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Earthquake Ruins Valparaiso

BUILDINGS CRUMBLE AND FIRE BREAKS OUT

Wires are Down and Details are Hard to Obtain, But Indications Are that Disaster is as Great as That of San Francisco.

New York, Aug. 17.—The city of Valparaiso, Chile, is reported badly damaged by earthquake. A report received here is that the situation in Valparaiso may prove to be as serious as the San Francisco disaster.

Practically every building in the city is damaged and there are fires in different parts of the city. Many persons are reported killed and injured.

The earthquake has interrupted cable facilities to lower South American points and communication restricted to the route via Lisbon. Another from Valparaiso is that the loss of life has not been confirmed. Fires are burning in various parts of the city.

Valparaiso is a fortified seaport of Chile and the most important commercial town of the western coast of South America. It has a population of about 150,000. It is the capital of the province of that name and is situated on a large bay in the Pacific ocean, seventy-five miles west north west of Santiago, with which it is connected by rail.

Hundreds Buried in Ruins.

New York, Aug. 17.—One report received in this city says that portions of Valparaiso were burning all night and that the bodies of hundreds of its residents were buried in the ruins of the buildings.

Wires Not Working.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 17.—Six p. m.—In the absence of telegraphic communication beyond Punta Del Inca, it has been impossible up to this hour to obtain accurate details of the destruction by the earthquake in Chile. The managers of the telegraph companies here state that nothing is coming through. Press reports purporting to come from Chile are purely imaginative. London and New York are eagerly seeking news from the district. Officials of the Pacific railway say it is the belief that damage at Valparaiso is not so serious as has been stated.

Business Places Wrecked.

New York, Aug. 17—A private cable despatch to W. R. Grace & Co., from Valparaiso, received by way of Lima, Peru, says that the earthquake in Valparaiso is severe and that business in the city has been totally suspended. The despatch further stated that Grace & Co.'s buildings in Valparaiso were badly damaged but that none of the occupants were injured.

Los Andes Suffers.

London, Aug. 17.—A despatch to the Reuter Telegraph company from Buenos Ayres tonight says: "Telegraphic communication with Chile is still interrupted. Santiago and Valparaiso are completely cut off. The Pacific cables are only working from Iquique northwards. It is certain that a number of houses have been wrecked at Los Andes.

Los Andes, also known as Andes and Santa Rosa de Los Andes, is a town in the province of Aconcauga, Chile.

Many Rumors Afloat.

Buenos Ayres, Aug. 17.—The newspapers tonight publish telegrams from Mendosa, Buenos Ayres, and Chile, in the mountain passes of Uspalata and Portillo to the effect that many houses in the Los Andes district were destroyed by the earthquake and that there have been a large number of casualties. The interruption of all means of communication with Chile causes much anxiety. Many rumors of disaster are afloat.

Known at Honolulu.

Honolulu, Aug. 17.—The tide gauges here show a disturbance apparently of distant origin. Beginning at 5:23 o'clock this morning three waves an hour, having been indicated, showing an oscillation from the normal tides of between three and four inches.

Hits Victoria Office.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 17.—E. Baynes Reed, in charge of the local meterological station reports that the seismograph in his charge shows a record of great earth disturbance at Valparaiso yesterday. Mr. Reed developed the film of the apparatus this afternoon and says: From the local record the most recent earthquake occurred at about 4.10 yesterday afternoon, and it lasted from that time until 8 o'clock. The heaviest shock was felt at 4:45. The next bad shock was at 5:45, and this like its predecessor was very prolonged.

Great Disaster Indicated.

London, Aug. 17.—Prof. John Milne, the seismologist, reports from the Isle of Wight that his records indicate an earthquake as great as that of San Francisco lasting for five hours apparently located along the coast considerably north of Valparaiso.

Closed Till Morning.

New York, Aug. 17.—At 11:30 o'clock tonight the central cable office of the Western Union Telegraph Co., received a service message stating that the Valparaiso office is closed until 7 o'clock tomorrow.

Commerce Paralyzed.

London, Aug. 17.—Some London firms trading with Valparaiso have received telegrams from their agents there. One to James and Alexander Brown says: "Severe earthquake. Commerce paralyzed. Town afire. Staff safe."

Other dispatches give no details and merely record the safety of their offices and staffs.

Many Ships Lost.

A Hamburg firm is said to have received a dispatch stating that numerous districts in Chile have been partially or totally destroyed, that Valparaiso had been completely demolished, that many ships had been lost, and that over 100 persons had been killed and many hundreds injured. This dispatch, however, is not well authenticated.

Doctor Arrested.

Pittsfield, Mass., Aug. 17.—Dr. Whitman V. White, a consulting physician and a member of the board of managers of the Manhattan state hospital of New York was arrested here today on a charge of grand larceny. He was taken to New York this afternoon. It is charged that Dr. White took $129,200 belonging to the James O. Sullivan estate in New York.

PEASANTS FIGHT LIKE WILD BEASTS

Armed With Scythes and Other Rustic Instruments They Make a Fierce Onslaught, and Cossacks Are Compelled To Retreat

St. Petersburg, Aug. 17.—News was received today of another collision between Cossacks and peasantry in the province of Penza. The mob showed such determination and fury that the troops were forced to retreat, carrying off several of their number badly wounded.

Five of the peasants were killed and several score wounded.

A detachment of 30 Cossacks had been dispatched from the town of Penza toward a neighboring village to quiet the agitators. The villagers sounded the tocsin on the church bell whereupon 500 peasants armed with scythes and other rustic weapons gathered and advanced to the rescue of the prisoners. Undaunted by the Cossacks whips and sabres, the peasants charged and forced the Cossacks to take refuge behind a stone wall. A volley from the Cossacks failed to check the peasants and finally the Cossacks fled. The peasants are reported to have fought more like wild animals than human beings. In their fury they seized a priest who was hurrying up to assist the wounded and beat him almost to death, before the wife of a sick peasant, whom he had aided, recognized him and intervened.

British Subject Injured.

Lodz, Aug. 17.—During Wednesday's disturbances here, a stray bullet struck and shattered the leg of a British subject named Herman Rocher and the limb has since been amputated. Mr. Rocher wants $25,000 damages from the Russian government.

Robbers Make a Haul.

Nizhni Novgoro, Aug. 17.—Six armed men tonight entered the counting house of the Dadijada Steamboat company, overpowered the policeman on duty and made off with a safe containing $5,000. One of the robbers was arrested.

Casualty List.

Warsaw, Aug. 17.—It is now known that 43 persons were killed here August 15, of whom eight were policemen, and that eighteen policemen and about a hundred citizens were wounded.

Pedestrians All Suspected.

This morning two patrolmen were shot and killed and two wounded. Strong detachments of troops are searching pedestrians throughout the city and all passengers arriving on the Vienna railroad are searched. Police and Cossacks stopped traffic tonight and cut off the Jewish districts from the rest of the city.

Two rural guards were killed today in Gombin and one at Kirsonia, while one was killed and another seriously wounded in Lovich where the police station was also fusiladed.

Not Mixed With Americans.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 17.—It has been definitely ascertained that the woman who was whipped by men of the Chevalier Guards here recently, has no American connections. She is a local dressmaker.

Nelson Goes Alone.

Nelson, B. C., Aug. 17.—The Nelson cricket team, fourteen strong left this evening to take part in the tournament which commences at Victoria on Monday next. A strong effort was made to induce players from other points to join in the trip so that a representative Kootenay team might visit the coast, but the plan failed and the men who left tonight are all Nelson cricketers. They are a strong combination and will give a good account of themselves at Victoria.

Strangled to Death.

New York, Aug. 17.—Mrs. Mary Manelski, the wife of a farmer, was strangled to death in the dining room of her home in East Illiston, L. I., today. It is believed that $1,000 which Mrs. Manelski had in the house was stolen.

HORSES WILL RACE DURING EXHIBITION

Board of Control and Representatives of Committees Decide on One Big Attraction for the Provincial Fair.—Grand Electrical Display.

Wednesday and Friday of exhibition week will be set apart for horse races, and an appropriation of $1650 has been granted to the horse racing committee for the purpose of advertising the races, preparing the track so as to have everything in first-class shape when the races are pulled off and other expenses. This was decided at a meeting of the board of control and representatives of the various attraction committees at a meeting held last night in the board of trade room, city hall. A. Malins, chairman of the horse racing committee, applied for the appropriation, which was granted without a dissentient voice. The dates fixed for the races were not selected until after considerable discussion. A proposal that the actual dates of the races should not be decided until next meeting was vigorously opposed by Mr. Malins, who explained that he wished to get the programmes out at the earliest possible moment, as he had to send them out all over the country.

Mr. Malins suggested that an inside fence be built around the race track, so that children and irresponsibles could not wander on the track when the races were taking place. The track would also have to be improved.

W. H. Keary explained that the chain gang were at present working upon the improvements to the track, and that they would have everything fixed up in good time.

James Leamy had a question to ask the members present that caused some merriment. "During the exhibition, are you going to allow automobiles to gallop and prance around the track in the way they have been doing in the past?" But no one answered the query.

C. A. Welsh, who was appointed chairman pro tem at the last meeting, reported that School Trustee Peebles would not be back in time to undertake the chairmanship of the Children's day committee. Mr. Malins came forward with a valuable suggestion which met with the approval of all present. "If you could only induce James Cunningham to act, it would do away with the necessity of asking for an appropriation this year."

Managing-Secretary Keary informed the members present that the exhibition would be kept open until eleven o'clock on Saturdays for the purpose of allowing the working men of Vancouver to patronize the exhibition.

The children's day at the exhibition was commented upon by several of the members present. It was plainly shown that from a monetary point of view, the children's day was generally a failure, and practically no interest was taken in their sports. For this reason several changes had been decided upon this year. The sports will be held in the morning, and the money prizes won by the children will be used to beautify the class rooms of the schools.

The decoration committee asked for an appropriation of $150, part of which is to be used in the construction of an arch that will be symbolical of the different industries of New Westminster. It was decided that the board of control should be asked to grant the committee the amount asked for.

The electrical display this year will be the best ever seen here, Ald. Davies and Pat. Bowler, city electrician, will be in charge of the display. A proposal to light up the Fraser river bridge was also made at the meeting, and after discussion, Mr. Malins moved that the Provincial government be asked to illuminate the bridge with arc lights during the exhibition week.

The following attractions have been offered to the management of the exhibition: Thomas G. Hill, of Seattle, offers to supply fireworks for $100 a night; Frank Brooks, the aeronaut, offers to make two daylight and one night ascension for $150, and Louis Harkness offers to make an ascension every day, including night ascensions, for the modest sum of $115 for the week. A proposal from the manager of the diving elks and animal attraction, has also been received, but this was not produced at the meeting.

The chairmen of the various committees reported their choice of members who are to act upon their committees as follows:

Horse Racing—A. Malins, chairman; George Adams, T. J. Armstrong, J. Leamy, Col. J. C. White.

Lacrosse—John Reed, chairman; T. Gifford, G. Armstrong.

Grounds—G. Armstrong, chairman; J. Reed, J. Leamy.

Decoration—J. Watson, chairman; J. J. Johnston, E. W. Cook.

Music—R. J. Rickaman, chairman; Dr. Doherty, C. A. Welsh, R. C. McDonald.

Aquatic Sports—James Leamy, chairman; W. G. Armstrong, A. Malins, J. Watson, R. C. McDonald, Joseph Reichenbach.

Indian Sports—R. C. McDonald, chairman; J. Leamy, J. Watson.

Lacrosse—J. Reed, chairman; T. Gifford, G. Armstrong.

Several other committees were not represented.

Those present at the meeting were: C. A. Welsh, in the chair, A. Malins, James Leamy, J. Watson, W. R. Gilley, John Reed, R. C. McDonald, George Armstrong, and the secretary, W. H. Keary.

Forest Fire Sweeps On.

Nelson, Aug. 17.—A serious forest fire is raging near Ymir and this afternoon it had destroyed the Hunter V. tramway and was sweeping on to the mine buildings. The western union wires were down, owing to the fire, since early in the afternoon.

Government Stands Pat.

Paris, Aug. 17.—The cabinet council's discussion of the church and state separation question today resulted in the government's firm resolve to maintain the law.

Pressure on Russia.

London, Aug. 17.—A dispatch from Tokio to the Daily Telegraph states that Great Britain, the United States and Japan have intimated to China the necessity of insisting that Russia establish customs stations in Northern Manchuria.

EDISON TALKS OF CANADA

Montreal, Aug. 17.—"Why do you not say 'our country' instead of 'my country.' To me, there is little difference; the people appear the same and the march of progress is equally visible on both sides of the line." These were the sentiments expressed to-day by Thomas A. Edison, the great inventor, in the course of an interview. Mr. Edison with a party composed mostly of members of his own family, arrived here by automobile in the morning and left this evening for Quebec.

Mr. Edison said he took an especial interest in Canada. As a young man he was a telegraph operator on the old Grand Trunk at Stratford, but the Grand Trunk at that time seemed to be dead, he added. However, he was glad to see that the present management had installed new life into the system. Yes, with their enlarged project the Grand Trunk Pacific was a scheme worthy of Canada. "Three trans-coninental railways," he exclaimed," and others are asking permission to build. This is right, the more roads the better." But, he continued, the Canadians must see that they did not get too much power in the community. The accumulated storage battery problem, Mr. Edison said, was near a solution and would mean much for transportation.

Fishery Commission Will Take Short Rest

Victoria, Aug. 17.—A meeting of the fishery commission was held this morning with Prof. Prince in the chair. The gathering was for the purpose of winding up business preparatory to a temporary dispersal. The commission will resume its labors Saturday, September 15. From then until the 19th regular sessions will be held at Vancouver. On the last day mentioned a conference will take place between the Dominion and Washington state commissioners to discuss the best possible restrictions and the most effective method of propogating salmon.

Fifty Men Buried Alive, Rescue Force at Work

Bristol, Va., Aug. 17.—Fifty men are entombed alive in the Clinch Mountain tunnel at Clinchport, Va., as a result of a cave-in which occurred today. It is not known whether the men are dead or alive, but the work of rescue is being rushed as fast as possible. Air is being pumped into the tunnel by several pumps for a distance of 700 feet, and a large force of men are working in an effort to rescue the unfortunates before they perish if they are not already dead.

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FRIDAY'S MARKET REPORT

The market yesterday was one of the brightest held here for some time past. The cooler weather enticed out a number of purchasers who did not dare to brave the hot spell and the vendors took advantage of the welcome change in climate to put their choicest wares before the public. All the regular vendors were on hand to supply their customers and a few new faces were noticed. Year by year farmers along the river are becoming more and more wide awake to the value of a spot cash market for all their farm produce.

The following is a digest of the spirit of the market: Beef, fair supply and good demand; lamb, fair supply and all sold at quotations; veal, fair supply and good demand for first class stock; eggs, fair supply, large demand; fowl, not so plentiful, with good demand; ducks, fair supply and good demand for well grown and fat birds; potatoes, plentiful and demand good; apples, fair supply and demand good for good stock; plums, plentiful and demand only fair.

Quotations.

Beef, hind quarter 7½ to 8½c per pound.

Beef, fore quarters, 4½ to 5½c per pound.

Mutton, 10 to 11c per pound.
Lamb, 12 to 13c per pound.
Veal, 9 to 9½c per pound.
Potatoes, $15 per ton.
Pork, 9½c per pound.
Onions, $1.75 per sack.
Eggs, 35c per dozen.
Butter, 25 to 30c per pound.
Fowl, $6.50 to $8.00 per dozen.
Chickens, $3.50 to $4.50 per dozen.
Blackberries $1.00 per crate.
Apples, 70 to 90c per box.
Plums, 40 to 50c per crate.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT.

New York, Aug. 17.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Fall trade is active throughout the Dominion and the only complaint is as to slow deliveries of goods on orders. The northwest wheat crop will be larger than last year. There are no evidences of undue extension of credits. Collections are fair to good. Drygoods, building hardware and heavy metals are all active. Butter and cheese are in good demand for export at Montreal. The production in Ontario has begun to decrease. Cattle are higher, but hogs lower at Toronto, Winnipeg reports that the yield of grain is fully equal to last year and the increased area makes for a larger total crop. In British Columbia trade is brisk. Salmon prices are higher. Failures this week 22 against 19 last week and 20 in this week a year ago.

The following are weekly bank clearings:

Montreal, $26,897, 432, increase 15.2.
Toronto, $21,640,718, increase 21.0.
Winnipeg, $8,730,779, increase 33.9.
Ottawa, $7,790,090, increase, 5.2.
Halifax, $1,659,155.
Vancouver, $2,720,480, increase 55.7.
Quebec, $1,700,933, increase 6.8.
Hamilton, $1,586,133, increase 3.0.
St. John, $1,105,942, increase, 9.
London, $1,105,077, increase, .8.
Victoria, $881,399, increase, 34.9.
Calgary, $925,212.
Edmonton, $710,022.

AT THE HOTEL.

Guichon—A. R. Thompson, Vancouver; A. J. Faber, Blaine; E. W. Calhoun, Kamloops; Annie M. Bagnall, Cyril F. Bagnall, London, England; E. A. Wilmot, Vancouver.

Colonial—J. B. McDonald, Vancouver; A. E. Loughlin, Winnipeg; C. S. Ferriss, Langley; Arthur McDonald, William McDonald, J. McDonald, Toronto; Charles Sexsmith, Alluvia.

Windsor—R. Cummings and son, Langley; Andrew McDonald, Nicola; Charles Nelson, Agassiz; William Hicks, Abbotsford; H. W. Moore, Seattle; William Champion, Victoria; R. K. Alfree, Bellingham; John Farmer, St. Paul, Minn.

Depot—Marcus Cox, Pitt Lake; William H. Burton, Hope; J. Haldi, H. Titmus, Langley; D. H. Ditcheon, Seattle; Joseph Call, Sumas; W. Wicks, Abbotsford; Neil McNiven, John McNiven, Miss McNiven, Ladner; William White, Ladner.

Cosmopolitan—F. D. Freeman, John Fraser, Vancouver; Thomas Forster, Winnipeg; S. B. Milne, Iowa.

Larned Wins at Tennis

Southampton, Long Island, Aug. 17.—W.A. Larned, former national champion, won the final of the singles of the Meadow Club Lawn Tennis tournament today after five sets, defeating Karl H. Behring.

Women Who Do

Mme. Ogden-Crane Has Founded and Conducts an American School of Opera—Is Helping to Make This Country a Musical Center

What American pupils in singing can achieve in their own land under an American voice trainer is well illustrated in Mme. Ogden-Crane's school of opera. Few music schools in this country profess to turn out students ready fitted both in voice culture and dramatic action to go at once upon the professional stage. Chicago boasts an opera school. Three years ago Mme. Ogden-Crane, a well known singing teacher, resolved to establish one along new lines in New York. She herself had been soprano soloist for the Theodore Thomas and Gilmore orchestras and had made her place in oratorio—that, too, without having left her native United States. She is a Brooklyn

MME. OGDEN-CRANE.

woman and before her marriage was Sarah Mundell. Her teacher was Barili, the same one that developed the golden voice of Adelina Patti. It is claimed that his was the pure Italian method and that a voice trained by this method never wears out. Though her hair is gray, Mme. Ogden-Crane retains her clear and powerful soprano voice. She is the sole director of her school and personally trains the voices of all her pupils. They frequently perform entire operas, and their singing and acting are both so good that every year some of them are asked to become members of professional companies. Next year the school will produce the opera "Cavalleria Rusticana." Mme. Ogden-Crane says she started in her profession with one aim and let nothing distract her attention till she achieved it. She declares that anybody who can talk can learn to sing.

Mexican Business Women.

In Mexico are many women who are equal to the shrewdest white man in their executive ability and power of accumulating wealth. Indeed, in some places in the republic men seem willing to take a lazy back seat and let women manage business and get rich. A woman of pure Aztec Indian blood, Dona Juana, is queen and ruler among the Zapotecan tribe because she had commercial shrewdness to make herself a millionaire. She has more power and influence than many a European queen can boast. Many a white man—little to his credit—has gone into Juana's domain and tried to do her out of her vast wealth by shrewd bargaining and has invariably got the worst of it.

Along the gulf coast are the estates of Widow Perez, a fat old Mexican woman who is worth many millions, mostly accumulated by herself. She, too, is absolute ruler of a country as large as many a European principality.

A Successful Dressmaker.

A bright girl was graduated from college full of aspiration to achieve something in a professional way. She started in as a city newspaper reporter, worked almost night and day and got the meagerest, meanest living from it. She decided that would not do. She had excellent taste in costuming and was a skillful amateur dressmaker. She took instruction in cutting and fitting and became a professional one. She opened in a large city a shop of her own, putting her Latin and Greek and her scholastic pride on a shelf. That was ten years ago. Now she has an income of $20,000 a year and an establishment where ninety sewing girls and women are employed. She owns a house worth $40,000 and a big red automobile and beautiful clothes and goes to Europe when she likes. She learned to give the world something it wanted.

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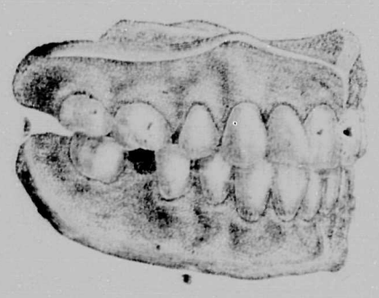

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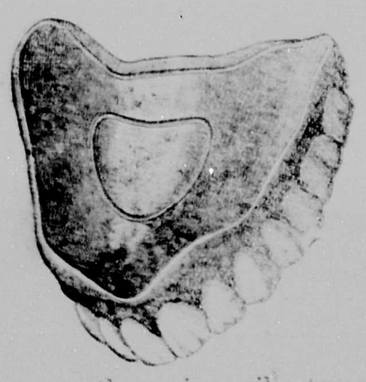

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Block 1. Commencing at a point on said river on the Southerly boundary of Timber Berth 489, being about 8 1-2 miles up said River from its mouth; thence up said River 4 1-2 miles in direct distance with a depth of 50 chains on the Easterly side and 70 chains on the Westerly side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of the river within the block.

Block 2. Commencing at a point on said river about 40 chains up stream from the Southerly boundary of Block 1; thence up stream 4 1-2 miles in direct distance with a depth of 50 chains on the Easterly side and 70 chains on the Westerly side thereof, measured at right angles to the general bearing of river within the block. The whole contains an area of 8,640 acres, more or less.

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

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

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

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Secretary.

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NOTICE.

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F. GOURDEAU,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for special Licence to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated East of the head of Pitt Lake, N. W. District: Commencing at a stake planted on the North East corner of the E. O. Patterson old claim No. 1093, thence Northerly 80 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence East 80 chains to point of commencement.

Staked August 13th, 1906.

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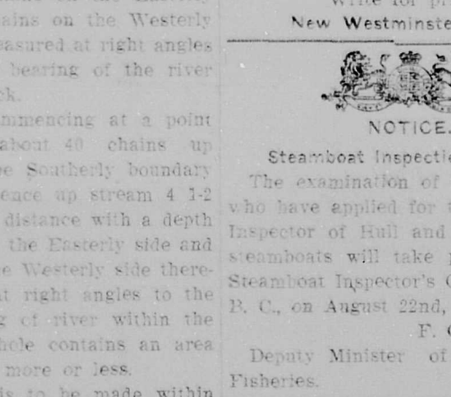
New Westminster, B. C.



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Two Men Drink From Jar Containing Cyanide of Potassium, and Both Die.

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 16.—Albert W. Edgecomb and Lemuel A. W. Tibbitts, two leading Fredericton citizens, are dead as a result of drinking cyanide of potassium. They were sitting in the rear of the Shute & Company jewelry store with D. E. Crowe of the jewelry firm last night, when the latter was called to the front of the shop. The two men in seeking a drink of water found a jar on the sink and drank of its contents. It contained deadly poison. Mr. Crowe when he learned of the fearful mistake hurried the men to a drugstore, and three doctors were called. The usual treatment was given, but without avail. Tibbitts died in half an hour, and Edgecomb lingered two and a half hours. Edgecombe was aged forty-eight, and leaves a wife and four small children. He was secretary-treasurer of D. Edgecombe Company, Ltd., drygoodsmen. Tibbitts was fifty-two years old, and a bachelor. He was a brother of the deputy receiver-general of New Brunswick.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Queen's Avenue Methodist—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. H. Barraclough, the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. J. H. White, D. D., superintendent of missions.

West End Methodist Church, Rev. A. J. Brace, pastor—Service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Prayer That Counts;" evening subject, seventh in the series, "Kingdom of God," "The Problem of Choices" from the parable of the pearl of great price.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school 2:30 p. m. Rev. J. S. Henderson, pastor. Morning subject, "A Tried Stone;" evening subject, "Christ's Reversal of Human Judgment."

West Presbyterian—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. T. Wardlaw Taylor will preach at both services.

Olivet Baptist Church—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30. The pastor, Rev. M. L. Rugg, D. D., will preach at both services.

Reformed Episcopal Church—Divine worship at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Rector Rev. A. DeB. Owen. All are welcome.

Gospel Hall, Sixth Ave.—Breaking of Bread 11 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class at 3 p. m. Gospel service 7 p. m.

A religious meeting will be held at 3:45 p. m. at the home of E. K. Blewett, 177 Ash street. The meeting will be conducted in Swedish and all Scandinavians are cordially invited.

Fierce Heat at Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 17.—The excessive heat of the past few days touched the high water mark today and the thermometer stood at 92.8 in the shade in the middle of the afternoon, the highest temperature in recent years.

FIRE EATS ITS WAY THROUGH THE SOD

Sparks Come to the Surface in Unexpected Places in the Delta.

Fire Warden McKay and T. Dominy, who were sent out to Delta by Covernmnet Agent C. C. Fisher to fight the sod fire that had caught on as a result of the recent bush fires, came in to the city yesterday and brought the information that the fires were at last extinguished. The recent rains helped matters considerably and lightened the labors of the fire fighters but were not sufficient of themselves to put out the blaze which ate along under the ground in many places where the fire was believed to be out and suddenly bobbed up in unexpected places. Whenever a breeze arose the sparks would commence to fly and in that manner the crops of grain belonging to Messrs. Holmes, Wilson and McKenzie were destroyed. The sparks would alight among the grain and burned so stealthily that a considerable head of flame had been created before the fire was observable.

The two water carts from Ladner were brought into active service and aided the army of seven men who were grappling with the problem.

The fire fighters were compelled to dig ditches over four feet deep in some places, in order to get down below the inflammable peat. The burning sections were thus isolated and with the aid of the rains and water carts have at last, so far as could be seen, burned themselves out.

The problem on the Kitson road was a serious one. The road had been recently corduroyed, and for about five hundred yards the sod under the road had got on fire. The road for that distance had to be torn up in order to extinguish the burning sod.

Bachelors Enjoy Themselves.

A number of young city bachelors met on Thursday evening at the residence of W. Cunningham and spent a very enjoyable time as the guests of Messrs. P. D. Callaghan, Charles McKay and Leonard Shilvock of Vancouver. Refreshments were served and vocal and instrumental music and stories wiled away a few very pleasant hours. Mr. Callaghan acted as the accompanist of the evening while Messrs. McKay, Dorer, Shilvock and Cochrane contributed vocal numbers. The party broke up before midnight and the entertainers were the guests for the night of H. Dorer.

Indians Go to Hop Fields.

A small army of Indians and their wives and families came in from the Vancouver cannery on Wednesday evening, that cannery having closed down for the season. A number of them came into the city on a scow, towed by the Fraser while others came in on the Transfer. The representative of the Horst Hop Gardens rounded up the bunch and offered them inducements of such a character that by noon yesterday the whole cavalcade had vanished. Some went by water and the balance went by train to Harrison and thence to the scene of action at Sardis, where they will engage in hop picking.

Mr. and Mrs. Corbould of this city were passengers on yesterday's Transfer to Ladner and from that place they proposed taking the stage and spending a season at Boundary Bay.

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TRAPS AND OTHER DEVICES.

The Daily News was not in existence when the question of allowing the use of salmon traps in British Columbia waters was up for discussion, and it is content for the present to say, simply that it believes a mistake was made, and an injustice done, when traps were allowed. The one argument in favor of allowing them was that the trap-caught fish of Puget Sound were very much cheaper than the net-caught fish of the Fraser, thus giving the American canned salmon one advantage over ours in the market. Events have knocked that argument out, and other "reasons" are now made to do duty; and it seems quite probable that the use of traps in Juan de Fuca straits will also (except in the years of the big run) be discontinued—knocked out by events as was the argument referred to. Unless the salmon literally swarm in the straits, so that the edges of the schools are, so to speak, pressed against the shore, these traps will not pay. To a certain extent the same is true of Puget Sound traps; but there the channels are often narrower, and the line of march of the fish is not so direct. This year a number of trap sites on the Sound were not used, and it is probable that even a greater number will be misused next season and in 1908, as few men care to invest $5,000 to $8,000 in building and running a trap unless there is a fair amount of certainty that it will catch fish enough to pay for itself.

The newspapers of the day announce that there is now another question before the fishery commission in connection with traps in our waters. The owners of them are asking that they be exempted from the operation of the law which enacts that the period from August 25 to Sept. 15 be an absolute "close time" as far as salmon fishing is concerned. Their plea is that they have lost money this season (which is probably true of most of them), and that they should be allowed a chance to recoup themselves by "fishing for cohoes." Now, when it is known that one has lost money in a commercial enterprise, there is a natural inclination to say "give him another chance;" but, unless that be an argument, it is hard to see what argument can be used in support of the proposal. Fishing for salmon in these waters is illegal between the dates named. If the law is suspended in favor of some of those engaged in the business of fishing, it must be suspended in favor of all. To put it more correctly, there must be no partial suspension. The law must be repealed or enforced.

It must also be borne in mind that it is either nonsense to talk of traps "fishing for cohoes." If traps are fishing at all, they are fishing for everything that comes along, from a seal to tommycod. Gill nets on the other hand, having larger or smaller meshes, can fish for cohoes without catching smaller fish. Therefore, while some show of argument could be made in favor of allowing gill net fishing for cohoes—since a close season in August-September for these fish is not particularly necessary—the same argument will not apply to traps. Yet when a rumor got abroad that gill net fishing was to be allowed, an article, apparently "inspired," in one of the government papers, denounced the proposal as suicidal.

The whole cry now is "preserve the sockeye—let enough of them get through to the spawning grounds." Some drastic changes in the line of further restrictions have been proposed, and the appointment of the present commission, although it is required and expected to look in every question connected with the fishing interests of the province, was largely due to the agitation arising out of this cry "preserve the sockeye." If, therefore, there is now a suspension of the annual close season in favor of the traps, which will of course catch every sockeye that runs against them, it will stultify the whole work of the commission so far as that work relates to the matter of preserving the sockeye.

It will do something else also. It will show just where certain of the advocates of further restriction stand. If they are found to be in favor of this proposal, no further proof will be needed that it is their own dividends and not the sockeye, which they are anxious to preserve and increase—at other peoples' expense.

Funeral of Capt. Croll's Son.

The body of George Walter Croll, the twelve year old son of Captain James Croll, who was accidentally drowned by falling overboard from his father's boat on Wednesday afternoon, was laid at rest in the Oddfellows' cemetery yesterday afternoon. The service at the family residence, Regina street, was conducted by the Rev. J. S. Henderson, and was very impressive. The six young friends of the deceased who had been selected to act as pallbearers, were: Walter McKay, Benjamin Gunn, Lynden Rolfe, William Brooks, Edward Brooks and Earl Blair.

A large number of floral tributes were placed on the coffin of the deceased, testifying to the widespread sympathy which is felt for the family in their sad bereavement. Flowers were sent by the following:

Mr. and Msr. H. C. Chamberlin, spray; Mrs. Rolph and children, spray; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Walmsley, jr., spray; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Matheson, spray; sweet peas, Mrs. Rees; flowers, Annie and Dorothy Imlah; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Nicholson and family, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. T. Mowbray, wreath; St. Andrew's Woman's association, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. Archibald, sr., harp; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Stewart, cross; Mrs. E. B. Stinchcombe, cross; the Misses Archibald, crescent; Mr. and Mrs. J. Pope, spray; Nelson and Arthur Newman, spray; Mrs. Wm. Coatham, spray; St. Andrew's Mission Band; Ernest Ella and Harry Bowden (Vancouver), spray; Miss Mabel Nicholson, spray; Earl Blair, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blair, flowers; Mrs. McKay, spray; Willie Archibald, cross; Mr. and Mrs. Gifford, sr., spray; Russell Vanstone, spray; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Croll (Vancouver), cross; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Archibald, jr., spray; Annie, James, Estella and Sidney, brothers and sisters, spray; K. B. Brown, spray; A. Plester, spray; Ameda Nicholson, spray; Edward and Bernard Wise, spray; St. Andrew's Boys' Guild, wreath; Lydon Rolph, spray; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Corbett, anchor; Mr. and Mrs. Fritz E. Eickhoff, flowers; Mrs. E. Brooks, cross; Mr. and Mrs. M. Young, spray; Alex. Luzier, flowers; Mrs. and Miss Russell, spray; Miss Pringle and Miss Rowan, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. Farrant, spray; Mrs. J. M. Archibald, spray.

Aug. 18 In History.

328—St. Helena, mother of Constantine, first Christian emperor, died in Rome.
1792—John Earl Russell, prime minister of Great Britain in 1846-52, born in London; died 1878.
1803—Dr. James Beattie, poet, last of the minstrels, died at Aberdeen.
1807—Charles Francis Adams, American statesman and diplomat, United States minister to England during the civil war, born in Boston; died there 1886.
1877—Two satellites of Mars were discovered by Professor Asaph Hall at Washington.
1895—Professor Frederick William Crouch, composer of "Kathleen Mavourneen," died in Portland, Me.; born 1808.
1903—Pedro Alvarado, Mexico's mining king, died at Chihuahua, leaving an estate of $85,000,000.
1904—General Stoessel, Russian commandant at Port Arthur, refused to surrender the post, as demanded by the Japanese commander.

Laying For Him.

Did you ever pause in the midst of a busy day to contemplate the egotism of the man who thinks it will rain because he forgot and left his umbrella at home?

He thinks that the powers which have the contract to make the rain, hail and other things in the wet goods line are hiding behind a tree as he passes by to see if he had put on his new spring suit and forgot his shower stick.

He doesn't know that the rain falls alike on the just and the unjust. He thinks that the condition of the crops, or whether some city along a river is needing a freshet to keep it from getting too fresh, is a secondary matter as compared to whether he is protected or not.

The man who feels that way about it is too hopelessly dense to provide himself with an umbrella in the natural way should a shower come, and deserves to get a ducking.

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Another Japanese Loan.

London, Aug. 17.—Japan, according to the correspondent at Tokio of the Daily Telegraph will shortly issue a debenture loan in connection with the Manchurian railway. The issue will be made largely in Great Britain and the United States.

Suspect Arrested.

Brandon, Man., Aug. 17.—One arrest was made last night in connection with the shooting of a Galician in a boarding car at Kemnay, a companion of the murdered man being the accused. However the police believe they have got the right man.

A DISCIPLE OF FRANKLIN.

Judge (abruptly): "One dollar."
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Basket No. 3

Colored Neck Ribbons, with stripes of blue, pink, lavender, gray and yellow, 5 inches wide, formerly 25c; this sale 15c

Basket No. 4

Handsome Persian Ribbons, with large flowers in various colors, 4½ and 6 inches wide, regular 75c for 60c, and 35c for 25c

Basket No. 5

Ladies' and Misses' Fine Belts of white kid, with brass buckles and white dark, and pique with colored piping, formerly 35c and 50c; this sale 25c

Basket No. 6

Ladies Black and Tan Embroidered Cotton Hose, and black, with natural wool soles; sizes 8½, 9, and 9½, formerly 35c; this sale 25c

Basket No. 7

Astounding values in Wash Goods, muslins, ducks, and ginghams, many worth 25c and even 35c; go at 12 1-2c

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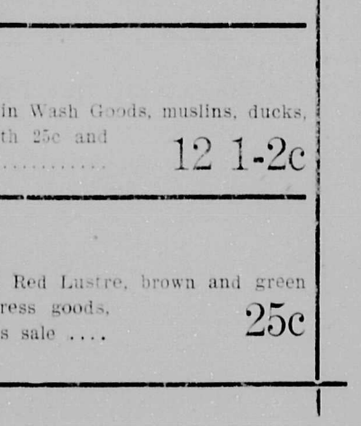

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Local News Briefly Told

Senior Championship lacrosse match this afternoon.

The A. B. C. cannery on the south side of the river has closed for the season.

A large party of Hindoos left on the Transfer yesterday to work in the lumber yards at Ladner.

A car load of rice tea and wine came in from China yesterday, consigned to local Chinese merchants.

The Rev. J. S. Henderson has returned to the city after being away a few weeks on his annual holiday.

The Blaine carnival will open on Monday next. A number of citizens have expressed their intention of taking in the celebration.

The residents of Ladner will today vote upon the bylaws regarding the lighting of the town and the selling of certain town lots to the G. N. R. company.

The two half breeds who were arrested Thursday afternoon while under the influence of liquor, were fined $2.50 and costs at the police court yesterday morning.

Sockeyes are still a very scarce article in the cannery. Yesterday most of the fishermen drew "skunks." There is a fairly good run of springs and an odd steelhead is creeping into the catch.

Officer Johnston arrested a man named Simpson yesterday afternoon, while the latter was cutting capers on the street, the result of too many potations. Simpson will face the police magistrate this morning.

A big Swede, named Peterson, forfeited $5 bail by not appearing at the police court yesterday morning when his name was called. He was wanted to answer a charge of having been drunk on the public street.

Mrs. McLean and daughter and Miss Edgar of Brandon spent a few hours in the city yesterday afternoon and left for Portland and other coast cities where they will spend a few weeks before returning to their home in the wheat city.

The Robert Dunsmuir came into port via the North Arm last evening with a ten swifter boom of logs in tow. The logs came from the International Logging company's camp on Burrard inlet and were taken to the Fraser River mills.

The civic steam roller is busy these days at Leopold Place where the road bed is being built up with crushed rock from Pitt lake and rolled smooth and hard. That section of the street will soon be one of the firmest and best in the city.

The funeral of the late Joseph Bush Edwards was held yesterday afternoon at the English church cemetery, Sapperton the Rev. Mr. Bell officiating. A large crowd of relatives and friends attended. The pall bearers were: David Burnett, B. Chisdell, John Buck, John Hanson, James Murphy and William Johnston.

Miss Fraser who was for some time connected with the local teaching staff left for her new school at Trail yesterday. She was accompanied by one of her former pupils of Revelstoke, named Erick Anderson, who has been visiting at her home here during the holiday season. He will accompany her as far as his home in Revelstoke.

Chief McIntosh has received an invitation to attend a convention of chief constables to be held in Toronto early next month. The chief does not think that he will be able to attend the convention, as he is kept busy at this time of the year looking after the welfare of the many Siwashes who develop a taste for strong liquor after the fishing season is over.

The Maple Leafs of Vancouver and the New Westminster seniors play a championship lacrosse match at Queen's Park this afternoon.

Robert McDonald, the eleven months old son of Robert McDonald of Victoria, died at the Orphanage yesterday morning from dysentry. The body will be interred in the Oddfellows' cemetery at Sapperton this afternoon. Mr. McDonald was over from Victoria early this week, but left again on Wednesday. A telegram was sent to him at Victoria advising him of the child's death.

The following will represent New Westminster in the cricket match to be played in Vancouver this afternoon; E. Peers, T. Oddy, P. Lashman, Rev. C. W. Houghton, A. Malins, Howard, Lacey, J. H. Vidal, E. Bacchus, Faulder and C. Purvis. On Monday the New Westminster team will travel to Victoria where they are to take part in the cricket tournament taking place in the capital city next week.

Flags have been flying over Chinatown during the past few days in honor of one of the numerous Chinese festivals. Kite flying has been indulged in by a number of the residents of that section and the fanciful designs of a number of the kites have attracted considerable interest and attention. One kite was at the end of 700 feet of string yesterday, and was in the form of a large bird with outsrtetched wings.

Duncan McNiven, a farmer who has been an inmate of the Royal Columbian hospital for some time, died at that institution yesterday morning. The cause of his death is given as diabetes of the kidneys. Mr. McNiven was only twenty years of age, and came over recently from Scotland. The funeral will take place at 11 o'clock this morning from Murchie's undertaking parlors to the Masonic cemetery at Sapperton.

The city band will play on Columbia street this evening. On account of many complaints having been received from the local merchants that the crowd that gathered to listen to the band interferred with business, it has been decided that instead of remaining in the same place all the evening as has been done on previous occasions, the band will play a couple of selections in each place, and then move on to some other spot. By thus moving from place to place, the crowd will be occasionally broken up, and people will naturally attend to their shopping before ten or eleven o'clock.

Battle in Hotel.

A man named Brown, who was only released from the penitentiary yesterday after serving a three year term for assault with intent to kill, made things interesting in the Cosmopolitan hotel yesterday evening, when he had a short and sharp struggle with another hotel lounger. Before a decision could be arrived at, the couple were pried apart, and kept apart by main force until their passions had time to cool.

Whiskey Causes Trouble.

Rye juice accounted for two men spending the night behind the bars. Billy Viano was brought to the police station by Officer Bourke, who found him sleeping on the C. P. R. tracks. Officer Stephens escorted the other transgressor, Tom Luff, from the Fraser hotel to the lockup after Tom had several times dared him to do it. Tom put up a stiff fight before he would consent to accompany the officer, and after arriving at the station acted in a manner that led the police to believe that the man would develop an attack of delerium tremens before the night was over. Both will parade this morning before the police magistrate.

Partner Had It.

A fisherman reported to the city police yesterday evening that his boat had been stolen from the wharf where he had tied it up. While the alleged robbery was being investigated, the fisherman made a second call at the station explaining that his partner had taken the boat across the river and would be back the same evening. The man had forgotten all about his partner's trip when he made the complaint.

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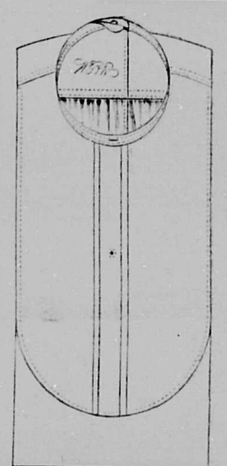

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A LITTLE NONSENSE.

How a Bumble Bee Made a Sprinter Out of Critic.

One day as the Bumble Bee was sitting on the top rail of a fence and swinging his legs and taking things easy a man came along and called out:

"Ah, here you are, loafing around as usual. Do you know that you are called the laziest of the insect kingdom? You toil not, neither do you spin, but are always eating the bread of others."

"That's a little way I have fallen into," replied the Bumble without ill feeling.

"Then you had best fall out of it. My dear sir, everybody works but father, and if you want to save your character get busy."

"I think I will, and thanks for your interest in me."

Thereupon the Bumble went at it and "lifted" the man three feet from the ground and ran him around two haystacks and a cider mill to be met with the complaint:

"Alas, but owing to your activity and the vigorous manner in which you do business you have given me palpitation of the heart and caused me to lose a whole day's work."

Moral — He who wakes up a sleeping dog should be prepared to outrun him.—Chicago News.

Unconscious Greatness.

"The ancestors of whom you boast," remarked the reproving friend, "displayed no such pride as yours."

"Certainly not," answered the haughty person, "why should they? They had no means of knowing they were to be my ancestors."—Washington Star.

Blase.

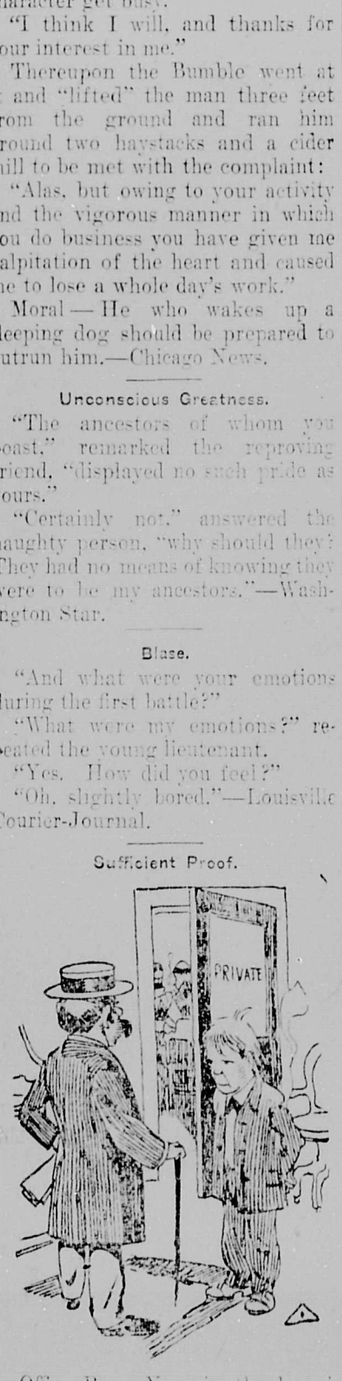
"And what were your emotions during the first battle?"

"What were my emotions?" repeated the young lieutenant.

"Yes. How did you feel?"

"Oh, slightly bored."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Sufficient Proof.



Office Boy—Yes, sir, the boss is out.

Caller—Indeed! There seems to be some one in his office. How do you know he's out?

Office Boy—'Cause I just heard 'im swear an' call for "another stack o' blues."—Philadelphia Press.

Looking Forward.

Scientist—I know I haven't long to live, doctor, and when I die I want you to perform an autopsy. I'm very anxious to know just what's the matter with me.—Translated For Tales From Fliegende Blatter.

Gently Reminded.

"So soon forgot," murmured the visitor sadly.

"Oh, brace up! What are you thinking about?"

"That five I lent you last week for a day!"—Detroit Free Press.

A Marine View.

"A vessel is different in one way from anything else."

"How so?"

"It is when she is tied up that she can't make knots in her record."—Baltimore American.

Easy.

"Where does Lucia get her beautiful golden hair from?"

"From her father."

"Is he blond?"

"No, but he is a chemist."—Il Motto por Ridere.

Why She Loves Him.

She—Wealth is man's worst enemy.

He—That is the reason woman loves him for the enemies he has made, I suppose.—Yonkers Statesman.

Played In Luck.

Rowan—Did you have any trouble in learning to play the cornet?

Bloit — None worth mentioning. All the neighbors were poor shots.—Chicago News.

Utterly Frivolous.

"Bliggins doesn't take anything seriously."

"No," answered the fan, "not even a baseball game."—Washington Star.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

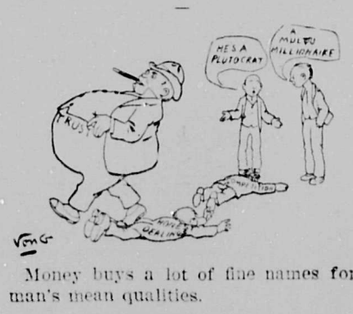
PERT PARAGRAPHS.

It is a mighty strong woman who is able to hold her tongue.

Only a blooming idiot plans a strenuous holiday.

A scrappy couple is apt to find that court calls follow courtship.

You never hear a baldheaded man talking about his football days.



Money buys a lot of fine names for man's mean qualities.

It requires a real artist to be disagreeable and amiable at the same time.

Little sins make themselves so solid with us that we do not know we are partial to them.

While it is doubtless true that there are sermons in stones, there is also quite often a very forceful and pointed hint in a brickbat.

It is a good thing for a lazy man that he doesn't know how to quit breathing, but it is tough on the rest of the world.

People may talk much about the beauties of poverty and not have a passing acquaintance with it.

Sometimes one's truth telling qualities are terribly dwarfed by one's imagination.

The Summer Shower.

How pleasant is the summer shower!
The big drops patter on the street
And lay the dust and freshen things
And help to chase away the heat;
The grateful grass lifts up its head,
And as the gentle raindrops pour
Each blade proceeds to take a drink
And then starts in to grow some more.

The crops that had begun to be
Afraid they wouldn't quite mature
Feel healthy once again and say,
"It's great to take the water cure."
The lettuce and the onion bed,
The parsley and the cabbage stalk
Look pleasant and would like to say,
"We thank you, sir," if they could talk.

The eager urchin sheds his shoes—
Of water he is not afraid—
And hurries out between the drops
To find a dandy place to wade.
And even from their lowly beds
The angleworms begin to climb
That on the sidewalk they may stroll
To greet the rain in summer time.

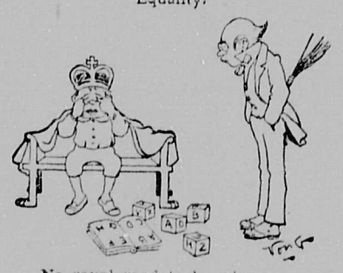
Oh, yes; I guess it makes it pretty poor,
But still it seems to make a hit
Unless you happen to be out
With no umbrella in your mitt.
Though while all nature is so glad
You do not have the heart to fret,
Still you would like it quite as well
Or better were it not so wet.

Vulgar Display.

"I hear the Jinksleys are washing their dirty linen in public."

"Yes; they are now rich and want their neighbors to know how many pieces they have."

Equality.



No royal road to learning,
No flowery paths of ease,
For kings can't substitute a man
To learn their A B C's.

Good For That.

"What have you in that bottle?"

"Nerve tonic," replied the druggist.

"Is it good?"

"Oh, yes; it sells excellently."

His Father Knew.

"What are you going to do for your son?"

"Give him a chance to show some other man how smart he is."

Evidence.

"I didn't think young Snitely would marry for money."

"Who said he did?"

"Didn't I see the bride?"

To Be Expected.

"Notice how much foam they put on top of the glasses this year?"

"Sure; you couldn't expect a square deal out of a round glass."

Human Nature.

If work were play
And play were work
We'd work all day,
And play we'd shirk.

Wanted to Please Him.

"How Billy's sweetheart is powdered tonight!"

"Yes; she heard him say that he liked extra pale."

Unfortunately.

"All men were born free and equal."

"Yes; but precious few of them ever worked much at it."

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PERLEY G. KEYES,
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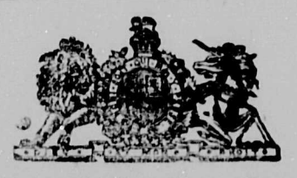
Department of the Interior, Ottawa, June 23, 1906.



Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dredging in the Rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each ta... ...m of twenty years, renewfor a te... ...eretion of the Minister able in the di... of the Interior.

The lessee's right is co... ...fined to the submerged beds or bars of t... ...e river below any low water mark, and s... ...b- for first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty same as placer mining.

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

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

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

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

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

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction thereof is sufficient. Rental, $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of two and a half per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Modern Woman

To Get Old and Ugly Give Full Play to Your Bad Temper. Worry and Eat Your Heart Out Over Disappointments :: :: ::

"No mortal but myself knows what I have gone through the last six months," said a woebegone, tumbledown faced girl not long ago. The girl had during the time mentioned a home, food and clothing. Financially she was not so well off as she would have liked to be, but she was in no immediate dire need. The only answer that could be made to her observation was, "Then what did you go through it for?" The girl had almost gone crazy because she could not get something she had set her heart on; that was all. To be happy she had only to sit down upon her foolish imagination and get busy about some work and force her mind into another channel. Then, instead of looking like a tombstone wherever she appeared and looking ten years older than her age besides, she would have made herself be and seem a fair, pleasant maid, welcome among all her acquaintances. Girls, you can stop worry. Never tell me you cannot. When any great disappointment or evil comes to you to be "gone through," just say to yourself: "I respectfully decline to go through it. I refuse to enter even the gate of it I refuse such as look in." Then turn or as much elsewhere and make yourself engage in useful work, make yourself think about cheerful, agreeable things. Call up your sense of humor and see the merry side of life in everything. There is absolutely nothing on this planet worth losing your good looks and good digestion for. It is certain that we can stop worrying, no matter what the provocation. The way to do it is just mentally to decline to worry. A writer suggests that when a woman is overcome with the blues she should stand before her mirror and "look pleasant." The contrast between the rueful, snoopy face when it is worrying and the bright, pretty one it becomes when it persists in looking pleasant is of itself enough to make a woman laugh.

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A lady recently confided to me what she and a lady with whom she has the ordinary feminine calling acquaintance talk about when they exchange visits. "She tells me about her troubles and diseases and her new clothes, and I tell her about my troubles and diseases. Isn't that a fine layout?

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Women in Tasmania, the big heart shaped island lying away off at the southernmost point of Australia, now have full suffrage. Tasmania is part of a monarchy. In the republic of the United States women have suffrage in only four of the forty-six states.

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The time may come when men themselves will seek to be admitted to the splendid institutions and organizations built up by women—and knock in vain.

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The ideal woman is she who combines with the distinctive refined and sympathetic qualities of her sex the courage, force and executive ability usually attributed to a man.

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A newspaper dispatch says that a man who lost his speech twenty-one years ago one day this summer astonished everybody, himself as much as any, by suddenly, after feeling a tickling in his throat, exclaiming to his brothers, "Is this hot enough for you?" On the whole, isn't it rather a pity he recovered his talking power?

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A girl near New York city has started a frog farm as a means of gaining a livelihood. It is a wonder more women do not do this in suitable localities. A suitable locality would be among ponds near a good market, especially in the neighborhood of summer resorts.

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You would hardly believe it, yet it is a fact that the name of Betsy Ross, who made and largely designed the first American flag, the star spangled banner, is not found in any American encyclopedia or dictionary of names. At the same time, every twopenny politician or obscure speaker whom the four corners of the earth could be raked up to discover is there. Is not that a comment on man's treatment of woman? Never mind! Women are going to make an encyclopedia one of these days.

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The sun do move. A minister of one of the most conservative church denominations in Christendom admitted in a recent discourse that the epistle to the Hebrews, now conceded by the Scripture commentators to be the work of some other author than Paul, was written "possibly by a woman."

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The best woman rifle shot in England is declared to be Lady Eileen Roberts, daughter of Lord Roberts, commander in chief of the British army.

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The universal verdict is that wherever women are permitted to take part in school elections and become members of boards of education the schools have improved. Sanitation is better, schoolhouses and school grounds are cleaner and more attractive, and quite frequently the schools themselves have been lifted out of political graft. Women now have school suffrage in thirty states.

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Morgan Raises the Figure.

At a meeting of the Chilliwack council on Thursday evening, J. Burtt Morgan, the promoter of the Chilliwack Power company's tramway scheme, addressed the reeve and councillors at some length upon his proposed scheme. The meeting had been called for the purpose of passing the bylaw which would grant the B. C. E. R. Co. permission to build their line, but after the address by Mr. Morgan, the meeting adjourned without a vote being taken on the subject.

A feature that was brought out at the meeting was that when Mr. Morgan had a conference with Mr. Buntzen, managing director of the B. C. E. R. company, the matter of repaying the amount paid out in assessments by the shareholders of the Morgan scheme was fixed by Mr. Morgan at $9,000. This amount Mr. Buntzen agreed to refund to the shareholders.

After a consultation with two lawyers, Mr. Morgan came to the conclusion that he had underestimated the amount of the debentures, and he has since increased the claim to $14,000. Whether Mr. Buntzen will consent to pay the extra price or not has not yet been ascertained, but it is thought by some parties that this sudden raise will have the effect of retarding the construction of the tramway in the district.

Collecting Poll Tax.

F. Dashwood Jones, provincial tax collector and Provincial Constable Wilkie took a trip across the river yesterday for the purpose of collecting the poll tax from several individuals who had persistently refused to pay the amount required by law. Quite a neat little sum was realized by the trip, the party returning about 10 o'clock last night.

Hard Up in Victoria.

A letter has been received in this city from the Rev. Mr. Boulton, of Victoria, in which he states that on account of the deplorable condition of the finances of the Victoria lacrosse club, owing to lack of support, they will be unable to provide for a game with the New Westminster intermediate lacrosse team in Victoria this year.

Maple Leafs Sanguine.

The Maple Leafs are as sanguine of winning this afternoon's lacrosse match as if they had never lost a game this season. The fact that Feeney and Wintemute will not be on the field is taken as a sure sign that the game is as good as won. The New Westminster players also expect to have a look in sometime during the game, and are relying on their own ability to win, and not on the weakness of the other team. The referees will be Matt Barr and Wells Gray.

Thief Worked Here.

Solomon Holstein, a Jew with a bad reputation who was convicted of several hotel thefts in Victoria this week and condemned to sixteen months imprisonment, has been identified as having been connected with a robbery case here two weeks ago. When he was searched, a pair of gold rimmed glasses was found on him, bearing the name H. Ryall, New Westminster, on the frame. Among his effects was a fur collarette stolen from the Cosmopolitan hotel some time ago. His class of crooked work is known as room working among the under world of which he forms a part, and his favorite method of making money is to take a room at a hotel, and steal articles from the other rooms during the absence of the lodgers.

Saved Themselves.

An accident almost occurred on Gilley Brothers' derrick a couple of days ago at Lulu Island while the crew was engaged in lifting the machinery of the gold dredge, the Factolus, on board the scow which later conveyed the machinery to Vancouver for reshipment on board the Themis to Dawson. While lifting a specially heavy piece of machinery, the swinging boom snapped off about six feet from the end and the heavy weight which was being lifted went down with a run. The engineer had repeatedly warned the crew to keep from under the hoist while the lifting was in progress and as his advice was conformed to, the accident was not accompanied by serious results.

Nurses From Atlin.

Two nurses from Atlin, Miss Burgess and Miss McTavish, were yesterday the guests of Mrs. L. B. Davies of Fourth avenue. The young ladies had for a considerable length of time been connected with the Atlin general hospital and severed their connection with that institution a few days ago. They must have been very popular in that city as they each brought with them handsome nugget necklaces, six feet long and each composed of Atlin gold nuggets, 188 in number, which were presented them on their leaving by their miner friends. After a short stay in this city, the young ladies propose continuing their journey to Toronto and other eastern points where they will visit friends.

Cows in the Way.

A prominent citizen complains that every day a couple of cattle are pastured on the government reserve between Queen's and Royal avenues. The cows have a playful tendency to break away from their tethers occasionally, and while in the enjoyment of sweet liberty, they invariably make a bee line for the nearest fruit garden, where they manage to do considerable damage in a very short time. Another nuisance is the fact that the ropes are left on the ground at night, and anyone passing along is very apt to get his feet tangled in one of these cow restrainers, with unexpected and unpleasant results. He says it is up to the poundkeeper to dig his spurs into the flank of his charger and investigate the condition of affairs on the reserve.

HOT WINDS CAUSE WHEAT TO SHRINK

Crop of the Northwest is Estimated By the Grain Dealers Association.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 17.—The northwest grain dealers association issued the following estimate of the crop of 1906 under date of Aug. 15:

Wheat—4,495,000 acres at 19.4 bushels per acre, 87, 203,000 bushels.

Oats—1,838,000 acres at 41.2 bushels per acre, 75,726,600 bushels.

Barley—546,000 acres at 31.1 bushels per acre, 16,980,600 bushels.

Flax—55,660 acres at 12.4 bushels per acre, 16,980,600 bushels.

Flax—55,660 acres at 12.4 bushels per acre, 690,184.

Wheat of old crop in farmers' hands to market 310,000 bushels.

Weather conditions for harvesting have been perfect with the exception that perhaps it has been too hot. Fifty per cent. of the wheat is cut and it will practically be all cut by the end of next week if this weather continues.

There has been considerable shrinkage in the average yield of wheat through the hot winds and extreme hot weather during the last two weeks, but there is still a splendid crop in all provinces.

DEBTS OF PRESIDENT CAUSE BANK TO CLOSE

Reason for Suspension of First National of Chelsea is Made Public.

Chelsea, Mass., Aug. 17.—It became understood today that the principal factor in the suspension of the First National Bank of Chelsea was a large indebtedness on the part of President Sylvester B. Hinckley. This indebtedness is unofficially estimated at from $200,000 to $500,000, but statements made today indicate that President Hinckley had transferred to the institution his equity in large real estate holdings which it was expected would provide for payment in full of all depositors. President Hinckley is said to be fatally ill at his home in Newtown.

E. J. Fader left yesterday for a trip to Edmonton and expects to be away ten days.

Suicides on Main Street.

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 17.—Clifford Campbell, C. N. R. news agent suicided by drinking carbolic acid on main street.

Herrera Gives Up.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 17.—Charles Neary tonight won over Aurelio Herrera in the seventh round, Herrera throwing up the sponge.

Farmer Killed.

Carberry, Man., Aug. 17.—William Deustdt, a young farmer while feeding h[illegible] horses was instantly killed by lightning today.

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FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

How the Weeping Willow Came to America.

The weeping willow tree came to America through the medium of Alexander Pope, the poet, who planted a willow on the banks of the Thames at his Twickenham villa. The twig came to him in a box of figs sent from Smyrna by a friend who had lost all in the south sea bubble and had gone to that distant land to recoup his fortune. Harper's "Encyclopedia of United States History" tells the story of the willow's arrival in America.

A young British officer, who came to Boston with the army to crush the rebellion of the American colonies, brought with him a twig from Pope's now beautiful willow tree, intending to plant it in America when he should comfortably settle down on lands confiscated from the conquered Americans. The young officer, disappointed in these expectations, gave his willow twig, wrapped in oil silk, to John Parke Custis, Mrs. Washington's son, who planted it on his Abingdon estate, in Virginia. It thrived and became the progenitor of all our willow trees.

Game of Press Gang.

For this jolly game you want about a dozen boys, one to represent an officer, half a dozen to represent his marines and the rest to represent victims of the press gang.

The officer and his marines catch one of their companions and call out:

"High ship or low ship,
King's ship or no ship."

If he says "high ship" or "low ship" or "king's ship" he is led off a prisoner in charge of two of the gang. But if he says "no ship" he is seized bodily by the entire gang and hustled off to the place reserved for pressed men. He meanwhile kicks and struggles for freedom, thus making a lot of excitement.

After all the victims have either been pressed or have been taken prisoners they in turn represent a press gang and do the same stunts to their companions.

Can't Stand by Themselves.

A great many plants are not strong enough to stand upright by themselves, and as they cannot get enough sun if they lie on the ground they are obliged to clamber up their neighbor's.

Look in the garden and see if you can find a climbing plant, such as a honeysuckle or convolvulus, twisted tightly around a stick to keep it in an upright position. Doesn't it hold on firmly? If you pull it off you will probably break the poor thing off, and it will die.

We Is Fired.

I beg to announce the disappearance from these columns of the editorial "we." Why should it remain? The essayist says "I," the orator says "I." Why shouldn't the editor say "I?" He should and he shall—except when he has passed within his own door—then he will say, "My dear, what had 'we' better do in that matter?" But here in the quiet of this sanctum, barred and double barred against the public, I am a free man, and I boldly declare in the face of my dog and sundry time stained portraits that I (who have often made twain one) will not make one twain. "I" will not be "we."—Cecil Whig.

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