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THISTLES DROP TWO POINTS IN LEAGUE

Rovers Show Fight For the Championship—Three Local Men in International.

By the victory of Westminster on Saturday in the Vancouver District League over the Thistles, and the easy win of Westham Island, there are only left five more matches in the league to be played, and four of the six clubs now in may be said to have a chance for league honors. The Celtics, with one game in hand have 5 points, the Thistles, one less point with two games which they should win, the Rovers with a similar opportunity, 14 points, and Westham Island can make six more points, to their present 13. So that the struggle will be determined by the margin of point. Consequently there will be some very interesting games yet to be played.

Splendid Struggle.

Both teams had fortified themselves from the Island, the Thistles again playing Paddy Hewitt and W. Mitchell, while Hooper and Hearne came over from Cumberland to strengthen the visitors' forward line. The play of Hooper and Hearne fully justified the confidence placed in them, and their brilliant work pleased the large crowd, one of the best at Recreation Park this season. In the absence of Watson, Saul deputised for him in goal, and as Lock could not get away,

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Westward Ho!

The attractive features of Westward Ho! increase each month, and the March number has some articles and illustrations of first-class merit in periodical literature. The principal feature is an illustrated description of the Kootenay lakes forest reserve, with its beautiful scenes of mountain and water. Mr. MacMillan, the author, has caught the spirit of the wilds with perfection. Annie Swan's serial story, "The Explation of John Reedham," grows in interest. Robert Allison Hood writes of Robert Louis Stevenson's philosophy, holding that cheerfulness was his cardinal virtue.

Elder-Dempster Liner Limping.

London, March 14.—The Elder-Dempster steamship Monarch, bound from Liverpool for St. John's, put into Queenstown today with her machinery disarranged. After necessary repairs she will resume her voyage.

The Franco-Canadian Convention.

Paris, March 14.—Mr. Fletcher, chairman of the Canadian Section of the British Chamber of Commerce, hopes that the ratification of the Franco-Canadian Convention by the French Senate will be an accomplished fact in a few days.

Fur Trader Reaches Edmonton.

Edmonton, March 14.—Colin Fraser, a fur trader of Fort Chippewayan, and six trappers arrived in the city today with furs. Fraser said the fur catch in the north is unusually small this year. The winter in the north has been the severest, the Indians having suffered greatly from cold. Fraser has been a fur trader in the north for the past 25 years.

Manila Strike Spreads.

Manila, March 14.—The street railway strike declared last week has extended to the workmen employed by the Manila lighting department. The general agitation in labor circles continues, but no other strikes have been called.

Church Bars Women's Hats.

Boston, March 14.—All women who decline to remove their hats are officially barred from the First Baptist church, of Somerville, Mass., according to an announcement made last night.

Wireless Begins Building.

Everett, March 14.—Construction of the United Wireless company's station in this city was commenced today. It is to be what is known as a three-kilowat station, with a mast 150 feet within two weeks.

ANOTHES PIONEER CROSSES GREAT DIVIDE

Henry Eickhoff Passes Away at Ripe Age—Came Out in Gold Rush to Cariboo.

On Saturday evening one of the oldest residents of New Westminster passed away after a short illness. The late Henry Eickhoff, who was seventy-five years of age, was born in Hanover, Germany, and came to America in the early fifties.

In the gold rush of 1859 he was attracted to British Columbia, and proceeded to the Cariboo, where he visited again in 1862, after returning from a trip east. Not being successful as a miner, he established a store in the city, and later added a temperance hotel. These he conducted till 1889, when he sold out his business interests and his real estate holdings.

Mr. Eickhoff was of a very retiring disposition, and was never known by his intimate friends ever to make an unkind remark of his neighbors. He outlived his wife some six months.

Five children, three sons and two daughters survive, all residents of the city. The sons are Fred, Alfred W. and Victor, and the daughters, Mrs. J. C. Tunstall and Mrs. W. H. Keary, wife of the Mayor.

The funeral takes place this morning at 9 o'clock from the residence on Second Street to St. Peters Pro-Cathedral, where a requiem high mass will be sung by Rev. Father O'Boyle. The pall-bearers are all old friends of the deceased as well as being pioneers. J. C. Armstrong, J. S. Clute, Sr., B. W. Shiles, A. H. McBride, T. W. Gray and James Wise. The interment will be at the Catholic cemetery.

DISPELLING FOG BY USE OF HERTZIAN WAVES

French Engineer Conducts Interesting Experiments Which Have Proved Theory.

Paris, March 14.—M. Dibos, a French engineer, is at present conducting a series of experiments on the English Channel, which have given rise to the hope that New York Harbor may ultimately be kept free of fog. Attracted by the English experiments for dissipating fog by means of electrical discharges, M. Dibos conceived the idea of a combination of Hertzian waves. Beneath a powerful Hertzian plant, which emits waves of 40,000 volts, he has placed four huge blow-pipes, directed to the four points of the compass. Simultaneously with the discharge of the Hertzian waves, the blow-pipes, each giving a temperature of 2,000 degrees Centigrade were lighted. In from 20 to 30 minutes a thick fog was dispersed over a zone of 200 yards. Encouraged by this success the experiments will be continued.

TELEGRAPHERS STRIKE ENDS SUDDENLY IN PARIS

Cowed by Threat of Dismissal, Which Implied Loss of State Servant Privileges.

Paris, March 14.—The strike of the telegraph operators in this city ended late yesterday afternoon as suddenly as it began. The operators yielded before the energetic attitude of the government, which threatened instant dismissal unless work was resumed, with the loss of state servant privileges. Tonight the service was normal. For several hours yesterday the city was cut off from telegraphic communication with the outside world, a general strike following a quarrel between a subchief and the men.

Nine Months for Cruel Joke.

Kenora, March 14.—H. M. Hill, who stole the letters of a man of the same name and played a cruel joke on the latter's wife by writing her to the effect that her husband had been killed, was sent to the central prison for nine months yesterday.

COQUITLAM LAKE DAM VISITED BY EXPERTS

Three Engineers Examine Power Dam Proposal—Citizens Represented.

The last expert report from the engineers examining into the proposed Coquitlam lake dam will be forthcoming in time for the resumed application before the provincial executive on Wednesday next.

Willis Chipman, C.E., the engineer selected by the citizen's committee, went up to the lake on Saturday, and spent that day and Sunday looking over the situation. Owing to a number of causes there was but a small attendance from the city council and citizen's committee, those attending being Alderman Garrett, John A. Lee and J. S. Bryson from the citizen's committee. City engineer Blackman also accompanied the party, with superintendent of waterworks Stott. At Westminster Junction the party was met by George Sydney Binckely, C.E. representing the Vancouver Power company, who are building the dam. They drove by way of the pipe line road to the head of the Coquitlam river.

Clearing in Progress.

The Vancouver Power company has about 30 men at work clearing the land below the lake, many acres of which will be submerged. The proposal is to prepare it sufficiently to give visiting engineers and others an idea of the surface to be submerged, and actual work will be rushed as soon as the government gives an answer.

Meanwhile a large portion of the preliminary survey for the proposed tram line from Westminster Junction to facilitate the progress of the dam has been completed, the surveyors who have been working from the Junction northward have now started in a southerly direction from the lake outfall to tie up the line.

Other Activities.

A number of test holes have been sunk near the proposed site of the new dam below the present one, with a view to discover the stratas underlying the surface material, having in view the foundations and other reasons.

The swamp land west of the outfall of the lake is still untouched, snow covering much of the surface of the morass. The cribbing at the existing dam has been raised all round, and some temporary work put in to keep it in condition pending construction.

Widening Tunnel.

Work is also progressing on the tunnel between Lakes Coquitlam and Buntzen, the idea being to increase the capacity of the tunnel from nine feet to thirteen feet wide. A small contract on this section of the work has been placed in the hands of Armstrong, Rennie and Campbell, of Vancouver.

The engineers later visited the tunnel, and posted themselves on a location for the intake pipe belonging to the Westminster city waterworks system, which the company has promised to remove farther up the lake.

DEER HERDED DOWN AND THEN SLAUGHTERED

Kamloops, March 14.—The provincial police are now investigating a case of illegal deer killing in the vicinity of Notch Hill.

The pelts of eleven deer were found secreted in a bush about three miles up Scotch Creek and across the lake from Notch Hill. They represented four does, three bucks, and four fawns.

The deer were apparently herded down by some unknown party and killed. The police are at present working on a strong clew and they have every hope of ascertaining the guilty party.

Ask Canada for Team.

Wellington, N. Z., March 14.—Premier Ward, speaking at a rifle championship meeting, expressed the hope that as the New Zealand and Australian states would send teams to complete in the empire rifle shooting meeting in Australia next October, that Canada and Great Britain would also be represented.

COLLEGE LADS ARE BASKETBALL CHAMPS

Columbians Defeat Vancouver in B. Division—Lose Out in A. Division.

The basketball teams from Columbian college made a very creditable showing in the junior provincial tournament at the Vancouver Y. M. C. A. on Saturday, winning the championship in the B division (15 years and 125-pound weight limit), and making second place in A division (17 years and 135-pound weight limit). The boys had set their hearts on winning out in the senior class, but they were somewhat consoled over their defeat by being first in the second division.

The local Class A team was beaten by the Y. M. C. A. in their first game by a score of 27 to 17. The losers were ahead at halftime, but became rattled when their opponents gained the lead in the second half and were unable to catch up. In their second game against Victoria, they outclassed the island quintette in every point, but played easily with them in the hope that the Capital City team would by some luck beat the Y. M. C. A. and so give the College lads another change for first place. The score of this match was 29 to 18, but might have been several times as much for New Westminster. When the Y. M. C. A. played Victoria they did not take any pains to spare them, and the final score was 55 to 6 in Vancouver's favor.

The second team from the College had an easy run in all its matches, winning from the Christ Church by 22 to 20, from Y. M. C. A. No. 2 by 45 to 5; and from Y. M. C. A. No. 1 by 29 to 18.

The championship of the Class C (13 years, 115-pound weight limit) was won by the Y. M. C. A. from the Christ Church, their only rivals.

All the games were good exhibitions of basketball, and some of them were exceptionally classy. The match between the first division fives of the College and Y. M. C. A. was faster than most senior games, and was good basketball throughout. The result of the tournament was somewhat of a surprise to the College students, for it was thought that if either of their teams were beaten it would not be the Class A.

The local players were: Class A—Forwards, Kenny, Smith; centre, Davidson; guards, Gifford and Priest. Class B (Champions) — Forwards, MacArthur, White; centre; Maxwell and Berry; guards, J. Gifford, Cook.

LABOR SCORES POINT AGAINST STOVE FIRM.

Washington, March 14.—The American Federation of Labor in the future may freely refer to the boycott against the Buck Stove & Range Company, of St. Louis, except by inclusion in the "We don't patronize" list.

This, in substance, of widespread importance to the labor world, to manufacturers and to newspapers generally, is the sweeping decision handed down yesterday by the court of appeals of the District of Columbia in the noted injunction case of the Buck Stove & Range Company against the American Federation of Labor.

G. T. P. Terminals.

Winnipeg, March 14.—Brown's land and business exchange of this city has completed the sale of four hundred feet of inner harbor property at Vancouver to the Grand Trunk Pacific railway. The sale price was $127,500. It is understood here that the railway has purchased this property for use as the terminal of its line to Vancouver.

Cruisers to Quiet Natives.

Berlin, March 14.—The admiralty has given orders that the cruisers Liepsig and Arcona and the gunboat Vaguar, under Admiral Koerer, leave the Asiatic station and proceed to Apia, Samoa, to exert a quieting influence on the natives of the German island of Savaii.

Bigamy Law to Restrict Divorce.

Ottawa, March 14.—In the Senate yesterday Mr. Cloran introduced a bill to restrict the evils of divorce by providing that the guilty one of a divorced couple shall not re-marry in Canada, and, if he or she does so, they shall be liable to the bigamy provisions of the Criminal Code.

ELEPHANTS AND TIGERS MENACING BRITISH INDIA

Destruction of Wild Beasts Becomes Problem for Officials—Bounties for Tigers.

Washington, March 14.—Man-eating tigers and wild elephants, to whose ferocity thousands have paid the penalty of death in British India, lately have become so dangerous that they have proved the chief destroyers of the beautiful forests of that country according to American Consul Gen. William H. Michael, of Calcutta.

Moreover, the extinction of these wild beasts has become a problem to the government officials. Heavy rewards are paid for the destruction of the tigers but the elephants are under the protecting wing of the government and are thereby shielded from harm.

WHIFF OF OPIUM DECLARED HARMLESS

British Government Commission of Opinion That Practice in Moderation Does no Harm.

London, March 14.—The startling opinion that opium smoking in moderation is harmless is expressed by the government commission which has been inquiring into the use of the drug in the Straits Settlement.

"With the exception of those medical practitioners who hold views strongly opposed to opium," says the commissioners in a report issued this week," the medical witnesses are practically unanimous in the belief that the practice in moderation is relatively harmless. A great majority of the evils alleged to result from the habit are applicable only to cases of opium sots, smokers, who indulge to an extent comparable with habitual drunkards' indulgence in alcohol."

The report quotes employers of coolies, the majority of whom are opium smokers, to the effect that they do the same work that abstainers do. The commissioners, having regard to these facts, declared the evils not sufficient to justify legislative interference with the traffic in the Straits.

IMMIGRANTS CROWD PRAIRIE LAND OFFICES.

Winnipeg, March 14.—The land offices were crowded yesterday with settlers and homesteaders who were making enquiries regarding homesteads and the best places to settle These homesteaders intend to make their homes in the various districts tributary to Regina, Moose Jaw, Prince Albert, Calgary, Lethbridge and Edmonton. They will go west as soon as they complete their arrangements for settling.

CHICAGO WILL TAX CHURCH PROPERTY

Parsonage Should no More Be Exempt Than Milk Depot, Say Authorities.

Chicago, March 14.—The church parsonage stripped in the eyes of the law of its traditional sanctity, is slated for taxation this year.

This edict, which wil mean to Cook county an added revenue approximating several hundred thousand dollars, has gone forth from the county attorney's office. It follows a recent decision of the supreme court, which holds a clergyman's home to be just as taxable as a milk depot or a factory.

MILLIONAIRE RENTS CASTLE OF DUNSMUIRS

Victoria, March 14.—After being idle since the death of the late Mrs. Dunsmuir, Craigdarrock, Fort street, more commonly known as Dunsmuir castle, has been let to Irving H. Wheatcroft, proprietor of St. James island and the famous St. James racing stable.

FISHERIES APPEAL TAKES NEW PHASE

Attorney-General Asks For Definition of Jurisdiction From Full Court,

Legislative Library

Following the protracted litigation over the provincial and federal control of the salmon fisheries, which has been crystallized into the action of North vs. Kendall, which went to appeal in the county court, and thence to the full court, where the action was thrown out on technical grounds, the attorney-general has prepared a list of questions which have been sent to Registrar Pottinger for hearing at the next sitting of the full court in Vancouver. They ask for a determination of the power of the province over fishing in tidal waters.

The questions are as follows:

Jurisdiction Under Act.

1. Whenever a regulation is made by the lieutenant-governor in council, under the powers conferred by section 9 of the British Columbia Fisheries act, 1901, and amendments forbidding fishing within any water within the province, except under authority of a fishing lease, permit or license, is not the right to the public and of every individual to take fish in such waters, as defined by said act, taken away to the exent of such prohibition, and are not then the fisheries so dealt with the property of the crown in the right of the province of British Columbia, or in the alternative is not

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HILL SAYS HE IS NOT BUYING IN CROWS' NEST

Denies Report That He is Purchasing Mines and Roads in British Columbia.

St. Paul, March 14.—"The report is untrue. The Great Northern is not making investments in the Crows Nest mines in British Columbia, or in any other section."

The above is J. J. Hill's comment on a report from Toronto that Mr. Hill or the interests he represents, has secured control of the great coal fields at Crows Nest pass, north of Spokane, in B. C. Railroad and other activity in that section has set the Canadian press and railroad men to guessing and as the movement, or whatever it may be termed, cannot be fastened on the Canadian Pacific railway, the next best guess here is J. J. Hill or the Great Northern.

SNUFFED OUT HIS LIFE AS GOOD NEWS CAME

New York, March 14.—Frank G. Bruce, a Yonkers inventor, committed suicide at his home in that city today, just as the postman brought to his door a letter informing him that the United States Patent Office had granted him a patent on a nonrefillable bottle, a device which his friends say is worth $1,000,000. Bruce had become discouraged over the difficuly which he was having in connection with his patent. Twice before he had attempted suicide, but had each time been prevented from carrying out his purpose.

War Is Expected.

Berlin, March 14.—A more pessimistic feeling prevails in official circles today regarding the outcome of the negotiations between Austria-Hungary and Servia. The Servian Government has brough a large quantity of gunpowder from a Saxon factory, for immediate delivery, and has placed an order for half a million bandage rolls for field hospital use.

Endorses Preference.

London, March 14.—The Council of the London Chamber of Commerce has passed a resolution affirming that the Preferential treatment accorded by various self-governing Colonies has been a distinct advantage to the British manufacturers and that the withdrawal of the Preference would be most detrimental to trade between the various parts of the Empire.

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

A. O. U. W.—FRASER LODGE No. 1 —Meetings the first and third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. Lodge room, A. O. U. W. hall, Oddfellows' block, Clarkson street.

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

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

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I. O. O. F.—Royal City Lodge, No. 1 —Meets in Oddfellows' Hall, Columbia Street, every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren will be made welcome. G. E. Gilley, N. G.; C. E. Osborne, P. G., recording secretary.

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BOARD OF TRADE.—New Westminster Board of Trade meets in the Board Room, City Hall, as follows: Third Thursday of each month, Quarterly meetings on the third Thursday of February, May, August and November, at 8 p. m. Annual meetings on the third Thursday of February. New members may be proposed and elected at any monthly or quarterly meeting. A. E. White, Sec.

Fisheries Appeal Takes New Phase

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the sole power to authorize the use by any person of such fisheries in the crown as aforesaid?

Question of Title.

2. Is it not competent for the crown in the right of the province of British Columbia in the exercise of its rights of property in, or of its rights to authorize the use of such fisheries, however acquired, to prescribe the time, place and mode, at and by which lessees or licensees of the crown shall take fish, provided such terms are not made illegal by laws or regulations, enacted or made by or under the authority of the parliament of Canada?

3. Did the grant of land by British Columbia to Canada, made by section 2 of chapter 14 of the Statutes of British Columbia for the year 1884, convey to Canada:

(a). Any right or title to fisheries in the tidal waters embraced in said grant, or any right or title to such fisheries whenever by competent authority the public right of fishing in such waters should be taken away?

(b). Any right or title to fisheries in non-tidal but navigable waters embraced in said grant?

4. Is it competent for the lieutenant-governor in council legally to make all or any of the following fishery regulations set out in schedule A, hereto, assuming that at the time said regulations are made the regulations made by the Dominion authorities in the premises are those set out in schedule B hereto?

The schedules A and B referred to are respectively those setting out the provincial salmon fisheries regulations., and the federal salmon fishery regulation in existence at the time the provincial authorities enacted those contained in schedule A.

END GAMBLING BY LAW IN STATE OF NEVADA

Carson City, Nev., March 14.—The bill to abolish gambling in Nevada was amended today in the senate so as to include all card games that are playing for money or prizes, the law to become effective October 10, 1910.

This meets with the approval of both houses and it is believed that it undoubtedly will be passed, which will mean that the proposition will be submitted to the people at the next general alection.

Women Out to Vote.

Copenhagen, March 14.—Women voted in the municipal elections yesterday for the first time. Under the new law females over 25 years of age and married women whose husbands are taxpayers were entitled to vote. The day was observed as a public holiday. The women displayed excellent organisation and polled a heavy vote . The issue was chiefly between the Socialists and Conservatives.

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LAND ACT.

New Westminster Land District.
District of Sayward.

Take notice that I, C. W. Preston, of Vancouver, occupation farmer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the north shore of south Twin island, thence following the shore easterly, southerly, westerly, northerly and easterly back to point of commencement, taking in the whole island containing 200 acres more or less.

C. W. PRESTON.

Dated Feb. 2nd, 1909.

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NOTICE.

New Westminster District.
District of New Westminster.

Take notice, that Harriet Ford, of Pitt Meadows, B. C., occupation married lady, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Lot 1020, thence west 20 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 18 chains more or less to Agamenmen Channel, thence northerly along the shore to the point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less.

HARRIET FORD.
M. L. GORDON, Agent.

PENITENTIARY SUPPLIES.

Sealed tenders addressed "Inspectors of Penitentiaries, Ottawa," and endorsed "Tenders for Supplies," will be received until Thursday, 25th March, inclusive, from parties desirous of contracting for supplies, for the fiscal year 1909-1910, for the following institutions, namely:

Kingston Penitentiary.
St. Vincent de Paul Penitentiary.
Dorchester Penitentiary.
Manitoba Penitentiary.
British Columbia Penitentiary.
Alberta Penitentiary, Edmonton, Alta.

Separate tenders will be received for each of the following classes of supplies:

1. Coal.
2. Coal Oil.
3. Cordwood.
4. Drugs.
5. Dry Goods.
6. Forage.
7. Fresh Fish.
8. Fresh Meat.
9. Groceries.
10. Hardware.
11. Leather.
12. Milk.
13. Oils and Paints.
14. Pork and Bacon.
15. Portland Cement.
16. Sole Leather.
17. Tinware.

Details of information as to form of contract, together with forms of tender, will be furnished on application to the wardens.

All supplies are subject to the approval of the warden.

DOUGLAS STEWART,
GEO. W. DAWSON,
Inspectors of Penitentiaries.

Department of Justice, Ottawa, February 27, 1909.

VOLUNTEER BOUNTY ACT, 1908. WARNING TO PURCHASERS.

Every assignment of the right of a South African Voluteer entitled to a land grant must be by way of appointment of a substitute and must be in the form provided by the Act.

Special attention is called to Subsection 3 of Section 5 of the Volunteer Bounty Act, 1908, which provides that assignment of the right of a volunteer by the appointment of a substitute shall be accepted or recognized by the Department of the Interior which is not executed and dated after the date of the warrant for the land issued by the Minister of Militia and Defence in favor of the volunteer.

J. W. GREENWAY,
Commissioner of Dominion Lands, Ottawa.

NOTICE.

Application for Wharf and Marine Slip Site on the North Arm of the Fraser River at New Westminster, B. C.

Notice is hereby given that I the undersigned, E. Mercer, of the City of New Westminster, B. C., Contractor, intending applied to His Excellency the Governor-in-Council for the approval of a certain site for the construction of a wharf and marine slip situate on the north shore of Lulu Island on the North Arm of the Fraser River have deposited with the Honorable the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa plans of said wharf and slip way which I propose to construct on land covered with water, lying north of and adjoining sub lot 12 of lot "A" of lot group one, New Westminster District, together with a description of the proposed site described by metes and bounds; and have also deposited duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar of Deeds for the said District of New Westminster, in which district the work is proposed to be constructed; in accordance with the requirements of Section 7 of the Navigable Waters Protection Act, R. S. 115, R. S. C., 1906.

Dated at New Westminster, B. C. this 30th day of January, A. D. 1909.

E. MERCER.

OPERA HOUSE BOOKINGS.

March 17—Shaun Rhue.
March 19.—Uncle Tom's Cabin.
March 24.—Harry Beresford.
April 1—The Master Power.
April 2.—Marrying Mary.
April 7.—Blanch Walsh.
April 28.—The Gingerbred Man.

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Sunday Schedule.

Cars leave Vancouver for New Westminster at 8:00 and 9:00 a.m., and every half hour thereafter until 11:30 p.m.

Cars leave New Westminster for Vancouver at 8:00 a.m., and every half hour thereafter until 10:00 p.m. Last car 11:00 p.m.

D. J. McQuarrie, Local Manager, New Westminster.

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Lv. N.W. 4:35 p.m.; ar. Seattle 10 p.m.
Lv. N.W. 12:10 a.m.; ar. Seattle 7:15 a.m.
Lv. Seattle 8:10 a.m.; ar. N.W. 3 p.m.
Lv. Seattle 4:25 p.m.; ar. N.W. 9:55 p.m.
Lv. Seattle 11:30 p.m.; ar. N.W. 6:20 a.m.

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Leaves New Westminster on Tuesday at 10 a.m., returns at 5 p.m. to city. Leaves Thursday, 4 p.m., arrives in city Friday 8:45 a.m. Leaves Friday at 3:50 p.m., arrives in city Saturday at 9 a.m.

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NOTICE.

Take notice that I, C. W. Preston, of Vancouver, B. C., farmer, intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a twenty-one year grazing lease on the following described land: Commencing at a post on the east shore of Zayas Island, Port Simpson district, about a mile south of the mouth of Lake creek, thence west across the island to the shore, thence following the shore northerly, easterly and southerly to the point of commencement.

No. 2 lease.—Zayas island, Port Simpson district, starting at a post at the southeast corner of No. 1 lease, thence west across the island to the shore, thence following the shore southerly, easterly and northely around to the point of commencement.

C. W. PRESTON.

Jan. 28, 1909

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Agent.

Thistles Drop Two Points in League

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Reid played at half again. The combination was not quite as evident as usual on either side, owing to the importations.

The Only Goal.

The Rovers played a splendid game, particularly in the first half, every man doing his duty. Shawcross from a pass by Hooper, broke through the Thistles' defence, and scored the only goal of the match. Both goals were frequently bombarded, and Saul was almost beaten once. Forrest also worked well at the other end. The visitors' defence proved impenetrable, and the Rovers managed to keep a clean sheet.

It was generally felt Shawcross was the best man on the field, and his play was exceptionally creditable seeing he was out of position. The display on the whole was one of the best this season.

The Teams.

The teams lined up: Westminster: Goal, Saul; backs, Kirby and Bruce; halves, Reid, Sawyer, Carse, forwards, Shawcross, Johnston, Hooper, Hearne, and Caydzien.

Thistles: Goal, Forrest; backs, Gunzeon and Hewitt; halves, Strange, Summers and Neilson; forwards, Cameron, Spence, Mitchell, Steele and Rennie.

Referee: A. Phillips.

Vancouver League.

Westham Island 6
Nationals 0

Rovers' Men Chosen.

Shawcross, for the Englishmen, and Johnson and McGowan for the Scotsmen, have been selected for the international game next month.

FIRST DIVISION STANDING

	W.	L.	D.	Goals. F.	A.	Pts.
Celtics	7	2	2	24	17	16
Thistles	7	2	1	21	11	15
Westminster	6	2	2	19	8	14
Westham Is.	5	1	3	18	7	13
Shamrocks	4	5	2	19	18	10
Nationals	2	8	1	6	35	5
N. Vancouver	0	11	1	—	—	1

Remaining Fixtures To Date.

Westminster—

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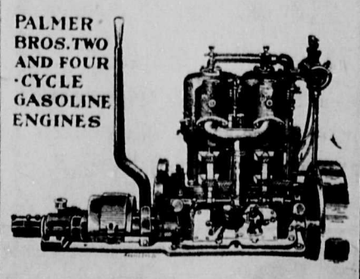

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DOUKHOBORS ARE PREPARING TO TREK

Four Hundred of Verigin's Followers Coming to B. C. This Spring.

Verigin, Sask., March 14.—Four hundred Doukhobors will join in an exodus to British Columbia this spring. They will go to Robson, where land was purchased last year by Peter Verigin, and will build houses and clear land on which they and other Doukhobors, to follow later, will live. Peter Verigin is at the present time in British Columbia, but will return here within a few weeks. Later in the year he will again proceed to British Columbia and it is expected that he will make his permanent home there.

The decision of the annual meeting of the Doukhobors with reference to the movement to British Columbia was that two men and their families should be sent from each of the villages, about 125 men in all. With their wives and children this would make a party of 400, which Mr. Verigin believed would be enough for the present spring. The plan which was considered at the annual meeting has not been followed in the selection of the men. A better method has been adopted and instead of sending two men from each of the villages, the men who have been chosen are those who have been on the poorest lands. Those who are on the best land will continue to cultivate it and will remain permanently in Saskatchewan. The members of the colony who will go west this spring will drive across country to Broadview, since by doing so they will effect a large saving over the Yorkton route. They will take with them a large number of oxen, horses, cattle and farm machinery. They will also take a very large engine which has been in use in the brickyard in Verigin. The financial condition reported at the annual meeting was considered very satisfactory. The amount owing by the community for land and supplies amounted to $300,000, but the community had $400,000 worth of saleable goods on hand, exclusive of their land holdings, etc.

S. Reibin, one of the leaders of the community, was anxious to retire this year and to spend two years in rest from the care of the community, but he was re-elected and will remain in office.

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15—Sapperton.
16—Royal Columbian hospital.
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24—Third Avenue and Second.
25—Fifth Avenue and Fourth.
26—Fifth Avenue and Eighth.
27—Third Avenue and Tenth.
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W. A. DUNCAN,
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City Hall, March 5, 1909.

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LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

The legislative session has closed after an unusually brief sitting, with but meagre results so far as the legislation passed is concerned. The magnum opus of the government, the Water Bill, has become law, a mass of ill-digested legislation, as the leader of the opposition described it, placing the position of water rights in a more involved condition than before. It is very doubtful if the government will have made the condition of the applicant for records from the public waters of the province any easier by this enactment.

The Public Service act will be welcomed by both parties, as an attempt to place the civil service of the province on a better footing, but the Provincial Elections bill would have had a different ending but for the stubborn and brave fight put up by the opposition through the recent all-night sitting. The government, however, was so anxious to rush law making through, and return to the comparative freedom from criticism enjoyed by the ministry during the recess that they abandoned their position and fixed a time limit in the interests of the wage-earner. This piece of legislative effort is certainly no compliment to the resources and plans of the imperious attorney-general.

Valuable legislation of a minor character was passed in the amendment to the Municipal Clauses act, of special benefit to this community which expects shortly to come under its operation, and the Club License act, which clears up a difficult phase of municipal control, and places restrictions on bogus social premises.

Among the bills about which public opinion was most strongly stirred was the Medical and Surgery bill and that dealing with the inspection of hospitals, private nursing homes, and sanatoriums, and here again the government had to give way in the face of public feeling.

Other matters in which the executive was called upon to express itself clearly and definitely in the interests of the province, as with regard to the applications of the many deputations which waited on the executive early in the session showed the determination of the McBride ministry to temporize, and determine affairs in a politcal rather than statesmanlke manner. The action of the ministers over the local option petition, the surrender to the American speculators concerning timber berth leases, though postponed till next session for confirmation, and other circumstances all point out that this ministry of all the talents is not what it might be.

The opposition, led by Mr. Macdonald, and ably supported by Mr. John Oliver and Mr. Stuart Henderson, has done great work for the province, though without office, and has kept check on a government loudly proclaiming its superb management of provincial finances, through the sale of the natural resources of the province.

So far as the tone of discussion is concerned we think the legislature of British Columbia can favorably compare with any provincial or state legislature in the British empire.

OPTICIANS ORGANIZE.

We are glad to notice that the opticians of the province propose to organize in their interests and the interests of the public, as is being done in Manitoba. The business at the present time is in the hands of men many of whom are honest, but there are also a large number of fakirs who profit by the ignorance of the public upon optical matters.

The human eye is a priceless asset. In an age of hard indoor work, close application and very often poor light the eye is subject to serious strain. The fakir has seized the opportunity to impose his spurious knowledge and often dangerous wares on unsuspecting people.

It is high time that the public should be protected against such imposition. There is no more reason why there should be promiscuous sale of eyeglasses than there should be promiscuous sale of drugs, and there is not much more reason why there should be a standard of competency for physicians than there should be a standard of competency for opticians.

Legislation on the subject will, we think, be welcomed by the public, who feel the present unrestricted sales far from satisfactory when the importance of eyesight is concerned.

Correspondence

(The Daily News is not responsible for the opinions of its correspondents.)

TIME TO AWAKEN.

Editor Daily News:

Sir,—How much longer are the people of New Westminster going to remain quiet before they awaken to the necessity of advancing with the times? We have been daily expecting the evidences of action by the Board of Trade of this city, in the direction of an energetic publicity campaign, and it is high time that the old lethargy be cast aside and a new era inaugurated.

The accredited agents of every district throughout Canada have been busily employed for many months past while we have been idle; and their representatives are now hard at work with both investigators and newly-aroused settlers; about a month ago our citizens were led to expect speedy action in this dirtction, but so far there is no evidence of actual work in the interests of the city, and unless the appointment of a publicity commissioner is made without further delay it cannot be expected that satisfactory progress be made this year; no matter how energetic, or competent, the man may be who has been selected by the committee, it will be impossible for him to enter into correspondence with prospective settlers at a distance and induce them to visit our district this season, if the delay is continued much longer.

Advertising is an art, thoroughly understood by only a very limited number of men, but every business man realizes its necessity and importance to himself as an individual: When, however, it comes to dealing with the point of publicity work for the benefit of the entire community, few of us consider how valuable it is to us individually; or realize the impetus it gives to a city when systematically carried through—for it is the tradesman who receives the far greater proportion of benefit from the very start, when such a campaign is successfully organized and skilfully executed. No man therefore, who has the welfare of the city or himself at heart, should permit further procrastination without comment; the "powers that be" must be made clearly to understand that the citizens expect them to provide ample means for advertising, and thus extending this city and its industries.

The civic authorities and citizens of Vancouver have taken up the matter in the interests of their district with the utmost energy; and it is the opinion of many of our own prominent men of affairs that every day of delay is detrimental to our interests. In thus voicing the public feeling I would urge for a speedy grant being made, and strenuous efforts put forth to minimize the valuable time already lost. The enlarging of our civic income is one of the greatest functions entrusted to the authorities, and every new settler not only helps in this direction, but is a prospective "drummer" for the home of his adoption.

New Westminster, in order to secure an enlarged prosperity, requires an increasing stream of settlers; for, if the knowledge of our climatic and other advantages are not properly disseminated, the merchants and others who possess material or commercial interest in the city cannot expect that rapid expansion of trade which existing conditions justify.

We must not delay in advertising "ourselves" and our possibilities any longer; never have the conditions been so favorable as at present, but three valuable months have been wasted in talk, and are now lost beyond recovery. We can, however, "force the pace," and show that our city—which is foremost in matters appertaining to sport—is equally energetic in commercial enterprise; we must show that we are in the "running," and determined to be in the first line for every mercantile prize which may come, or be brought by our efforts into Western Canada.

The desire of every citizen must be, to make the "Royal City" known—not only on this continent, but also in every town and hamlet in the motherland—as a leader of mercantile energy and enterprise! The time is ripe for us to move ahead more rapidly than we have in the past if we are to hold our own as a commercial and shipping port.

The easiest and most effective way of increasing our reputation and influence is for the city, the Board of Trade, and the exhibition committee to work together on this publicity question which is so vital to our interests, individual and collectively, both now and in the future.

CIVIS.

New Westminster, March 14, 1909.

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THE DAILY NEWS
Westminster's Home Paper.

MACHINE WILL ANNOUNCE DEPARTURE OF TRAINS

Winnipeg, March 14.—"All aboard for points west." No more will the strenuous lunged train caller be heard calling out this familiar call at the C. P. R. station. Machine has replaced man, and starting in at an early date a huge gramaphone will call out the departure of trains in a voice that will be both hearable and pleasing to all.

This innovation was planned by Gen. Man. Bury, and it is believed to be unique in railway history.

Teamster Hurt in Accident.

W. Ellwood, a teamster employed at the asylum was the victim Saturday of an accident while returning from Vancouver with a team of horses, which became frightened at the approach of a street car near Davis' nurseries, Ellwood being thrown down and trampled upon. Conveyed to the asylum by Dr. Doherty's motor car, it was decided, after a preliminary examination by Drs. Doherty and McKay, to remove the injured man to the Royal Columbia hospital, where he will probably remain for a couple of weeks.

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We buy for cash and sell for the same.

Monday Special—Ulster Papetries 15c per Box.

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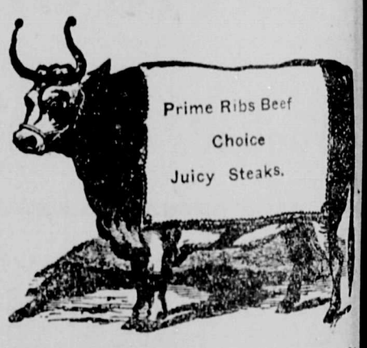

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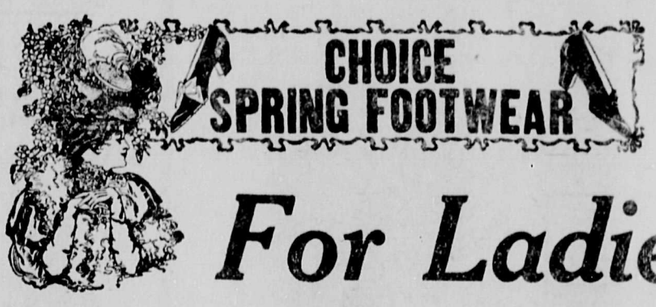

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CITY NEWS

The owner, on giving particulars, may obtain a bicycle at the city police station.

New Moreen Skirts at Smith's at 90c. **

The next monthly sitting of the assize court in this city will commence on May 25.

For first-class cut flowers and any kind of Floral work, telephone Davies' Greenhouse, B208. **

S. H. Farmer, timber cruiser and prospector, has returned from a three months' visit to the old county.

Read the classified real estate ads. on page 2. **

Mrs. (Rev.) E. G. Thompson, of Sapperton, will not receive except on the first Thursday of the month.

For table decorations and wedding bouquets—a specialty. Ring up Tidy, the Florist, 184. **

The annual meeting of the Westminster Civilians Rifle association will be held tomorrow evening.

The monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Royal Columbian hospital will be held on Wednesday next.

Six-dollar Moreen Skirts, all colors, for $2.90, at Smith's. **

The annual meeting of the Westminster Lacrosse club on Friday evening at the City Hall is open to the general public. All are welcome. **

The annual inspection of A and B companies, Sixth Regiment D. C. O. R., will take place on April 26, at 4 p.m., at the armories.

For real estate snaps see page 2, Classified. **

Westminster Lacrosse club annual meeting, Friday, March 19, at 8 p.m., in the City Hall. Everybody invited to attend. **

E. A. Atkins, one of the pioneers of Coquitlam, and an ex-reeve is lying seriously ill at his residence, Dewdney road.

An interesting Irish concert will be given in Princess hall, Sapperton, this evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Knox church. Several popular local vocalists have consented to take part in the program.

Do you want to own your own home? For twenty-five dollars cash you can secure a 50-foot lot on the car line, Burnaby, balance $75, any time within one year. White, Shiles & Co., 260 Columbia street, city. **

Dr. J. H. King, M. L. A. for Cranbrook, spent yesterday in the city, the guest of Dr. C. E. Doherty, medical superintendent of the provincial asylum, leaving for his home in Cranbrook by the evening train.

In the absence of Rev. W. H. Barraclough, who was at Chilliwack on district business, services at Queen's Avenue Methodist church were conducted yesterday by Rev. Prof. Burwash in the morning, and Rev. Principal Sipprell in the evening.

Fales for fancy furniture and Fales for family furniture. Store at the corner of Agnes and McKenzie sts. **

A general entertainment will be held under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. of Columbian college on Thursday evening in the gymnasium. A concert will be given by the girl students.

A. McL. Hawks, accompanied by Mrs. Hawks, and two sons, returned to the city on Saturday. He is advising Gilley Brothers with reference to the development of their quarry at Pitt lake.

A good appearance is an invaluable asset, not a luxury, but a necessity. Ring up B278 and let us renovate your clothes. Royal City Dye Works **

A number of matters will come before the City Council this evening, including the conclusion of the civic estimates, and the question of a grant for advertising.

At the annual meeting of the Mission Liberal association, the following officers were elected: President, G. A. Abbot; vice-presidents, R. Dick, J. Plumridge, F. McRae; secretary-treasurer, F. Verchere; executive, the officers of the association and Messrs. Hughes and Bowie.

Today the new cut-off of the Great Northern railway between Blaine and this city comes into operation. The new customs port of entry will be at White Rock, 19 miles from the city. The other stations will be Cresent, Oliver and Townsend. A tri-weekly service between Port Guichon and the city via Cloverdale will be adopted.

"To and from British Columbia" is the title of a lecture to be given on Friday evening in Queen's Avenue church schoolroom by Rev. J. H. White, D.D., superintendent of missions. The lecture, which is under the auspices of the Women's Missionary society, will be illustrated by about 100 stereopticon views of mission work in different parts of the province.

Deputations waited on the Coquitlam municipal council at their meeting on Saturday with reference to the improvemnt of the Pitt river road from the city boundary to Westminster Junction. Dr. Doherty, medical superintendent of the provincial asylum, and Road Superintendent Sprott attended with regard to the diversion of the road close to the farm colony, which necessitates cutting down a steep hill.

Now for bargains—Remnants of oil cloth, mattings and linoleums going at cost. W. E. Fales' Furniture store, cor. Agnes and McKenzie streets. **

The sequel to the seizure of a launch and goods last summer for importing articles from the American side contrary to customs regulations occurred on Saturday when the launch was sold at a customs sale for $156 to James Anderson, and J. C. Hunter purchased the Perfection gasoline motor for $164. Tobacco, flour and other articles seized were also sold.

The regular meeting of the women's auxiliary of the Royal Columbian hospital will be held this afternoon.

White, Shiles & Co. have two good stores to rent, one on Columbia street, Sapperton, and the other next to the Telephone office. **

By reference to the classified ads. on page 2 it will be seen that Arthur O'Connor has some pure-bred Cockrels of several different species for sale. Mr. O'Connor is a poultry breeder of some fifteen or twenty years standing and holds the record for prize-winners in this province. A News man who is somewhat of a poultry fancier, paid a visit to the quaint octagonal chicken house built and designed by Mr. O'Connor himself, on Sixth avenue, and viewed some of his pure-bred fancy birds, many of which have won honors in all parts of this province. **

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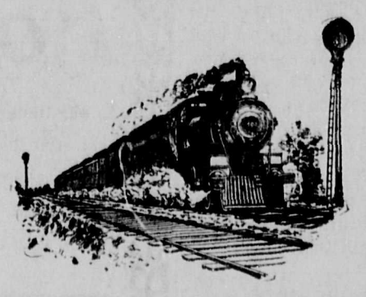

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Bills Passed at Recent Session of B. C. Legislature

The numbers and titles of the bills passed at the recent session of the provincial legislature at Victoria are as follows:

No. 2. An Act to declare the Rights of the Crown in respect to Water and Water Power, and to Amend and Consolidate the Laws of the province relating to the Diversion, Acquisition and use of Water.

No. 4. An Act to Regulate the use of Liquor on Club Premises.

No. 6. An Act to amend the "Ditches and Watercourses Act, 1907."

No. 7. An Act to amend the "Municipal Elections Act."

No. 8. An Act to amend the "Municipal Clauses Act."

No. 9. An Act to amend the "Provincial Elections Act."

No. 10. An Act to amend the "Coal Mines Regulation Act."

No. 12. An Act to amend the Law of Vendor and Purchaser, and to Simplify Titles.

No. 18. An Act to amend the "Court of Appeal Act, 1907."

No. 21. An Act respecting the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

No. 22. An Act respecting the Profession of Medicine and Surgery.

No. 24. An Act to amend the "Highway Traffic Regulation Act."

No. 27. An Act to amend the "Reformatory Act."

No. 29. An Act to amend the "Jurors' Act."

No. 30. An Act to amend the "Mineral Act."

No. 31. An Act further to amend the 'Coal Mines Regulation Act."

No. 32. An Act to amend the "Companies Act, 1897."

No. 33. An Act to amend the "Placer Mining Act."

No. 37. An Act with respect to the Public Service of the Province of British Columbia.

No. 38. An Act to amend the "Land Registry Act."

No. 40. An Act to amend the "Farmers' Institute and Co-operation Act."

No. 41. An Act to amend the "Timber Manufacture Act, 1906."

No. 42. An Act to amend the "Bush Fire Act."

No. 43. An Act respecting the Official Map of Alberni Townsite.

No. 45. An Act authorizing the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to grant to the City of Victoria Lot 921 in said city, used as the site of the Kingston Street Fire Hall.

No. 46. An Act to amend the "Inspection of Metalliferous Mines Act."

No. 47. An Act to provide for the Inspection of Hospitals, Orphanages, Maternity Homes, and places where Persons are undergoing Medical or Health Treatment.

No. 52. An Act to Incorporate the British Columbia Permanent Loan Company.

No. 54. An Act to Incorporate Prince Rupert and Port Simpson Railway Company.

No. 56. An Act to enable the Coldstream Estate Company, Limited, and the White Valley Irrigation and Power Company, Limited, to amalgamate their Water Rights.

No. 58. An Act to amend the "Vancouver Incorporation Act, 1900."

No. 59. An Act to amend the "False Creek Foreshore Act, 1904."

No. 60. An Act to Incorporate the Goat River Water, Power and Light Company, Limited.

No. 62. An Act to Authorize the Pacific Coast Coal Mines, Limited, Non-Personal Liability, to Construct Railways, and conferring other Powers.

No. 63. An Act to Incorporate the Graham Island Railway Company.

No. 65. An Act to amend the "Corporation of Victoria Water Works Act, 1873," and the "Victoria Water Works Amendment Act," Chapter 64 of the Statutes of 1892, and to give additional powers.

No. 66. An Act respecting the Pacific, Northern and Omineca Railway.

No. 67. An Act to Incorporate the Portland Canal Short Line Railway Company.

No. 68. An Act to Incorporate Westminster Hall.

No. 69. An Act to Incorporate the Vancouver and Northern Railway Company.

No. 70. An Act to Incorporate the Hardy Bay and Quatsino Sound Railway Company.

No. 71. An Act to Create the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Vancouver and his Successors in Office a Corporation Sole.

No. 73. An Act for the Relief of the Municipal Corporation of the City of Fernie.

No. 74. An Act to amend an Act relating to the City of Victoria, being Chapter 46 of the Statutes of 1907.

No. 75. An Act to Provide for the Establishment of Depots and Facilities for the Preparation for Market and Shipment of Provincial-grown Fruit.

No. 77. An Act to amend the "Police and Prisons Regulation Act."

No. 78. An Act to amend the "Explosives Storage Act."

No. 79. An Act for the Relief of the Armstrong Power and Light Company, Limited.

No. 81. An Act to amend the "Game Protection Act, 1898."

No. 82. An Act further to amend the "Land Registry Act."

No. 84. An Act to amend the "Land Act."

No. 85. The Fernie Park Subdivision Act.

How the House Was Prorogued.

The honorable Mr. Speaker addressed his honor the lieutenant-governor as follows:

"May it please your honor:

"We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the legislative assembly of the province of British Columbia, in session assembled, approach your honor at the close of our labors with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to His Majesty's person and government, and humbly beg to present for your honor's acceptance bil No. 48, intituled "An Act for Granting certain Sums of Money for the Public Service of the Province of British Columbia."

To this bill the clerk of the legislative assembly, by his honor's command, did thereupon say:

"In His Majesty's name, his honor the lieutenant-governor doth thank His Majesty's loyal subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this bill."

Lieutenant-Governor's Speech.

Then his honor the lieutenant-governor was pleased to deliver the following gracious speech:

"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative assembly:

"Before releasing you, at the close of the third session of this legislature, I feel it a duty to congratulate you on the results of your labors, as embodied in the many important and useful measures to which I have given assent.

"The Water act, designed to insure the economical use of water under equitable regulations minimizes the causes for litigation, and will be of great benefit to all industries requiring water.

"The consolidation and revision of the laws, which you have authorized, will greatly simplify their interpretation, and prove a convenience to all concerned.

"The act providing for co-operative fruit-cooling depots fills a much needed want of the fruit-growers, and should have the effect of further stimulating this growing industry.

"It is very gratifying to observe the substantial provision which you have made for the prosecution of surveys and public works.

"I thank you for the liberal supply voted for the public service, and I feel assured that the amount will be disbursed economically, and with a view to securing the best possible results.

"Wishing you health and success in your personal undertakings, I now take leave of you, and relieve you from your sessional duties."

The Hon. Dr. Young, provincial secretary, then said:

"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the legislative assembly:

"It is his honor the lieutenant-governor's will and pleasure that the legislative assembly be prorogued until it shall please his honor to summon the same for dispatch of business, and this provincial legislative asembly is hereby prorogued accordingly."

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The Fraser River Lumber Mills has orders for the delivery before September next of over 12,000,000 feet of lumber. Of this amount, seven and a half million feet is for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. The Rhodes Curry company, of Amherst, N. S., which firm constructs railway cars, has placed orders for one and a half million feet, while the Ottawa Car company has ordered three-quarters of a million. Besides these large amounts, ther are orders in hand from Regina and the prairies for 3,500,000 feet, exclusive of shingles and factory products.

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W. NELSON,
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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations.

Any available Dominions 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. Entry by proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

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.

COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 per acre. Not more than 2560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

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

The homesteader is rejuired to perform the homestead duties under one of the following plans:

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

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of his homestead. Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.

(3) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of the homestead, or upon a homestead entered for by him in the vicinity, such homesteader may perform his own residence duties by living with the father (or mother).

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

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

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

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

Canadian Pacific Railway Co.

British Columbia Coast Line Service.

TIME TABLE

VANCOUVER VICTORIA SEATTLE ROUTE.

Operative January 13.

S. S. Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver 10 p. m., going direct to Seattle daily except Monday.

S. S. Princess Royal leaves Vancouver at 9 a. m. for Victoria daily, except Wednesday.

S. S. Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver at 1 p. m. daily for Victoria.

NEW WESTMINSTER-VICTORIA ROUTE

S. S. Trader will leave Victoria for New Westminstetr every Tuesday. Leaves New Westminster on Wednesday

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VANCOUVER-NANAIMO ROUTE.
S. S. Joan

Leave Vancouver 2 p. m. daily, except Sunday. Leaves Nanaimo at 7 a. m.

ALASKA ROUTE.

Princess May leaves Vancouver March 8th, 18th, 28th.

NORTHERN B. C. ROUTE.

Princess Beatrice leaves Vancouver March 13 and 23.

Princess May leaves Vancouver March 8th, 18th, 28th.

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Mail Service

Following are the hours of despatch and arrival of mails at the New Westminster post office, the hour given in each case being the hour of closing, which is half an hour, as a rule, before the actual despatch. All mails, unless otherwise stated, are despatched and received daily except Sunday. The only mails dispatched and received Sunday are the C. P. R. south and C. P. R. east mails, not including the way mails, Sapperton, Fraser Mills and Coquitlam.

Mails Despatched.

6:00 a.m. (closed at eleven o'clock the previous night)—Vancouver via G. N. R. "Owl," Victoria except Wednesday.

8:30 a.m.—Vancouver via B. C. Electric railway.

Sumas and Seattle, including all U. S. Points east and south, and points between New Westminster and Huntindon, B.C., via C. P. R. south. Coquitlam, Sapperton and Fraser Mills.

8:30 a.m.—Blaine and Seattle, including all U. S. points east and south; also all points between New Westminster and Blaine, via G. N. R.

Note.—Cloverdale and district (Clover Valley, Surrey Centre, Elgin, Alluvia and Kensington Prairie) Hazelmere, Port Kells, Hall's Prairie and Nicomekl despatched daily except on Sunday; Clayton, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; Tynehead and Bon Accord, Wednesday and Saturday. These mails are all received same days as despatched.

11:00 a.m.—Vancouver, Victoria and Central Park, via B. C. Electric railway.

12:30 p.m.—Strawberry Hill, Timberland and South Westminster, by courier (Tuesday and Friday).

1:30 p.m.—East Burnaby, by courier

2:00 p.m.—Burquitlam, by courier.

2:00 p.m.—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island and Sunbury, daily except Sunday; Woodward, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, via "J. C. Bruce." (Steveston mail despatched and received via Vancouver.)

2:30 p.m.—Vancouver and Piper Siding, via G. N. R. north.

4:00 Vancouver and Burnaby lake, via B. C. Electric railway. Saturday an extra mail is despatched to Victoria via Vancouver at this hour.

Blaine and Seattle, including all U. S. points east and south, via G. N. R "Flyer."

2:30 p.m.—C. P. R. east, Sapperton, and Fraser Mills.

Mails Received.

6:45 a.m.—Blaine and Seattle, including all U. S. points, via G. N. R "Owl."

9:00 to 10:00 a.m.—Strawberry Hill, by courier (Tuesday and Friday).

8:20 a.m.—Vancouver and (except Tuesday) and Victoria, via B. C. Electric railway.

2:30 p.m.—Burquitlam, by courier.

3:30 p.m.—Blaine and Seattle, including all U. S. points; also all points

1:30 p.m.—East Burnaby, by courier.

9:30 a.m.—Vancouver and Victoria, via G. N. R.

10:00 to 11:00 a.m.—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island and (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) Woodward, via steamer Favorite. (Steveston despatched and received via Vancouver.)

12:30 to 1 p.m.—C. P. R. east, Sapperton, Fraser Mills and Coquitlam.

1:00 p.m.—Vancouver, Central Park and Fraser Arm.

7:00 p.m.—Sumas and Seattle, including all U. S. points and points between Huntingdon and New Westminster, via C. P. R. south; also Fraser Mills.

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THE STAGE

AN IRISH PLAY ON AN IRISH DAY

Arthur Cunningham the baritone singer has proved that he is not only a singer but that he is an actor of the first magnitude, especially in Irish plays, his natural brogue being a factor which lends to the coloring of the play. The actor-singer is well able to keep his audience in a constant uproar with his merry wit and droll humor, the leading role, taken by Cunningham, is that of a village blacksmith, Irish, bluff, optimistic and hearty, always with a merry twinkle in his eye and a light word for the downhearted. And then, of course, Cunningham's Irish songs, his selection has been made with the utmost care and includes several of Joseph Murphy's famous ballads.

"Shaun Rhue" at the opera house on St. Patrick's Day, March 17.

"Uncle Tom's Cabin."

Of all the great American plays, the old historical play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" has the strongest hold on people. It is beyond question one of the best plays ever written, hence the warm place it retains in the hearts of people of every clime. The great production that this American classic has ever had will be given at the Opera House on Friday, March 19, under the management of Mr. Washburn. Watch for the band concert in front of reserve sale at noon.

Florence Gear in Marrying Mary.

Florence Gear, who is amusing and delighting her audiences in "Marrying Mary," Edwin Milton Royle's musical play, is booked to appear at the opera house on April 2. Jules Murry, who makes the presentation has surrounded his little star with an exceptionally good company and Mr. Royle's lines and Silvio Hein's music have become the popular craze of the season. Marrying Mary Montgomery carries about with her the largest collection of husbands ever seen upon the stage. Most heroines are content with references to their former conquests. Not so Marrying Mary. At every turn her three divorced husbands and the three suitors for her hand are jostled across one another's pathway in the most nonchalant manner. An ex-husband is made to assist her fiance in the passage of his anti-divorce bill; another suitor with four divorces already to his credit is made to pay the bills of another suitor who is fiancing Mary. This game of matrimonial battledoor and shuttlecock has more variety, more color and more stirring appeal to the emotions than any other comedy on the road.

TENDER FOR RED RIVER BRIDGE.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, and marked on the envelope "Tender for the Red River Bridge," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway until 12 o'clock noon on the 8th day of April, 1909, for the construction and erection of a steel and concrete bridge and approach spans over the Red river between Winnipeg and St. Boniface, near the foot of Lombard street, together with grading and approach spans over streets in Winnipeg.

Separate tenders must be submitted for the substructure with other works, as per schedule, and for superstructure.

Plans, details and profiles may be seen and full information obtained at the office of the chief engineer at Ottawa, and also at the office of the district engineer at St. Boniface, Man.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Commissioners, which may be had on application to Mr. Hugh D. Lumsden, chief engineer, Ottawa, Ont., and M. S. R. Poulin, district engineer, St. Boniface, Man.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank of the Dominion of Canada, payable to the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, for the sum of $25,000 for substructure and other work as per schedule, and for the sum of $25,000 for steel superstructure and floor.

The cheques deposited by the party whose tender is accepted will be deposited to the credit of the Receiver-General of Canada as security for the due and faithful performance of the contract according to its terms. Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bidstaoin ....6 ..ogicOthe ao or all tenders. By order

P. E. RYAN, Secretary.
The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway.

Dated at Ottawa, 6th March, 1909.

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THE COUNTRY HOUSE

A Room Apart That Should Be Known as the "Office."

The most privately conducted home must communicate with increasing frequency with the world outside. The coal man, the ice man, the automobile repair shop must be upbraided or cajoled. Reports must be reviewed, accounts kept, bills examined and the senders occasionally treated with a check. From a room removed from the rest of the house one must speak with the railway station, settle with the expressman or deliberate with the chauffeur or coachman, for none of these things should disturb the tranquillity of the home or the equanamity of guests. If the house is to minister to all the activities of a home it is high time that space be devoted to this mechanism of living. For want of a better term a room devoted to such a purpose may be called the "office" of the house. Here the telephone stands on a table that bears also the miscellaneous utensils and printed matter that are always wanted in a house when they cannot be found. Here are cookbooks, gardening books, dictionaries, time tables, while a few old plates, a cast or two, bits of Dresden water colors and a few cherished photographs relieve an otherwise humdrum collection of necessities. Here arriving parcels are placed and the daily mail opened. Mysterious cupboards there are and drawers with locks that work.--Indoors and Out

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Little old gray Dobbin
Is little Billy's friend,
And many a happy hour does he
To Billy's young life lend.
—Washington Post.

Red, White and Blue.

How many boys can tell where a verse may be found in the Bible containing the words "red," "white" and "blue?" Those who do not are referred to the sixth verse of the first chapter of Esther.

BOWLING

The schedule for the second series of the business league has now been drawn up, and is as follows:

March 17—Carpenters vs. Real Estate.
March 19—Real Estate vs. Grocers.
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ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVES FOR GREAT NORTHERN

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Minneapolis, March 14.—The completion of four big electric locomotives for the Great Northern railway marks a new event in the history of electric traction in America as it means the use of the three phase system for heavy traffic work as well as the first attempt to handle the entire traffic on a main trunk line with electric power.

The Cascade tunnel in the heart of the Cascade mountains, Washington, on the Great Northern main line, is 2.65 miles in length, and the intention is to operate all passenger and freight trains through this tunnel, as well as in the two yards at each end of the tunnel by electric power. The plan consists of the development of a water power of 7500 horsepower in Tumwater canyon. The power plant is located on the Wenatchee river about three miles west of Leavenworth, and the electricity is transmitted about thirty miles to the tunnel.

The approximate cost of the work is $1,250,000, and it will be the first attempt in the country to handle freight on heavy grades with anything but the steam locomotives. The electric locomotives are highly interesting electrically and mechanically. They are of the double truck type; the total length is 45 feet; the rigid wheel base, however, is only 11 feet, so that they can take the curves without difficulty.

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BOWLING

The Royal City team challenges the "Westminster Stars" to roll a series of three games on Thursday night The Royals are composed of the following: Stein, Gilchrist, Barbaree or Saunders, J. O. Lathem and R. R. Carver.

Tuesday night is the date of the "marathon," 25 games, for which arrangements were made some weeks ago.

Owing to the Hardware team dropping out of the league there will be no league game tonight, but the "Ad Spares" will play the Westminster Stars.

SUGGEST ESTABLISHING Y. M. C. A. AT KAMLOOPS

Kamloops, B. C., March 14.—A meeto discuss the organization of a Y. M. C. A. in Kamloops will be called in the course of a few days. The recent visit of the international secretary, Mr. Sayer, resulted in the creation of much enthusiasm.

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