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ASK DIVISION OF THIS PRESBYTERY

Recent Growth of Population Makes it Too Large to Act As Unit Any Longer.

The advisability of dividing the Presbytery of Westminster in two, will be considered at the next meeting of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada.

Extends to Dawson.

At the present time the Westminster Presbytery has under its charge the churches in the territory reaching from the boundary line on the south to Dawson on the north and from Vancouver on the west to Agassiz on the east. The Presbytery was able to to handle this great extent of territory so long as it remained thinly populated but so great has been the increase in population of late that it is now a matter of considerable difficulty to satisfactorily cover all the churches contained in it, and a readjustment has become necessary.

For some time past there has been talk of a change, but the first definite move in that direction was made at the meeting of the Presbytery on Tuesday when Rev. T. Wardlaw-Taylor of this city moved to the effect that the Presbytery make an overture to the general assembly to appoint a committee to divide the Presbytery and to outline the new bounds.

While the intention of the motion met with the approval of the other members of the Presbytery present, the method proposed was not entirely satisfactory to them, and a second resolution merely asking the assembly to look into the matter at its next quarterly session and making no suggestions was substituted for it.

Westminster as Head.

If the division is made it is probable that the Fraser valley will be set apart as a single Presbytery with New Westminster as its head, the remainder of what is now Westminster Presbytery being incorporated as a new Presbytery with Vancouver as its headquarters. The matter, however, rests entirely in the hands of the general assembly.

Rev. Mr. Gillam presided at the meeting on Tuesday, the session of that day being his last as moderator. Rev. Dr. T. Wardlaw-Taylor of this city was appointed the moderator for the ensuing term.

To Regulate Autos.

New York, Dec. 15.—The regulation of automobiles by means of a federal law is urged by Colgate Hoyt, former president of the Automobile club of America. In a statement to that organization he says:

"I believe a federal automobile law is possible and practicable under the Interstate Commerce law. It would be as great a protection to the community at large as to the owners and drivers of motor vehicles. The government should require a rigid examination before licensing a chauffeur and every chauffeur should be required to carry a license card bearing his photograph and signature."

TENDERS ARE CALLED FOR COMPLETION OF V.V. & E.

Construction Will Be Commenced in Near Future on Line From Abbotsford to Hope.

Vancouver, Dec. 15.—Railway men take as an indication that no time will be lost in starting construction of the remaining sections of the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern short line to Kootenay the fact that tenders are being called by the Great Northern for the building of two links of the line between Princeton and the coast.

Tenders are being asked for the construction of the section between Abbotsford and Hope, a distance of 78 miles. To the former place Great Northern steel is now laid.

Another tender is asked for the building of the line from Princeton west to Tulameen, a shorter mileage than the first section. The gap between Tulameen and Hope contains the area to be traversed by the proposed eight-mile tunnel. Tenders for this section have not yet been called for.

Several well known contractors are in Vancouver today arranging to figure on the jobs. They include Mr. Charles Lafollette of Guthrie & Co. of St. Paul, large Great Northern contractors, and Mr. J. A. Kellutt of P. Welsh & Co., the American name of the Canadian firm of Foley, Welsh & Stewart.

Train Struck Loaded Rig.

Port Colborne, Ont., Dec. 14.—Geo. Dayboll, a farmer residing in Wainfleet township, was driving his four sons to school yesterday when the rig was struck by a Grand Trunk freight train at a crossing five miles west of here. One boy, Joseph, aged 8 years, was killed, and Alonzo, aged 10 years, was seriously injured. Mr. Dayboll received only slight injuries and the other boys escaped without a scratch. The horse was killed.

BIG VESSEL BERTHS AT MARKET WHARF

Steamer Lonsdale of Canadian-Mexican Line Initiates New Order of Things for This Port.

The city market wharf, recently extended for the purpose, was used yesterday for the first time by an ocean-going liner, when the Lonsdale, of the Canadian-Mexican steamship line, tied up there to receive a general cargo for the south.

Used Sapperton Wharf.

Until now it has always been necessary to take freight for Mexico to the Brunette mills wharf at Sapperton, there being no proper accommodation in the business part of the city waterfront for a vessel of this size. Now that this has been remedied almost all the large vessels calling here will, it is expected, call at the market wharf to take freight and supplies. Owing to the necessity of making a long stay at other British Columbia points, the freight for this city was shipped here by rail from Vancouver.

The Lonsdale will take a cargo of lumber for Mexico from the Brunette mills, and yesterday loaded half a million shingles and general freight at the city wharf for shipment to New York via the Salina Cruz and the Tehuantepec railway.

Shipment of Shingles.

The shingles shipped from here, which mark the recognition of the Tehuantepec route, were manufactured by J. G. Robson at his mill at Tynehead, and form the second consignment which has been shipped by him. The first gave the greatest of satisfaction, and from now on all his shingles to the eastern markets will go by this route, and other manufacturers in the city and district will probably follow his lead. Mr. Robson states that he save forty-four cents a thousand by shipping by water and rail instead of by rail alone, the cost of handling across the Tehuantepec route being comparatively small.

FINANCES OF COUNTRY IN SPLENDID SHAPE

Hon. Mr. Fielding Delivers Fourteenth Annual Budget —Surplus of $1,000,000.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, before a full attendance of members, delivered his fourteenth annual budget speech yesterday afternoon, speaking for only about one hour, and presenting probably the most satisfactory financial statement in the history of the Dominion. Hon. G. E. Foster replied with the usual criticism of alleged extravagance and the growing national debt.

Debate Adjourned.

The debate on the budget will probably be continued until the Christmas adjournment on Friday next.

M. Fielding, rising at 3:30, began by noting that last session he had not been able to make as optimistic a statement as in previous years. Now he spoke under conditions of general trade recovery, and could tell of growing revenue, good financial outlook and a splendid surplus. The commercial depression of last year had passed. Briefly reviewing the financial statement for the last fiscal year, he noted a total revenue of eighty-five and a half millions, or a decrease of eleven millions, compared with the preceding year, chiefly owing to the decline in customs receipts. Still there had been a surplus of revenue over all ordinary expenditure amounting to $1,029,171. On capital account the total outlay had been nearly forty-nine millions, and to that the increase of debt had been $45,969,419, of which the national transcontinental and Quebec bridge accounted for $31,317,132.

Increases This Year.

Coming to the current fiscal year he could present a much more favorable statement. The lost ground in revenue had been recovered, and new records were being established. In the first eight months of the year, ending with December 1, the revenue had

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More Sugar Scandals.

New York, Dec. 15.—Special Assistant Attorney-General Stimson announced today there had been a shortage of $695,573 in duty paid on sugar loaded here by the Arbuckle Brothers, sugar refiners.

Mr. Stimson stated this sum had been repaid to the United States treasury by the Arbuckle Brothers.

Coroners Investigate Wreck.

Erie, Pa., Dec. 15.—Deputy coroners and railroad inspectors today investigated the railroad wreck at Northeast, Pa., which occurred on Monday at midnight when three persons were killed and seven seriously injured. While it is admitted that several trains were stalled in advance of the limited, it is claimed flagmen were at the rear protecting their trains and block signals were in good condition.

SELECTION OF PLANS AGAIN POSTPONED

Hospital Board Will Meet Again to Discuss Question Next Week.

Just what plans will be accepted for the new hospital is yet a matter of doubt, the board being unable to come to any decision on that important matter at their meeting yesterday. Both the plans submitted by Architect Salt and those by Gardiner and Gardiner were considered at length by the meeting but no conclusion was reached as to which would be the most suitable for the proposed hospital. The building committee will meet on Tuesday afternoon to again go over the plans in detail and endeavor to settle the matter.

Presented Diploma.

There was a good attendance. J. Cunningham occupied the chair and Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Broad, Mrs. Ferguson, L. A. Lewis, T. Gifford, J. J. Jones, M. Sinclair, H. T. Kirk, J. Johnston and W. H. Keary were present. A pleasant feature, outside the usual routine business, was the presentation of a diploma and medal to Miss Gertrude Sinclair, who has recently very creditably passed a difficulty examination. The chairman, Mr. Cunningham made the presentation, in a neat speech. Mrs. Hill, Mr. Sinclair and Mr. Kirk also made a few congratulatory remarks. James Johnston, being the only bachelor on the board, expressed the views of that body of outcasts on the nurse question, and congratulated Miss Sinclair on her success.

The visiting committee reported that it had made frequent visits to the hospital and, with the exception of the overcrowding, everything was very satisfactory. The committee for the next month is composed of Mrs. Ferguson, L. A. Lewis and J. J. Jones.

Tenders Called.

It was decided to call for tenders for supplying the hospital with provisions for fifteen months commencing January 1, 1910 and ending March 31, 1911. Up to the present it has been customary to call for supplies only for the year, but it was considered advisable to have the fiscal year end on March 31, so as to correspond with

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SWALLOWED UP BY EARTH.

Cow Meets With Thrilling Adventure on West End Thoroughfare.

While proceeding along Fourteenth street at the junction of Cariboo yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock a cow in the possession of an Italian resident in the city suddenly disappeared from sight. Investigation on the part of the frenzied owner led to the discovery that the animal had fallen through the street. There is a deep ravine at the point, the road crossing this on a culvert. The recent heavy rains had weakened the culvert, and when the cow walked over it it gave way, leaving nothing to indicate what had happened save a big patch of raw earth at a little lower level than the remainder of the street.

While the owner of the cow looked on the earth was agitated violently, and after a few seconds the head of the cow appeared above the surface. Frantic efforts on the part of the animal, however, failed to extricate it any further, and the aid of the chief of police was called. Even the chief, however, found himself unable to cope with the knotty problem of getting the cow out of its premature grave, and it was not until divers other citizens had made themselves late for supper by stopping and lending a hand and two hours and a half of hard work had been put in that the unfortunate beast was finally extricated and led home.

The animal was more or less seriously injured by its fall, although just how badly could not be ascertained last evening. The accident may form the basis for an action against the city.

GOLD IN DUCK CRAWS CAUSE OF STAMPEDE

Farmers in Priest River, Idaho District Excited by Discovery of Precious Metal in Mallards.

Spokane, Dec. 15.—Ranchers up and down Priest river, Idaho, are prospecting for gold, for within the last ten days seven Mallard ducks have been killed there and in the crop of each duck from five to eleven gold nuggets, the size of rice grains, hav been found.

No placer ground has ever been discovered along the river, though the territory is rich in copper deposits.

A man of the name of Angen died at the Royal Columbian hospital yesterday evening. He was suffering from consumption and had been a patient at the hospital for some time. Nothing is known as to his antecedents.

WING DAMS NOW PERMANENT AFFAIRS

Have Done Good Work Preventing Accumulation of Sand in Rivsr Channel.

A gang of men in the employ of the department of public works is engaged in making the wing dams in the main channel of the river immediately below the city permanent.

Annieville Bar No More.

Three large wing dams were erected in an endeavor to test their value as a means of preventing the accumulation of sand, which for years made the Annieville bar the terror of pilots and captains of large vessels entering the port. The bar was dredged and the wing dams have since that time not only prevented it reforming, but have scoured the channel at that point to a depth that makes it thoroughly safe at all tides. The dams were formed of a single row of piles connected with timbers. Another row of piles is being constructed along the outer end, which bears the strain at the time of freshets, and the interior will be filled in with heavy material.

The Fruhling will resume operations at the Sandheads on Monday. She has been tied up for nearly two weeks while her pumps were being repaired. The lining of nickel was worn thin as a knife by the continual action of the sand and had to be replaced. The new plates were manufactured at the Schaake Machine Works, and the new parts installed by them. The work was completed yesterday and the pumps were swung into the vessel by the aid of the heavy crane on the government wharf. A set of plates has been ordered from England, manufactured of manganese steel, the hardest wearing steel that is known.

The King Edward suction dredge is weatherbound at Nanaimo harbor. She was sent to do a quantity of necessary work in connection with the harbor, which is gradually being filled in by the action of the sea. Owing to the state of the weather it has been impossible for her to do much work so far, since she is not adapted to working in other than comparatively calm weather. She will have enough work there to keep her at Nanaimo for the coming two months at least.

SURPRISE PRESENTATION.

Children's Red Cross Society Call on Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cooksley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cooksley were given a pleasant surprise last night at their residence on Eighth street, when the members of the Children's Red Cross oSciety gave them a surprise party.

The young people read an address and made a presentation to Mr. Cooksley and his wife before they had fully recovered from the surprise. After that was over and the astonished gentleman had thanked them, the visitors proceeded to make themselves very much at home with games and refreshments that they had brought with them, and Mr. and Mrs. Cooksley were readily persuaded to join in the fun. Mr. Cooksley fas one of the founders of the society and has always taken a keen interest in it ever since it was started. The society is now bending all its efforts toward the furnishing of a children's ward in the new Royal Columbian hospital and is meeting with all kinds of success in their endeavors.

Victoria Masons Celebrate.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 15.—Four hundred local Masons celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of the introduction of Masonry into British Columbia last evening and were assisted by large delegations from Vancouver and eastern points. Prominent officers of the grand lodge were in attendance and delivered addresses and the new temple, the finest on the coast, was dedicated.

ASTOR'S STEAM YACHT IN DOCK AT BROOKLYN

Reports That Nourmahal Could Not Stand West Indian Hurricanes Is Not True.

New York, Dec. 15.—Col. John Jacob Astor's steam yacht Nourmahal tied up at a shipyard in Brooklyn today. The yacht went into her winter quarters almost as spick and span as when she left here for West Indian waters where she encountered the November hurricane. Despite the anxiety caused because she was not reported for more than a fortnight she emerged from the storm unscathed.

"I have seen reports that the Nourmahal could not stand a good blow," said her captain today. "Those who were alarmed as to her seaworthiness should have seen her in some of the West Indian squalls which we faced. While the world was searching for us we were as snug as a bug in a rug."

WILL HOLD SERVICES IN OLD SCHOOLHOUSE

New Presbyterian Congregation in West End Will Assemble for First Time Next Sunday.

The new Presbyterian congregation which has recently been formed in the extreme Wst End of the city will hold services for the first time on Sunday of the coming week. The services will be held next Sunday, and for some weeks to come in the old West school building, which has been secured from the city for that purpose.

Rev. J. G. Reid, late of Cedar Cottage, and more recently of Sapperton, has been appointed to the pastorate and will assume his duties for the first time on Sunday.

The congregation has secured two lots on the corner of Seventh avenue and Fourteenth street, and will erect a temporary church there in the near future. As soon as it is finished they will move from the schoolhouse to it, and will then commence as soon as possible upon the erection of a permanent building.

The new congregation embraces some thirty-five families.

Eddie Graney Sick.

New York, Dec. 15.—Eddie Graney, the well known San Francisco pugilistic referee and promoter, who came here a few weeks ago to bid for the Johnson-Jeffries fight, has been critically ill for several days, and at one time it was thought that he might not recover. He is better today and the doctors say that he will not die.

Hagen Hohlenberg, the well known pianist, is giving a recital at 8:15 p.m. tonight in St. George's hall. Mr. Hohlenberg comes here highly recommended and if he finds the city to his liking may be induced to take up his permanent residence here. Tonight's entertainment will be entirely informal.

WILL ERECT PLANT IN NEW WESTMINSTER

Coldyke Baking Powder Co. Settles Upon This City as Site for Factory.

A large three-story brick or galvanized iron block will be erected in New Westminster probably the coming summer, providing a suitable site can be found for the Coldyke Baking Powder Co. of Portland and Winnipeg.

Is Big Concern.

Mr. Nordyke, president of the company and C. H. Hubble, secretary, were in the city yesterday, as the result of correspondence between them and C. H. Stuart-Wade, secretary of the New Westminster board of trade. Mr. Nordyke, to a Daily News reporter gave some information regarding the plans of the company for this city. The company had been in business for several years supplying the rapidly growing demand for their product throughout Canada from their Winnipeg factory, and their American demand from a factory at Portland, the duty being too high to permit of shipment across the line. Their business had, however, attained such proportions that it was necessary to erect new factories, one to supply the eastern Canadian trade and the other to supply the demand on the Pacific. The eastern factory will be situated in Toronto and will shortly be commenced. The site for the Pacific factory has not yet been determined definitely, but New Westminster will have the first choice providing suitable property can be found. At first only a warehouse will be erected for distribution purposes, but within a year or over this will give place to a factory employing from 150 to 200 hands, the majority girls.

Growing Trade.

New Westminster is more desirable than other locations owing to its great advantage of a freshwater har-

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DUKE WEDS PRINCESS OF STOLBERG-ROSSIA

Brunswick, Dutchy of Brunswick, Dec. 15.—The wedding of Duke Johann Albrecht of Mecklenberg-Schwerin and the Princess Elizabeth of Stolberg-Rossia, was celebrated today in the presence of the Emperor and Empress, the King and Queen of Bulgaria, Prince Henry of the Netherlands, and many members of the royal household of Germany, and the Austrian, Italian and British ambassadors.

The honeymoon will be spent in the far east and will include a visit to the King of Siam.

India's Cotton Crop.

Lucknow, British India, Dec. 15.—The Indian cotton crop this year is estimated at 85 per cent. of the normal. The available balance for export is 134,000,000 pounds.

COMMISSIONERS RENEW ALL LICENSES IN CITY.

Permit Guichon Hotel to Move—Decide to Enforce Fire Regulations.

The thirteen hotels, two saloons, and one wholesale liquor store in the city of New Westminster were all granted renewals of their licenses at the quarterly meeting of the board of license commissioners held last evening in the council chamber.

Licenses Renewed.

The names of the places and their proprietors are as follows: Colonial, M. F. Insley; Occidental, M. Gowan; Premier, A. S. Peters; Windsor, P. O. Bilodeau; Russell, F. S. Cameron; Royal City, E. J. Falch; Depot, J. A. Wise; Guichon, J. Trachy; Central, Wm. Collier; Cosmopolitan, J. B. D. McDonald; Holbrook, J. McNiven jr. and D. A. McDonald; Merchants, R. Elley; Fraser, A. Swanson; Lytton, W. J. Brennan; Liverpool Arms, J. Chappell; Freeman's Liquor Store, J. Freeman; Steamboat Exchange, J. Freeman.

These applications were all granted without discussion and no new ones were received.

An application from W. J. Brennan of the Lytton Hotel to have the license for that property transferred to F. L. Johnson was granted. In considering this application Mayor Keary took occasion to remark that the city should be sorry to lose such a man as Mr. Brennan, than whom there was no more honorable man in New Westminster, and he hoped his successor would run the same kind of a house as had Mr. Brennan.

Will Move House.

The proprietors of the Guichon hotel asked to have their license transferred from the present premises on lots 5 to those on lot 3. The building on lot 3 is not yet completed but the request was granted on condition that the building be suitable in the estimation of the chief license inspector.

George E. Martin, on behalf of the Guichon family wrote protesting against the use of the name Guichon

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WILL REOPEN CHURCH.

Presbyterian Congregation at Ladner Holds Special Service Sunday.

The Presbyterian church at Ladner, which has been closed for some weeks past undergoing a thorough overhauling and renovating, will be opened again next Sunday.

The reopening of the church will be made the occasion of special services, Rev. Principal McKay, of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, having promised to conduct the morning and evening services.

On Monday evening the congregation will hold a social in the church hall for the purpose of according a welcome to their new pastor, Rev. J. J. Hastie, formerly of Sidney, Australia.

TAFT'S BOWERY TRIP CHEERS UP DERELICTS

President's Visit Does More Real Good in Slums Than Year's Work of Mission People.

New York, Dec. 15.—It was a great day for the Bowery when President Taft visited that famous thoroughfare. "The President's visit did more real good than a year's work by the mission people," said one of the officers of the Bowery mission today. "His smile was an uplift and his words a torch of hope to many hearts. There is not a soul on the Bowery today that will admit that he wasn't at the President's side. Men down on their luck say that the cheery words of the President infused them with new life and a number of our apparently hopeless derelicts have found themselves awakened and and eager for a chance to show their mettle. When a man like President Taft comes down here and talks straight from the shoulder, it's bound to have a good effect."

Wing of Prison Burned.

Cleveland, Dec. 15.—The south wing of the Cleveland house of correction was burned last night with a loss of about $60,000. The inmates of the women's prison were panic-stricken and howled for help, but the fire did not reach the dormitory.

Thanks Citizens.

The Daily News is in receipt of the following telegram:

Fort William, Ont.
Dec. 14, 1909.

Please thank electors for their confidence in me.
HERBERT GILLEY.

ALL G.N.R. TRAINS NOW RUN ON TIME

For First Time in Almost Three Weeks Service Is Working to Seattle.

"All trains running on time" was the reply of the operator at the Great Northern railway station yesterday afternoon when queried by The News. Perhaps he saw the look of astonishment in the reporter's face, for he added, "and running through to Seattle."

It is a long time since the trains to the south have been running on time, for the exceedingly wet weather of this fall has resulted in the system being thoroughly disorganized. Whole sections of low-lying track near the boundary on either side have been washed out, bridges have been carried away by swollen streams, and in the higher lands mudslides have buried the track feet deep.

The Daylight Limited was the first train to come through direct from Seattle, arriving at this city at 4:32 yesterday afternoon, on time, since which time the line has been reported clear. It will, however, take a long time—months, in fact—to bring the line back into condition, always providing no further damage ensues.

TEN KILLED IN WRECK IN NORTH CAROLINA

Reidsville, N. C., Dec. 15.—The four rear cars of train No. 11 of the Southern railway were ditched down a 50-foot enbankment from the Reid creek trestle at an early hour today. Ten persons were killed and thirty-five injured. The cars that left the track landed in the small creek.

Among those reported killed are A. P. Cone, superintendent of the Richmond division of the Southern railroad, and C. H. White, traveling auditor for the same road. George Gould, the New York millionaire, and his son were passengers in one of the sleepers bound from Norfolk to Thomasville. Neither was injured.

The wrecked train was running locally between Richmond and Atlanta and carried sleepers from Richmond to Charlotte and from Norfolk to Charlotte. At the Reid creek trestle, after the engine, mail and baggage cars had passed over in safety, two coaches and two sleepers were derailed. The passengers and trainmen were taken to St. Luke's hospital at Greenboro, where they were cared for. Flagman Bagby of Richmond was injured, while Conductor Gobble of Richmond narrowly escaped drowning.

Favors English Game.

Alameda, Dec. 15.—Dr. George C. Thompson, principal of the Alameda high school and an enthusiastic advocate of athletics, is in favor of Rugby as against the American game now played by the team representing the school of which he is at present the head.

"Personally, I am in favor of Rugby football," said Dr. Thompson. "I believe that it requires more skill and endurance than the present American style of play and that it is not so dangerous. If the rest of the schools play the American game next season then we will have to have a team to play that game. But if they adopt Rugby, and it now appears that many of them will, then we will have to fall in line and play Rugby. However, it is my opinion that the old game can be so revised that it will approximate Rugby in science and freedom from danger."

Tom McCarey is a near millionaire, and he started in Los Angeles driving a laundry wagon. He is now director in the same laundry company for which he at one time drove a wagon for.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE —IN— THE DAILY NEWS

Selection of Plans Again Postponed

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the end of the provincial fiscal year.

The secretary was authorized to issue the salary cheques for December some time before Christmas, and other routine business was transacted.

The report from the lady superintendent was read and adopted. The number of deaths is unusually large and the number of patients treated is more than last month's total, but this is accounted for by the fact that there is always more sickness than usual at this time of year. The report is as follows:

"I beg to submit herewith statement of patients, Royal Columbian hospital, for the month of November, 1909.

No. of patients in hospital Nov. 1	65
Discharged	104
Died	5
Admitted during November	102
Remaining November 30	63
No. treated during November	167
No. of hospital days	1779
No. maternity cases at Cottage	28
Received from patients	$1263.75
No. patients in hospital on December 15	70

(Signed) "MARY MARTIN, "Lady Supt."

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Royal Standard goes farther because it is a better flour. It makes better bread because it is prepared by special machinery from carefully selected wheat, ensuring the very highest quality. It is not a variable product—in absolute uniformity it is unsurpassed. Order a sack today and be convinced of its merits.

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A Sergt.-Wheeler in R. C. A. Finds Cure from Agonizing Skin Disease.

Sergt. Wheeler Thos. P. Bennet, R. C. A., who lives at 705 Albert street, Ottawa, describes the relief which he got from D. D. D. Prescriptions.

"It gives me pleasure to commend D. D. D. to sufferers from skin diseases. For three years I suffered intensely from a skin disease which I developed on the back of my neck. It grew continually and sometimes cast off scales. Neighbors' advice, prescriptions, salves and expensive blood medicines were lavishly used.

At last I found relief in D. D. D. used according to directions. It required just one bottle to effect a cure. I am no longer tortured so I have no hesitancy in acknowledging to the world the worth and great virtue of D. D. D."

Blood medicines cannot kill the germs in the skin which cause eczema and other skin diseases. Salves fail because they cannot penetrate. D. D. D. goes right into the pores, kills the germs and cures as many of our New Westminster people can testify. Frank Mackenzie, druggist, New Westminster.

For free sample bottle of D. D. D. Prescription write to the D. D. D. Laboratory Department N. A., 23 Jordan street, Toronto.

For sale by all druggists.

NOTICE.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Edith Louise Paterson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, teacher, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of Central Park, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

EDITH LOUISE PATERSON,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, John William Beatty, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation painter, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of Mary Summers, northeast corner post on the Boundary road, one mile north of the B.C.E.R. tramway, thence north 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

JOHN WILLIAM BEATTY,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Thomas James Beatty, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, miner, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner of district lot twenty twenty-five (2025), thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

THOMAS JAMES BEATTY.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date, I Catherine Florence Beatty of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, lady, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following lands.

Commencing at a post planted twenty chains east of T. J. B. northwest corner, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence west 80 chains, to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

CATHERINE FLORENCE BEATTY,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located December 7, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, Lizzie Paterson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation, lady, intend to apply for a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner of lot 1038 thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, to place of commencement containing 640 acres more or less.

LIZZIE PATERSON,
T. J. BEATTY, Agent.
Located November 30, 1909.

NOTICE.

District of New Westminster.

Take notice that thirty days after date I, A. J. Paterson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation broker, intend to apply a license to prospect for coal and petroleum on the following described lands:

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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 on 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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FAMOUS DANCER COMING TO CITY

Pertina, Who Comes With "Soul Kiss," a Great Exponent of the Art.

Another evidence of the quickened interest of Americans in dancing as an art, is found in the cordial welcome extended to Mlle. Pertina everywhere she has appeared. Not long ago it was the favorite reproach of Europe, where dancing is ranked on the same artistic plane as singing or acting, that America is indifferent to the art of graceful motion to music.

To a large extent this had its basis for justification. Dancing, stage dancing, has until lately in the United States been largely associated in the popular mind with something prurient, not quite the proper thing.

But the new dancer is coming into her own. She is getting her proper rating with the singer and actress, and it is not an impossibility of the near future that some Queen of Terpsichore will be able to build up here the vogue that existed in London, where for ten consecutive years dancing was the rage.

The history of dancing, its development, the creators of its music, and its actual exponents, form a library in the Old World. Lovers of the art can trace all the changes, all the progress, since the days of Moliere, when ballet, in the form of entertainment, consisting entirely of dancing, was first given to the world.

They knew that in the early stages of the ballet it was not the form of divine woman that made its way through the captivating measures, and that it was not until the time of Louis XIV. that woman first came into her proper place as the queen of the ballet.

First of all the great ballerinas was Mme. Camarge, Mlle. Salle, who came in the early part of the Eighteenth century, was a great innovator, who first designed the system of costuming, that with only slight changes has been maintained to the present day.

It was she who first insisted that the dancer should be portrayed according to the part she played. For instance, in Pygmalion and Galtea, she donned a garb that followed as closely as possible the draperies of ancient Greece.

In the late twenties of the Nineteenth Century Taglioni came to London to enjoy a vogue such as she seldom been vouchsafed to any dancer. The foremost poet of the English school, then in its heyday, with Scott, Shelley, Coleridge and Byron exhausted their music in praise of her marvelous skill, and the art of dancing was firmly established on a pedestal from which it has never been moved in the tight little isle.

Fanny Ellsler took the mantle of Taglioni in turn, then came Carlotta Grisi, sister of the great prima donna, who made an extraordinary success in the ballet "Grisselle," for for which she combined genius of Gautier, Heine and Adolph Adam were responsible.

In Berlin, in Paris, in Vienna, in St. Petersburg, in London, it has always been conceded that a dancer finds a quicker road to popular favor than even the singer or actor. Loie Fuller went from the United States, where she was regarded as being on a second rate performer, to become the idol of Paris, because she carried a new message in the art of dancing. Now she has her own theatre, and is accepted as part of the art life of the world's art capital.

Isidore Duncan, treading the classic measures of the old Greek dances, made a sensation a Berlin, and had in her train the wealth and nobility, even the royalty of the German capital.

No art makes more severe demands of its votaries; none requires more absolute work. She who pirouttes gracefully before an audience must have given weeks of assiduous practice to master even the easiest of her steps. It is practice which makes a terrific muscular demand. The star athlete preparing for a contest does not have to give as much in physical effort as the queen of the ballet.

Pertina has based her success not only on extraordinary nimbleness and skill as a dancer, but equally on her dramatic skill, her gift of characterization, which enables her in the midst of a dance to express all that an actress gets out of her lines or a musician from his score.

Finances of Country In Splendid Shape

(Continued from Page One.)

been $64,656,509, an increase of $9,541,282 compared with the corresponding months of last year. He estimated the revenue for the whole year would total 97 1-2 millions, and probably the figure would be nearer the hundred million mark, and indeed that total might be reached. The expenditure chargeable to income would not be more than 81 millions at the most, consequently the surplus would be at least 16 1-2 millions, with prospects of even a larger surplus. On the capital spent on the national transcontinental and on other items of the capital account the expenditure would probably total 15 1-2 millions. The total reduction in expenditure compared with last year was estimated at $16,486,000, and the net result would probably be an increase of 17 3-4 millions on the net debt. In other words every expenditure apart from the N. T. R. had been met out of the revenue with 2 3-4 millions to apply toward the latter work.

The outlook for the next fiscal year was that the record of this year would be repeated and only the expenditure on the national transcontinental would have to be met by borrowing. The revenue for the next fiscal year, he said, would be over one hundred million. The expenditure for naval construction would be charged to income and not to capital account.

The bounties on iron and steel would expire at the end of next year, and after that the total expenditure on this account would not be large and probably could be charged to the income account.

The Man of the Hour.

If a wholesome, honest play that alternates pathos and laughter, with gatling-gun rapidity, is what theatre-goers want, they will go and see George Broadhurst's greatest of all American plays, "The Man of the Hour," when it comes to the New Westminster Opera House on Thursday, December 23, and judging from the many applications for seats, it is quite evident they are going. It seems superfluous to add that anything in praise of "The Man of the Hour" to what has already been said in these columns; no other play of today appears more thoroughly to the masses or more thoroughly satisfies them, and it bids fair to be as popular ten years from now as it is at the present time. It teaches its lesson in the most effective way, and is constantly fascinating and entertaining. We recommend this attraction unhesitatingly, and we would like to see every theatre-goer in the city present.

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Chicago, Dec. 15.—Cost of bread in Chicago has proved a puzzle to J. R. Cahill, an investigator for the Labor Department of the board of trade of England.

Mr. Cahill told of his bewilderment before the City Club last night.

"I can't understand," said he, "how we can buy bread in England for one-third the price you pay in Chicago when you send us our wheat. You have to pay five cents for four ounces of bread, while we get a loaf weighing sixty-four ounces for ten cents. Our four-pound loaf never costs more than twelve cents, and usually only ten cents."

NOTICE.

All accounts due me not paid by December 31 will be placed in a solicitor's hands for collection.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1909.

THE MAYORALTY ELECTION.

We can not but regard the result of the election of Mayor for this city with regret, and we venture to say, notwithstanding the majority of votes polled by Mr. Lee, that a very large body of the citizens—in fact, all the best and most intelligent minds in New Westminster—view this result in exactly the same light.

That Mayor Keary, universally recognized as an honest and thoroughly capable man, one whom the vast majority of the citizens admire and reverence for the noble way in which he has discharged the duties of chief magistrate, should suffer defeat at the hands of one who is utterly inexperienced and untried in municipal work, and who had nothing but the credit of a quite ordinary business success to offer as a qualification for the position of First Citizen, is truly surprising.

Into the causes and reasons for the choice expressed by a majority of the electors it would be futile to enter. These lie safely obscured within the dark recesses of the ballot box. It is perhaps as well this should be so, as none can know how or by what class of voters this unfortunate result was made possible. That it is unfortunate there can be very little doubt. We know that the best men and women in New Westminster view the coming year with misgivings and concern. And for this they have certainly good reason. No thoughtful person can review the conduct of the recent campaign without feeling that the one chosen to preside over the destinies of this city during 1910 is the least worthy of the two candidates who were before the electors. They can not but feel that a tried and trusted citizen has been hurled from office for no fault of any kind, yet almost with ignominy, to make room for one who is certainly a cute and clever business man, but of whose real fitness for the position in which he is now placed no one knows anything. The methods adopted by Mr. Lee in conducting the mayoral contest were in fact such as to show that he does not possess the essential qualifications for the position of chief magistrate of the Royal City. The occupant of this position should be—virtually, if not actually—like Caesar's wife, above suspicion. We do not consider that Mr. Lee showed himself to be possessed of any such virtue. He displayed a rudeness and vindictiveness toward his opponent and his opponent's supporters that no man with any self-respect would allow himself be guilty of; he revealed an absolute want of tact and discretion every time he ventured to address the public, this weakness being capped by his most unseemly conduct at the citizens' meeting on Saturday night; and in advocacy of his candidature he descended to the basest form of ridicule, misrepresentation and contumely by the daily issue of a gutter journal, the like of which has never been seen on this coast. How could one who would stoop to perpetrate such acts as these be held to be worthy of the dignified position of Mayor of New Westminster? It passes our comprehension. We can not look forward with complacency to the future. Apart altogether from the ordinary administrative functions of our chief magistrate there are duties only slightly less important to be performed by him. Among these will be the reception of distinguished visitors to our city. It can scarcely be expected that these will be now treated with that dignity and courtesy which has hitherto been observed, by one who was unable to display the barest civility toward either a minister of the Crown or a gentleman and fellow-citizen who opposed him on the public platform.

However, the electors have made their choice and must perforce abide by it. For the sake of the honor and good name of our city we only hope that Mr. Lee will yet have the good sense to recognize the error of his ways, and will be able to discharge his duties in a manner befitting the high position to which he has been so unexpectedly elevated. But we must confess that our hope has not the strength of faith behind it.

Head of Shipping Firm Dies.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—A telegram received in the city last night announced the death in England of Sir Alfred Lewis Jones, head of the big shipping firm of Elder, Dempster & Company.

IMPRINT OF HAND MAY CONVICT MAN OF THEFT

New York, Dec. 15.—The imprint of a burglar's hand, found on a greasy oilcloth in the kitchen of a downtown apartment has led to the arrest of a man whom the police charge with the robbery. The Bertillon experts at police headquarters identified the finger markings as identical with those of Harold Cohen, in their collection.

With the impression as the only evidence against him, Cohen has been held for trial.

Bridge Injured by Quake.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Twenty bolts on the St. Patrick street bridge were snapped by the earthquake shock that was felt at Ottawa on Thursday night. The bolts were an inch and a half thick, and the swaying of the bridge by the earthquake tremor is the only explanation that the city engineer can give for the occurrence.

Westinghouse Dividend.

Pittsburg, Dec. 15.—The board of directors of the Westinghouse Air Brake Company yesterday declared a regular dividend of 2 1-2 per cent., an extra dividend of 1 1-2 per cent., and a special dividend of 1 per cent., making a 5 per cent. dividend in all.

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders are hereby called for the clearing of a school site at Sapperton. Specifications may be seen at the office of the Secretary of the School Board, between 10 and 12 a.m. and 3 and 4 p.m.

R. LENNIE,
Secretary School Board

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E. W. BECKETT,
Secretary School Board.
Haney, Dec. 13, 1909.

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(1) From a point on the Western Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between the east limit of of Range 12 and the West limit of Range 17, west of the third meridian thence in a southwesterly and westerly direction to a point in the vicinity of Calgary, or to a point on the line which the Company is authorized under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99 to construct to Calgary:

(2) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (1) between the east limit of Range 20 and the west limit of Range 28, west of the third meridian, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to Regina or to appoint in the vicinity thereof.

(3) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (2) between the east limit of Range 24 and the west limit of Range 27, west of the second meridian to Moose Jaw, of to a point in the vicinity thereof;

(4) From a point on the westerly Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway between Artland and Wainwright, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to a point on the line which the company is authorized by paragraph 13 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, to be constructed to Battleford.

(5) From Regina or a point in the vicinity thereof, thence in a southwesertly and westerly direction to Lethbridge or to a point in the vicinity of Lethbridge on the line which the Company is, under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, authorized to construct from Calgary to the southern boundary of the province of Alberta at or near Coutts.

(6) From a point on the main line of the Western Division between Moose Lake and Tete Jaune Cache, thence through the drainage of the Clearwater River, Bonaparte River, Seton and Anderson Lakes and the Lillooet River or the Squamish River or between the last two rivers to Vancouver, British Columbia authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of $30,000 a mile of the said lines of railway, numbered (1) to (5) inclusive and comprising the said lines within what are defined by the said Act as the "Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Extensions"; authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of $50,000 a mile of the said line of railway numbered (6) and comprising the said line within what is defined by the said Act as the "British Columbia Extensions;" and also amending paragraph 11 of clause 11 of the said Act, as regards the southern terminus of the line thereby authorized.

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SPORTING NEWS

BOB FITZSIMMONS DIGS UP NEW FIGHTER

Thinks He Has Found a Wonder in Illinois Mine Blacksmith and Mule Tender.

New York, Dec. 15.—The meteoric stars of pugilism, in great measure, are the raw unheard-of youngsters who come from nowhere, show class and quality when they get their first chance in fast company, and then go along the line whipping everyone while youthful strength remains unimpaired by foolish dissipation. Such was the history of stars without number, and such will be the history of many stars who are yet to come.

Down in Southern Illinois, in a little town called Herrin—it is hard to find it on the map unless you borrow a very large one of the westerners—there lives a piece of fighting timber that, in the opinion of the few critics who have been so fortunate as to behold him, is the destined marvel of the decade in his own class and perhaps beyond it. This young fellow is an Irish blacksmith, and his name is Richard Farrell.

Billy Papke was a mining blacksmith and a harness mender for the mules of the Illinois mines. Oddly enough, this position in another mine, and it can be taken for granted that both Papke and Farrell, brought up to this kind of gruelling work, are of herculean strength and vigor. Papke got his chance first, and the fistic world knows how well he improved it. Farrell's turn is yet to come, and all who have seen the second of the Illinois blacksmiths in action think he will cut as wide a swath as the German slugger.

Old Bob Fitzsimmons is credited with finding Farrell in the obscurity of the little Illinois village. The good old boy was showing through that part of Illinois a couple of years ago, and when his company played a one-night stand at Herrin, young Farrell sought out the veteran. Just what passed between the blacksmith champion of the past and the aspiring blacksmith of the present was never known, and neither Bob nor Ferrell ever told the story of their interview. Perhaps the great Cornishman tried Ferrell out in his room at the village hotel—perhaps he only looked him over, took keen judgment of his wonderful strength and bulldog style and judged him accordingly. However this may be, Bob for many weeks afterward told the fighting critics whom he met that there was "a blooming devil, a fighting wonder, my word," in the little Illinois town.

A promoter, who was holding shows at Peoria, heard old Bob mention the boy and sent for him to fight one Billy Mayfield, one of the toughest of all the wandering figaters who go from coast to coast, battling where they can. The record books show that Jack O'Keefe, Battling Nelson and Cyclone Thompson had the fight of their lives with this fellow and were unable to even dent him. Farrell dented him. It took a little less than two rounds.

Since the fighting game shut down in Illinois Farrell has been fighting in the west and south. He had cleaned up a lot of third and second rate pugs and now yearns to meet real ones for real money—hence he is coming east. Some sensation, too, when the fighters even get a glimpse at this young man.

Farrell is the exact twin of Tom Sharkey, face and body, only on a minor scale, as he can do 142 pounds. This mass of muscle and bulldog ferocity attacks after the style of Honey Mellody, but comes much faster, while his blows are far heavier with either hand. Imagine Joe Walcott and Honey Mellody blended into one and you have Richard Ferrell, southwestern welter champion. He ought to prove a good one.

Long Theatrical Tour For Jack.

Toronto, Dec. 15.—Miner and Gerard, theatrical managers, have placed Jack Johnson under contract for fifteen weeks, commencing New Year's day. He will head an athletic show, directed by Barney Gerard, and play the large one-night stands, consisting of Chicago, Washington, Baltimore, Wilkesbarre, Scranton and a number of other large cities.

The one-night-stand tour will last but three weeks, after which Johnson will travel with Follies of the Day and Town Talk. His contract calls for $2000 a week and a percentage of the profits. The date set for Johnson's appearance in this city is the week of January 24.

Stanley Cup Team.

Winnipeg, Dec. 15.—It's a pretty safe guess that the following will compose Winnipeg's team for Stanley cup games: Charlie Quinn, goal; Paddy Chambers, point; Dan Flett, cover point; Billy Breen, forward; Walter Bellamy, forward or defense; Billy Kean, forward; Harry Kennedy, forward; Billy Field, forward; Tommy Dunderle, forward. The cold weather has set, and hard practice is being indulged in almost every evening.

SPARRING PARTNERS DON'T HIT HARD ENOUGH

Sporting Writers Think That Jeffries Is Not Going at His Training in Right Way.

New York, Dec. 15.—Jim Jeffries in training for his fight with Johnson announces that Jim Corbett, Kid McCoy, Sam Berger and Jack (Twin) Sullivan will be his sparring partners. Every one of them is known as a "clever fighter," but sporting writers declare that there isn't a real hard puncher in the whole lot.

Robert Edgren, of the Evening World and a staunch adherent of Jeffries, does not like the bunch as training partners.

"A few weeks ago," writes Edgren, "Jeffries said he was going to get two or three of the roughest and toughest men he could find and have them belt him all over the lot until he became so hard-hided that nothing could hurt him.

"To me this seems a far better plan than to work with two such tappers as Jim Corbett and Jack (Twin) Sullivan, neither of whom could make a dent in Jeffries a few years ago. Of course Jeff might pick up a few pointers in cleverness, but he doesn't need cleverness to win out with Johnson. He needs endurance and aggressiveness.

"Fitzsimmons is the man to train Jeff. He could make the giant extend himself. The man who actually fights in his training has a great advantage over the man who gets the habit of being tapped lightly and cleverly in return."

Big League Training Camps.

All but one of the big league baseball clubs have selected their training camps for the spring of 1910, Cincinnati falling into line with the announcement that the Reds would work out at Hot Springs. This will leave the Arkansas health resort 3 big league teams.

The training camps selected are as follows:

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Chicago—New Orleans, La.
Pittsburg—Hot Springs, Ark.
Philadelphia—Southern Pines, N.C.
New York—Marlin, Tex.
Cincinnati—Hot Springs, Ark.
St. Louis—Little Rock, Ark.
Brooklyn—Columbia, S. C.

McVey and Taylor Matched.

Seattle, Dec. 15.—Pete McVey's great showing against Louie Long in Tacoma last Friday night has brought the Seattle lightweight quick recognition from the Tacoma fight promoters. McVeigh was matched yesterday with Roscoe Taylor, of Tacoma, for a six-round bout on the evening of January 1. The scrap will be staged by the Pacific Coast Artillery Athletic club and will probably be held at the Tacoma armory.

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Spokane Boosts For Rugby.

Spokane, Dec. 15.—The Stanford university club of Spokane, composed of graduates and former students of Stanford university, where Rugby is played, at a dinner here went on record as favoring Rugby. There was not a dissenting vote. C. D. Bradford, Stanford's mile runner, characterized Rugby as being more spectacular, less dangerous and a greater game than the American sport. The club intends to lend its influence toward giving the game a start in the various high schools of the northwest.

Dates Definitely Declared.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The dates for the Stanley cup games, now definitely set by the trustees, are December 28 and January 1 for Winnipeg, January 4 and 6 for Galt and January 18 and 20 for Edmonton.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Youssuf Mahmout, the Bulgarian wrestler, has night defeated Gus Schoenlein in straight falls. Mahmout won the first fall in 2:34 with a grapevine, and the second in 33:35 with a chancery, wristlock and scissors.

Favor Universal Rules.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Members of the Yachtowners' association at their annual banquet went on record as unanimously in favor of the universal rule which was adopted by Sir Thomas Lipton in Chicago recently. The rule recommends the construction of the best type of boats for racing and the elimination of the freak racing craft. Delegates from the association who will attend the Lake Michigan Yachting association Saturday were told to vote for it.

Gunboat Smith Scores a Win.

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 15.—"Gunboat" Smith knocked out Walter Schulken in the sevent round late last night in a scheduled ten-round contest. Schulken had considerably the best of the contest up to the sixth round, when he grew overconfident and reckless. The fight was fast from the start.

Papke Will Fight Winner.

Kewanee, Dec. 15.—Ed Papke yesterday signed articles for a twenty-round bout between his brother Billy and the winner of the Willie Fitzgerald-Harry Lewis bout, to take place in Paris in February. Billy Papke left yesterday for Hot Springs, Ark., to have his arm treated, going abroad the middle of next month. Jack Pollock, of Kewanee, will act as trainer for Papke.

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LULL OCCURS IN BUDGET FIGHT

Sheer Exhaustion Causes the Leaders to Declare Truce for Christmas.

London, Dec. 15.—The betting on the result of the English elections is now placed at 11 to 9 in favor of the government. This is figured out by Lloyd's rate of 45 per cent.

Peace at Christmas.

The lull in the political crisis is due chiefly to the sheer exhaustion of the leading combatants on both sides from the prolonged session. In some cases Radical and Unionist fighters are agreeing upon a truce till after Christmas. Mr. Balfour himself went yesterday to his Scottish seat to rest and play golf until after Christmas, but Lloyd George and Churchill continue fighting.

It is regarded as significant that one of the few places Balfour will speak before the electors is in support of the candidature in the Shipley division of Yorkshire of Professor Heims, the secretary of Chamberlain's tariff commission. This is taken to indicate Balfour's approval of the tariff commission policy of moderate duties with preference.

Radical hopes continue to run strongly. Last night I interviewed a high ministerial authority in this connection, who replied as follows: "I am persuaded we shall win, that Asquith, when called upon by the King to form a government, will reply: 'Neither I nor any colleague of mine can accept your majesty's commission unless we receive definite assurance that the lords forego their power of veto over all of the Commons' legislation, not merely finance. The lords may delay any bill for consideration, but if the commons persist the bill must go through in the lifetime of that parliament.' The King must accept that position or risk the financial and administrative chaos consequent upon the refusal of the ministry who hold the popular mandate to take office."

Obviously this would bring the sovereign into an extremely awkward position.

Predicts Many Turns.

F. R. Brassey, speaking at a Conservative meeting at Bexill predicted the return of the Liberal government. There would be considerable turn over in votes in England, it was possible there might be a Conservative majority, but the utmost they could hope to win in Scotland was eight or ten seats; in Wales one or two while in Ireland there would be no change at all. The result would be that the present government would be returned to power with a majority dependent on Irish, Scotch and Welsh votes.

Will Erect Plant In New Westminster

(Continued from Page One.)

bor, its cheap property and excellent water frontage, with the added advantage that there is already a can factory in the city, which would have the necessity of adding such a plant or of importing. The harbor is required because it is the intention of the company to distribute from here not only by rail to provincial points, but by water to the Yukon, to Australia, the Orient and Mexico. At the present time there is $600,00 worth of baking powder used annually in the Yukon which could be readily supplied from here. In Mexico it is impossible to keep yeast bread owing to the nature of the climate, and baking powder is a necessity and is used in large quantities; yet it is all imported at a heavy cost, which could be much reduced by shipment from this port. The Orient also offers a new and promising field.

The agent of the company, W. O'Malley, was in the city early this month and gave a demonstration of the value of the product of the company's factories before the board of trade. The company will look for subscriptions to $15,000 worth of stock here. A quantity of stock has already been taken by Vancouver men.

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Marines Start for Panama.

Philadelphia, Dec. 15.—Laden with rapid-fire fieldpieces, 500,000 rounds of ammunition and clothing and provisions for two months, the auxiliary cruiser Prairie today prepared to make a second attempt to convey two battalions of marines to Colon, Panama. The vessel was ordered to weigh anchor about 3:30 this afternoon.

Russia and China Bargain.

Harbin, Manchuria, Dec. 15.—A conference was opened here yesterday between representatives of the railroad management of the Russian consulate and of China for the purpose of working out details of the Russo-Chinese agreement for the government of the Manchurian railroad zone.

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 G. N. 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.

8 a.m.—Vancouver and Victoria via B. C. Electric railway.

First C. P. R. east taking all points east including Langley and district.

The mail for Abbotsford and district, Clayburn and district, Huntingdon and district, and Matsqui are despatched by way of Vancouver.

8 a.m.—Blaine and Seattle, including all U. S. points east and south; and Hall's Prairie, Fernridge and Hazelmere, on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays.

All Surrey mails are received from Cloverdale, except Hall's Prairie, Hazelmere and Fernridge, which arrive on the Port Guichon train on Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays.

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. (Summer months close at 2:30 except Saturday)—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.

3 p.m.—Cloverdale, Nicomekl, and Port Kells daily, Clayton on Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday; Tynehead on Tuesday and Friday; Bon Accord, Tuesday and Friday.

4:00 p.m.—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."

6 p.m.—Second C. P. R., east, Fraser Mills. This mail takes the following local places: Barnet and Port Moody, Pitt Meadows, Port Hammond, Port Haney, Mission, Chilliwack, Harrison Hot Springs, Agassiz, Lytton, Lillooet, Spences' Bridge, Nicola and district, and all points east except Kootenays.

Mails Received.

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

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

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

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 J. C. Bruce. (Steveston despatched and received via Vancouver.)

8:40 a.m.—C. P. R. east (first train) Sapperton, Fraser Mills and Coquitlam.

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

1:30 p.m.—East Burnaby, by courier.

2:30 p.m.—Burquitlam, by courier.

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

9:40 p.m.—Second Mail east, and closed mail from Sumas, and Seattle, including U. S. A. matter, and also Fraser Mills.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lots 96 and 97, Block 6, being parts of lots 28, 29 and 30, group 2, New Westminster district.

Whereas proof of the loss of certificate of title No. 5717f issued in the name of Margaret Emily Atkinson, has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the city of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said certificate, unless in the meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

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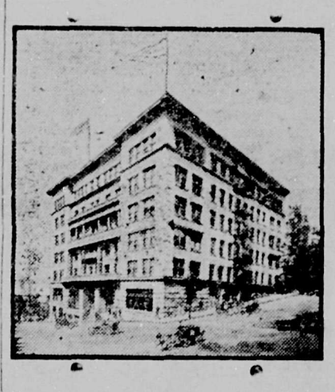

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MACKENZIE WILL AGAIN VISIT COAST

On His Arrival Will Formally Take Over Charter of Barkley Sound Railway.

Victoria, Dec. 15. — Negotiations that have been in progress during several weeks past for the sale to the Canadian Northern of the charter and interests of the Victoria and Barkley Sound Railway company have been virtually completed, and the local company will be formally absorbed upon the arrival here of William MacKenzie, the Canadian Northern president, who will leave Toronto, accompanied by General Counsel Lash and Secretary Moore, for this city on January 2, intending to remain here until the legislation giving effect to the bargain made for the construction through British Columbia is passed by the provincial legislature and receives the assent of Governor Patterson.

The local company has made an active beginning by the completion of surveys for some 50 miles out of Victoria, and these being taken over by the C. N. R. will greatly expedite preliminary arrangements for construction of the Vancouver island portion of the third Canadian transcontinental line. It is estimated that about $18,000 has been expended by the local company, in which M. B. Carlin holds a controlling interest, in incorporation, surveys and incidental preliminary operations.

Oklahoma Governor Ill.

Guthrie, Okla., Dec. 15.—Although Governor Charles N. Haskell, who was stricken with acute indigestion last night, showed some improvement early today, he was still in a serious condition. The governor suffered intense pain during the night and it was necessary to administer opiates.

Bank Robbers Cut Wires.

Ardmore, Okla., Dec. 15.—After cutting all telegraph and telephone wires entering the town of Paoli, Okla., robbers earl ytoday dynamited the State Bank of Paoli, securing $3800 in cash and escaped. A posse started in pursuit.

Jack Flynn Goes to Pittsburg.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Jack Flynn, the star first baseman of the St. Paul team, now a law student at Georgetown university here, was sold today to the Pittsburg Nationals for $4000.

Commissioners Renew All Licenses in City

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by the proprietors of the hotel of that name. It was decided by the commissioners that they had no jurisdiction in matters of this kind, and if there is any remedy at all for the family it will have to be through the law courts.

Chief's Report.

Chief McIntosh, the head license inspector, handed in his report on the condition of the different hotels in the city and recommended a renewal of all the licenses. The report showed a very satisfactory state of affairs to exist in the majority of them, all being kept clean an well furnished. There had been only two or three infractions of the liquor license bylaw by license holders, but there had been several by persons selling without a license.

He thought it would be a good thing if the dining rooms of all the hotels were under the same management as the rest of the hotel, and if they were not he thought that the proprietor of the hotel ought to be held responsible for any infractions of the license bylaw in the dining rooms. This part of the report met with the unanimous favor of the board and steps will be taken in this direction.

The chief also thought that some of the hotels were insufficiently provided with fire escapes and recommended that all hotels of two stories or over should be provided with the same. This report met with some objection from Mr. Collier of the Central hotel, who said that any one could drop out of any of his windows in case of fire. "I suppose they could drop out of any window," remarked Mr. Keary. The matter will be referred to the chief of the fire department, who will order the installation of fire escapes where they are needed.

The matter of the recent amendment to the city liquor license bylaw making it compulsory for all bartenders to take out a license, was referred to by the chairman. Some of the hotelmen present thought that the law was hardly fair to them, Mr. Collier stating that they were not in Russia and did not want to be jammed down, but allowed some liberty. They had a hard enough time making both ends meet without having more licenses and taxes put on. His worship remarked that the speaker's reference to Russia reminded him of something that happened a few days ago. Mr. Collier had nothing to say against the mayor of the city or the chief of police, who were as good as any that walked the streets of Canada, but he wanted fair play. However, the deed was done by the council several weeks ago, and Mr. Collier will have to make up his mind to be oppressed.

At the conclusion of the meeting the chairman, W. H. Keary, remarked that he was pleased with the way the hotels in the city had been conducted during the past year. He had always found the proprietors ready and willing to abide by the law and to make improvements that had been suggested to them. While traveling in different parts of the country he had been told that the way the hotels in the city of New Westminster were conducted was a credit to the city. This was the last meeting at which he would preside, but he hoped that the hotels of the city would still be a credit to it, and the proprietors a credit to themselves as they had been in the past.

He took leave of the commissioners, with whom he had been connected for the past eight years. He wished them all a merry Christmas and a very happy and prosperous New Year. Those present were Mayor Keary (in the chair) and Commissioners Turnbull, Jaggers, Smith and Brown.

AT THE HOTELS.

Windsor Hotel.

Geo. Bourgeois, Vancouver.
L. Thibault, Seattle.
A. G. Gordon, Vancouver.
D. Cook, Bellingham.
Miss Rae, Kamloops.
Ben Evans, Outlook, Sask.
A. Cheney, Outlook, Sask.
P. Hupp, Ladner.
J. Dixon, Ladner.
D. Chisholm, Ladner.
Mrs. Payne, Chilliwack.
J. Foote, Neker.

Russell Hotel.

H. O. Lamb, Chilliwack.
T. T. Miles, Vancouver.
H. L. MacDonald, Comox.
T. Maitland, Vancouver.
T. E. Groppman, Vancouver.
H. Burr, Ladner.
D. Ramsay, Vancouver.
F. Burton, Vancouver.
H. L. Hagan and wife, Vancouver.
C. J. Rowbotham, Vancouver.
J. Comer, Vancouver.
J. E. Cowan, Vancouver.
H. A. Wright, Vancouver.
Jas. Findlay, Vancouver.
C. E. Fowler, Seattle.
D. D.Danton, Vancouver.
W. H. Jacques, Victoria.
D. R. McLaunder, Chilliwack.
J. F. McKinnon, Vancouver.
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M. F. INSLEY.
New Westminster, Nov. 15. 1909.

NOTICE RE LULU ISLAND BRIDGE.

The condition of the old bridge is not considered safe for vehicular traffic, and the public generally are cautioned against hauling loads of any kind over it.

Persons continuing to do so after this notice must take all the risks on themselves.

By order. W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, New Westminster, July 23rd, 1909.

CITY NEWS

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The C. P. R. steamer Beaver experienced considerable delay yesterday on account of the heavy fog which prevailed during the preceding night. She was due in port on Tuesday evening, but after a slow run to Campbell's island, near the Fraser River Mills, it was dangerous to make the run through the Westminster bridge until daylight. The boat arrived there at 6 a. m. and did not reach port until 7 o'clock yesterday, leaving again at noon for Chilliwack.

J. H. Todd's music store will be open every evening until 9 o'clock from now on until Christmas.

The inquest in connection with the death of 22 Japanese section men on the Great Northern, in Burnaby, will be resumed today at the courthouse before Coroner Captain Pittendrigh. The engineer and fireman of the locomotive are expected to be present to give evidence, both having recovered sufficiently, and it is also expected that a number of Great Northern officials will be called to give evidence on the management of the line in this section.

Chrysanthemums for Sunday at Tidy's florist store, Columbia street. Phone L184.

For fresh-berried holly and Christmas trees phone Davies' greenhouse, telephone R208.

The four Japanese charged with assault, and assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm, in connection with the fight at Pitt river, were yesterday admitted to bail by Judge Howay in the amount of $2000. This was at once put up by some of their countrymen, and the four prisoners were allowed to leave the jail on the assurance that they would appear for trial on Monday next. There will be two trial, one on each of the separate charges.

Save money by having your mechanical work and general repairing done by Webster, Dominion Trust block, Sixth street.

Dr. J. D. Gamble, optician, is at 625 Columbia street, Room 13, every Friday.

The remains of the late George Holl were interred yesterday in the Church of England cemetery, the Rev. Mr. Shildrick officiating. The deceased was a member of the Order of Eagles and the members of the local lodge attended the funeral in a body. The basket was covered with flowers, gifts from the many friends of the late Mr. Holl in New Westminster. Murchie and Sons had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Early yesterday morning the death occurred of H. A. Kerr, who had been ill in the Royal Columbian hospital for some time. The late Mr. Kerr was well known in town, one of his sons being manager for the Edison theatre. A wife and several children also mourn his loss. He was an Orangeman and a Forrester. No arrangement have yet been made for the funeral.

In the police court yesterday morning an Indian was sent to jail for three months for assauiting his wife while in a condition of drunkenness. His name was Charles Harris, or "Charlie," and he hales from somewhere on Vancouver island. The police gathered him in after he had broken up his happy home and his wife, on Tuesday night. Another man had his name called the requisite number of times but the only answer was the echo. That echo cost him $5.00 which he had deposited with the chief the night before as a guarantee of his appearance. He was only charged with exceeding the booze limit.

AUCTION SALE

ST. GEORGE'S HALL, FRIDAY NEXT 2 P.M.

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