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LDERMEN DISCUSS LITTLE DETAI'S

iness of Importance No Longer Looms Up Council Meetings---Building Permits and Commun ions the Chief Interest Last Evening.

the year draws near its end, usiness at the city council grows and less, and last night's meeting about broke the record for un- tant business. A few communi- of minor importance, a couple al reports—and that's about all. first communication on the file me from W. A. Duncan, city clerk ning the members of the council at the recount of the votes cast the civic election last Monday, the wing gentlemen had been duly de- elected to the aldermanic board. s. Jardine, Gray, Henley, Smith, er, Johnston and Shiles. The unication was received and filed the motion of Ald. Adams, who eded in making the motion with r of nonchalance which became greatly. Mayor Keary then spoke words of congratulation to Ald. s on being returned, and also ad- d a few consolatory remarks to Adams, who replied that he was too pleased to see that Ald. s had been returned. In com- ting upon the way in which he been thrown down by the electors e west end, Ald Adams remarked it could not be worse, anyway. xpected that the interests of the end would be just as well looked when he was gone as they had during the time he had been in council.

e Chief Watson sent in a report sing the resignations of Captain and Hoseman Seeley, both of Hall. The resignations were pted and the clerk authorized to rtise for candidates to fill the va- positions. Both resignations are ke effect on Dec. 31.

ssrs. Marshall & Bonell were ted permission to lay building rial on Victoria and McKenzie ds, the same permission being ted to F. J. Lynch, who wishes to lumber on Clarkson street dur- the building of his new factory, on which will start to-day.

rgaret Beatty wrote thanking the cil for the letter of condolence to the relatives of her brother le W. G. Armstrong, on the occa- of his death. The letter was re- d and filed.

ttle diversion was introduced in outine business immediately after reading of a letter from E. J. en, who had applied for permis- to use the stables at Queen's for stabling ten horses, which had recently brought to the city. a vote being taken, Ald. Henley ted on the plea that the city not be expected to accommodate one who came along with horses. would like to know how long Mr. en proposed leaving the horses stables before granting permis- Ald. Jardine also objected on nds that there were stables down which catered for that class of an objection in which Ald. concurred. The mayor ex- that Mr. Whelen had informed he could not obtain accom- on of any of the stables, and had been granted temporary per- to stable his horses at the After hearing this explanation, body voted in favor of allowing Whelen the use of the stable, on ition that he paid $5 a week rent, that he agreed to be responsible ny damage that might occur.

. Boxler, city electrician, report- at the electric light current had turned off for 14 minutes on Sun- evening, the cause being a short it somewhere in North Vancou The report was received and and upon the suggestion of the r it was decided to write a letter to the B. C. E. R. company, complaining of the frequent short circuits, and requesting that their lines might be better patrolled, and their wires better inspected.

Permission was granted to J. A. Calbick to move a house along Keary street. J. Wilson, who applied for permission to cross the sidewalk on Sixth avenue, opposite his property, was given the leave asked for.

Ald. Garrett reported that a ditch on Hospital street was running over into Joseph Saint's Cellar. The matter was referred to the board of works with power to act.

Mayor Keary reported the result of his recent interview with the reeves of Langley, Ladner and Richmond, and the mayor of Vancouver, with reference to the proposed establishment of an Aged People's home. A resolution on the subject would be presented to the council at the next meeting. A proposal to ask the Government to give a tract of land somewhere between this city and Vancuver had been submitted at the meeting, and had met with approval. It was thought that it would be better for the government to undertake the management of the home than for the different municipalities. The report of the mayor was duly approved, after which the council adjourned until Monday next, with the understanding that the clerk shall then adjourn the sitting until the following Friday evening.

The following committee accounts were passed for payment:

Finance—For schools, $1,018.24; finance, $763.07; water and sewerage, $475.59; light, $457.59; market, $6.75; fire, $152.52; parks, 22.30; police, $83.79; library, $32.53; board of works; $689.09.

ENTER ALDERMAN SHILES EXIT ALDERMAN ADAMS

Recount of Ballots Before Hon. Norman Bole, Gives Ald. Shiles Majority.

Next year it will be Ald. Shiles and ex-Ald. Adams.

His Honor Judge Bole settled the question "with neatness and dispatch" when it came before him yesterday morning. There being no question as to the corectness of the count at Sapperton, where Ald. Shiles led Ald. Adams by two votes; or of that at the West End station, where he led by eight votes, those returns were "taken as read," giving Ald. Shiles a lead of ten. Then the City Hall ballots were counted and gave Ald. Adams, 211; Ald. Shiles, 206; a lead of five for Ald Adams, cutting the majority elsewhere of Ald. Shiles into halves. His Honor, therefore, declared Ald. Shiles elected by a majority of five.

Japanese Mission Building Dedicated.

In Vancouver, Sunday afternoon the dedication service was held in the new Japanese Methodist Mission church on the southeast corner of Powell street and Jackson avenue. The opening sermon was preached by the Rev. J. W. Pescott, secretary of Methodist Missions, and pastor of Wesley Methodist Church of Vancouver. With him on the platform were the Rev. Goro Kaburagi, pastor of the mission, Rev. J. M. Sanford, pastor of Princess street Methodist church, and the Rev. J. Turner.

TO FIGHT SEATTLE

SPOKANE, Dec. 17.---What is denounced by business men of this city and the entire Inland Empire as the unwarranted and selfish action of Seattle in opposing Spokane's fight for what they claim are just and equitable freight rates, has led to much talk of retaliation here in the way of declaring war on the Alaska-Youkon-Pacific Exposition to be held in Seattle in 1909.

As yet the matter has not been brought directly to the attention of the legislative delegation, but plans have been made whereby an attempt will be made to organize them for battle, the issue being that Seattle must either withdraw from her position in fighting Spokane or lose the support of Eastern Washington for the fair.

SPANISH GOVERNMENT RISKS NO RUPTURE

Owing to Strained Relations Between France and Rome, Archives Cannot Enter Spain.

Rome, Dec. 17.—The Spaish government has notified the Vatican that it objects to taking charge, at present, of the archives or the Papal nuciature in Paris, owing to the rupture of diplomatic relations between France and the Vatican.

Spain certainly would have accepted the task as requested by the Vatican to do so when the Papal nuncio at Paris, Mgr. Lorenzelli, was recalled, as France then could not have made any objection. But after the expulsion of Mgr. Montagnini, the secretary of the nunciature, and the search of the archives, such a step as taking charge of the Papal interests in France might be regarded as hostile to the French government.

It is stated in this connection that the Vatican authorities made a mistake in not applying immediately after the search of the archives to Count Tornielli, the Italian ambassador at Paris, not as the ambassador of Italy, but as dean of the diplomatic corps whose duty it is to protect the privileges of the corps.

The extreme parties in Italy strongly protest against the repression of yesterday's popular demonstration here in sympathy with France and are organizing new manifestations. The leaders urge their adherents in the meanwhile to leave their cards at the French embassy, where they are piling up by the thousands.

Mr. John Oliver, M.P.P.

Mr. Oliver will address the electors of Delta at:—

East Delta School House, Dec. 17, at 7:30 p.m.

Mud Bay School House, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m.

Hall's Prairie School House, Dec. 19 at 3 p.m.

Ladner Town Hall, Dec. 20, at 7:30 p.m.

Scott Road School House, Dec. 21, at 7:30 p.m.

Cloverdale Hall, Dec. 22 at 2 p.m.

An invitation has been extended to Mr. McKenzie and through him to any Minister of the Crown, or other Government speaker, to be present and address the meetings.

Bits of News.

"Royal City Plays Trump," is the heading the Nelson Daily News puts over its story of the offer of a car-shop site to the G. N. R., by Mayor Keary in the name of the city.

G. W. Ross, late premier of Ontario, is to be called to the Senate, and the Liberal party of Ontario has gone a gunning for a new leader.

The grain growers of the Northwest are after the scalp of the grain buyers combine, and are bound to lift it, if legal talent can do the trick. They have engaged no less than four of the leading lawyers of that part of the Dominion to fight the case.

British Sailors Drowned.

Portsmouth, Eng., Dec. 17.—Nine sailors belonging to the crew of the battleship Hindustan were drowned to-day, owing to the upsetting of a cutter in which they were returning to the warship. There were forty men in the cutter and all were thrown into the water. Owing to a heavy fog the boats in the vicinity had difficulty in rescuing 31 of the sailors. Many of the latter were unconscious when picked up.

GRAFT STORY FAILS TO MAKE IMPRESSION

Police Commissioners Find Nothing to Justify Charges of Bribery Against Chief.

An absurd rumor, which had apparently been started by some evil-minded person, was investigated at the meeting of the police commissioners yesterday afternoon, when the whole of the local police force, re-inforced for the occasion by Jimmy Warmsley, C. P. R. night watchman, were called upon to testify as to what they knew concerning the chief's dealings with certain people of the sporting fraternity. The meeting was productive of nothing but talk. Some time since, the chief heard that somebody had told somebody else that Chief McIntosh ha accepted money from certain gamblers and had also been the recipient of douceurs from a resident of the red light district. Hence the great gathering of the forces in the mayor's office, and the bewildering array of questions which had to be answered.

The meeting of the commissioners was strictly private, no representatives of the press being present. After the meeting, Mayor Keary informed a News reporter that in future, all information concerning the police commissioners would have to come through the city clerk, who is always present at the meetings. It was learned that yesterday's meeting was mostly taken up with hearing the evidence of the police officers, who were supposed to know something about the bribe business. The chief debaters were reported to have been officer Stephens and Jimmy Warmsley. Stephens said that Warmsley had told him that he had heard that the chief had accepted money from the gamblers, but Warmsley stoutly denied having made any such statement, and after a lengthy questioning, the police officers were allowed to depart. Asked what decision had been arrived at by the commissioners, City Clerk Duncan replied that they had dismissed the whole thing without further consideration. There was nothing in the whole business that warranted it being brought before the commissioners, and no one for a moment believed that the chief had ever accepted any bribe. The story is supposed to have had its rise in some careless conversation, which was taken seriously by some one present and spread until it finally reached the ears of those in authority.

Chief McIntosh was evidently annoyed at the statements made, and when seen last evening, refused to discuss the matter. He pointed out that the publication of such a story might influence people against him to some degree, and that such a yarn, although palpably false, might injure him. He stated that he was not responsible for causing the officers to appear before the police commissioners, but declined to say who had taken the initiative. And, not being very much interested anyway, the reporter did not press the point.

J. Perry, who was charged with having been drunk and incapable on Saturday evening, was fined $2.50 and costs in the police court yesterday morning. John Perry, bartender at the Depot hotel, wishes it to be understood that he is in no way connected with this gentleman, and objects to having to submit to the jokes of his friends on account of the similarity of the names.

PROMINENT JAPANESE PREDICTS CONFLICT

Well Informed in Political Matters, He Believes That Only a Radical Change in American Attitude Can Prevent War.

Seattle, Dec. 17.—"Unless the people of this coast materially change their attitude toward the Japanese people, lessening the discrimination against them, there will be a war between the two countries. If conditions continue as they are, I am very much afraid for the outcome."

This statement was made today by George Uyehara. For eight years Uyehara has been a resident of this city, attending school and all the time carefully studying political conditions and the relations existing between Japan and the United States.

"President Roosevelt has brought the question to a crisis." he continued. "He has laid the matter directly before the American people, and Japan knows that if congress and the people disregard his reccommendation it will be patent to the Japenese that the Americans intend to discriminate against them. This will bring on a war. I am an advocate of peace, but the thought of the outcome of this coast's continued antagonism to the Japanese makes me much afraid of the result. The whole affair rests with the Americans. They can change their attitude toward the Island Empire, regard them as equals and admit them to citizenship with severe naturalization laws, and tranquility will then exist between the two peoples."

Uyehara says the people of Japan feel very kindly toward the Americans but he says this can soon be displaced by a different feeling if their country men are looked down upon in this country. He thinks the removal of the high protective tariff and not the minimization of immigration is the solution of the problem,

"I am a sympathizer with the working classes in any country, and I can see why the laboring men on this coast object to Japanese immigration The capitalist class is friendly toward Japan and desires all the immigration possible, as it will afford more laborers. The protective tariff enables them to exclude foreign goods and raise the prices of their commodities and the immigration permits them to get labor cheaply. Remove the protective tariff, and the result will be that the real, not the nominal wages will be better than at present, because while the nominal wage may not be increased the cost of living will be so much less that the sum-total amounts to a benefit. This ought to solve the problem and cause the coast workingman to feel more kindly to those of my country.

"There is bound to be bias and prejudice in the world. The workingmen are in a sense justified in their objections to the Japanese. But wherever there are two races living side by side and one considers itself superior to the other, and so acts, there is bound to be a violent struggle. A change must come soon or it will be upon us. Japan is getting stronger every day, and is making preparations for the worst. I think Japanese should be made citizens, but the requirements could be made very severe. Character, education and standing should be requisites for citizenship. Canada makes the Japanese citizens of the country, and I have never heard of any trouble arising therefrom."

LIGHT THEIR STREETS PLAN FOR RAILWAY

Ladner Will shine on Wednesday Night—Submit an Alternative to G. N. R.

It has been definitely announced that the electric juice is to be turned on in the village of Ladner on Thursday next, the twentieth instant, from the temporary plant which has been installed by the B. C. Electric company. The present arrangements are that the light shall be turned on at 5 p.m. until 1 a.m. When there are entertainments of a special character in progress extra time will be granted.

An electrical milking machine has been received at Ladner and will be put in operation as soon as a suitable building can be secured. It will be in use in Ladner soon after Christmas.

The Ladner people have offered to effect a compromise with the G. N. R. company with reference to the proposed railway extension to that place. The objection which led the people to object to the by-law was that the monopolizing of the river road by the railway company's line would necessitate the traveller by road going by a longer and more arduous route to Ladner. The council has suggested to the company that a new road be opened for traffic which will shorten the journey to Ladner by something like 1,500 feet. The building of the road in question would necessitate the filling in of the big ravine at the point of juncture. This would give a seven per cent. grade. The residents of Ladner feel confident that the railway company will fall in line with the new idea.

COUNTRY IS GROWING BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS

Ald. Henley Tells of Trip Through Country and of Visit to Clayburn.

Alderman Henley returned yesterday from a trip to Matsqui. He spoke in enthusiastic terms of the development which he observed throughout the country. Where a few years ago the wild birds and the denizens of the forest held sole possession, the ring of the axe is heard, and homes are springing into existence. Mr. Henley has had a wide experience in the building business and visited the brick and pipe works at Clayburn with a great deal of interest. He was surprised to see such an up-to-date plant there and to find such an excellent variety of bricks and enamelled pipes manufactured. He predicts a great future for the industry.

There is the finest kind of a clay deposit in an unlimited quantity a few miles from the works, and the railway runs right to the kilns. The machinery which is in use is of the latest design and is being handled by men who evidently understand their business.

He found the people all in the highest of spirits on account of the prospects of soon being connected with the outside world by means of an electric car line. The country is full of great possibilities for manufacturers, and he looks forward to the time when there will be a busy hum of machinery heard in the land, and a large market open for New Westminster, along the line of supplying the needs of the workers.

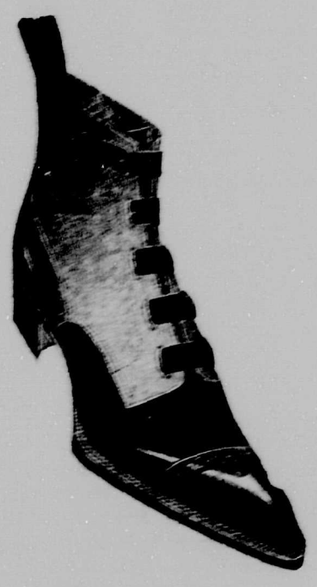
uel Famine Compels Many Plants to Close

and Forks, N. D., Dec. 17.—The situation today presents the most al condition that has existed in history of the state. Careful in- in every portion of the northern of the state shows that there is a town in which coal can be had t in small quantities, and to supply immediate needs, and in dozens of places there is not a pound to be bought, the dealers having been out of fuel for days and in some instances for a week or more. Some town schools and lighting and manufacturing plants have closed and individuals are sharing their small fuel supplies with neighbors.

American Artillery Is Badly Deficient

Washington, Dec. 17.—"Both the coast and field artillery are badly deficient in both personnel and material; neither is in even approximately proper condition for instruction in time of peace, much less in condition for reasonably efficient service in war, and the time necessary to put either in the latter condition is not a matter of days or weeks, but of years."

Brig. Gen. Arthur Murray, chief of artillery, thus summed up the condition of his arm of the service in his annual report. He says it cannot be too strongly urged that appropriate legislation be obtained to make good the deficiencies and to correct the defects.



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LADIES' English felt Romeo Slippers, assorted colors	$1.00 "
LADIES' best fur trimmed felt Nullifers, black and maroon	$1.50 "
MISSES' felt Slippers, our finest French make	.75 "
CHILDS' felt Romeos, a fur lined house slipper with leather soles	.75 "
CHILD'S soft sole Boots, lace and button, all colors, black, red, white, blue, etc.	.35 and .60 "
BOYS' Slippers, the Dongola kid style, sizes 1 to 5	1.00 "
BOYS' alligator Slippers, something new, sizes 1 to 5	1.00 "

We can suggest nothing better than Slippers

For Christmas

Johnston's Big Shoe House,

Columbia St. New Westminster

Supreme Court Chambers.

Supreme Court Chambers were opened on Saturday last by Mr. Justice Morrison. The following cases were disposed of:

In re Martha Pickles, order made to accept tenders for sale of land. J. R. Grant for applicant.

In re Hargreen, to accept tenders, adjourned to next chamber day. J. R. Grant for applicant.

Eastern Township Bank vs. Vaughan, for increased counsel fee and surveyor's fees. Order made fixing senior counsel fee at $200. Junior counsel fee at $100. Surveyor's fee to be taxed for registrar. J. D. Kennedy for plaintiff, W. J. Whiteside for defendant.

In re Joseph Green, deceased, order made, confirming reports, and to pass accounts. J. R. Grant for applicant.

Ewen vs. McColl, order absolute made. J. R. Grant for plaintiff, J. D. Kennedy for applicant.

Kwong Man Tai company vs. B. C. Packers. Application for direction. Order made. J. B. Kennedy for plaintiff, R. Sphinks for defendants.

Sabourin vs. Buchanan. Application for increased counsel fee. Order refused. W. J. Whiteside for Plaintiff, J. R. Grant for defendant.

In re Daniel Rabbett, for quieting title. Order made referring it to Registrar, J. D. Kennedy for applicant.

In re Mary Josephine Watson, for quieting titles. Order referring to Registrar. J. R. Grant for applicant.

In re Florence Dixon, quieting titles. Order for publication. J. R. Grant for applicant.

In re J. R. Edwards, deceased. Application for administration with will annexed. W. J. Whiteside for applicant.

In re George Fowler, quieting titles. Order for publication, J. R. Grant for applicant.

In re J. Oswald, Coquitlam, et al. Application for sale of land. Order made, calling for tenders by two weeks' publication in the Daily News, and giving direction. J. P. Hampton Bole for applicant.

Appealing Conversation.

"In my morning walks," remarked a Brooklyn clergyman in referring to his vacation, "I had as a companion an elderly gentleman, whose acquaintance I prized highly. After a cross country ramble of five miles one hot afternoon we stopped at a farmhouse for a drink of milk. I drained my glass, and how refreshing it was! But the old gentleman drank lightly and set his glass down with a goodly portion of the rich milk untouched.

"'Very fine drink,' he said as we resumed our jaunt.

"'Then why didn't you drink all of it?' I asked.

"'That's the way I make my contribution to the conscience fund,' he explained seriously. 'When I was a boy I worked on a farm and was taught always, after rinsing, to leave a little water in the milk cans.'"—New York Times.

Men With Women's Voices.

Generally speaking, races living at high altitudes have weaker and more highly pitched voices than those living in regions where the supply of oxygen is more plentiful. Thus among the Indians living on the plateaus between the ranges of the Andes, at an elevation of from ten to fourteen thousand feet, the men have voices like women and the women like children, and their singing is a shrill monotone. The Australian native has a weak voice, but a knack of sending it a long distance, and the lowest tribes of African bushmen also possess weak voices. Of all human beings it would seem that the dwarf race discovered by Stanley in central Africa have, in point of volume and compass, the weakest of human voices, and this is only what one would expect from the feebleness of their physique generally.

Trains & Steamers

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. 9:25 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.

Fraser River and Gulf

UP RIVER.

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.

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 Milside, 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	3.45 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Van. & Con. Park	10.30 a.m.	2.00 p.m.
Victoria	10.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m.
East Burnaby	1.15 p.m.	1.15 p.m.
Ladner, Steveston, etc.	1.30 p.m.	11.00 a.m.
C.P.R. east, Sapperton, Milside 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.

Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

British Columbia Coast Line Service.

TIME TABLE

B. C. Coast Line Service.

ALASKA ROUTE.

(Subject to change without notice).

Princess Beatrice leaves Vancouver Nov. 22, Dec. 9, Dec. 22, Jan. 9, 1907; Jan. 22.

VANCOUVER, VICTORIA SEATTLE ROUTE.

Princess Victoria.

Leaves Vancouver daily at 1 p. m.

VICTORIA NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE.

Steamer Queen City.

Leaves New Westminster at 7 a. m. semi-weekly.

VANCOUVER NANAIMO ROUTE.

S. S. Joan

Leaves Vancouver daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1:30 p. m. Saturday at 3:30 p. m.

WEST COAST ROUTE.

S. S. Tees.

1st, 7th, 14th of each month, for Clayoquot and Mosquito Harbor; 20th, to Alberni, Quatsino, Cape Scott and way ports.

LOWER FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

Steamer Transfer

Leaves New Westminster on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 2 p.m. and Saturday at 2 p. m. with additional trip on Monday at 5 a. m.

Leaves Steveston Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a. m.; Friday at 6 a. m. additional trip Saturday 5 p. m.

UPPER FRASER RIVER ROUTE

S. S. Beaver

Leaves New Westminster, 8 a. m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Leaves Chilliwack 7 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturdays, calling at landings between New Westminster and Chilliwack.

NORTHERN B. C. ROUTE.

S. S. Tees

Leaves Vancouver at 2 p. m., 2nd and 16th of each month, calling at Skidegate on first trip and Bella Coola on second trip. Time on arrival and departure are approximate.

For reservations and information call or address

ED. GOULET,
Agent, New Westminster.
E. J. COYLE,
Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, Vancouver.
J. W. TROUP,
General Superintendent, Victoria.
Gen. Agent, Freight Dept.,
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Buffet service on trains between Spokane and Nelson.

Effective Sunday, November 4, 1906.

Leave	Day Train	Arr
9.20 a.m.	Spokane	7.15 p.m.
12.35 p.m.	Rossland	4.10 p.m.
9.40 a.m.	Nelson	6.45 p.m.

H. A. JACKSON.

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STUDENTS ALWAYS IN DEMAND.

R. J. SPROTT, B. A., Principal

is of Regulations for Disposal inerals on Dominion Lands in toba, the Northwest Territories the Yukon Territory.

AL—Coal lands may be pur- at $10 per acre for soft coal o for anthracite. Not more 20 acres can be acquired by one ual or company. Royalty at e of ten cents per ton of 2000 shall be collected on the gross

ARTZ—Persons of eighteen and over and joint stock com- holding free miners' certificates obtain entry for a mining loca-

ree miner's certificate is granted e or more years, not exceeding pon payment in advance of $7.50 num for an individual, and from $100 per annum for a company, ding to capital.

free miner, having discovered l in place, may locate a claim 500 feet by marking out the with two legal posts, bearing on notices, one at each end of e of the lode, or vein.

claim shall be recorded within days if ocated within ten miles ining recorder's office, one ad- l day allowed for every ad- l ten miles or fraction. The recording a claim is $5.

ast $100 must be expended on im each year or paid to the recorder in lieu thereof. When as been expended or paid, the may, upon having a survey and upon complying with other ements, purchase the land at an acre.

rmission may be granted by the ster of the Interior to locate s containing iron and mica, also er, in the Yukon Territory, of an not exceeding 160 acres.

e patent for a mining location provide for the payment of a lty of 2½ per cent. of the sales e products of the location.

LACER MINING—Manitoba and N. W. T., excepting the Yukon itory: Placer mining claims gen- y are 100 feet square, entry fee newable yearly. On the North atchewan River claims are either or bench, the former being 100 long and extending between high low water mark. The latter in- s bar diggings, but extends back e base of the hill or bank, not ding 1000 feet. Where steam r is used claims 200 feet wide be obtained.

redging in the Rivers of Manitoba the N. W. T., excepting the Yu- Territory—A free miner may ob- only two leases of five miles each a term of twenty years, renew- in the discretion of the Minister e Interior.

he lessee's right is confined to the merged beds or bars of the river w any low water mark, and sub- first year and $10 per mile for each equent year. Royalty same as r mining.

lacer mining in the Yukon Ter- ry—Creek, gulch, river and hill s shall not exceed 250 feet in th, measured on the base line or eral direction of the creek or h, the width being from 1000 to feet. All other placer claims be 250 feet square.

laims are marked by two legal s, one at each end, bearing no- . Entry must be obtained within days if the claim is within ten s of the mining recorder's office. extra day allowed for each addi- al ten miles or fraction.

he person or company staking a m must hold a free miner's cer- ate.

he discoverer of a new mine is tled to a claim of 1000 feet in th, aand if the party consists of 1500 feet altogether, on the out- on which no royalty shall be rged the rest of the party ordin- claims only.

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

he lessee shall have a dredge in ration within one season from the e of the lease for each five miles where a person or company has ained more than one lease one dge for each fifteen miles or frac- n thereof is sufficient. Rental, $10 annum for each mile of river sed. Royalty at the rate of two d a half per cent. collected on the put after it exceeds $10,000.

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

The lessee's right is confined to the bmerged bar or bars in the river low low water mark, that boun- ry to be fixed by its position on the t day of August in the year of the te of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge operation within two years from e date of the lease, and one dredge r each five miles within six years om such date. Rental $100 per mile ukon Territory to be paid to the mptroller.

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

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200. A certificate that work has been abandoned, anad open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

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

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

W. W. CORY.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.

Dept. Interior.

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

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, and marked on each envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 501 or for Timber Berth No. 502," will be received at this Department until noon on Wednesday, the 26th day of December, 1906, for licenses to cut timber on Berth Nos. 501 and 502, described as follow:

Timber Berth No. 501, situate in the Province of British Columbia, on Suicide Creek, in about Township 4, Range 2, West of the 7th Meridian: Commencing at a post planted on the East side of said Creek at the North end of the Second Canyon, about 7 miles up from the mouth of said Creek; thence Northerly up said Creek 4½ miles in direct distance with a depth of one mile on the Easterly side and half a mile on the Westerly side of said Creek, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said Creek within the berth, containing an area of 4,320 acres, more or less.

Timber Berth No. 502, Commencing at a post planted on the East side of Suicide Creek about 10 chains North, or above, the North boundary of T. B. 501; thence Northerly, up said Creek 4½ mils in direct distance with a depth of one mile on the Easterly side and half a mile on the Westerly side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said Creek within the berth, containing an area of 4,320 acres, more or less, the lower boundary to be parallel to the upper boundary of T. B. 501.

The berths must be surveyed by the grantee within one year after the granting of the berths.

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

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

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES,
Secretary.

Department of the Interior,
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Origin of the Expression "Happy Hunting Grounds."

You often hear or see the expression "happy hunting grounds," and it may be that some of our readers do not know how it originated or what it means. It is the name given to the Indian's heaven, which his imagination paints as a prairie well stocked with buffalo and other game, with no one to molest him or make him afraid. From this belief arose the custom of killing the Indian's pony at the burying ground, so that he may enjoy sport with it forever in the other world, for they also believe that the pony will accompany its dead master. That he may have his weapons ready when he gets there, they bury with him his rifle, his pistol, his bow and his quiver of arrows. Thus equipped he goes to the "happy hunting grounds," where he will enjoy endless sport.

Where Four States Meet.

The United States is the only country in the world that has a "four corners," that is to say, a place where four states meet. Look at your atlas and you will see Colorado, Utah, New Mexico and Arizona touching each other. At no other place on the globe do four states, territories or provinces unite to form such a junction.

The spot is on a spur of the Carizo mountains, and few tourists visit it, partly because it is not easily accessible and partly because comparatively few people think about it. A monument marks it, however, erected by the government surveyors. The point is reached by a trail leading from the road from the Navajo Springs in Colorado, in the Ute reservation, to the San Juan river.

The Barber's Pole.

How many of you can tell why a barber has a red and white striped pole as a sign? In the olden time barbers were also surgeons in a small way, particularly in the operation of bleeding. To assist the operation it was necessary for the patient to grasp a staff, and the barber always kept one ready, as well as strips of cloth for bandaging the patient's arm. When the staff was not in use the bandage was tied to it so that they might be together when wanted, and the barber usually hung them at his door as a sign. In the course of time, however, a painted pole took the place at the door of the one used in the operation, and thus came the sign.

A Tallow Projectile.

Perhaps you might smile with incredulity if any one should tell you that it is possible to fire a tallow candle from a gun with such force that it will pierce a board, but it is true nevertheless. The reason is that when the candle reaches the board every particle of matter composing it is in a state of intense velocity. At the moment of contact the particles of matter composing the board are in a state of rest, and as the density of the candle multiplied by its velocity is greater than the density of the board at rest the greater force overcomes the weaker and the candle breaks through and makes a hole in the board.

Anxious Father—But do you think I can make my daughter happy? Calm Youth—I haven't thought about that. But I have finally decided that she can make me happy.—Somerville Journal.

Tide Table—Fraser River

For the week ending Dec. 16, 1906.

NEW WESTMINTSER.

	High Water.	Low Water.
For the week ending Dec 23, 1906.		
Dec. 17	8.05	2.20
	18.15	13.10
Dec. 18	8.55	3.05
	19.05	14.15
Dec. 19	9.45	3.55
	20.05	15.35
Dec 20	10.30	4.40
	21.15	16.55
Dec. 21	11.10	5.30
	22.30	18.20
Dec. 22	11.55	5.50
	....	19.20
Dec. 23	0.05	6.10
	12.35	20.35

SAND HEADS.

	High. Time.	High. Ht.	Low. Time.	Low. Ht.
Dec 17	7.23	14.6	12.40	9.3
	17.33	12.5	....	..
Oec. 18	8.14	14.7	0.36	0.1
	18.27	11.8	13.48	9.1
Dec. 19	9.00	14.9	1.23	0.6
	19.27	11.0	15.01	8.7
Dec. 20	9.48	14.8	2.12	1.6
	20.34	10.2	16.13	8.0
Dec. 21	10.32	14.4	3.03	2.9
	21.52	9.5	17.18	7.3
Dec. 22	11.14	14.0	3.56	4.4
	23.27	9.2	18.18	6.4
Dec. 23	11.54	13.4	4.54	5.7
	....	...	19.12	5.5

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TELEPHONES.

Day Office A22

Night Office B22

TUESDAY, DEC. 18, 1906.

The Toronto News says:

"A Russian political prisoner escaped in a barrel of sauerkraut from Siberia. We would have preferred to remain in Siberia." But there's no accounting for tastes.

Part of the aftermath of the Hamilton street-car strike was a resolution of the bartenders union not to serve liquor to policemen in uniform. It throws an interesting sidelight on conditions in Hamilton, and other places.

A PERSON named George Eulas Foster,
An eminent ozone exhauster,
Said with dainty precision,
This Insurance Commission
Is as vulgar and cheap as a coster.—Toronto News.

Carnegie's gift of $100,000 to Queen's University, Kingston, will round out its half-million endowment fund. It was the Vancouver General Assembly 1903, which undertook to raise this endowment, and Rev. D. Laird, pastor of St. John's, Vancouver, resigned in order to undertake the task of raising the amount.

There walked into a fire insurance office in Toronto the other day, a man who tendered the agent the sum of $1,200. Twenty odd years before, the company had paid his father that amount, and he told the agent that he then a boy, had set the house on fire, as the insurance money was needed to save his father from ruin. Through all the years, he had been adding dollar to hard-earned dollar, to repay the amount.

It appears that the Conservatives of Hamilton, in selecting Mr. Scott, K. C., as their candidate at the recent bye-election, ran up against the moral sentiment of the community, and that the majority of about 1,000 by which they were defeated was what "was coming to" Mr. Scott on account of his opposition to the moral reform movement and his unfair treatment of a deputation from the Ministerial Association which waited upon the Hamilton city council in connection with that movement, about a year ago.

The Montreal Star notes that "Canadian dairy butter continues to come in every little while from England. Thousands of packages have already been brought back, some estimating that posibly the number might reach 10,000 packages. This butter finds a ready demand here. Dairy rolls, of which quite a few have been received here lately, bring as high as 23c, and dairy tubs range from this figure for choice fresh goods, down to 20c. for held." Sent back! According to Westminster grocers that is the trouble with some of the "dairy" butter they are compelled to handle; but the "sent back" variety does not meet with "a ready demand" here.

Surrey Council Notes.

Council met Dec. 15, the Reeve and all members present; Minutes of previous meeting were confirmed. Communications were received as follows:

From H. Bose, Hon Sec. and Treas. U. B. C. M., re improvement to the "Municipal Clauses Act," and saying the matter would be laid before the executive at its next meeting.

From the right-of-way agent, G. N. R., re Beach road, near St. Leonard's Hotel, saying that where the railway runs on the highway is on the Indian Reserve, and permission to construct the same had been obtained from the Indian Department at Ottawa, that the Company had bought a strip of land 66 feet just northeasterly of the present road, and would construct a public highway much better than the one already in existence.

From the B. C. General Contract company, re Wide Tire Act, enclosing copy of instructions to their teamsters that the load allowed by the Schedule must not be exceeded, as they would be held personally responsible for any infractions of this rule.

From the B. C. Mills Timber & Trading company, asking permission to cross the Hjorth, Bon Accord and Yale roads with their logging railway. Received and permission granted under supervision of councillor for ward.

From G. F. Gibson, City Comptroller of Vancouver, re establishment of "Old People's Home." Already answered by reeve.

Appropiations were made as follows: Ward 3, $25.00 for Mud Bay road.

Ward 3, a new lift and repairs to Huntley bridge, tenders to be in at next meeting.

Ward 4, $100.00 for Houck bridge, tenders to be in at the Clerk's office, Dec. 29 at 1 o'clock p.m.

The following tenders were accepted: Ward 3, clearing Williams' road, 75 cents per rod; F. Klein.

Ward 5, ditching Wilson road, to W. McAulay, at 50 cents per rod.

Moved by coun. Murphy, seconded by coun. Johnston, That we petition the Lieut.-Governor-in-Council, to pass an order-in-council to enable the municipality of Surrey to purchase their outstanding debentures of $25,000.00 for the sum of $26,000.00, and that the money lying in the Sinking Fund account be used to purchase the said debentures, and such remaining sum as may be necessary to purchase the same be borrowed from the Canadian Bank of Commerce at 6 per cent interest, and that H. Bose, reeve of Surrey be appointed Trustee. Carried.

Mr. E. L. Webber was appointed Auditor.

A number of accounts were passed and cheques issued, and the Council adjourned till Saturday, Jan 12, 1907.

OBESITY A DISEASE.

It Is Not, as a Rule, the Result of Laziness or Gluttony.

It is a mistake and an injustice to many abstemious folk to assume that all fat persons are gluttons or large eaters. Very many excessively corpulent people, especially women, are small eaters, while some of the most doughty trenchermen are gaunt and thin.

It is not the quantity so much as the quality of the food one eats which determines the putting on of flesh. Yet it is not always the kind of food that makes the obese, for some stout people eat very sparingly of sugars and starches, while there are large consumers of sweets who never put on flesh. In such cases it is a question of constitution, often of heredity and not at all, or very little, one of diet.

Another prevalent error in regard to fat people is that they are inert or lazy and never exercise. Of course exercise does increase the processes of nutrition and so leads to the burning up of superfluous fat, but at the same time it causes an increase in the appetite and thus tempts to the consumption of a greater quantity of food. So one thing balances the other, and want of exercise alone is not a very potent cause of obesity. Many very fat persons are, it is true, sluggish, but they have become so since putting on their flesh, for it makes a great difference whether one carries 150 pounds about when one walks or whether it is necessary to propel half as much again or even double the weight. It is a tremendous handicap, and there is small wonder that the lightweights do the most exercising.

Obesity, indeed, is usually a disease and not merely the result of laziness or gluttony. Its cause lies deep down in the animal economy, in among those mysterious chemical changes by which the food we take into the mouth is converted into blood and bones and muscles, skin, hair and brain cells. It can often be warded off by a proper diet and mode of living, especially if taken in hand from the very first and not allowed to get the upper hand, but the tendency to stoutness will generally persist through life and can only be modified, but never removed.

Any treatment for the radical removal of flesh should be carried out under the advice of a physician, as violent measures directed to this end may be productive of terrible harm to the constitution.—Youth's Companion.

A Hole In the Roof.

Mrs. Anna D. Cornelewis, a handsome widow, is the owner of rental property in Rochester, Ind. When she rented the property to Perry Coplen for a term of years she failed to reserve the right of entrance through a hallway to her rooms upstairs for herself and son. When Mrs. Cornelewis returned home from a visit she and her son, without permission of Coplen, began to pass through the parlors of Coplen's rooms to reach the stairway. Coplen protested and later served notice on her not to trespass. He then padlocked the door of the stairway.

Widow Cornelewis' son is a carpenter, and he got a ladder to climb to the attic roof, where he opened a way through which the widow and her son have been making their exit and entrance.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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WANTED—One or two furnished rooms, close in or on car line. Write G., care of Daily News.

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

Printing of every description—If you wish to reach your clients leave us your order for type-written circulars. We can print them to your satisfaction as we have the type faces for this class of work. Your order will be appreciated. Mrs. Dominy, proprietress, Arrow Press, Daily News Block.

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

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS for two-storey frame house on Agnes Street, will be received up to noon of December 22nd.

Plans and specifications at office of C. H. Clow, Sixth and Clarkson St.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

C. H. CLOW,
Architect.

Dec. 14th, 1906.

Punished For Kindness.

William Hilton has recently been released from an English prison after being punished for cruelty to animals, and yet he was guilty only of excess of kindness. Not liking the idea that a useful beast of burden should be shot at the end of his honorable career and also regarding the command, "Thou shalt do no murder," as applying to the killing of a beast as well as a man, he has been in the habit of buying up ancient and wornout horses and maintaining them alive in stables specially constructed for the purpose. It was the discovery of these poor creatures, many of them supported in slings, that led to his prosecution for cruelty to animals.

John Sharp.

In the neighborhood of his Mississippi home John Sharp Williams is always called "John Sharp." That is because the family of the congressman's mother were the Sharps—the great people of that section. According to his own confession Williams' notion of earthly happiness is to sit on his veranda at Yazoo in the company of good books and watch the cotton grow. Only one vote was cast against him at the last election—that of one of his seven children as a joke. One of his close friends said recently: "John writes poetry for recreation. At least, he says it's poetry, and that he finds recreation in committing it to paper."

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Around an up-to-date dry goods store—with a courteous staff to show the goods—you shouldn't find it hard to choose something, especially for young people.

Although we don't keep toys, we have so many other things for children that you can almost overlook toys.

For Children

Fur Coats, Bonnets, Hats, Shawls, Gloves, Stockings, Handkerchiefs, Dresses ready made, Dress Goods, Ribbons, Underwear, Work Aprons, Silk Bibs, Infants' Gaiters; articles from 5c to $5.00 each.

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Jerseys, Stockings, Coats, Gloves, Windsor Ties, Caps, Hats, Handkerchiefs, Furs, Dresses, Dress Goods, Blouse Goods, Ribbons, Neckwear, Fancy Work Boxes, Cushion Tops, Umbrellas, Belts, etc.; articles from 5c to $6.50 each.

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Umbrellas, silk and lace Blouses, Neckwear, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Coats, Hats, Shawls, Gloves, Blouse silks, Dress Goods, Ribbons, Toilet sets in leather cases, made up Dresses, etc.; articles from 10c to $20 each.

Articles from 10c to $20 each

For Men, young and old

Umbrellas, Handkerchiefs and Toilet sets. We lay special emphasis on these, as our stock this year surpasses all past ones in size and quality. The toilet sets are cased in beautiful leather cases. Articles from 10c to $20.50.

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Comforters, $1.50, 2.00, $2.50, $3.50, 6.50, $8.50 and $9.50.
White Quilts, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $3.50, $5.00 and $8.50.
Linen Table Cloths, $1.50, $1.85, $2.25, $3.50, $4.50 and $5.00.
Linen Table Napkins, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $3.50, $5.00 to $8.00 per dozen.

Fancy Linens in Battenburg, Mexican work, Japanese drawn work, Fancy Damask, etc., in all sizes and shapes, 10c, 25c, 50c, $1.00, $2.00, $3.50 to $6.50 a piece.

Towels, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 and $1.75 per pair.
Lace Curtains, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.50, $3.50, $5.50 and $10.00 per pair.

Blankets, Fine Saxony Wool, $4.75, $5.50, $6.50 to $8.50 per pair.
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Local News Briefly Told

For Mistletoe, Holly and Christmas Flowers ring up S. G. Tidy, The Florist. 'Phone A184.

The Beaver brought in a large shipment of hogs yesterday for Foo Lee of this city.

The manager of the Vulcan Boiler Works has received the contract for another large new boiler, for the Canadian Shingle company of Hastings.

The pile driving for the new dry kiln at the Royal City Mills has been completed and the work of laying the sills and raising the building will be rushedl along this week.

All city employes will receive their monthly stipends on Saturday next, this move having been decided upon in order to enable them to spend all their money upon Christmas presents.

Work on the Hardman Block has been somewhat delayed on account of difficulty in securing the necessary supply of stone for the retaining wall at the rear of the lots and for the foundation of the structure.

Constable Dick, of North Vancouver, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon in charge of two Italian prisoners, who have been sentenced to serve six months in jail, having been convicted of house breaking in the little burg that Constable Dick controls.

Over a hundred bales of hops, grown and packed by the Horst Hop company of Chilliwack, were received here yesterday. They are to be shipped to the Ben Port Brewing company of Quebec. The fragrant hops filled the freight sheds withe their perfume.

The funeral of Miss Millicent E. Belyea, who died at her father's residence, Vancouver, on Sunday morning, will take place in the Oddfellows cemetery, Sapperton, this morning. A special car will come over from Vancouver. New Westminster friends are requested to meet at the tram depot at 10:45 a.m.

Joseph Freeman's new hotel at Port Moody will be ready for opening in about a month. The building is about ready for the commencement of the plumbing contract, which has been secured by A. Hardman of this city. Lathers are now at work on the interior of the building, and the work of plastering will be commenced next week.

Three weeks in jail was the sentence imposed upon the young woman from the red lights district who was charged in the police court yesterday morning with having been drunk and incapable on Saturday evening. No option of a fine was given, it being evidently the intention of the authorities to impress upon the minds of these undesirables that they must behave properly or be punished severely.

The Norwegian steamer Themis which River Pilot Rogers was daily expecting to be called upon to escort up the river to theFraser River Mills, came to grief on the Cardigan Rocks about a mile from Balaclava Island on Friday. The crew remained on board all night after the vessel had struck and were taken off by the halibut steamer San Juan. All the hands were saved, but the vessel is said to be a total wreck.

George Easterbrook, of the Easterbrook Milling company of Eburne, was in the city yesterday completing the arrangements for the handling of their flour and other mill produce by Messrs. McQuarrie & Co. The new business has already been opened on Front street, opposite the B. C. Packers' buildings. The Eburne Mills have been in operation now about two months and already their product is well advanced in public favor, and the new industry is fairly launched.

Lieut.-Col. A. Markham, late of the 8th Hussars of St. John, N. B., is looking around the coast of Vancouver Island with a view of finding a suitable spot for the planting of oyster beds. Col. Markham is considered to be one of the best living authorities on oysters and oyster culture. His attention has been turned to the Island coast in the vicinities of Nanaimo and Victoria as among the most desirable spots for the furtherance of his plans. The movement will, if successful, be the means of reducing the cost of the bivalves very materially.

The steam tug Robert Dunsmuir, arrived in port yesterday with a twelve swifter boom of logs for the Fraser River Mills.

Twenty head of sheep were brought in from the Delta yesterday on board the Transfer for the Reichenbach company.

The Ramona made a special trip down the river to Ewen's ranch on Sunday and brought in a large shipment of baled hay for the Brackman-Ker company.

The Royal City Mills is facing a log famine. The booms around the mill are just about empty. Unless more arrive in a short time the saw mill will have to tie up for a few days.

Richard the Third.

Shakespeare's immortal tragedy, "King Richard the Third," will be presented in the opera house tomorrow night, by the well known American tragedian, John Griffiths, assisted by a strong company of artists. The company carries a complete outfit of splendid scenery, and the most modern electrical effects. The battle scene is said to be most ably and startingly depicted. The various press notices which have appeared from time to time with reference to the company and its merits, are all of a highly complimentary character.

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If, on the other hand, you are now in the flush of youth, health, power and good looks, resolve that you will make this condition of health, power and good looks permanent.

Breathing Exercises.

Correct breathing has an influence little less than magical in promoting health. Ordinarily it should be slow, deep and rhythmical. The following deep breathing exercise should be practised every morning on first rising. Open your window wide. Stand in front of it with a loose robe on. Let the arms hang loosely at the sides. Then begin from the lowest part of the abdomen and draw in and downward slowly all the pure air your body will hold. Generally in breathing we fill only about a fourth of our lungs.

Scientists say the real life force is drawn in with the breath. It is not air itself, but an ether which is in the air. As you inhale slowly, calmly and noiselessly through the nostrils, mouth shut tight, all the air you can hold, think that you are drawing to the lowest part of your body this true life force. Then exhale the breath in the same slow, calm manner. While you do so send by your thought and will the life force up through the nerves. Stand erect, with the spinal column entirely free, while taking this breathing exercise. Continue it five minutes. Practice it through the day, too, and endeavor to make it habitual, always keeping in mind the thought that you are drawing life force to your nerve centers. When possible do a deep breathing exercise also at night before retiring.

If you are inclined to have a large stomach and hollows around the collar bone breathe for that, too, but in a different way. Clasp your hands tight around your front just below the waist, as though you were going to lift that part of the body up, meanwhile breathing through the nostrils in a succession of sharp, quick snorts. Take a dozen of these breaths in succession night and morning just after you have finished the deep breathing exercise. Keep up your practice.

The Mouth and Teeth.

Never try to stretch your mouth by yawning as widely as possible or drawing back the lips. Stretching the skin

A BREATHING EXERCISE.

around the mouth and lips makes wrinkles come. And of course every well bred girl or woman knows enough to keep her hands and fingers away from her mouth, nose, face and hair when she is in the presence of others.

Any mouth can be molded into a sweet, pretty expression, no matter how large it is. The molding is done by good temper, intelligence and refinement; likewise refusing to worry.

After every meal the mouth should be thoroughly rinsed. At night before going to bed brush the teeth well, taking pains to get all the particles of food from between them. Consult your dentist at least once a year if you want handsome teeth and good digestion. It is not possible to have health with neglected teeth. Take a pinch of salt upon your brush and scrub your teeth with it about twice a week. This preserves the gums and makes the teeth themselves white and smooth.

Simple Remedies.

Get outdoors all you can. Let the sun shine upon your bare head frequently if you want your hair to grow thick. Drink between meals an abundance of pure water. While you are drinking it think that it is washing waste matter out of your system. Much more depends on thought in the matter of health than people are aware. Black dandelion tea is excellent medicine for stomach, liver and sluggish intestines and consequently for the complexion. Drink a little of mornings before breakfast if you are inclined to be bilious. Washing the face and neck in buttermilk is an old recipe for the skin that cannot well be improved on. Wipe the milk off with gentle little touches of a soft towel.

CAROLINE ANDERSON.

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WARM CLOTHES, CHRISTMAS GOODS and GRAND VALUES are the triple attractions at Richmond's, The Right House. Only a few more days left in which to make your Christmas selections. Begin to-day, and save the worry of the last few days.

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FARM BALLAD.

I remember, I remember
  These old days of long ago
When from May to late December
  It was grub and rake and hoe,
Plow the fields and cut the clover,
  Cultivate the growing corn;
Never was the hurry over,
  Eventide or noon or morn.

I remember, I remember
  How in autumn days we felt
In the lazy, warm September
  It was hot enough to melt,
And we lounged beneath the cooling
  Shade of spreading maple trees,
Just to lie and rest. "No fooling,"
  Said the old man; "hurry, please."

I remember, I remember
  How it was down on the farm.
Every single blessed member
  Had to work until his arm
Fairly dropped from out its socket
  With a frightful weariness,
And the money in his pocket
  Wasn't there to his distress.

I remember, I remember
  When I struck and went away;
With a live and glowing ember
  I red lettered that fine day.
When the river freezes over
  In the summer time and when
They but smell and look at clover
  I'll go back to work again.

His Revenge.

"He was mean to her even on his death bed."

"Asked her to meet him where he was going?"

"No; told her he had a secret and that it should die with him."

A Jumper.

There was a man in our town,
  And he was wondrous silly,
He drank some booze and jumped into
  A fat policeman's billy;
And when he found that he was pinched,
  With all his might and main
He jumped his bond that afternoon,
  Slipped out and jumped the train.

Easy.

"Why does the course of true love never run smooth?"

"Because every girl that you are in love with is bound to take at least one fall out of you."

Just a Trifle.

"What's Brown promoting now?"

"A company to move Mammoth cave across the river into Ohio and use it as a Cincinnati summer resort."

A Pacer.

"I am afraid that she'll make a fool of me."

"Don't worry. Mother Nature is ahead of her."

An Exception.

Mrs. Peagreen—Is 13 always an unlucky number?

Not when you hold all of the trumps in a game of whist.—Kansas City Independent.

Diagnosis.

Knicker—My wife says she feels like an old rag. Bocker—Then the only cure is to buy her some new ones.—New York Sun.

Dandies of Papua.

Even the natives of Papua have their fine gentlemen, their dandies. To rank in this class the young man is compelled to lace his waist and to have a nose ornament of polished shell. But as an explorer says, "very few young blades can afford to possess one, and accordingly it may be lent either for a consideration or as a very special favor. The possessor of one of these ornaments could easily buy a wife for it and sometimes it is paid as a tribal tribute by one should he have to pay blood money or be unable to give the statutory pig as atonement for a murder." Papuan husbands, too, have a primitive way of dealing with their recalcitrant wives. A man named Gedon had a shrewish helpmate whom he attempted to tame according to this method: "He would pick up a billet of wood when she was halfway through a tremendous scolding and give her a terrific blow over the back. Thereupon ensued pandemonium. The other men and women would gather round, jabbering, but they would make no attempt to stop the beating once it had begun."

Not Explorers Either.

"Who was Fourth of July discovered by?"

"The fellows who had been up the night before and wanted to sleep that morning."

Repentant.

"She is trying to live down her past."

"Poor thing. An unfortunate marriage?"

"No, she used to think that she could sing."

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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 Kittimat Arm, about twelve miles south of Kittimat Indian Village, opposite Goat 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: 40 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 five 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 Vandall

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,
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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.

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

THE ARAB.

An Artist In Manners Is This Son of the Orient.

In all matters of sentiment the Arab's instinct is sure. If you can appeal to him on any ground of hospitality or generosity, says the author of "In the Desert," you have a hold on him.

It used to be the boast of Arab poetry in its best days that it "never praised a man except for what was in him," and the habit of judging directly and without regard to surroundings has always been an instinct of the race. All those evidences of worldly prosperity and success which turn the heart of the Anglo-Saxon to water leave the Arab unmoved.

The Arab is an artist in manners. I remember a certain sheik, who was once my traveling companion on the Upper Nile, a tall, lean, keen faced man, of a complexion almost black, with a glitter on it like the sun polish on desert stones, who walked among the fellahs on the crowded deck like a chief among his slaves.

With him I shared the same narrow corner of the deck. He was strict in his religious observances and at the appointed hours would spread his mat on the deck, turn in the supposed direction of Mecca and then kneel and rise and kneel again, bowing with his forehead to the ground in the imposing attitudes of Moslem prayer.

Quick at detecting the least sign of consideration or respect, if we stopped talking or moved to make room, he would treasure up the courtesy and when his prayers were over turn and acknowledge it with a grave gesture and a smile that seemed no conventional grimace, but expressed the intention of a deliberate friendliness.

PALISADES FORMATION.

Allied In Time and Type to Mount Holyoke and Cape Blomidon.

The complete height of the cliff was much higher, originally, for the glacier that buried North America down to this latitude eroded billions of tons which went to the upbuilding of Long Island, trap bowlders being common in the soil of Brooklyn, and I have found on the top of the Palisades opposite Spuyten Duyvil glacial groovings and polishings that have survived the presumptive 15,000 years since the glacier melted. The outpour of this mass from a volcano whose crater we cannot so much as guess in this day was tremendous, and it cut the Hudson and Hackensack valleys asunder and pushed the harbor several miles to the southward, while related activities thrust above the surface, either as downpours or up pours, the thousand miles of basaltic hills that chain the Carolinas to the Bay of Fundy, so that our Palisades are allied in form and time to Mount Holyoke and Cape Blomidon.

To the mineralogist our Palisades do not yield as much of interest as we find in the rotting trap of Paterson, a few miles away, from which have been taken the largest prehnites in the world, sea green and wonderful; royal amethysts, balls of silky pectolite and quartz pseudomorphs that copy them, but we find in these cliffs occasional duplicates of the columns that make the Giant's causeway and Fingal's cave—geometric shapes of three, four five, six and more sides, not a result of crystallization, as was once imagined for trap is a rock, not a mineral, but of lateral shrinking when it has cooled.—Charles M. Skinner in Century.

No Pure Gold In Use.

"Gold when refined from all impurities," said a jeweler, "and alloys of inferior metals is denominated pure. This means gold of twenty-four carats, and this is the standard recognized by the mint master and dealers in gold. As a matter of fact, however, there is no gold so pure. Gold of twenty-two carats is about as pure as it can be got. It has two parts of silver or one part of silver and one part of copper. The copper darkens the color of gold, while silver lightens it in color. Twenty-three carat gold is occasionally seen which means a half carat of silver and of copper. Ordinarily eighteen carat gold is the best gold than can be had. Certainly it is the best for jewelry, for pure gold, as it is called, is too soft and will wear away much faster than the owners of it desire.

Stoves.

Stoves which concealed the fire were in use in Greek and Roman households. The ancients also employed open tubes of metal or earthenware and, in addition, heated their rooms with charcoal braziers. Grates for the burning of coal were employed two centuries ago in Great Britain. Many thousands of patents have been taken out upon stoves and ranges since Franklin and Count Rumford pointed out the waste of fuel and of heat involved in open fireplaces.

The Two Lady Motorists.

The two great motors were pulled up in front of one of the big dry goods stores. One lady was entering her machine; the other was getting out.

"Hello, Gladys! Out for a spin?"

"Yes; glad to see you."

"Just ran across your husband a block above."

"You did? How can I ever thank you enough?"—New York Press.

The Effect.

"Mathilde, throw that poor beggar a crown."

"Ah, yes, he looks very unhappy."

"Not on that account, but the Meyers are watching us from their window opposite."—Wiener Salonwitzblatt.

A house is never perfectly furnished for enjoyment unless there is a child in it rising three years old and a kitten rising six weeks.—Southey.

rchase Notice

e is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Commissioner of Lands and for permission to purchase the g described land, situated at th of the Kildala river, Coast: Commencing at a post mark- M's N. E Corner planted on th bank of the Kildala river mouth, running as follows: 40 south, 40 chains west, 40 north to the shore line, thence g shore line to place of com- ment, containing 16 acres more

27, 1906.

Locator, W. MOODY,
er FRANK VANDAL, Agent.
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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. Marshall English has returned from the North.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. N. Woods returned on Saturday from Seattle.

Miss Muriel Shildrick and Miss Lillooet Armstrong are spending a few days in Vancouver.

Mrs. Phillips is the guest of her sister Mrs. W. J. Armstrong. She is accompanied by her son and daughter and will remain until after Christmas.

W. R. Gilley paid the stone quarries at the head of Pitt Lake a visit yerterday.

William McMurphy was taken to the Royal Columbian Hospital yesterday where he will be compelled to undergo a somewhat dangerous surgical operation.

The Transient Throng.

Guichon—E. Stark, Vancouver; P. H. Smith, Montreal; Miss A. Kirby, Langley Prairie; J. S. Emerson, Vancouver; F. J. Hall, Victoria.

Windsor—R. L. Aichen, C. Hilburn, Vancouver; J. G. Chappell, Bellingham; H. A. Star, J. A. McDonald, Vancouver; G. Eastbrook, Eburne; A. E. Burr, T. White, Ladner; R. S. Pike, Mission; W. Ouless, Vancouver; L. W. Conners, Reed Island.

Cosmopolitan—J. Lester, Elgin; J. E. Hausen, Wetaskiwin; G. Hardeley, Langley; W. McAuley, Nanaimo; W. Ross, Huntingdon; W. Carmetta, Maple Falls.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The only way some people know is their way.

Hospitality is often nothing more than loneliness.

A secret is never safe after some one knows you have it.

If you are naturally rude it's pretty hard to disguise the fact.

Are you so conceited that you believe people never talk behind your back?

The trouble is some pushers are as liable to push on the wrong side as on the right.

Watch your side issues. Don't give them so much attention as to ruin your main issue, which makes you a living.

Don't be mad if you are interrupted when you are talking. It may have prevented you from saying something foolish.—Atchison Globe.

BRONZE AND MARBLE ARMY.

I have sometimes heard English sculptors complain that Great Britain had much to learn from France in the matter of the encouragement given to art and artists. "Even the lamp posts in Paris are artistic," said an enthusiastic young Scotch student at the Beaux-Arts when I was walking along the boulevards with him one day. And he was right. The French cannot turn out anything inartistic. "Look at the number and character of their statues," says the sculptor from London. "You cannot turn a corner without coming upon a statue, and every square has one or more monuments in honor of people who were never heard of." But it may be pointed out to those critics of England's way of doing things that the French method has its obverse. Statues, especially when they are good statues, are certainly pleasant to behold, but M. Escudier, municipal councilor for the St. George district of Paris, is up in arms against the indiscriminate erection of bronze and marble in the thoroughfares of the city. He grudges the space occupied in the public promenades by the effigies of the eminent. "The time has come," he says, "to check the statue mania which has seized our contemporaries. Our gardens, our squares and our promenades are invaded by innumerable images. We must resist the advance of this bronze and marble army, which spoils the perspective of our streets and the harmony of our gardens."—London Globe.

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A Puzzle of the Big Fire.

One of the remarkable incidents of the great fire of San Francisco was the immunity from damage of an old wooden shack owned by a paint company at the corner of Main and Harrison streets. The ramshackle, half century old building stands unharmed, a little island in a sea of desolation. It reeks with oil and is filled with highly inflammable materials. Near to it a great pile of coal caught fire and burned for nearly a week. The officials of the company felt so certain that the place had fallen a victim to the devouring flames that they did not even attempt to visit it until two weeks or so after the conflagration, and then it was mere curiosity to see what the ruins looked like that led them there.

Edible Birds' Nests.

Some authorities have contended that the edible birds' nests are constructed of a glutinous matter secreted in the mouths of the birds, and others think that these nests are composed of a kind of seaweed. The latter theory has now been practically abandoned, and it is generally conceded that the robbing of the nests before the hatching of the young is an act of great cruelty, since the birds immediately set to work to build new ones, and the excessive drain on their saliva exhausts their strength to such a degree that they are often found dead in numbers near the spot where they had meant to rear their broods.

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More Seasonable Suggestions

So many articles that are suitab for Christmas gifts meet the vie of the Xmas shopper at our sto that making a proper selection w be found easy here. Our showin was never as large before.

We mention here a few lines which have been made c plete by new arrivals this week.

New Silk Blouses

Just arrived per express and parcel p in time for Xmas.

Some are nicely trimmed w Lace Insertion and Embroidered signs; others with Rows of Tucks a Plaits. A large range of prices w all sizes to select from. .....

EACH .....$2.75 to $1

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New designs arrived this we in Embroidered Cashmere Ho Per pair.....

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Short length Glace and Suede, all shades, per pair.....1.5
Reynier's Hand-sewn Suede, black and colors 1.7
Silk lined Mocha, tan only, per pair .....2.
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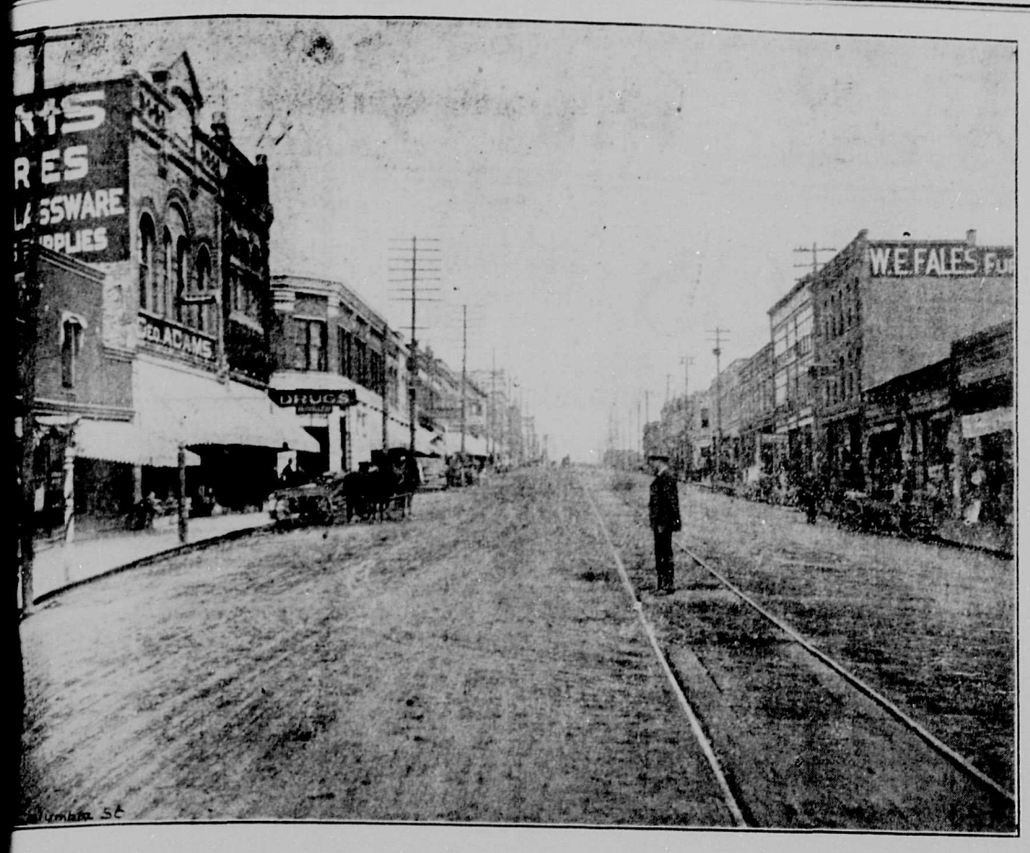

w of the main business portion of Columbia Street, which is crowded all day long and well into the night with Christmas shoppers.

CHRISTMAS POINTERS

WHERE TO BUY — *WHAT TO BUY*

The Daily News representative continues his tour of the business houses and finds many things of interest to Christmas buyers.

Reichenbach's

The meat display this season is up to the usual standard, and choicest of carcases, in the widest variety, decorate the walls, and remind us of good old fashioned English cheer. The beeves are of the best and the mutton is from the choicest flocks of sheep in the province of British Columbia, which is gradually becoming famous for its excellent varieties of sheep and the choice quality of the mutton.

Huge porkers, and the delicate suking pig, nestle side by side more beautiful in death than in life; the interest of veal and lamb are ready for the purchaser, and cause the mouth of the epicure to water as he allows his eyes to rest upon them.

The turkeys are of the finest and best procurable and the geese and other lines of poultry are there in all sorts and sizes.

One table is fitted with the choicest variety of sausages. There are the Cambridge and the tomato sausages, New England sausages and Weiner-wurst sausages, liver and blood puddings.

The sausage display is a feature for the Christmas shoppers to look over when they are laying in their supply of Christmas edibles. There is also a fine line of head cheese, as well as the usual excellent stock of hams and bacons.

Mackay's Emporium.

In J. J. Mackay's store the seeker after Christmas novelties finds a bewildering array of fancy goods and toys. Once inside, the task of making a selection is a serious although a delightful one. The eye ranges along the shelves with their tastefully arranged displays and grows bewildered article after article, each apparently more desirable than the other, comes within the range of vision. Among the collection is a choice range of postal card albums of newest design. Handkerchief boxes, card receivers, manicure sets, needle work cases, work boxes, glove boxes and an infinite variety of things of a useful and ornamental character crowd the tables.

The children's department is a blaze of light and color. Games of all kinds, dolls in lavish array in all sizes and prices, dressed and undressed, musical and mechanical toys which the children find it hard to leave and order still to leave alone.

People of all tastes with purses of all sizes can easily be suited there, and would do well to make their selections early, as the first comers are apt to secure the best of the bargains.

The book shelves are particularly deserving of the attention of the Christmas shopper.

Phillips The Clothier.

The window display in connection with Phillips' Gentlemen's furnishings store is a model of good taste and elegance. In the west window is a huge bell, suspended from a frame of the most approved design, around which are arranged different colored incandescent lights. The bell is apparently covered with snow and the huge tongue is also illuminated with an incandescant light which gives a most pleasing effect. Below the bell is to be seen a variety of articles such as silk handkerchiefs, sleeve holders, ties and fancy vests, dressing gowns, etc., resting upon a white floor. In the east window is a neat and brilliantly illuminated arch which forms the background of the display. In the foreground is a choice showing of men's wearables, of a character well suited to attract the seeker after Christmas gifts for young men friends.

Inside the store, the observer is attracted by the rich and well selected display of ties. The plaids are especially tasty and the styles are as numerous as can be secured by the buyer for the store.

A special line of smoking jackets at the most reasonable prices is on display, and on the tables are to be found the now famous Twentieth Century brands of clothing. There are also umbrellas of all sorts and prices and in the show cases are the fanciest of sleeve holders, collar buttons, cuff links and shirt sets imaginable.

Old Country Shoe Store.

Those who adhere to the old fashioned idea that the only kind of Christmas gift is a useful one, would do well to visit the Old Country Shoe store. J. Stewart, the manager, is making a speciality of the Dick Damp Proof shoes. These shoes are made in Glasgow, Scotland. They are of the most reasonable price and are absolutely inpervious to wet. The soles are not inlaid with a strip of rubber as are many of the so-called water tight shoes, but the leather is put through a special process, and you may wear one thickness of leather away, and the next ply will turn the water just as freely. They can be bought in all sizes for boys and men.

Mr. Stewart also shows a splendid line of comfortable slippers of all sorts, sizes and colors, which are well worth looking over.

PART IV.

"WATER CLAUSES CONSOLIDATION ACT, 1897"

Whereas the Stave Lake Power Company, Limited, a specially incorporated company within the meaning of Part IV. of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," incorporated on the 15th day of September, 1899, was granted a Certificate, dated the 7th day of December, 1904, approving the proposed undertaking of the Company, namely:

To erect works for generating power and light on the west half of Section 19, Township 18, east of the Coast Meridian, and on the east half of Section 24 of Township 15, east of the Coast Meridian; to construct a dam at Stave Lake, in the District of New Westminster, on the north half of Section 14 of Township 4 of Range 3, west of the 7th Meridian, for impounding a reserve of water; to transmit power and light by wire along the Stave River from the power station to the centre section line of Township 15; thence along the centre section lines of Townships 15, 12 and 9 in a westerly direction to the New Westminster Trunk Road, and following the Trunk Road until west of the Pitt River; thence to the Cities of New Westminster and Vancouver or to such other point as may be found advisable. To use water from the said Stave River at a point immediately above the Falls, about six miles from the mouth of the river. The said water to be diverted by means of a cofferdam and a sluice dam at the entrance to the east branch of the said river; also of a dam with a bulkhead and inlet works at the entrance to the west branch, where the water will be conveyed in steel pipes to the power-house, and returned to the said river at a difference of elevation of 100 feet; and

Whereas the Company commenced operations in the early part of 1906 which have been prosecuted continuously; and

Whereas the Company has obtained an extension of time for the completion of that portion of the undertaking authorized under the said certificate, which is now in progress; and

Whereas the Company has intimated that a change in the plans of the undertaking specified in the said certificate has been decided upon, and has filed with the Clerk of the Executive Council data for the purpose of obtaining a further certificate and a general plan of the works:

1. This is to certify that the undertaking as submitted has been approved, and that the same is as follows:

To erect works for generating power and light on the west half of Section 19, Township 18, east of the Coast Meridian, and on the east half of Section 24, Township 15, east of the Coast Meridian; to transmit power and light by wire along the Stave River from the power station to the centre section line of Township 15; thence along the centre section lines of Townships 15, 12 and 9, in a westerly direction, to the New Westminster Trunk Road, and following the Trunk Road until west of the Pitt River; thence to the Cities of New Westminster and Vancouver, or to such other point as may be found advisable. To use water from the said Stave River at a point immediately above the Falls, about six miles from the mouth of the river. The said river to have a sluice dam at the entrance to the east branch of the said river; also a dam, with a bulkhead and inlet works, at the entrance to the west branch, where the water will be conveyed in steel pipes to the power-house and returned to the said river at a difference of elevation of 100 feet.

2. And this is further to certify that the Company proposes to begin their undertaking by the necessary excavation and the construction of a cofferdam across the mouth of the west branch of the Stave River, in accordance with the plans prepared by William Kennedy, Jr., Hydraulic Engineer, and filed with the Clerk of the Executive Council.

3. And this is further to certify that the amount of capital of the Company which will be duly subscribed and paid up before the said Company commences construction of that portion of their undertaking in the preceding paragraph mentioned, or further exercises any of the powers of the "Water Clauses Consolidation Act, 1897," Part IV., in that behalf, is hereby fixed at the sum of $100,000, and the further amount of capital to be subscribed and paid up above the cost of the first-mentioned portion in respect of the remainder of the undertaking before the same is commenced shall be $200,000.

4. And this is further to certify that the time within which the said capital, viz., $100,000, is to be subscribed, is fixed at June 1st, 1907, and the time in which the said undertaking and works are to be commenced is fixed at June 1st, 1907, and the date by which a portion of said work shall be completed so as actually to furnish and deliver 5,000 electrical horse-power, is fixed at November 1st, 1908, and the date by which all the said proposed works shall be in operation is fixed at November 1st, 1912.

Dated this 31st day of October, 1906.

FRED'K J. FULTON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Department of the Interior, and marked on each envelope "Tender for Timber Berth No. 501 or for Timber Berth No. 502," will be received at this Department until noon on Wednesday, the 26th day of December, 1906, for licenses to cut timber on Berth Nos. 501 and 502, described as follow:

Timber Berth No. 501, situate in the Province of British Columbia, on Suicide Creek, in about Township 4, Range 2, West of the 7th Meridian: Commencing at a post planted on the East side of said Creek at the North end of the Second Canyon, about 7 miles up from the mouth of said Creek; thence Northerly up said Creek 4½ miles in direct distance with a depth of one mile on the Easterly side and half a mile on the Westerly side of said Creek, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said Creek within the berth, containing an area of 4,320 acres, more or less.

Timber Berth No. 502, Commencing at a post planted on the East side of Suicide Creek about 10 chains North, or above, the North boundary of T. B. 501; thence Northerly, up said Creek 4½ mils in direct distance with a depth of one mile on the Easterly side and half a mile on the Westerly side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of said Creek within the berth, containing an area of 4,320 acres, more or less, the lower boundary to be parallel to the upper boundary of T. B. 501.

The berths must be surveyed by the grantee within one year after the granting of the berths.

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

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

No tender by telegraph will be entertained.

PERLEY G. KEYES,
Secretary.

Department of the Interior,
Ottawa, November 15th, 1906.

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208—24 acres in South Westminster about 3 acres have been logged and burned; frame of house worth about $200; about 2 miles from New Westminster. Price $600; ½ cash, balance on terms to suit purchaser.

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 clearing; 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.

THOS. R. PEARSON

MANAGER

Columbia Street, Next Bank of Commerce

Keen Sense of Humor.

"There is nothing like a sense of humor," said a naval officer, according to the Philadelphia Bulletin. "In a woman, in a soldier, in a sailor, in a clerk, a sense of humor is a help and a blessing through life. At the same time even a sense of humor may exist in excess. I, for my part, shouldn't care to have so great a sense of humor as a British soldier I once heard about. This soldier was ordered to be flogged. During the flogging he laughed continually. The lash was laid on all the harder, but under the rain of blows the soldier laughed.

"'What are you laughing at?' the sergeant finally asked.

"'Why,' the soldier chuckled, 'I'm the wrong man.'"

An Arab Fishing Yarn.

A fishing yarn from Algiers: "Some Arabs were fishing from a boat with lines off the coast when a dolphin seventeen feet long, eleven feet in circumference and weighing four tons swallowed one of the baited hooks and dashed off at a tremendous speed. The fishermen paid out as much line as possible and then made it fast. This brought the dolphin up sharply, but the strain snapped the line. The monster then attacked the boat and capsized it, flinging the fishermen into the water. Other Arabs ashore waited till the dolphin was clear of the men and then killed it with rifles."

The Logical Question.

A little Philadelphia boy was taken by his father for his first visit to the zoo. Stopping before an inclosure, he asked, "Papa, what animal is that?" Reading the sign tacked up to one side, his father responded, "That, my son, is a prong horned antelope." "Kin he blow his horns?" was the question that promptly followed.

The Plausible Lie.

We resent calumny, hypocrisy and treachery because they harm us, not because they are untrue. Take the detraction and the mischief from the untruth, and we are little offended by it. Turn it into praise, and we may be pleased with it. And yet it is not calumny and treachery that do the largest sum of mischief in the world. They are continually crushed and are felt only in being conquered. But it is the glistening and softly spoken lie, the amiable fallacy, the patriotic lie of the historian, the provident lie of the politician, the zealous lie of the partisan, the merciful lie of the friend and the careless lie of each man to himself that cast that black mystery over humanity through which we thank any man who pierces it as we would thank one who dug a well in a desert. Happy that the thirst for truth remains with us even when we have willfully left the fountains of it.—John Ruskin.

Faithful to His Friend.

Toole and Irving were friends from the days when they were both struggling beginners. On one occasion Irving was to be presented to Queen Victoria and was delighted at the honor. An officious court functionary took it upon himself to tell the player "not to mention this matter outside" lest other actors, such as Mr. Toole, might think that they should be presented too. "Let me tell you, sir," said Irving, "that Mr. Toole is not only a deservedly renowned comedian; he is also a truly Christian gentleman. Toole often saved me from adversity, perhaps starvation, when I was unknown. If John L. Toole is not worthy to be presented to her most gracious majesty, neither is Henry Irving. I wish you good day sir!"—London Standard.

The Hyacinth.

The hyacinth has its name from Greek mythology. According to the story as told by Ovid, Hyacinthus, a beautiful boy, was the son of a Spartan king and the favorite of Apollo. Zephyrus, being envious of the attachment of Apolio and Hyacinthus, so turned the direction of a quoit which Apollo had pitched while at play that it struck the head of Hyacinthus and slew him. The fable concludes by making Apollo transform the body of his favorite into the flower that bears his name.

Figure It Out.

A man had sixty ducks for sale and divided them into two lots of thirty each. One lot was to be disposed of at three for $1 and the other at two for $1. In his absence his clerk sold the sixty ducks at five for $2, realizing the sum of $24. If sold according to instructions one purchaser would have got thirty ducks for $15 and the other thirty for $10, making $25 for the lot. What became of the missing dollar?

No Nonsense.

"The Elizabethan ruff is likely to return," said Ma Twaddles, looking up from the fashion paper she was reading.

"If he does," responded Pa Twaddles, with energy, "you set the dog on him. Do you hear?"

Wily.

"Oh," she said, "your conduct is enough to make an angel weep!"

"I don't see you shedding a tear," he retorted, and his ready wit saved the day.

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A

Commencing at a point on the north side of False Creek, thence crossing False Creek by a bridge and running in a southeasterly direction through the City of Vancouver, Hastings Townsite, the Municipality of South Vancouver and Burnaby and the City of New Westminster to the Fraser River Bridge, thence northeasterly through the City of New Westminster, the Municipality of Coquitlam to Port Moody, thence in a westerly direction to a point at or near the proposed location of the Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon Railway bridge at Second Narrows, Burrard Inlet, thence continuing westerly through Hastings Townsite to place of commencement in City of Vancouver.

B.

From a point at or near the south end of the proposed Vancouver, Westminster & Yukon Railway bridge at Second Narrows, Burrard Inlet, thence across said bridge to a point north of the Municipality of North Vancouver on Howe Sound, and to a point north of the Municipality of North Vancouver on the North Arm of Burrard Inlet.

C.

From a point at the north end of the Fraser River bridge at New Westminster, thence across said bridge (leave to cross which will be applied for to the Provincial Government), thence southerly to a point on the international boundary between Semiamo Bay and Sumas.

D.

From a point on the south side of False Creek, thence westerly through the City of Vancouver and the Municipality of South Vancouver to a point at or near Point Grey, thence returning in a southeasterly direction by the most feasible route to a point at or near the north end of the Fraser River Bridge in the City of New Westminster.

E.

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This curt description of what seems the simple work of sponge fishing gives no idea of the real skill and exertion needed. The eye of the fisher has to be trained by long experience to peer into the sea and tell the commercially valuable sponges from those that are worthless. He must have a deft hand to detach the sponge without a tear.

Above all, while doing this with one hand, he must manipulate with the other the water glass, as the waves sway it sideways and up and down. The strain on eye and body is most intense, to say nothing of the cramped position and exposure to wind and wet, which, first and last, make every sponge fisher a victim of acute rheumatism. Yet, with all his arduous toil, an expert sponge fisher earns not more than £3 a month besides his keep on the boat, which barely deserves the name of existence.—Pearson's Weekly.

A MAGIC MIRROR.

Experiments With the Moon and Stars and a Hand Glass.

A pretty experiment can be made with a hand mirror any night when there is a full moon. Hold the mirror so that the moon's image will be seen in it and you will be surprised to see four moons instead of one. One moon will be very bright, but the other three will be in a straight line and quite dull, one dull image on the side of the bright moon and the other two on the other side. Turn the mirror round slowly, still holding its face to the moon, and the reflections will seem to revolve round a common center.

You can make the same experiment with one of the very bright stars, such as Sirius, Venus or Jupiter, but with these there will be three images instead of four, as the number seen depends on the breadth of the object. The explanation is quite simple. There are two surfaces in a mirror, one in front and the other where the quicksilver is. The brightest reflection comes from the object itself, the others are what are known as secondary images reflected from the front to the back of the mirror and thence to the eye. The magic mirror never fails to excite a good deal of wonder, and is an interesting experiment as well.—London Chronicle.

Curious Tombstones.

Two curiously inscribed stones by the wayside have been noted by correspondents of the Manchester Guardian. One is about a mile from the village of Hope, in Flintshire, and reads: "Here my God did spare my life. For the tenement was the strife—1777." One would think that the incident the stone commemorates must be well known in the neighborhood, but the correspondent was not successful in finding any one who could tell the story. The other stone is by the side of a lonely road in the neighborhood of Jenkin chapel, and bears the following inscription: "Here John Turner was cast away in a heavy snowstorm in the night on or about the year 1735. The print of a woman's shoe was found by his side in the snow were (sic) he lay dead."

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Childhood's Chosen Colors.

Professor James Sully in his studies of childhood compares the mental processes of white children in civilized lands with those of full grown savages and discovers some remarkable resemblances. Among other things he has ascertained that the favorite colors of the savage, red and yellow, are those which white children first take notice of and of which they remain especially fond during the period of childhood. So, too, the savage adult and the white child find a common pleasure in all bright, shining and glittering things.

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Mrs. Hornbeak (in the midst of her reading)—Mercy sakes alive! Here is an item about a surgeon over at Biggerville removin' an epithelioma from a man's lip. Farmer Hornbeak—Well, I sh'u'd judge it was about time for people to quit using such long words when it requires a doctor to git 'em out.—Puck.

Deceived.

Jerrold—I can't get any speed out of that motor car you sold me. You told me you had been arrested six times in it. Hobart—So I was, old chap. For obstructing the highway.—London Star.

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John Sharp.

In the neighborhood of his Mississippi home John Sharp Williams is always called "John Sharp." That is because the family of the congressman's mother were the Sharps—the great people of that section. According to his own confession Williams' notion of earthly happiness is to sit on his veranda at Yazoo in the company of good books and watch the cotton grow. Only one vote was cast against him at the last election—that of one of his seven children as a joke. One of his close friends said recently: "John writes poetry for recreation. At least, he says it's poetry, and that he finds recreation in committing it to paper."

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Mrs. Anna D. Cornelewis, a handsome widow, is the owner of rental property in Rochester, Ind. When she rented the property to Perry Coplen for a term of years she failed to reserve the right of entrance through a hallway to her rooms upstairs for herself and son. When Mrs. Cornelewis returned home from a visit she and her son, without permission of Coplen, began to pass through the parlors of Coplen's rooms to reach the stairway. Coplen protested and later served notice on her not to trespass. He then padlocked the door of the stairway.

Widow Cornelewis' son is a carpenter, and he got a ladder to climb to the attic roof, where he opened a way through which the widow and her son have been making their exit and entrance.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Yellowed Clothes.

Soak the clothes overnight in lukewarm water and next morning wash in good clean suds; then put them in the wash boiler with cold water and some pieces of white curd soap and a teaspoonful of powdered borax. Boil for twenty minutes, rinse immediately and leave them for another night in clean cold water to which a little powdered borax has been added.

To Cleanse Chamois.

It is not generally known that to cleanse a chamois leather for plate cleaning or any other polishing purpose "the best way" is to wash it in lukewarm soapy water and to leave plenty of soap in the last rinsing water. This makes the wash leather as soft and pliable as when new. To rinse all soap out will make it hard and dry. Dry in the open air if possible.

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It is suggested that waxing the toe and heel of a stocking will diminish the number of holes to be darned—the principle being the same as waxing thread, to make it stronger. Stretch the stocking over the darner, melt a paraffin candle and rub thoroughly into the stocking, rubbing it in smoothly with the hand.

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