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Postpone All Worries; Be Merry TO-DAY

ANNOUNCE DATE FOR ELECTIONS

bruary 2nd Is Officially Set As Day On Which the Voters Will Speak---Hawthornthwaite Out After Scalps.

ictoria, Dec. 24.—It was officially ounced here to-day that the elec- s will be held on Feb. 2.

ictoria, B.C., Dec. 24.—The resign- n of Robert F. Green is regarded a death blow to the misinstry. It aid that other resignations will ow. The Conservatives are great- depressed and the government's de- t is predicted. Joseph Martin will on the Independent Labor ticket Victoria and Vancouver for the se and will run independent can- ates in all districts.

. H. Hawthornthwaite, M.L.A., left Victoria today. He announces t he will hold another meeting in couver in about a week at which will demand more heads. "And I'll e them, too," he added, "the way gs are shaping. We expect to ure scalps enough to swing things matter which party comes into er."

Interviewed by the Colonist as to the reason for his resignation, Mr Green said it was entirely for business reasons that he was retiring from politics, whilst still remaining a most loyal member of the Conservative party, both in the Province and in the Dominion. He was quite content to leave his reputation in the hands of his friends, feeling confident they would justify his departmental actions, and he was perfectly indifferent as to the opinion of his enemies and slanderers. He said one could not occupy the position he had without making enemies.

The business must be very pressing which makes it necessary for Mr. Green to take a step which fully bears out the predictions of these "enemies and slanderers," of whom he speaks. He must indeed be "indifferent" when he gives them such an absolute confirmation of their statement that he would leave the Government.

DISCOVER OLD BONES IN ALBERTAN CANON

Petrified Relics of Pre-Historic Mammoths of Gigantic Size Found By Hunters.

Calgary, Dec. 24.—Sixty miles in a northerly direction from Brooks, and near the banks of the Big Red Deer river, is a weird canon about five miles long, and here and there on its steep sides can be seen the sand cones that are found in a few places in the northwest provinces.

The ground is littered with petrified bones, oysters and wood. Here lie the great bones of a mammoth or a dynosaurus, there can be seen a pile of oysters, turned to stone by the action of water and lime.

At one place one could see great logs, solid stone, but still retaining the color of the natural wood. Some of the logs were perfectly and cleanly divided into stove lengths, beside another log lay chips of petrified wood, as though a woodsman had just finished his work, but the men of the day when the logs were wood have vanished into the dim past, and the only reminders we have of them are a few bones found in caves and deep underground.

Pieces of petrified ivory lay scattered around, still with the natural polish on its slightly yellowed surface, possibly the same color that it had when it adorned the face of some gigantic mammoth, who made his home in Alberta at that far distant period.

Three Calgary hunters were in that part of the country this fall in search of antelope, and they stumbled over the remarkable find. They brought back with them a barrel full of the petrified bones, just to prove to doubting Thomas that they were telling the truth about the valley.

There are great vertebrae bones, five or six inches across, that at some time were inside the hide of some water-loving dynosaurus; there are fragments of tusks that doubtless were borne by some huge mammoth who gave up his mammoth ghost long ago. There are petrified oysters, perfectly colored pieces of petrified logs, that might have been tall spruce trees when the mammoths nibbled the green grass and leaves of Alberta, and the dynosaurus dove in the depths of the rivers and lakes in search of toothsome dainties to tickle their palates.

The oysters still show the seam of the shells, and there is a fragment of a massive bone that belonged to some huge antedeluvian beast, behemoth or mastadon. The bone is broken at one end, but there is enough left to show what an immense thing the leg it was taken from would be if covered with flesh, thick hide and long hair. This bone weighs about 50 pounds, and is fully 12 inches across at the widest part.

The canon in which the find was made is not the Dead Lodge Canon, but one similar, known as the Blood Indian Canon.

Verdict of Insanity.

Spokane, Dec. 24.—"Not guilty, by reason of insanity" was the verdict returned in the case of Sidney Sloan, the 18-year-old boy charged with the brutal murder of his father, James F. Sloan, a pioneer merchant of Spokane.

The defence claimed that the boy had shown signs of insanity from infancy.

No verdict ever given by a jury in Spokane county has been received with more evident disfavor than that in the Sloan case. An insanity verdict was almost beyond the hopes of even the defence, and the result was heard with surprise and greeted with dissatisfaction.

SERIOUS SITUATION CONFRONTS WINNIPEG

After Shipping Coal to Brandon, Dealers Discover That Their Stocks Are Inadequate

Winnipeg, Dec. 24.—The latest phase of the fuel situation, according to the local dealers, is that Winnipeg is likely to be up against a serious coal famine before the present season is over.

Cut off from its regular source of supply, the western mines, by strikes, the west has been making inroads on Manitoba's and particularly on Winnipeg's coal supply. The stocks at Fort William have already been considerably depleted by these inroads, until at present there is less coal there than at this time last year, with a far greater demand than at that time.

Local dealers have already made heavy shipments to Brandon and other western points, and, in their opinion, the situation is now assuming most serious proportions. The blockading of the railroads by the heavy snow falls and drifts has prevented the free movement of fuel of late, and officials of the operating departments of the roads are making big efforts to clear their lines and rush fuel forward before all other freight.

Midnight Mass.

Midnight mass at St. Peter's church last night drew a large congregation. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion and in one corner of the building there was a stable scene with the infant Christ in a manger. The music was of a high order and a number of solos were rendered by the members of the choir. Rev. Father O'Boyle preached an eloquent sermon from the text "Have confidence, I have conquered the world." He reviewed the progress made by the church since the birth of the Christ, referring briefly to the milestones in history. He spoke of the present outlook in France, and predicted that the time would come when the peoples of the world would once more center their hopes around the true church.

SPUR TO MILLSIDE NEARLY COMPLETED

Difficulty Between Mill and Railway Company Amicably Settled—Pile Driving Finished.

The pile driving contract in connection with the V.W & Y. spur to Millside is now completed and the remainder of the task will be a very simple one. There are no particular difficulties in the way beyond cutting down and clearing away timber and doing a little grading. The road bed will be all ready for the laying of the rails about the end of February. The road will put the city directly in touch with the new town and it is hoped that there will be some arrangement made for a frequent service throughout the day.

There was a tie-up for a while at the Brunette crossing, the mill people objecting to the manner in which the plans called for the driving of the piles. The work was stopped and the railway company's representatives talked the matter over and arrived at a basis of settlement which was satisfactory to both parties. The bridge across the Brunette will have an 86 foot span in order not to interfere with the work of driving logs down to the saw mill hoist.

HILL'S NEW ROAD IS THE BEST EVER

That is the Rating of the Portland-Seattle Line Now Under Construction---Low Grades and Easy Curves.

Spokane, Dec. 24.—Take a ruler and with it draw a straight line across the map or eastern Washington from Trent, Spokane county, to the confluence of the Snake and Columbia rivers, and you will have marked, approximately, the route of that portion of the Portland & Seattle railroad, the crowning monument in railroad construction to the stupendous genius of James J. Hill. At no point along that straight line will the new railroad, when constructed, be more than five miles away, while for the greater portion of the distance it will be less than two miles and a half.

Load a train of freight cars with wheat at the highest point along the line, Cheney, equip it with air brakes, place it in charge of a single trainman and give it the right-of-way and the power of gravity will supply all the motive power necessary to transport it to its destination at tide water. And if the surplus energy generated by gravity in carrying the train down the hill could be conserved and utilized, it would be sufficient to haul the empty cars of the train back to the point from which it started.

These are but two of the many significant features in the plans for the most magnificient piece of railroad construction to be found in the United States, probably in the world, plans which an army of more than 4,000 laborers, scattered along the route selected for the road, are pressing forward to transform into reality, into a railroad which will be at once the most expensive in the actual original cost of construction and the most economical in the actual cost of operation to be found anywhere.

CHRISTMAS DRAWINGS ATTRACT ATTENTION

Lucky People Get Unexpected Gifts Last Evening—List of Prize Winners.

Every year, at the festive Christmas season, prize drawings and lotteries are the order of the day, ad this year proved to be no exception to the rule. Several of the drawings took place last evening, and a number are to take place before New Year. Some were on coupons given with purchases, while others were on tickets sold to the speculative. In all cases, a large crowd assembled at the appointed place, and took a keen interest in the proceedings.

The exterior of Reichenbach company's butcher store was hidden for about an hour last night by a mob of people all of whom had coupons which they hoped would bear the winning numbers on the Reichenbach drawin. T. J. Trapp conducted the drawing and secured two little girls from the crowd, who as soon as the box containing the coupons had been well shaken up, proceeded to draw numbers in turns and hand them to Mr. Trapp, who announced the numbers aloud. The following were the winning numbers and the names of those who claimed their prizes last night.

1—$25— 5,519—Mrs. A. Saunders.
2— " —21,220— ... ...
3—$10— 7,137— ... ...
4— " —20,483—T. P. King.
5— " — 8,871— ... ...
6— " — 6,319— ... ...
7— " —17,259— ... ...
8—$ 5—14,459—A. Garrett.
9— " —24,687— ... ...
10— " —12,226— ... ...
11— " — 9,200—A. Patterson.
12— " — 6,668— ... ...
13— " —24,165— ... ...
14— " — 501— ... ...
15— " —10,773— ... ...
16— " —18,987— ... ...
17— " — 1,895— ... ...
18— " —11,467—J. Coghlan.
19— " — 8,748—J. A. Mountain.
20— " — 4,105— ... ...
21— " —11,338— ... ...
22— " — 6,811— ... ...
23— " —17,899— ... ...
24— " —14,542— ... ...
25— " —22,568— ... ...
26— " — 9,592— ... ...
27— " — 6,408—Mrs. Irewatha
28— " —15,910— ... ...
29— " —15,589— ... ...
30— " —14,309—E. Yeomans
31— " —24,212— ... ...
32— " — 2,094— ... ...
33— " —16,818— ... ...
34— " —24,450—Mrs. Grimmer.
35— " —12,194— ... ...
36— " — 5,517—Capt. J. Embree.
37— " —14,857—J. M. Kenny.
38— " —17,022— ... ...
39— " —18,969— ... ...
40— " — 25— ... ...
41— " — 6,924— ... ...
42— " — 2,202— ... ...
43— " —24,074— ... ...
44— " — 5,683—D. D. Burnett.
45— " —15,640— ... ...
46— " — 8,277— ... ...
47— " —13,584— ... ...

In the majority of cases it was the small ticket holder who won the prize. One man held 1,542 chances, and only drew one $5 prize. Another who had 200 chances came out without anything.

A great many ladies were interested in Mrs. Birch's drawing on the elegant dressed doll which has occupied a prominent place in the window if the White House for some time past. The drawing took place early in the evening and the winning ticket was No. 110. The doll had not been claimed at closing time last night.

The drawing at the Colonial hotel, for a pair of handsome diamond carrings, valued at $50, took place about ten thirty, there being about 150 tickets out for the one prize. After much shaking of the bones, Harry McMartin was adjudged the winner, and presented with the briliants. The barroom was crowded, but Harry nobly did not flinch, and ordered drinks for all around. It is his intention to have the diamonds reset into a solid gold ring, which he will give to himself as a Christmas present.

J. G. Gamon's prize drawing took place on Saturday evening, sixteen prizes being awarded to the holders of the lucky tickets. The winners of the five first prizes were, A. Wedge, three pipes in case; O. Bonson, two pipes in case; R. Cooper, meerchaum pipe; H. Hoy, pipe; J. G. Burnett, pipe. The other prizes consisted of pipes, cigars, smoking sundries, and other things dear to the hearts of all weed devotees.

R. C. Purdy's drawing, which was to take place last evening, was postponed until New Year's eve, on account of there remaining a number of tickets unsold. The prizes in this drawing will take place this evening at eight o'clock. The prizes will consist of pipes, cigars, chocolates, etc.

Joe Quoy has also a drawing on hand, which will take place this evening at eight o'clock. The prizes will consist of pipes, cigars and smokers' sundries.

The members of the city fire brigade were made happy yesterday by the receipt of a box of cigars from each of the following firms: B. C. Cigar factory, George Adams and F. J. Hart and company. A box of oranges and other seasonable fruit was also received from another gentleman. The firemen gratefully acknowledge receipt of the goods, and wish the senders a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

THOLIC RELIGION DECREASES IN FRANCE

ss Than a Quarter of the Population Profess, According to Mgr. Archambault.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—"France can no ger be called a Catholic nation, for of a population of 45,000,000, there not more than 10,000,000 persons o practice the Catholic faith," said gr. Archambault, first Bishop of Jolie, who returned on Saturday from me. He passed several weeks in ance. Being seen yesterday after had preached in St. James' Cathedral, he spoke of political and religis conditions in France and Italy. As the alleged rapprochment between e Vatican and the Italian Governent, he said he had not given much tention to the political side of the estion while at Rome. There was tendency toward paving the way for ter things. The Government felt, it were, obliged to seek the good shes of Papacy in the face of their mmon enemy, Socialism.

Strike and Presentation.

Strikes among machinists were the der yesterday, and both in this city d Vancouver the machine workers d down their tools and demanded crease from 35c to 40c per hour day to be of nine hours. The emyes of the local firm laid the mat- before Manager Schaake and it is derstood that a compromise was reed upon. The men will go back work on Wednesday morning. The st of feeling exists between Mr. haake and his men and yesterday ternoon the machine men waited on him and presented him with an dress and a handsome leather suit se.

Glanders in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Dec. 24.—The first outeak of glanders to occur in Winnig in two years was detected two or ree days ago, and on Saturday and esterday twenty horses afflicted with he disease were shot at the city's ubance ground on Notre Dame avenue. ocal veterinary surgeons detected the isease, and the horses were slaughtred under their direction.

Ten dollars a day is the regular hire or a team of horses at Cobalt. That ounds as if there was some real deelopment work going on.

HINDU'S FOOT CATCHES IN RAILWAY TRACK

Comrades Cut off His Shoe in Order To Set Him at Liberty.

A big bewhiskered Sikh with a two by four foot, one of the bunch making for Millside, ran into trouble yesterday afternoon a little beyond Sapperton. He was travelling along the track and was trailing his pedal extremities along behind somewhere, when suddenly he missed one of his feet, and on looking behind him found that it had caught in a frog between two rails. He had been going at a fairly swift pace and the foot was held fast although the entrapped traveller performed feats in his endeavors to get free. He tied himself up in knots, twisted and kicked, swore in two or three different dialects and then jumped the job and sat down. One of the number imagined he heard the whistle of an approaching locomotive, and that opened up a variety of possibilities. As they had been buying Christmas drinks, they were so nearly broke that they did not want the expense of buying funeral butter. They therefore set to work and with sundry jack knives and table knives, proceeded to ruin a pair of shoes which must have cost a whole dollar and a quarter. First they cut a two and a half cent pair of laces and tried to lift the victim out of his boots. The foot still held fast and they eventually had to cut the upper from the sole. The shoeless one now threatens to sue his brethren for a pair of shoes to replace the one they destroyed.

Plain Mr.

London, Dec. 24.—James Bryce, it would appear, has declined a peerage, but at any rate, according to the Daily Telegraph, he will go to the United States as British ambassador without changing his name and thus be the first plain citizen to represent the country at Washington, and, says The Chronicle, Americans who know and honor him as James Bryce will esteem him all the more because he declined a title.

Trainmen Want More Pay.

St. Paul, Dec. 24.—Representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen in the West are congregating in this city for the purpose of entering a demand for an increase in pay. They represent the lines west of Chicago.

ENTENTE CORDIALE ISOLATES KAISER

Franco-English Alliance Is so Arranged That Wilhelm Must Keep the Peace.

Paris, Dec. 24.—Reports have recently been promulgated that the entente cordiale established between Great Britain and France had been supplemented by an understanding which included naval and military co-operation. While an act of aggression against either nation, by an outsider, would doubtless lead to mutual defence, that cannot be said to be a condition in the present relations of the two nations. No such agreement has passed through the only channels of communication recognized by either Government. The entente cordiale has been accomplished without the use of the machinery of diplomacy, and care has been taken to avoid any act or undertaking which could be challenged by Germany. At the same time the Kaiser has been effectively isolated, and the relations between France and England now practically bind the German Emperor to keep the peace.

The Russian-English entente is regarded as a ramification of the Franco-English entente cordiale, so intimate have the Franco-English relations become between the military departments of the two countries, that last summer General French, the chief of the English mission detailed to attend the French manoeuvres, was admitted to the conference of the French general staff during the manoeuvres.

Indian Boy Drowned.

An Indian boy, con of Johnny Lewis, was drowned near Nicomen Island, two or three days ago, and the body had not been recovorod up to yesterday afternoon, although a number of Indians have been diligently searching for it. The lad, with an elder brother, had gone across to Sumas, duck-shooting. In crossing the river, a sudden squall upset the canoe, and both were thrown into the water. The older managed to cling to the canoe and was rescued by his father, but the younger brother was carried away by the current and was drowned.

Tide Table—FraserRiver

For the week ending Dec. 30, 1906.

NEW WESTMINTSER.

	High Water.	Low Water.
Dec. 24th	1.50	6.55
	13.10	21.45
Dec. 25th	3.20	7.35
	13.50	22.30
Dec. 26th	4.30	8.30
	14.25	23.25
Dec. 27th	5.20	9.30
	15.55	....
Dec. 28th	6.15	0.20
	15.30	10.25
Dec. 29th	6.45	0.50
	16.00	11.20
Dec. 30th	7.20	1.20
	16.35	12.05
Dec. 31st	7.55	1.50
	17.10	12.55

SAND HEADS

	High. Time.	Ht.	Low. Time.	Ht.
Dec. 24	1.10	9.3	5.55	7.2
	12.32	13.0	19.57	4.6
Dec. 25	2.39	10.0	6.57	8.3
	13.08	12.6	20.40	3.8
Dec. 26	3.48	10.8	8.00	9.1
	13.43	12.4	21.16	3.2
Dec. 27	4.49	11.6	9.01	9.5
	14.17	12.2	21.49	2.6
Dec. 28	5.25	12.2	9.57	9.8
	14.50	12.0	22.20	2.2
Dec. 29	6.03	12.6	10.49	10.0
	15.22	11.8	22.50	2.0
Dec. 30	6.39	13.0	11.37	10.0
	15.55	11.6	23.20	1.8
Dec. 31	7.14	13.2	12.23	10.0
	16.30	11.5	23.52	1.8

So May This Christmas

be a happy one to you, happy to many more whose happiness depends on you!---So may each year be happier than the last.

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Dec. 14th, 1906.

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C.P.R. MAIN LINE.

Leave N. W. 15.40; arr N. W. 11.35.

C.P.R. MISSION BRANCH.

Leave N. W. 8.30; ar. Seattle 15.50.
Leave Seattle 12.30; ar. N. W. 18.40.

C.P.R WESTMINSTER JUNCTION.

Leave N. W. 8.30, 10.35, 15.40, 17.35.
Arrive N. W. 9.35, 11.35, 16.40, 18.40.

GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY.

Lv. N. W. 9.20 a.m.; ar. Seattle 4 p.m.
Lv. N. W. 4.35 p.m.; ar. Seattle 10 p.m.

V., W. & Y.—VANCOUVER

Lv. N. W. 3 p. m. and 9:55 p. m.
Lv. Vancouver 8.35 a.m., and 4 p.m.

G. N. R.—PORT GUICHON.

Lv. N. W. 9:35 a.m.; ar. Guichon 2.20 p.m.

Lv. Guichon, 2:40 p. m.; ar. N. W. 8:45 p m. and 6 p. m.

Mondays only.

B. C. ELECTRIC—VANCOUVER.

Lv. New Westminster 5.50, 6.50, 1 and 8 a. m., and every half hour thereafter till 11 p. m.

Lv. Vancouver for Westminster at same hours.

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Beaver—
From N. W. Mon. Wed. Frid. 8 a.m
From Chwk. Tu., Th., Sat., 7 a.m.

Ramona—
From N. W. Tu., Th., Sat. 8 a.m.
From Chwk. Sun., Wed., Fri., 7 a.m.

DOWN RIVER.

Transfer—
From N. W. daily, ex. Sat. and Sun., 2 p.m.; Saturday, 2 p.m.
Add. trip, Monday, 5 a.m.
From Steveston, 7 a.m. (Fri. 6 a.m.)
Add. trip Saturday, 5 p.m.

VICTORIA AND ISLANDS.

Rithet—
From N.W., Wed. and Mon., 7 a.m.
From Victoria Tues. and Sat. 4 a.m.

Mail Service

	Close.	Received.
Seattle, via Sumas	7.45 a.m.	6.40 p.m.
Sapperton and Millside, No. 1	7.45 a.m.	11.35 a.m.
Vancouver, No. 1.	7.45 a.m.	9.00 a.m.
G.N.R. Cloverdale, Blaine, Seattle..	8.45 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Van. & Cen. Park.	10.30 a.m.	2.00 p.m.
Victoria	10.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m.
East Burnaby	1.13 p m.	1.15 p.m.
Ladner, Steveston, etc.	1.30 p.m.	11.00 a.m.
C.P.R east, Sapperton, Millside and Coquitlam	3.00 p.m.	11.35 a.m.
Van. and Burnaby	3.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
G.N.R. Flyer	4.00 p.m.	11.00 p.m.
Timberland, Tues and Friday	12.00 m.	12.00 m.

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Effective Sunday, November 10, 1901.

Leave	Day Train	Arrive
9.20 a.m.	.... Spokane	7.15 p.m.
2.25 p.m.	....Rossland	4.10 p.m.
9.40 a.m.	.... Nelson	6.45 p.m.

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This bird, known as the cock of the rock, lives in the northern mountainous portion of South America. It is about the size of a large chicken. ...entire bird—body, head, wings... spot w... ground and... stones or leaves... dirt till it is hard and... with the...

Then they call the ... stand at the edges of this no... One at a time the males then perform a most curious dance. Each dancer will first strut up and down a few times and then, to the apparent delight of the rest, commence to caper around in an extremely ludicrous manner, spreading his tail and wings, puffing up his crest, bowing to the others and at the same time keeping up a hopping gait until he is exhausted.

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4:35 pm	Spokane, St. Paul and all points East.	1:00 pm
9:20 am	Anacortes, Woolley, and Rockport.	1:00 pm
3:00 pm / 9:55 pm	Vancouver	9:20 am / 4:35 pm

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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

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

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

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

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

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

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

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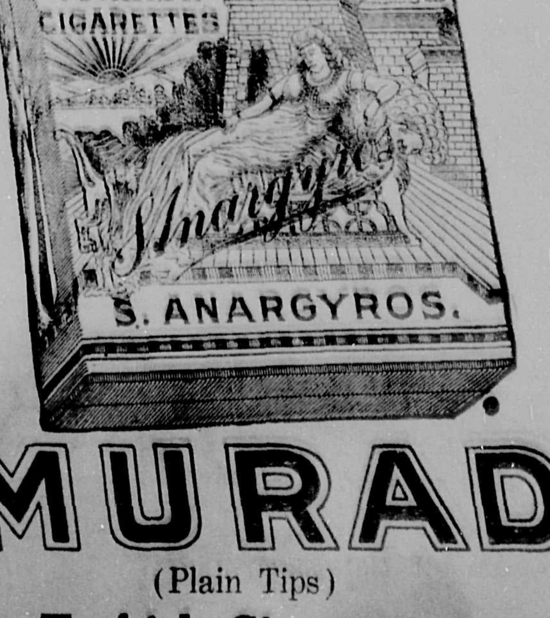

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Franco-English Alliance Is so Arranged That Wilhelm Must Keep the Peace.

Paris, Dec. 24.—Reports have recently been promulgated that the entente cordiale established between Great Britain and France had been supplemented by an understanding which included naval and military co-operation. While an act of aggression against either nation, by an outsider, would doubtless lead to mutual defence, that cannot be said to be a condition in the present relations of the two nations. No such agreement has passed through the only channels of communication recognized by either Government. The entente cordiale has been accomplished without the use of the machinery of diplomacy, and care has been taken to avoid any act or undertaking which could be challenged by Germany. At the same time the Kaiser has been effectively isolated, and the relations between France and England now practically bind the German Emperor to keep the peace.

The Russian-English entente is regarded as a ramification of the Franco-English entente cordiale, so intimate have the Franco-English relations become between the military departments of the two countries, that last summer General French, the chief of the English mission detailed to attend the French manoeuvres, was admitted to the conference of the French general staff during the manoeuvres.

Indian Boy Drowned.

An Indian boy, con of Johnny Lewis, was drowned near Nicomen Island, two or three days ago, and the body had not been recovorod up to yesterday afternoon, although a number of Indians have been diligently searching for it. The lad, with an elder brother, had gone across to Sumas, duck-shooting. In crossing the river, a sudden squall upset the canoe, and both were thrown into the water. The elder managed to cling to the canoe and was rescued by his father, but the younger brother was carried away by the current and was drowned.

Tide Table—FraserRiver

For the week ending Dec. 30, 1906.

NEW WESTMINTSER.

	High Water.	Low Water.
Dec. 24th	1.50	6.55
	13.10	21.45
Dec. 25th	3.20	7.35
	13.50	22.30
Dec. 26th	4 30	8.30
	14.25	23.25
Dec. 27th	5.20	9.30
	15.55	....
Dec. 28th	6.15	0 20
	15.30	10.25
Dec. 29th	6.45	0.50
	16.00	11 20
Dec. 30th	7.20	1.20
	16.35	12.05
Dec. 31st	7.55	1 50
	17.10	12.55

SAND HEADS

	High. Time.	Ht.	Low. Time.	Ht.
Dec. 24	1.10	9.3	5.55	7.2
	12.32	13.0	19.57	4.6
Dec. 25	2.39	10.0	6.57	8.3
	13.08	12.6	20.40	3.8
Dec. 26	3.48	10.8	8.00	9.1
	13.43	12.4	21.16	3.2
Dec. 27	4.40	11.6	9.01	9.5
	14.17	12.2	21.49	2.6
Dec. 28	5.25	12 2	9.57	9.8
	14.50	12.0	22 20	2.2
Dec. 29	6.03	12.6	10.49	10.0
	15.22	11 8	22.50	2.0
Dec. 30	6.39	13.0	11.37	10.0
	15.55	11.6	23 20	1.8
Dec. 31	7.14	13.2	12.23	10.0
	16.30	11.5	23.52	1.8

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Vancouver, No. 1.	7.45 a.m.	9.00 a.m.
G.N.R. Cloverdale, Blaine ,Seattle..	8.45 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Van. & Cen. Park.	10 30 a.m.	2.00 p.m.
Victoria	10.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m.
East Burnaby	1.13 p m.	1.15 p.m.
Ladner, Steveston, etc.	1.30 p.m.	11.00 a.m.
C.P.R. east, Sapperton, Millside and Coquitlam	3.00 p.m.	11.35 a.m.
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Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated at the mouth of the Kildala river, Coast district: Commencing at a post marked W. M.'s N. E Corner planted on the south bank of the Kildala river at the mouth, running as follows: 40 chains south, 40 chains west, 40 chains north to the shore line, thence following shore line to place of commencement, containing 16 acres more or less.

Aug. 27, 1906.

Locator, W. MOODY,
Per FRANK VANDAL, Agent.
Oct. 24, 1906.

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QUEER LOVEMAKING.

A South American Bird Which Wins Its Mate by Dancing.

There is a bird in South America that makes love with its feet. It is a handsome creature, but walks clumsily, and the only sound it can utter is a hoarse cluck. It dances, however, in a way that wins admiration from the females of its sex, though its antics only serve as an incentive to laughter to human beings who see them.

This bird, known as the cock of the rock, lives in the northern mountainous portion of South America. It is about the size of a large chicken.

The entire bird—body, head wings and tail—is blood red in color, with the exception of the tail feathers, which have a narrow band of brown across them near the ends which are tipped with buff. On the head is a crest of feathers like a great red ball, which contracts or expands at the pleasure of its owner.

When the mating season comes seven to ten males seek some secluded spot where there is a level patch of ground and clear it of any sticks, stones or leaves, stamping down the dirt till it is hard and level.

Then they call the females, who stand at the edges of this novel arena. One at a time the males then perform a most curious dance. Each dancer will first strut up and down a few times and then, to the apparent delight of the rest, commence to caper around in an extremely ludicrous manner, spreading his tail and wings, puffing up his crest, bowing to the others and at the same time keeping up a hopping gait until he is exhausted.

When all the males have danced each female will choose a mate, and the happy pairs depart to begin housekeeping.

ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS.

Each Part of the Larger Ones Is Made by Specialists.

Artificial flowers were invented by pious nuns. In the Italian convents the altars and shrines were up to the end of the eighteenth century decorated with artificial flowers, laboriously put together, of paper, parchment and other stiff materials. In a Venetian warehouse the most wonderful productions of natural flowers are exhibited in glass cases, and in many cases, not only the richest and most brilliant colors, but the very scent of the flowers has been stolen from nature, for some of the artificial flowers are steeped in the perfume distilled from the flower which it represents. Last century a Swiss invented a machine for cutting out the leaves and petals, but it can only be used for the smaller kinds, such as are wanted for hyacinths, lilies of the valley and other small flowers. In larger petals the irregularities of manual work are preferred to the stiff and correct forms produced by machinery. This material of which the petals are made is woven in special factories. The scissors and other tools used by the girls employed as well as the presses in which the veins are traced on the leaves are of a shape specially adapted to the work. Each part of a flower is made by specialists. In one room, for instance, only stalks of flowers and leaves are made; in another, fruits and berries of all kinds are cast if they are wax or blown if made of glass. The cleverest workers are employed in making blossoms of the single petals and bouquets, wreaths and garlands of the single blossoms.—Dundee Advertiser.

First Tariff Makers.

If you turn to a map of Spain, you will take note at its southern point and running out into the strait of Gibraltar of a promontory which from its position is admirably adapted for commanding the entrance of the Mediterranean sea and watching the entrance and exit of all ships. A fortress stands upon this promontory, called now, as it was called in the time of the Moorish domination in Spain, Tarifa. The name is of Moorish origin. It was the custom of the Moors to watch from this point all merchant ships going into or coming out of the midland sea and to levy duties according to a fixed scale on all merchandise contained therein. This duty was called from the place where it was levied "tarifa," or tariff.

Land Registry Act

Re Lot 484, Group 1 (except two parts conveyed), New Westminster District.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Rhoda McKamey on the 29th day of December, 1906, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person or persons claiming an estate or interest therein, or in any part thereof.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., 21st November, 1906.

The person or persons having in their custody or possession the following Title Deeds relating to the said property are requested to deliver the same to the undersigned:

12th December, 1895—Robert Granville McKamey to Thomas Robert McKamey, conveyance in fee.

MARTIN, WEART & McQUARRIE, Barristers, Solicitors, etc., New Westminster, B.C.

Agent.

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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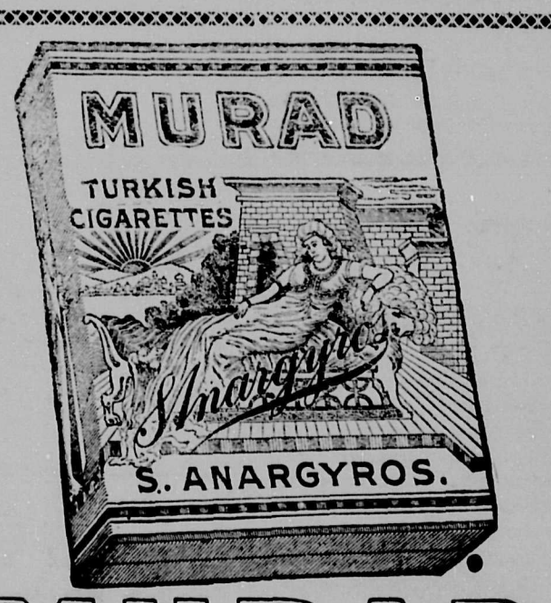

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TUESDAY, DEC. 25, 1906.

COMPLIMENTS OF THE SEASON.

The Daily News wishes all its patrons, and everybody else, a very Merry Christmas. There are homes into which mirth cannot come, to those it sends its sympathies and the reminder that He whose name the festival bears, is the Healer of Sorrows.

There is more reason than has been the case for some years for a Merry Christmas in British Columbia; and New Westminster has its full share of the prosperous times which do so much to make glad the hearts of men.

Yet for many people Christmas is a time of strenuous labor, and they hail the holiday more gladly as a rest day than for any other reason. All our merchants have had an unprecedented rush of business, and they and their clerks hailed closing time last night as the end of a spell of exacting labor.

They certainly have earned a Merry Christmas—earned it by hard work, and earned it, too, by many a bit of volunteer kindness to perplexed buyers.

And the buyers! Is not their name legion? Are not their conditions as various as their faces? Grandfather was busy collecting the things which will bring smiles to the faces of the little ones today, and something, too, which will remind grandma of the time—how long ago—when her soft thanks rewarded his first gift. How long ago? it is but as yesterday!

And those whose yesterdays are few—before whom stretches an endless vista of long tomorrows, they also have been busy. Their companions, and mother and father, have occupied the thoughts of many; but some have thought chiefly of Her or of Him—the one girl—the one man. Her gift, very probably, is chiefly the work of her own fair fingers; but his? What! December's salary all gone, and a mortgage on January's? Scandalous, certainly, from an economic point of view; but—well the golden time of life can come but once.

And what is this chap doing in a crowd of Christmas shoppers, amid al sorts of dainty wares? Straight from his work he has come, as his appearance testifies. Perhaps Miss shrinks a little as he brushes past her. Don't make any mistake, my dear girl. The shirt may be coarse and not as clean as it was once; but under it there beats a big, kindly heart, warm now with thoughts of the joy of the little tots at home, when the Christmas tree yields them the toys and dollies on which he spends so freely his hard-earned cash, "It is worth the money," says the shopkeeper, as he ties up the parcel; and "you bet your life it is worth it," comes the hearty answer.

Aye, it is worth it. Once a year, at least, let the hard crust of the world be broken, as we do something to make real to other hearts, and to our own, the glad message Peace and Goodwill.

ANOTHER EXAMPLE.

The Nelson Daily News notes that the completion of the Spence's Bridge-Nicola line, a branch of the C. P. R., which is just about to be opened for traffic, is another of the things in current political history—there are several—which should be remembered as pointing a moral. Commenting on the fact that the line has been built without a bonus, the News says:

"That beneficent, philanthropical policy, conceived by Premier McBride, acquisced in by Hon. Capt. Tatlow, applauded by Hon. F. J. Fulton, smiled at inscrutably by Hon. F. Carter-Cotton, urged by Hon. F. R. Green, and accepted by twenty-one government members, went by the board; for two sturdy conservatives, A. H. B. Macgowan of Vancouver, and L. W. Shatford, of the Similkameen, refused to be clubbed into line. The air at Victoria was thick for a while with angry ministerial allocutions, but it was all to no avail. Shatford and Macgowan were too honest to be bought off. The C. P. R. did not get its $1,500,000.

But, in spite of that, and in spite of the government's contentions to the contrary, the line has been built and is to-day almost ready for operation. Had Shatford and Macgowan been of McBride calibre, the province would now be poorer by $1,500,000 and the C. P. R. better off by the same amount. Or had members of the liberal party consented to be cajoled by the C. P. R lobyists, the same thing would have happened."

Senator Lougheed, the leader of the opposition in the Senate at Ottawa, in a recent interview given in Calgary, expressed his views with regard to the recent rise in the price of lumber coming from this provnice. The senator said, in part: "The question of the lumber combine and the injury which the Province of Alberta was suffering owing to its existence was a horse of another color. The feeling among the members of the senate, who represented constituencies in Alberta and Saskatchewan, was that the recent action of the lumber combine was high-handed to a degree. Many of the members of the Senate, who had no interests in the west, were of the same opinion. The action of the lumbermen, by whom I mean the persons who control the lumber interests in British Columbia has been autocratic beyond forebearance."

BEAUTIFUL SNOW IS CRIMSON COLOR

Unusual Phenomenon Is Seen at Glacier—Superstitions Indians Fear Calamity.

Revelstoke, Dec. 24.—The Canadian Pacific agent at Glacier, in the Rocky Mountains, reports the unusual phenomenon of crimson snow having fallen in that region of the lofty ranges. This is not the first time such an occurrence has been observed in the Rockies, but the manifestation is apparently very early.

No satisfactory explanation has been advanced as to its cause. The snow coloring the mountains with the pronounced red hue over their mantle of white has an extraordinary wierd effect.

The Indians and halfbreeds and others susceptible to superstitious forebodings are regarding the visitation as portent of dire calamity, and are applying themselves with unusual fervor to devotions.

Amongst the explanations put forward to account for the visitation is the theory that it is caused by red volcanic dust from the mountains having been caught up by high winds and held in suspension until brought down by the snow. Another theory it that it is the dust of plants, while a third is to the effect that some peculiar manifestation in the chemistry of nature has caused the discoloration of the snow.

Fooled the Nurse.

John Berry, who has been a patient in the Royal Columbian hospital for some weeks past, was released on Saturday last. He is loud in his praise of the treatment he received and cannot say enough in appreciation of both nurses and doctors. He has a joke on one of the nurses which he is fond of telling. The day he entered the hospital, the nurse in charge said to him, "Now Mr. Berry, you had better take your teeth out yourself, you are better able to do it than I am." Mr. Berry declined to do so, and the nurse was firm and insisted on their removal. "Well," said Mr. Berry with a well simulated sigh, "If that's the case you must get a dentist up, but I have had these teeth for over 60 years and if you have no objection, I would prefer to have them a little longer." In spite of his age, Mr. Berry has a most perfect set of dentals, which effectually fooled the nurse. Mr. Berry is now the guest of George Smith of Blackwood street.

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CHRISTMAS

Christmas is with us once again.
What joy it brings to millions.
It is the greatest day on the World's calendar.
Who of us is so old, that he does not become young again on Christmas morn?
Santa Claus will live as long as there is parental love and human brotherhood in the heart of man.

We Wish You
A Merry Christmas!

The merriest you have ever spent.
We deem it not amiss to thank our patrons for the greatest business in our career.
Perhaps, we have merited it through the exercise of our best endeavors to conduct a mercantile enterprise worthy of your heartiest commendation.
Again thanking you for the liberal patronage extended to us during the past year and wishing you greetings of health and prosperity—we say, once again,

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

H. L. DeBECK

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

IN THE MATTER of the Settled Estates Act and amending Acts.

—AND—

IN THE MATTER of the title to part of lot 1, Block 3, suburban lands, New Westminster City, whereof John Oswald Coulthard is tenant for life in possession and Earnest Barr Coulthard is tenant in tail.

Pursuant to the Order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Morrison, sealed tenders addressed to J. J. Cambridge, District Registrar of the Supreme Court, New Westminster, B. C., will be received by him up to Saturday the 19th day of January, 1907, for the purchase of part of Lot one (1), Block Three (3), Suburban lands, New Westminster City. Tenders must be accompanied by a certified cheque for Five (5), per cent. of the amount tendered.

J. P. HAMPTON BOLE.
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Ja. 5.

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Competitive drawings are invited for Departmental and Justice Buildings to be awarded a premium of $8,000, the ment at Ottawa, Ont.

The author of the best design will be awarded a premium og $8,000, the second best $4,000, the third best $2,000 and the fourth best $1,000.

Drawings will be received not later than April 15th, 1907, and are to be addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

This competition is open to Canadian Architects who have been resident in Canada for one year or more.

Conditions of competition stating requirements of buildings and maps showing site, etc. may be had on application to the undersigned.

By order,
FRED GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 12, 1906.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the Department will not be paid for it.

Firemen Wanted.

Applications to fill two vacancies in the Fire Department will be received by the undersigned up to Friday, the 28th inst.

For particulars apply to Chief Watson, at No. 1 Fire Hall.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, Dec. 19, 1906.

TIMBER NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated on Kildala Arm, Coast District, B.C.

No. 7—Commencing at a post planted about one mile from the head of Kildala Arm, on the south bank of the Arm, running as follows: 80 chains south, 80 chains east, 80 chains north to shore, then along shore to point of commencement.

No. 8—Commencing at a post planted about one mile up Fall creek, on the east bank of creek, running as follows: 80 chains east, 80 chains south, 80 chains west, more or less, to creek, then along creek to point of commencement.

No. 9—Commencing at post planted about one mile up Fall Creek, on east bank of creek, joining No. 8 claim on west line, running as follows: 160 chains south, 40 chains west, 160 chains north, 40 chains east to point of commencement.

No. 10—Commencing at post planted about 4 miles up Dala River from its mouth, on the north bank of river, then running as follows: 40 chains west, 80 chains north, 120 chains east, 40 chains south, more or less, to river, then along river to point of commencement.

No. 11—Commencing at post planted about 6 miles up from the mouth, on the north bank of Dala River, running as follows: 40 chains north, 80 chains east, 40 chains north and 80 chains east, 40 chains south, more or less, to river, then along river to point of commencement.

No. 12—Commencing at a post planted about four miles up from the mouth of the Dala River, on south bank, running as follows: 40 chains east, 40 chains north, 120 chains east, 40 chains north, more or less, to river, then along river to point of commencement.

No. 13—Commencing at a post planted about one mile from the head of Kildala Arm, on south bank, running as follows: 40 chains south, 40 chains west, 40 chains south, 40 chains west, 40 chains north, 40 chains west, 40 chains north, more or less, to shore, then along shore to point of commencement.

No. 14—Commencing at a post planted about one-half mile from the head of Kildala Arm, on the north bank, running as follows: 40 chains north, 40 chains east, 40 chains south, 120 chains east, 40 chains south, 120 chains west to shore, then along shore to point of commencement.

No. 15—Commencing at a post planted about one mile up from the mouth of the Dala River, on east bank, running as follows: 80 chains east, 40 chains north, 40 chains east, 40 chains north, 40 chains east, 40 chains north, more or less, to river, then along river to point of commencement.

No. 16—Commencing at post planted at the mouth of Dala River, Coast District, on west bank, running as follows: 40 chains west, 80 chains north, 120 chains east, 40 chains south more or less, to river, then along river to point of commencement.

No. 17—Commencing at a post planted on the west bank of the Kitlimat Arm, about twelve miles south of Kitlimat Indian Village, opposite Gosse Island, at mouth of Kildala Arm, running as follows: 40 chains north, 40 chains west, 40 chains north, 40 chains east, 40 chains north, 40 chains east, 120 chains to point of commencement.

No. 18—Commencing at a post planted about 20 chains south of post of Claim No. 17, running as follows: 40 chains west, 80 chains south, 40 chains west, 80 chains south, 40 chains east, then along shore to point of commencement.

No. 19—Commencing at a post planted about one mile up from the mouth of Deer Creek, on Devastation Channel, situated about eight miles south of Kildala Arm, running as follows: 80 chains east, 80 chains north, 40 chains east, 40 chains north, 80 chains west, 120 chains south, to point of commencement.

Located Nov. 5, 1906.

Locator, WM. MOODY, D.D.S.
Per Frank Vandall.

Nov. 24, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

1. Commencing at a post marked W. M.'s S.E. Corner, planted on the north bank of the Kildala river, about two miles up from the mouth, running as follows: 40 chains north, 160 chains west, 40 chains south, 160 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

2. Commencing at a post marked W. M's S.W. Corner, planted on the north bank of the Kildala river, about two miles up from the mouth, running as follows: 40 chains north, 120 chains east, 80 chains south, 40 chains west, 40 chains north, 80 chains west to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

3. Commencing at a post marked W. M.'s N.E. Corner, planted on the north bank of the Kildala river, about five and a half miles up the river from the mouth, running as follows: 40 chains south, 160 chains west, 40 chains north, 160 chains east to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

4. Commencing at a post marked W. M.'s N.W. Corner, planted on the north bank of the Kildala river, about one and a half miles up the river from the mouth, running as follows: 160 chains east, 40 chains south, 160 chains west, 40 chains north to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

(Locator) WILLIAM MOODY,
per Frank Vandall, Agent.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in the Skeena district, on Copper river, about 2 1-2 miles up from the mouth:

No. 1. Commencing at a post planted on the southeast corner on the north bank of the river, running as follows: 80 chains north, 120 chains west, 40 chains south, more or less to river, then along river to point of commencement.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted 2 1-2 miles up from the mouth on north bank of Copper river, running as follows: 40 chains north, 80 chains east, 40 chains north, 40 chains east, 80 chains south, more or less, to river, then along river to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Locator, WM. MOODY
Per Agent, Frank Vardall

We wish our multitude of patrons

A Happy Christmas

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T. H. SMITH

Columbia Street

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HEARTY

XMAS GREETINGS

Local News Briefly Told

The Vulcan is tied up in port and will remain here until after Christmas.

The Restless came in yesterday with a very much needed boom of logs for the Fraser River Mills. There were eleven swifters in the boom.

An historical study by Mr. Goldwin Smith, entitled "Men and Effects of the French Revolution," will appear shortly in the Atlantic Monthly.

Work is well advanced in connection with the construction of the retaining wall in the rear of the proposed Hardman block on McKenzie street.

The funeral of Arthur Haines, who died in the Royal Columbian hospital on Saturday evening will take place today, W. E. Fales having charge of the funeral arrangements.

The Mail-Herald, Revelstoke, says: "The Hindus are beginning to realize that the Canadian winter is more severe even than they anticipated. Scores of them have already left for California, where they hope to find a more congenial climate."

W. A. Gilley has completed the contract for driving the piles for the foundations for the engine room of the Dominion Pipe Works. The roof of the main building is now almost finished and the siding up of the walls is progressing rapidly.

A large team attached to a dray loaded with heavy machinery did the run away act on Front street yesterday afternoon. The street was fortunately clear at the time and the runaways were brought to a stand still without doing any damage to life and limb.

Two drunks arrested by the police on Saturday night were billed to appear before the police magistrate yesterday morning, but one defaulted without any apparent reason. His bail money was forfeited. The other booze fighter got off with a fine of $5 and costs.

Lee Sing, the crazy Chinaman who has been roaming the city streets for some days past, was yesterday committed to the Provincial asylum by the police magistrate. This Chinaman is about thirty years of age, and it is only recently that he has developed any signs of mental aberration.

The death of two asylum patients, Frederick Wood, and Mrs. M. C. Deane, has occurred within the past three days. Mr. Wood was 29 years of age, while Mrs. Deane was an old lady of 61. Both were members of the Church of England. The funeral arrangements are in the hands of W. E. Fales.

The funeral of Loo Sue Wing, a Chinaman who died at the Royal Columbian hospital, took place yesterday afternoon in the Chinese cemetery. The deceased was a cook by occupation, and about 35 years of age. The cause of his death is given as kidney trouble. D. Murchie had charge of the funeral arrangements.

The Schaake Machine Works company yesterday shipped a whole car load of dry kiln trucks to the Emerson Lumber company. They also shipped a complete saw mill outfit to Stave Lake where it will be used in connection with the new mill which the B. C. Timber and Trading Company is erecting at that place.

To the B. C. Cigar factory the Daily News begs to tender its best thanks for a full box of fragrant Phoenix Cigars, which soothed the labors of the staff last night. The only man in the establishment who did not thoroughly appreciate the gift was one whose education has been so sadly neglected that he does not smoke.

The new office and pattern rooms which are called for in the plans for the New Schaake Machine Works buildings are being rushed along as fast as the weather will permit. The building which occupied the lot in the past has been torn down, and the debris has been cleared away. Excavating for the foundations has been commenced and the retaining wall at the rear of the lot is partly built.

The calm and quiet of the Royal Columbian hospital was rudely broken on Sunday evening when one of the patients, W. N. Neilson, suddenly developed unmistakable signs of insanity, and commenced to make the night hideous with his ravings. The police were telephoned for, and the man was removed to the police station, where he spent the remainder of the night in peace and quietness. Neilson was later taken to the Dr. Doherty's sanitarium, where he will receive the necessary treatment.

J. D. McDonald, a well known railroad man, at present conected with the White Horse Pass and Yukon railway, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon, and intends to make this place his home for the next few months. Mr. McDonald is a cousin of J. D. B. McDonald of the Cosmopolitan hotel, and is at present staying with him. He has been granted five months' leave of absence by the officials of the company, after being away up north for nearly seven years. Before coming down for his holiday, Mr. McDonald was stationed at Cariboo, which he calls the "hopping-off place between civilization and the northern wilds."

A lady who lives on Ash street, yesterday ordered up a goose for the Christmas dinner. When the butcher arrived she was absent, so he put the bird up on a shelf where he thought it would be safe. The lady arrived home about dusk and went to look for the anticipated goose. The shelf was empty and she was about to say something bad about the butcher, when she heard a growl and a snarl. On investigation she discovered that the amiable family cat, which had an enquiring mind, had mounted the shelf in order to protect the goose from the dog on the floor. For fear the goose might fall the cat had put her teeth into its neck, and as a result, the goose slipped overboard, and the dog took possession. The lady found that the cat and dog had taken charge of about half each, so she gave them the rest, shed a few tears and said some things. Papa will have no goose for dinner today.

BOYS BURN DYNAMITE WITH SERIOUS RESULT

Vancouver Lads Build Bonfire and Feed Flames With Deadly Explosive—Three Injured.

Vancouver, Dec. 24.—Sydney Smith, Alexander street, Frank Mulcahey, 570 Seymour street, and R. Iselensky of 106 Dunlevy avenue were seriously burned by an explosion of powder in a little Santa Claus house they had built close to the Pacific Bottling company's premises on Alexander street late Saturday afternoon.

When the fuel was seen to be disappearing, the lads started out to get more. They came back with small pieces of brown sand like rock, which they thought might burn. This was, in reality, dynamite. That was the end to their play. Both Mulcahey and Iselensky are badly burned about the arms and face, while little Sydney Smith's case is serious.

Reduced Rates on Market Day.

Effective December 28, 1906, the Great Northern Railway company will sell first class round trip tickets Port Guichon and intermediate points to New Westminster at $1.00 for the round trip on Friday, Market day, with return on date of sale only.

Half rates will be made for children five years ad under twelve years of age.

Christmas Entertainments.

Entertainments in connection with the city churches and Sunday schools have been arranged to take place in the following order:

Knox Presbyterian	Dec. 26
St. Paul's R. E.	Dec. 27
St. Andrew's Presbyterian	Dec. 27
Queen's Ave. Methodist	Dec. 27
St. Barnabas Episcopalian	Dec. 27
St. Peter's Roman Catholic	Dec. 27
West Presbyterian	Dec. 28
Holy Trinity.	Jan. 3

Royal Columbian Hospital

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, and marked "Tenders for Supplies," up to 1 p.m., Saturday, December 29th, 1906, for supplying the hospital from 1st January, 1907, to 31st December, 1907, with the following articles:

Bread, white and brown.
Beef;
Mutton;
Milk;
Drugs;
Groceries;
Wood, slabs, per cord;
Coal, washed nut;
Fish;
Funerals;

Detailed lists of drugs, groceries, beef, mutton, and fish can be obtained at the hospital.

Neither the lowest, or any tender necessarily accepted.

Samples of the groceries and all information obtainable on application to the Lady Superintendent at the hospital.

W. H. KEARY.
Secretary, R. C. H.
New Westminster, B. C., Dec 20, 1906.

W. N. Draper
B. C. Land Surveyor
Ellard Block. New Westminster, B.C.

NOTICE

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

The regular meeting of New Westminster Aerie 20, will be held on Thursday evening, Dec 27, instead of Tuesday evening, Dec. 25.

(Signed) H. SCHOFIELD.
Secretary.

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a fully equipped sea-going 40 feet AUXILIARY SCHOONER, fitted with 16 horse-power, 4-cycle engines. The price is less than half the cost price of the engine alone. Trial trip and all particulars to anyone meaning business.

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New Westminster. 'Phone 246.

LOST—Sable fur collar between Fourth Avenue and Ash Street, or Fourth Avenue and Tenth Street. Finder kindly return to Daily News Office.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let. Apply 315 Carnarvon street. 241-6

Wanted—Strong boy to drive rig and make himself generally useful. Apply W. E. Fales' Furniture store.

MR. HARRY DAVIS, Baritone, will receive pupils. Lessons in the art of singing and voice production. 321 Columbia Street.

WANTED—Married couple desire furnished rooms for light housekeeping or board and rooms in private family. Apply H. this office.

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LOST—Between Asylum and Douglas street cemeterw and Columbia st., watch guard, black grograin ribbon, gold buckle and diamond-set locket with photo inside. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning same to W. E. Fales. 242-2

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A Very Happy Christmas

AN ANCIENT PYRAMID.

Story of "the Tomb of the Christian" In Algeria.

The tomb of the Christian in Algeria is a pyramid on the summit of a hill more than 700 feet high, at the edge of the sea. It dates back to before the time of St. Paul, having been built by order of Juba II., the king of Mauretania, as a burying place for himself and his wife, Cleopatra, the daughter of Cleopatra and Mark Antony. The only daughter of Juba and his wife was Drusilla, who married Festus, the governor of Judaea in the time of St. Paul. The tomb can be entered by a low doorway beneath one of the four false doors. These have moldings on them of a cruciform shape and may account for the title, "The Tomb of the Christian." The passage within the pyramid winds round and eventually leads to two chambers shut off from it by folding doors, which can be moved up and down by levers. The tomb must have been rifled of all it contained centuries ago, though some think that by excavating in a downward direction it might still be possible to discover the burying place of the king and queen, supposing the two chambers, like the false doors outside, to be a blind. Doubtless the younger Cleopatra had brought the idea of making a royal mausoleum in the shape of a pyramid from Egypt. Portions of a marble statue of Egyptian design were found at Cherchel, suggesting that an Egyptian colony may once have existed there. There are two other similar monuments in Algeria, in the provinces of Oran and Constantine respectively, the latter being considerably older than the tomb of the Christian, which, however, is the only one referred to in ancient writings.—Autocar.

THE ELDER TREE.

Once Held In High Esteem as a Cure For Epilepsy.

Although tradition tells us that it was on an elder tree that Judas hanged himself, great virtue has long been attributed to it as a cure for epilepsy. The origin of this belief may be found in the following quotation from an old book of charms:

"In the month of October, a little before full moon, pluck a twig of elder and cut the cane that is between two of its knees, or knots, in nine pieces. Bind these pieces in a piece of linen, hang this by a thread about the neck so that they touch the spoon of the heart, or the sword formed cartilage, and that they may more firmly stay in their place bind them thereon with a linen or silken roller wrapped around the body till the thread break of itself. The thread being broken and the roller removed the charm is not to be touched at all with the bare hands, but should be taken hold of by some instrument and buried in a place that nobody may touch it."

Of course unless the instructions were followed strictly a complete cure could not be assured. There is another superstition about the elder which doubtless has saved many a boy a stout caning—namely, that it hinders a child's growth if used as an instrument of punishment.—Sunday Magazine.

Walking to Health.

When there is no organic weakness which is aggravated by the exertion it is the easiest and pleasantest thing to walk right into health. Of course there is no virtue in a dawdling walk. The slow and languid dragging of one foot after the other, which some people call walking, would tire an athlete; it utterly exhausts a weak person, and that is the reason why many delicate people think they cannot walk. To derive any benefit from the exercise it is necessary to walk with a light, elastic step, which swings the weight of the body so easily from one leg to the other that its weight is not felt and which produces a healthy glow, showing that the sluggish blood is stirred to action in the most remote veins. This sort of walking exhilarates the whole body, gives tone to the nerves and produces just that sort of healthful fatigue which encourages sound, restful sleep.

Civilization Does Not Enfeeble.

We need not have the slightest fear that civilized man is going to become degenerate from city dwelling or any of the other strains of civilization. Contrary to popular belief, the white man of today has a lower death rate, a higher average length of life, is taller, heavier and stronger than any of his predecessors or any known race of savages. Almost any company of American and English soldiers will contain men who can outrun, outwrestle and outswim the best athletes of any native tribe.—Success Magazine.

Should Help Himself.

"Yes," young Mr. Timmid admitted; "I've always been bashful among the girls."

"But why should you be?" asked Miss Yern encouragingly.

"I can't help myself."

"Gracious!" she exclaimed, pursing up her lips. "If you don't help yourself, how can you expect to get any?"

Speculation.

Experience proves that those who gain money rapidly by speculation almost never keep it, and when they have lost it they are infinitely worse off than they were before.—Success Magazine.

Knew the Place.

Guest (in cheap restaurant)—Here, waiter, this meal is simply vile. I won't pay for it. Where's the proprietor? Waiter—He's out at lunch, sir.

He will never accomplish anything who dreams of what he will do instead of showing what he can do.

GIANT MAGNETS.

The Operation of Lifting Monster Loads With Them.

The peculiar properties of an electric current often lead one to fancy that it may perchance be endowed with the spirit of intelligence, so mysterious are its inner workings.

A most curious use of electricity is the adoption of lifting magnets in machine shop and mill practice. An electro magnet in its simplest form consists of a piece of soft iron wound with a large number of turns of insulated copper wire. When an electric current passes through the windings of wire the electric forces are converted into magnetic forces and the coil of wire and core of soft iron assume all the characteristics of a common steel magnet.

The operation of lifting magnets is quite simple. The magnet is attached to the crane hook, and the ends of the wire forming the coil are connected directly with the dynamo. The crane is then swung so that the magnet is suspended directly over the metal to be removed. The magnet is then lowered until it comes in contact with the object, the current is turned on, the hoist is raised and the mass of metal to be moved clings to the magnet.

When the load reaches the desired point it may be dropped without first lowering the magnet or it may be lowered, the current shut off and the material deposited gently. The crane operator needs no help to load or unload, and the work can be done in half the time with a saving of from three to four men.—New York Herald.

THE BLOUSE.

Its Name Came Originally From Pelusium, In Egypt.

The environs of Pelusium, in lower Egypt, in ages past stood foremost among sunny lands where the culture of indigo and the manufacture of fabrics died with it were the principal industries. In the middle ages, when the Crusaders landed on the coast of Egypt and entered Pelsium, where Port Said is now situated, they purchased quantities of the blue material, which they cast over their panoply of war. Afterward the same material was made in France and became the fabric of which the working garment of the male peasant was made and is to this day.

The name of the locality was given the fabric, and this was retained by the French production, but contracted to Pelouse, which later on was changed to blouse (pronounced bluze). The smock worn by English male peasants is a similar garment and, though it is not written in history that the blouse crossed the channel soon after its entry into France, it would seem probable from the fact that in other times the smock was now and then called a "biowse."

This, fair ladies, is the origin of the garment of our warmest affection, to which we have loyally clung for years in spite of many ruthless detractors and will continue to do so notwithstanding the fact that, whether called "bluze" or "blowse," it is not of aristocratic lineage.

Landor and Wordsworth.

Walter Savage Landor was an intemperate person in words and hated Wordsworth. Were there ever more contemptuous words than these of Landor in reference to Wordsworth? "Pastiness and flatness are the qualities of a pancake and thus far he attained his end. Let him place the accessories on the table lest what is insipid and clammy grow into duller accretion and moister viscidity the more I masticate it." In Landor's letter to Ralph Waldo Emerson he writes: "We must now descend to Wordsworth. He often gave an opinion on authors which he never had read, Plato for instance. He speaks contemptuously of the Scotch. I praised a line of Scott's on the dog of a traveler lost in the snow (if I remember) on Skiddaw. He said it was the only good one in the poem and began instantly to recite a whole poem of his own on the same subject."

Buttons.

Buttons are certainly as ancient as the siege of Troy, in the ninth century before our era, for, both in that unfortunate city and at Mycenae, Dr. Schliemann discovered objects of gold, silver and bronze which could have had no other use than that of buttons. In mediaeval times the clothing of the common people was generally fastened with wooden pegs of the type and form of those resorted to in emergencies by the country boy of the present day. Buttons covered with cloth were prohibited by George I. in 1720 to encourage the manufacture of metal buttons.

Suspicious.

"Mother," says the doubting wife, "I do not believe Henry is all that he should be."

"What is wrong with him now, Agnes? A short time ago you were complaining that he stayed out too late of nights. Is he staying out later than ever?"

"No. He spends every evening at home now, and really that looks to me as though he had something on his conscience."—Life.

Incredulous, but Cheerful.

Father (at head of stairs)—Ethel, what time is it? Ethel (in drawing room)—It's a quarter past 10, father. Father—All right. Don't forget to start the clock again after the young man goes out to get his breakfast.—Stray Stories.

Wagner's opera, "Die Meistersinger," was sung for the first time in America at the Metropolitan Opera House Jan. 2, 1896.

STRONG TALK

is not needed to sell Westminster Real Estate. Prices speak for themselves. Common sense only is necessary. Westminster property will become as valuable as in any other city of the Dominion. **Some of us** will wake up, in 1910, and find that we are rich; and simply because we bought some of the snaps offered by McQuarrie & Co. in 1906. **Procrastination is the thief of time.**

A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME!
Exclusive Sale
5 acres on 6th St., just off city limits. **$1,100,** easy terms. Fine property for subdivision or market gardening, chicken ranch or small fruit farm.

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, $8,000, $4,000 cash, balance at 6 per cent.

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Was $1,350 yesterday; today $1,600
House 7 rooms; store front; 1 3-4 acres. **$1,600** for the whole lot.

House and lot, 50 x 133, back of brewery, facing Columbia St. Rents for $14.00 per month. Price $1000, half cash, balance in six months. You cannot possibly get a higher percentage for your money than 14 per cent.

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

160 acres in Surrey, 5 acres cleared, fenced on road side, **$1,800,** half cash, balance on time at 6 per cent, subject to sale of timber.

Three full-sized lots, cleared and fenced, close to car; a good speculation; five minutes from post office; $1,800; easy terms.

Lot No. 10, full size, on Agnes street, all cleared and fenced, ready for building; a real good speculation for $600.

Full sized lot on Mowat street, $225.

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.

Between Fifth and Sixth avenues, near Seventh street, eight rooms, all modern, stable and chicken house, full sized lot, two storeys, $1,000 cash, $2,500.

20 acre blocks, fruit lands, near Junction, $20 per acre.

House and lot, 33 x 100, 1½-storey, situated near Queen's avenue, $1,150. It's up to you to stop paying rent.

Orphanage
One acre back of the Orphanage. **$800** cash. For full particulars apply at once.

Snap in Lots.
Three lots, less 16 feet, corner of Sixth street and Fifth avenue. Just $900, terms easy.

Vacant lots for sale in all parts of the city, from $25.00 to $1,000.00.

Double tenement house, 6 rooms in each house, water, light, full size lot, between First and Second street, Fourth avenue, on north side. Price $1,500, half cash, balance in one year at 6 per cent.

80 acres, one mile from Abbotsford, 10 acres cleared, good soil, 220 fruit trees, price $1,400, half cash, balance in three equal payments at reasonable interest.

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.

160 acres, Langley, 25 under cultivation; house, barn, sheds, etc. all in good repair; a snap at $3,000, half cash.

Two-storey house, stable, chicken house, two full sized lots, all modern improvements, Third street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, $2,250, $1,500 cash; good snap.

160 acres good farm land in Delta, about 3½ miles from river, near Scott road, $12 per acre; a real good buy.

Full sized lot, Third avenue, between 10 and 11 street. Price $225 each.

60 acres good fruit land in Surrey; can be bought now for $25 per acre, only one-quarter cash needed, balance in one or two year at 7 per cent.

64 acres in Pitt Meadows, only $35 per acre. One third cash, balance at 6 per cent.

House and 1½ lots, 5 rooms, price $1,375, half cash, balance to be arranged at 6 per cent.; Alice street.

House, 10 rooms, 1½ lots, near Fourth avenue and Seventh street, $2,000. Terms can be arranged.

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Does It Pay?
160 acres, 10 ac. cleared, without a stump in them; nearly all planted with fruit trees, apples, pears, plums, cherries. Small house; barn and stable 30x56; good well; half-mile from school. Only **$10** per ac. and terms easy at that.

67 acres, Hornby Ranch, Nickomekl, house cost $2,500 when built, 20 acres cleared. Price only $3,000, half cash, balance easy.

80 acres of land near Sutherland's mill, in Surrey; good house, 6 acres cleared; only $1,000, easy terms.

8-roomed house, all modern improvements, fine location, corner of Fourth street and Agnes, $5,000, one half cash. A comfortable home and good family residence.

Eight-roomed house, all modern conveniences, on Carnarvon street and Sixth street, two storeys, $3,750.

House and lot on Agnes street, two storeys, seven rooms; a real snap at $2,500.

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

Five cottages and two lots on First street, opposite Queen's park. Price $7,000.

One and a half lots, Sapperton, just off Columbia street and Brunette, only $1,000. Terms to be arranged.

160 acres, all fenced, ready for cultivation, good water, half mile from school, all ready for cultivation, at Chilliwack, $75 per acre.

40 acres near city, $7 per acre; see us for fuller particulars.

Three quarters of an acre and house on Columbia street, Sapperton.

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168 acres, Coquitlam, 10 acres ed, near Black's ranch, $2,000.

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One hundred and sixty acres ¼ Sec. 15, Township 11, two from Fort Langley, 5 acres cl No. 1 land. Price, $10 per acre third cash, balance on time, 7 per interest.

One hundred and sixty acres ¼ Sec. 25, Township 16, 2½ from Abbotsford, creek r through, 50 acres alder bottom to be $600 worth of timber o property. Price $10 per acre, 1 balance on time.

Ten acres in Lot 463, one mile of Westminster Junction, Al soil ily cleared. $30 per acre.

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1½-storey house, six rooms, $1,500, easy terms; near car line trally located.

House, corner of Fifth avenue Sixth street, one lot, two store rooms, $2,500, half cash.

Boarding house, 20 rooms, on street, one block from post o rents at $30 per month, or for s $4,500.

Seven-roomed house, Seventh near Fifth avenue, two storeys sized lot, $1,600.

House, eight rooms, on St G street, corner Fourth, $2,500; terms.

House, full sized lot, on F street, Sapperton; rents for $1 month. Only $1,050.

Three acres, North Arm road, Meads, $425.

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SECRET SOCIETIES

N LODGE, NO. 9, A. F. & A. M. e regular meeting of this d on the First Wednesday in month, at 8 o'clock p. m., in Masonic Temple. Sojourning hren are cordially invited to at Dr. W. A. DeWolf Smith, retary.

SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 17, A & A. M.—Regular communica s of this lodge are held on the d Tuesday in each month in nic Temple, at 8 p. m. Visit brethren are cordially invited tend. D. W. Gilchrist, Sec.

L CITY PRECEPTORY, No. 459 K. of L., meets second and th Friday of each month, at 8 m., in Orange hall, corner of a avenue and John street. So ing Sir Knights cordially in d to attend. W. E. Dunlop, W. E. E. Matthias, Reg.

L ORANGE LODGE, NO. 1150 eets in Orange hall first and d Friday in each month at 8 p Visiting brethren are cordially ted to attend. E. E. Matthias, M.; J. Humphries, Rec.-Sec.

O. F.—AMITY LODGE, No. 27— regular meetings of this lodge held in Oddfellows' hall, Colum street, every Monday evening, 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren cor ly invited to attend. A. P. Halla , N.G.; W. C. Coatham, Rec. Sec.

U. W.—FRASER LODGE No. 3 Meetings the first and third Tues in each month. Visiting thren cordially invited to attend dge room, A. O. U. W. hall, Odd lows' block, Clarkson street, C. Corrigan, recorder; Louis Witt, ster workman.

E OF COLUMBIA LODGE No. SONS OF ENGLAND, B. S.— d Rose Degree meets Second and rth Wednesday of each month. K. of P. Hall, Columbia St., at p. m. White Rose Degree, Fourth ednesday in each month, same e and place. Visiting Brethren rdially invited. E. B. Stinch mbe, Pres., H. Disbey, Secretary.

RT BRUNETTE, No. 4099, I.O.F. Meets the Fourth Friday in the onth at 8 o'clock, in the small ll, Oddfellows' block. Visiting ethren are cordially invited to at nd. J. B. Rushton, C. R.; F. P axwell, R. S.

URT ROYAL COLUMBIA, No. 8209 O. F.—The regular meetings o is Lodge are held on the Secon d Fourth Tuesdays of each mont 8 p. m. in the Oddfellows' Hall Visiting Brethren are cordialy in ited to attend. E. C. Firth, C. R. P. Maxwell, Sec.

E ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEM PERANCE meet every Wednesday t 8 o'clock p. m., in Oddfellows Hall, Columbia street. Visiting rethren are cordially invited to at end, Geo. Burr, S. C.; N. R. Brown ec.

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209—Surrey; 690 acres; very fair soil; divided into 10 acres lots; two of the lots front on Scott road; will make excellent fruit or poultry farm; near market; 3½ miles from city. Price $15 per acre; easy terms to parties improving.

212—160 acres in Surrey; this land fronts on the Scott road and is five miles from S. Westminster; there are some 40 acres of fairly good land on east end of lot; while the pile timber is valuable on the balance, and is not subject to royalty for stumpage, this being one of the old C.G.'s. Reasonable terms.

215—40 acres; unimproved; ½ mile back from Scott road; good soil; will make a good cheap home for the right man. Price $10 per acre.

216—504 acres; Surrey; eight miles from town; there is a commodious dwelling house and barn on this property; some 15 or 20 acres have been improved; orchard, etc.; splendidly located; several fine springs of water flow across the land; the Serpentine river is immediately adjoining; the whole tract constitutes the making of one of the finest stock and dairy farms in the province; nearly all level bottom land and readily brought into cultivation; easily cleared, and when reclaimed would sell readily for $100 per acre. Price as it stands $40 per acre; immediate possession.

300—160 acres; no improvements; situated about five miles from New Westminster and 1½ miles from Mud Bay. $10 per acre.

400—160 acres. $1,600; on reasonable terms; practically no improvements; new railroad runs close to this property.

402—140 acres; 1½ miles from New Westminster. Offer wanted.

404—160 acres; all under cultivation; new house and barn; everything in first class condition. Price $125 per acre.

405—160 acres; 5 miles from New Westminster and 1½ miles from Mud Bay. Offers Wanted.

501—40 acres; this land is situated near Point Roberts in Delta municipality; unimproved; good soil; timber land; good road; 4½ miles from Ladner's Landing; will make nice place when improved. Price $10 per acre ¼ cash, balance can be arranged to suit, interest 6 per cent.

719—Kensington Prairie; 160 acres; this place fronts on the Clover Valley road; good soil, easy brought in; very little improvement, but land is very open; good pasture; this is a good investment for a practical man. Price $30 per acre; terms to suit purchaser.

720—Kensington Prairie; 79½ acres; this is a most excellent proposition, first class land; deep vegetable deposit; good water; 40 acres under good cultivation; balance very fair pasture; well fenced; school on corner of lot; buildings consist of dwelling 24x30, 1½ storey, 6 rooms, in good repair; new barn 66x70, well built and fitted; poultry houses, cabins, sheds; immediate possession. Price $65 per acre; cash preferred, but terms can be arranged for part.

724—160 acres; soil on south light well adapted to sheep and fruit raising; north side soil stronger, will produce clover in abundance; small spring; house and barn; orchard, etc.; school, church, post office and store convenient; Great Northern railway, Cloverdale, 2½ miles. Price $1,000.

800—160 acres; about 50 acres bush; balance open land that the mower can run over; school house ¼ mile distant; house fairly comfortable; other buildings of nominal value. Price $4,000; terms can be arranger.

801—Business and property for sale; six acres of land; house, six rooms; barn, 45x25 feet; sheds, chicken house with covered run; land all cleared; part orchard and part garden. Price, for land and building, $2,500. Fairly good stock of general merchandise can be purchased if desired.

802—110 acres; house and barn on high land. Price $2,200.

806—320 acres; near Clover Valley post office.

807—80 acres; Nicomekl river runs through this property; 1½ miles from Surrey Centre post office; no improvements. Offer wanted.

808—160 acres; this is a most desirable property; Port Kells station, Great Northern Railway, is on adjoining lot; steamboat landing, school, church, store, post office, convenient; 9½ miles from city of New Westminster; several acres cleared; house, sheds, etc.; as this property lies so conveniently to market, it is very suitable for poultry farms; good soil. Price $2,000.

812—160 acres; 1 mile from Cloverdale; log house; some 10 acres cleared and under cultivation; some fencing; corner lot; good roads; some cedar and fir timber. Price $1,250; cash $1,000, balance terms to suit.

814—150 acres; this is a fine farm, well improved, in good neighborhood; 140 acres improved; dwelling, barns, sheds, hog pens, root house; land all laid down to grass; Cloverdale station, G. N. R., on property; 11 miles from New Westminster; good roads, school, churches, mills. Price $14,000; terms $5,000 cash, balance $1,000 per year, interest 6 per cent.

819—Surrey Centre; 80 acres; this is a piece of land, excellently situated, a large portion of which is good soil and easily cleared; the other portion is lighter soil, but has a large portion of valuable timber worth $1,500, which is now being hauled to the sawmill; there is a fine new 7-roomed house; also sheds; good well; small clearing. Price $2,000; terms on part.

820—80 acres; this is a splendid location; corner; first-class soil;; practically 40 acres cleared and under cultivation; good house, buildings; good water; 10¼ miles from town; good roads; 1 mile from Cloverdale village; churches, school, municipal hall, stores, post office, all adjoining; G.N.R. 1 mile, etc. Price $4,500; terms easy.

822—160 acres; light soil, when cleared will make a good sheep farm; school, church, post office and store convenient; Port Kells and Clayton each three miles away. Price $10 per acre.

824—60 acres; 7¾ miles from city, good soil; unimproved. Price $10 per acre.

825—160 acres; this is very fertile land, well situated and practically the nearest good agricultural land, on the Surrey side, to the city; it is distant eight miles; good road; unimproved; will make one of the finest farms in the district; all bottom land. Price $40 per acre.

902—150 acres good land; 8 acres cleared and in good cultivation; good orchard, selected fruits; ½ mile from steamboat landing; ¾ mile from station, G.N.R.; large quantity of valuable timber; dwelling house 24x24, 3 rooms; barn and stable, woodshed; poultry house, root house. Price $15 per acre; terms ½ cash, balance to arrange 6 per cent. interest.

903—90 acres; Langley municipality; ¼ mile from river; this is a piece of land well worth looking after, and should be readily taken up; will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Price $12.50 per acre.

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DETERMINING LEVELS.

Method by Which Every Man May Be His Own Surveyor.

A simple way of roughly determining levels, and one which can readily be practiced by any one and which has the advantage of not requiring any special apparatus, is by means of a spirit level and a board with a straight edge. The way to go about it is this: First determine on two points the levels of which you wish to know and drive stakes into the ground. Then take a board with a straight edge and tack it to a tree, if one happens to be available, in a line with these two stakes. Put the board at such a height that you can readily sight over it and carefully level this board by means of the spirit level. Then sight it over toward one of the stakes, having some one at that stake who will, by means of a small piece of paper, locate the point at which your line of vision cuts it—in other words, where a line projected from your sighting board would strike the stake. Make some sort of mark at this point and then sight to the other stake in the same way and mark the point where the line would strike it. By measuring distances that these two points are above the ground you can get the difference in levels with reasonable accuracy. For instance, if your line of vision has cut one stake eight feet from the ground and the other one five feet from the ground, then obviously the difference in level is three feet, or, in other words, the vicinity of the stake on which the mark is five feet from the ground is three feet higher than the other stake, and you will have a three foot fall from draining from this point to the other.—Farming.

THE ELOQUENT NUDGE.

An Incident Illustrating a Trait In Woman's Nature.

"Do you see the woman walking in front of us there?" asked the man with the fashionable tie to the friend who was strolling up Broadway with him. "Do you notice anything particularly striking about her? Nothing, except that she is very well dressed? That's what I would say. Now, I'll bet you half a dollar that when she passes the three women walking just ahead of her all three will nudge each other simultaneously."

The woman behind was walking faster than the three in front and she soon passed them. The three women looked her over from foot to head, then nudged each other with their elbows as if possessed with the same thought.

"How did you know it?" inquired the friend as the other pocketed the half dollar.

"I didn't know it," was the reply. "If I had it would have been taking an unfair advantage of you to bet. But I was reasonably certain of it. There is a certain indescribable something in some women's manner, appearance and carriage that causes all other women to nudge each other at sight of her. I couldn't tell you just what it is, but I'm ready to put up a wager on it every time. The nudge is simply a part of women's sign language which means something that cannot be put into words, but which every other woman understands."—New York Press.

The Word "Crank."

Crank in the sense of an eccentric person is a new word. The very first written instance of crank in the modern sense that could be found for Dr. Murray's dictionary was in the reports of the trial of Guiteau, President Garfield's murderer. Guiteau's reference to somebody as a crank gave the word a vogue that has gone on spreading. But the adjective cranky was known in 1787 as meaning sickly (the German "krank"), and to Dickens in the senses of cross and crochety. In all its meanings it springs from the root idea of crookedness, as does crank in its sixteenth century sense of a deceitful trick, as in "quips and cranks."

The History of Tacitus.

The entire history of Tacitus, as we have the work, was regained from a single copy found in the fifteenth century in a monastery of Westphalia. That we should owe the works of this author to one copy is a remarkable circumstance, for the Emperor Tacitus, who claimed to be a descendant of the historian, had copies of the history placed in every library of the empire and each year had ten copies transcribed for presentation to scholars. All, it seems, perished, save the Westphalian copy.

The Great Difficulty.

"One-half of the world's happiness is solved when a person learns to mind his own business."

"Yes, but it's the other half that causes the most trouble."

"What's that?"

"Getting other people to mind theirs."—Home Notes.

No Kick Coming.

Mrs. Jones—Do you appreciate what that is you are eating? Tramp (with his mouth full)—No'm! Mrs. Jones—Well, that is angel cake with wine jelly and whipped cream. Tramp—Oh, well, anything tastes good when a feller's hungry, mum!—New York Press.

How He Knew It.

Fair Passenger—They say you can't fool a street car conductor with a plugged nickel, but I worked one off on him a few minutes ago. The Other Passenger—I know it, madam. He gave it to me in change just now.—Chicago Tribune.

The Best Literature.

The best literature of our day is not in fiction. It is in poetry, in biography, in history and in criticism.—London Sphere.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Matter intended for this column should be addressed, "Social Editor, Daily News, P. O. Box 402, New Westminster."

Mr. and Mrs F. W. Phillips left on the Owl train last evening for Seattle, where they will go to spend Christmas with their folk. They expect to return here on Wednesday morning.

W. J. Nell, of Chilliwack, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Dr. R. Eden Walker has returned from a short trip to Nanaimo.

A. E. Rugg of Summerland, son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs Rugg, arrived in the city on Saturday and will spend Christmas at his parental home.

F. R. Glover left on Sunday for his home in Armstrong, where he will spend Christmas.

J. H. Bowes, who recently sold out his law practise here, is opening up a practise in Vernon.

J. B. Kennedy, M.P., was busy yesterday receiving and returning the Christmas greetings of his friends. Mr. Kennedy is glad to have even a week amid the green lawns and soft breezes of New Westminster, after the snow and frost of the East. He will have to be off to Ottawa again early next week.

Miss Edith Crake has returned from Salmon Arm, and will be at home to her friends, Wednesday, Jan. 2, afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wellman, of Port Moody, formerly of Dawson City, are the guests of Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Barraclough.

George B. Johnston, manager of the Vancouver branch of Johnston's Big Shoe House, has returned to Vancouver after being detained here for the past two weeks as a result of a severe illness.

Capt. Hunter, of the passenger steamer Transfer, is enjoying the first holiday in ten years and has left on a visit to relatives on Mayne Island with whom he will spend the festive season. Capt. Gilchrist is in charge of the boat during Capt. Hunter's absence.

The Transient Throng.

Guichon—W. Adams and wife, Soda Creek; J. W. Collis. D. Malcolm, Vancouver; E. F. Spoffard, New York: W. J McNeill, Chilliwack; L. M. Loftus and wife, New York; W. Hatt Cook, Barnet; and six members of the Quincy Adams Sawyer company.

Windsor—L. Wheeler, A. A. Winkler, Millside; A. Tisdale, Barnet; F. Parmentier and wife, Ladner; C. H. Lewis, Elgin. W. J. Atkinson, Winnipeg; J. L. Klein, Pitt River; B. McNair, Tynehead; Mrs Barron, Bellingham; J. Huddleton and wife, Clayton.

Colonial—W. J. Leary, Port Guichon; D. M. Ellis, Ladner; S. Douglas, Matsqui; R. Bansfield, Abbotsford.

Last Night's Play.

It was clearly demonstrated at the opera house last night that the attractions of Christmas eve festivities, and Christmas preparations, have a stronger pull on the public of New Westminster than even an entertaining theatrical performance. The actors did their part as well as could be expected in face of the rows of empty seats. The cast was a fairly strong one, and all did their best, but it was hard work. W. A. Williams, in the title roll, acted his part brightly; H. Foster, as Arthur Hastings, put plenty of expression into his lines, and Jane Tyrell, as the blind girl, besides charming the audience by her prettiness, acted her part very cleverly. The whole company deserved a better house.

Presentation.

A surprise party given by the people of the Lutheran church of this city was tendered to the Rev. B. A. Sand at his home, corner Fifth avenue and Fifth street recently, when Jacob Agunderson, on behalf of the congregation, presented the pastor with a receipt for a steel range worth $70, and also a well filled purse. Mr. Sand accepted the gift, and in a suitable reply acknowledged the kindness of his people, after which a vocal entertainment took place, Mrs Sand and the members of the church choir contributing.

Christmas Services.

A midnight Communion service was held at midnight last night in Holy Trinity Cathedral. Decorations of a Christmas character had been introduced in a very artistic manner and there was a good attendance. Woodward's Communion service in A flat, was rendered by the choir.

There will be a special Christmas service in all the Anglican churches at 11 a.m. today.

The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U., will be held tomorrow afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. F. P. Maxwell, corner of Seventh street and Fourth avenue.

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NOTICE.

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