5,	" 'D'	..	150,000
" "	6,	" 'E'	..	100,000

Any person whose tender is accepted shall within ten days after the acceptance thereof furnish such additional approved security as may be required by the Commissioners; sign the contract, specifications, and other documents required to be signed by the said Commissioners; and, in any case of refusal or failure on the part of the party whose tender is accepted to complete and execute the contract with the said commissioners, and to furnish the additional approved security within ten days after the acceptance of the tender, the said cheque shall be forfeited to the Commissioners as liquidated damages for such refusal or failure and all contracts rights acquired by the acceptance of the tender shall be forfeited. The cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are accepted will be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General of Canada as part of the security for the due and faithful performance of the contract according tot its terms. Cheques deposited by parties whose tender are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

Attention is called to the following clauses in the form of contract:

"All mechanics, laborers, or other persons who perform labor for the purposes of the construction of the works hereby contracted for, shall be paid such wages as are generally accepted as current for competent workmen in the district in which the work is being performed, and if there is no current rate in such district, then a fair and reasonable rate; and, in the event of a dispute arising as to what is the current or a fair and reasonable rate, it shall be determined by the Commissioners, whose decision shall be final."

"This agreement is subject to the regulations now in force, or which may at any time hereafter be in force during the construction of the works hereby contracted for, made under the authority of the Department of Labor, and which are, or shall be, applicable to such works." (The schedule of minimum wages determined upon by said Department will form part of the contract.)

"The contractor shall in connection with the whole of the said work, as far as practicable, use only material, machinery, plant, supplies and rolling stock manufactured or produced in Canada, provided the same can be obtained as cheaply, and upon as good terms, in Canada as elsewhere, having regard to quality and price."

The contractor shall conform to the fire regulations adopted by the Commissioners, and also to the laws and regulations respecting fires in the different provinces wherein the work is being performed.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order,

P. E. RYAN,
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway.

Ottawa, 1st February, 1908.

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

SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.—AMITY LODGE, NO. 27.—The regular meetings of this lodge are held in Oddfellows' hall, Columbia street, every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

A. O. U. W.—FRASER LODGE No. 3—Meetings the first and third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend Lodge room, A. O. U. W. hall, Oddfellows' block, Clarkson street.

COURT BRUNETTE, No. 4099, I.O.F.—Meets the Fourth Friday in the month at 8 o'clock, in the small hall, Oddfellows' block.

COURT ROYAL COLUMBIA, No. 8808, A. O. F.—The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each month at 8 p. m. in the Oddfellows' Hall.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES, Aerie No. 20—Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 p. m., in the Eagles' hall, Columbia street. A. Clark, W. Pres.; H. Schofield, Secretary.

THE ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE meet every Wednesday at 8 o'clock p. m., in Oddfellows' hall, Columbia street.

SONS OF SCOTLAND BENEFIT ASSOCIATION, LORD OF THE ISLES CAMP, 191.—Meets on the First and Third Tuesday of every month in K. of P. hall. Chief W. Sutherland.

I. O. O. F.—Royal City Lodge, No. 3—Meets in Oddfellows' Hall, Columbia Street, every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren will be made welcome. C.H. Clow, N.G. C.E. Osborne, P. G. recording secretary.

ROSE OF COLUMBIA LODGE No. 115, SONS OF ENGLAND, B. S.—Red Rose Degree meets Second and Fourth Wednesday of each month, in K. of P. Hall, Columbia St., at 8 p. m., White Rose Degree, Fourth Wednesday in each month, same time and place.

THE FIRST MESSAGE.

How a Woman Came to Send It Over the Morse Telegraph Line.

In 1844, toward the close of the session of congress, Professor Samuel Morse returned from Europe and found that though his bill for the installation of the telegraph had passed the house it still had to appear in the senate.

He had reached the bottom of his purse. There were only two days of the session left, and the inventor found that there were over 140 bills that had precedence over his.

The last night of the session Morse remained until 9 o'clock, and then, thoroughly disheartened, he left without the slightest hope that the bill would be passed. That night he counted his money at the hotel and found that after he had paid his lodging and secured his ticket to New York he would have just 75 cents left. As he was leaving the hotel in the morning he was told that a woman was waiting in the parlor to see him. She was Miss Annie Ellsworth, daughter of the commissioner of patents. She had been one of his warmest friends in Washington, and when he entered the room she rose, extended her hand and said, "I come to congratulate you."

"For what?" asked Morse.

"On the passage of your bill," she replied.

"Surely you must be mistaken," said the inventor. "I waited in the senate until 9 o'clock last night, and there was no prospect of its being reached."

"Then I am the first one to tell you!" she cried.

"Yes, if it is so."

"Father waited until the adjournment," she continued, "and heard it passed."

Professor Morse was almost overcome. "Annie," he said, his voice choking with emotion, "the first message that is sent from Washington to Baltimore shall be sent from you."

And it was. When the line was completed Miss Ellsworth sent the first message. It read, "What hath God wrought!"

STEAMBOAT DRAMA.

Floating Palaces That Furnish Entertainment For River Towns.

Anybody who lives in a town on the banks of the Mississippi river and hears a calliope play at 5 o'clock in the morning knows that it is not a circus that is coming to town. It is the floating palace, which is the name given to a unique form of theatrical transportation entertainment that is used only on the river and its tributaries, the Ohio and the Missouri.

There are at the present time more than a dozen floating palaces. Each of them carries a well equipped stage, a company of from sixteen to thirty-five actors and actresses, and has seating capacity for from 200 to 700 persons. Each of the boats has a steam piano with which the people from the countryside are called to the landings, where the shows are given on the boats, and most of the boats carry pretty fair bands.

Nowhere else in this country or abroad is the drama carried up and down rivers on steamboats. Barring the railroad, the favorite means of transportation in England and in continental Europe is the wagon. There are many wagon shows in this country, but they would find it difficult to reach all the towns that are easily reached by the floating palaces. Many of the towns that get all their dramatic sustenance from these floating playhouses have no railroad connections whatever. If it were not for the shows that float down or up to them by boat they would have to go without theatrical fare.

Mark Twain, who knows the big river about as well as anybody, used to be well acquainted with the old time managers of a few of the floating palaces. He introduces one of them into "Huckleberry Finn." But times change, and men change with them, and the floating palace of today is much more elaborate and much finer than were the floating palaces of the older time.

They play to thousands of persons each season, and they give pretty good shows. Their managers, who live in Cincinnati and St. Louis, make good profits on the investment.—Chicago Tribune.

Taste Governs Spelling.

Shakespeare spelled his own name in sixteen different ways which have survived, and it is evident that Elizabethan spelling "depends upon the taste and fancy of the speller." It is the printing press which made spelling by stereotyping it, and it is, after all, on the printer's reader more than on the professor that the spelling of the future depends.—London Star.

Napoleon's Name.

The name Napoleon written in Greek characters will form seven different words by dropping the final letter of each in succession. When read, these words form a complete sentence, meaning: "Napoleon, the destroyer of whole cities, was the lion of his people."

Wrong.

"There is a word of one syllable in the English language that is always spelled wrong, even by the most educated people."

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LISBON RESEMBLES GREAT BATTLEFIELD

Soldiers Everywhere, Reserves in Readiness--Insurrection Feared Imminent.

Lisbon, Portugal, Feb. 22.—This city tonight resembles an armed camp. Soldiers occupy all the public buildings, strong patrols guard the streets, reserve forces are held in readiness, though concealed from the public view, in nearly all public squares, while in the barracks the entire garrison is under arms. In all the largest cities of the country similar preparations to meet outbreaks have been made.

For several days there have been rumors that the revolutionary outbreaks that were planned to organize at the time of the late King Carlos' assassination have been arranged for. Tonight's military preparations were made in the fear that Sunday is the time fixed for the intended uprisings.

Government spies have reported in the last few days that plans were being laid to start uprisings in several parts of the country simultaneously. All the details have not been planned, but enough was discovered to cause the belief that tomorrow is the day for the outbreaks.

At Setupil outbreaks have already occurred. Few details reached here, but it is known people are in an extremely dangerous mood.

The situation is shown by the sending of a gunboat to Setupil today.

Oporto is another dangerous point where demonstrations against the government are to be expected at any time.

In case of a real conflict, how strong the government is, is problematical.

Even the loyalty of the army is to be doubted. The soldiers have not been overlooked by the revolutionary agitators, and their ranks are honeycombed with dissatisfaction. A decisive victory for the revolutionaries probably would be followed by wholesale desertions to the popular cause.

The danger is well appreciated by the king's advisers, and this is the cause of the military preparations to crush any attempted uprising in its incipiency.

RELIEF FUND FOR VETERANS GROWING

London, Feb. 23.—There has been a splendid response already to Lord Roberts' appeal on behalf of the Crimean and Mutiny veterans, but much more is wanted.

King Edward started the fund with 1000 guineas, and the Queen and the Prince of Wales followed with donations of $2625 and $1300.

The lord mayor of Liverpool has announced his intention of opening a fund for the scheme.

When the fullest inquiries have been made it is quite possible that the fund may be called upon to support at least a thousand aged soldiers, so that all who have not yet contributed should lose no time in doing so.

No one really knows at present how many of these veterans of the battlefield may be in a state of destitution and looking forward to a little friendly help in their declining days. In all probability the local government board will institute inquiries through boards of guardians throughout the country, but private investigations are already afoot.

No Lock-out.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Feb. 23.—Several conferences were held yesterday with a view to arranging a compromise in the strike of shipyard employees. All proved futile, but the employers decided that they would not enforce a lock-out, which would have affected 30,000 men.

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Laundries Regulation By-Law, 1900 Amendment By-Law, 1908.

A By-law to amend the Laundries Regulation By-law, 1900.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster enacts as follows:

1. The Laundries Regulation By-law, 1900, is hereby amended by adding at the end of section 2 the following: "And also beginning at the centre of Cumberland street where it intersects with Columbia street, thence westerly and northwesterly along the centre of Cumberland street to Eighth avenue, thence northeasterly along Eighth avenue to the centre of the line between Lot Fourteen (14) and the reserve at the corner of Eighth avenue and Columbia street, thence easterly along said line to Columbia street, thence crossing Columbia street in the same direction along the centre of Distillery street to Brunette street, thence westerly along Brunette street to point of commencement."

2. This By-law may be cited as the "Laundries Regulation By-law, 1900 Amendment By-law, 1908."

Done and passed in open council this 10th day of February, 1908.

W. H. KEARY, Mayor.
W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk.

[L. S.]

PRACTICAL SETTLEMENT OF NATAL ACT QUESTION

Ottawa, Feb. 22.—The decision of Chief Justice Hunter on the British Columbia Natal act is regarded here as a practical settlement of the whole question. Even if British Columbia should appeal to the privy council, the act could not be enforced pending the final decision of the latter court, as it would be within the power of the Dominion to secure an injunction from the court restraining the province from any further attempt to enforce the act.

By awaiting the action of the court the Dominion government, it is claimed, has obtained a better settlement of the question than if it had disallowed the act. In the latter case the province could at once have passed another act, and the situation of the past few days would have been repeated.

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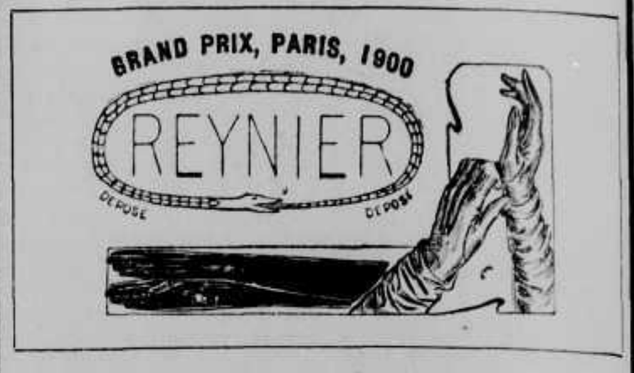

The standard of perfection in women's kid gloves. Not a pair sold by us but what is fully guaranteed. We are sole agents in New Westminster for this world famous make of gloves and the business of our glove department is growing by leaps and bounds on account of our selling only the best.

We announce the New Spring Stock

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Fancy Work Exhibit This Week Only

Just this week in which to take advantage of the free lessons under the direction of Miss Cockburn. The grand display of fancy cushions is still on view in the parlor of the Hotel Russell between the hours of 10 and 12 a.m. and 2 and 4 p.m.

W. S. Colliston & Co

THE STORE FOR HOUSEFURNISHINGS

SPRING REEFER COATS

Either for small boys or girls.
Made in cardinal, shepherd checks, light homespun and navy blue.
With coat of arms and chevrons on arms.
Lighter than our Fall and Winter Reefers.
Just the thing for Spring wear.

Prices, $4.50 to $6.00 the Coat

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