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DUNSMUIR MILLIONS CLAIMED BY MOTHER

Suit to Recover Vast Fortune is Commenced at Victoria—History of the Case.

Victoria, Sept. 17.—A contest for a portion of the estate was launched here today, when Messrs. Elliott and Shindler, barristers of this city, representing Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir, mother of the lieutenant-governor of British Columbia, and intervenor in the celebrated case of Edna Wallace Hopper vs. Dunsmuir, filed a claim against Sir Henri, the present owner and operator of the Wellington and Extension collieries on Vancouver Island, the mines of collieries operated between the mines and San Francisco and the business carried on under the firm name of R. Dunsmuir & Sons in the last named place.

The claim as filed is to have an account taken of all moneys received by the defendant as general agent and general manager and attorney in fact and trustee for the plaintiff in the management by the defendant of all and singular the real and personal estates and properties of the plaintiff from the 17th day of August, 1889, up to the 24th day of August, 1908, and for an account of all moneys paid by the defendant to the plaintiff or to the use of the plaintiff, or lawfully on behalf of the plaintiff, in the course of the agency and management aforesaid, the chief place of business for the carrying on of such agency and management having always been in the city of Victoria in the province of British Columbia, and for the payment by the defendant to the plaintiff of all moneys upon the taking of such accounts found to be due and payable by the defendant to the plaintiff.

In addition to this another bomb has been thrown into the enemy's camp by the revival of an old action commenced in 1901, asking, on the part of Mrs. Dunsmuir senior, for the possession of certain shares in the San Francisco business then and now held by her son James. This suit, in which pleadings were delivered, never came to trial and through some at present unaccountable reason was allowed to stand, no move having been made to have it dismissed through lack of prosecution. Messrs. Elliott and Shindley have today applied the spark to this train, which may result in considerable fire works.

The many troubles and costly litigation in which this estate has been involved arose through the fact that, at the time of his death, the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir, the founder of the present vast fortune, left two wills, or rather one was not a will, as it had not been signed. The original will left everything absolutely to his widow, Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir, the plaintiff in the present action. According to the second or draft will, which it is generally understood was the result of family consultations, the estate would have been more evenly divided. Some years after Mr. Dunsmuir's death an arrangement to administer the estate was made, which it is supposed was along the lines laid down in the draft will. As the estate was producing money to the extent of hundreds of thousands annually, this division evidently did not prove satisfactory to the entire family, and then trouble began.

The interests now at stake are variously estimated at from twenty to forty million dollars, and include the enormously valuable Wellington mines at Ladysmith and the Union mines at Comox, both on Vancouver Island, capable of producing upwards of 2000 tons a day, besides the rights to the immense coal beds that are supposed to underlie the 3,500,000 acre land grant to the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway. The latter line was about two years ago acquired by the Canadian Pacific railway, but in selling Mr. Dunsmuir, who owned all the stock in the island line, made a stipulation that the purchasers should acquire only the surface rights; thus he retained control of untold millions of tons of the finest coal on the Pacific coast known to underlie the vast tract given as a subsidy in the early nineties to aid in the construction of this eighty odd miles of railway. That the C. P. R. will ultimately be brought into the limelight appears to be like-

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INFERNAL MACHINE CONNECTED TO PHONE

President Cabrera Narrowly Escaped Death Through a Cunningly Contrived Plot.

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—According to reports brought by officers of the steamer City of Para, which arrived yesterday, an attempt was made recently upon the life of President Cabrera, of Guatemala, by means of an infernal machine. The would-be assassins connected the machine with a telephone in the president's room in such a manner that it would be exploded when the connection was made. Answering a call, President Cabrera was flung from his chair against the wall by a deafening explosion. He escaped with a few bruises.

The Para brought news of the arrest of Frank Moore, an American accused of being a spy and having in his possession maps of Salvador. Moore had recently come from Amapala, Honduras. He was taken ashore by officers at Acajutla.

OUTLAWS TORTURE AGED PROSPECTOR AT HIS CAMP

Old Miner Managed to Escape Twice From Pair of Greasers Who Were Brutally Using Him.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 17.—News comes from Kelvin, a mining camp 100 miles east of here, of a most dastardly outrage, perpetrated by unknown outlaws. James Martz, a prospector, 70 years old, was the victim. Two Mexicans surprised him suddenly at his camp at Pegleg Well, a few miles from Kelvin, about dark last night, bound, blindfolded him and then robbed him. While they were thus engaged, Martz slipped his bonds and escaped. The Mexicans pursued and captured him, setting a can of water just beyond his reach to torture him. He was already hungry, not having had a supper after his day's work. Fortunately he was able to again release himself after a time and escaped to Kelvin and gave the alarm. The robbers secured a shotgun, a pistol and a few dollars in money.

ONTARIO POPULATION IS ON THE INCREASE

Toronto, Sept. 17.—Statistics collected from municipalities and issued by the department of agriculture as a bulletin show that the population of Ontario last year was 2,200,362, as compared with 2,142,846 in 1906, the increase being confined to urban communities, the rural population showing a small decrease.

The assessed values of property in 1907 aggregated $1,148,981,077, as compared with $1,103,504,688 in 1906. From this the taxes collected amounted to $19,529,169 in 1907, as against $18,021,428 in 1906.

RAILWAY DISASTER IS NARROWLY AVERTED

Halifax, Sept. 17.—The fast Sydney express from Halifax broke down last night at Morrison's Lake, six miles from Mulgrave. The wheels of the tender flew to pieces, and the derailed engine and train came to a stand-still three feet from the edge of a 40-foot embankment. The prompt application of the emergency brakes prevented a horrible disaster.

Among those on board were Alexander Johnson, M P., and a score of well known commercial men.

Death of Griffen Fletcher.

The funeral will take place at Lacombe, Alta., as soon as the body can arrive, of Griffen Fletcher, of Blackwood street, who died yesterday at the Royal Columbian hospital at the age of 65. He was a native of England, and leaves one son here, R. Fletcher, a motorman on the B. C. E. R., and another in Alberta. He leaves other children in England.

CENTRAL PARK EXHIBITION SHOWS GROWTH OF DISTRICT

Hon. F. C. Carter-Cotton Opens Fair in Absence of the Premier—Fine Fruit and Poultry Exhibits Are Chief Features—Entries Nearly Double Previous Years—Poultry Annex.

The Central Park Agricultural association's show, which opened last evening at the hall, Central Park, is probably one of the best district shows that will be seen this year around Westminster. There are 795 entries, nearly double that of last year, there being no entry fees for special prizes, a boon to the exhibitors. Poultry has greatly increased on account of the interest taken by the Vancouver Poultry Fanciers' association, and the provision of a building to house the exhibits, and this brought many new fanciers out. The display of fruit was a credit to any organization. The formal opening took place last evening, and the show is continued today. It may be mentioned that the members of the Scottish agricultural commission visited the exhibition during the afternoon, and were surprised with the quality of the exhibits.

Officials.

The judges were: Poultry, J. C. Dixon, Vancouver; fruit, Thomas Selwood, and Richard Layritz, Victoria; vegetables, W. A. Dashwood-Jones, Westminster; flowers, Henry Cox; ladies' work, Mrs. Ryan, Vancouver, and Mrs. Barclay, Westminster; children's exhibits, G. McKee, Roberts school, Vancouver, and John Coyle. The directors of the agricultural society worked unflagingly, and much credit rests on the secretary, F. H. Wright.

Opening Ceremony.

There was a very large attendance at the opening ceremony, among those present being Hon. F. C. Carter-Cotton, president of the executive council, and representative of Richmond; Thomas Sanderson, president; Alexander Philip, North Vancouver; Reeve Byrne, of Burnaby; F. R. Glover, assistant general manager, B. C. E. R., and nearly all the members of the municipal council, and public bodies of Burnaby and South Vancouver.

In the absence of Hon. Richard McBride, the duty of opening the show again fell to Mr. Carter-Cotton. Before calling on him to do so, Mr. Philip expressed the cordial sympathies of North Vancouver with their efforts, and hoped that Central Park would help their show across the inlet next year.

Mr. Carter-Cotton was well received. In the course of his remarks he said it was the fourth time he had opened that exhibition, and each time it showed improvement in variety, quantity and quality. He was glad that they had made such good use of the poultry building, as it justified the government in the assistance they had given, and they were satisfied the money had been economically laid out. Poultry raising was one of their most important industries. There was practically no limit to the amount of fruit and poultry produced in small holdings, and to encourage that subject he would have pleasure in offering prizes for an essay on "What Can be Done on One or Two Acres of Land."

Having referred to the establishment of a park board to control the government reservation, which would be kept for public purposes in perpetuity, he said that the day would come when one city would stretch from Burrard Inlet to the Fraser river. (Applause.) He declared the show open, and the National Anthem was then sung. F. Robertson's orchestra supplied the music.

Fruit.

Fruit unquestionably was the feature of the show, and proved the claim that the two municipalities of which Central Park is the urban center, are recognized for their fruit capabilities. J. de C. Wetherall, of East Burnaby, won the $25 special for the best fruit exhibit, with sixty-one plates of fruit of every kind. The table included some splendid apples, pears and plums, and excellent peaches. He is a stallholder at the Westminster market. The second special for fruit fell to W. Barclay, Central Park, who had most of his fruit packed in boxes, and therefore was not quite as showy as the first prize table. Messrs. Wetherall and Barclay carried off nearly all the specials for fruit, but there were other notable exhibitors. F. J. Wright winning the special for peaches, and Stride & Sons for plums. There were excellent displays of vegetables, Mrs. M. J. Colburn winning the special, together with a prize for the largest squash. E. J. Timms showed a good collection of vegetables. The Provincial government sent a collection of bottled fruit for exhibition.

Flowers.

The floral displays were most attractive, several florists sending large not-for-competition groups. There was a lovely collection of roses and sweet peas from Simpson & Wright of North Vancouver, including all 1908 varieties. The scarlet Queen of England and pink Paradise were the choicest of specimens, all free blooming kinds of sweet peas. Dorothy Perkins, a new variety of the favorite climber, was perhaps one of the newest roses. F. J. Wright, Davis & Son, and Stride & Sons were the chief exhibitors in the competitive classes, Mr. Wright carrying off the prize for the best exhibit of cut flowers.

Ladies' and Children's Exhibits.

In ladies' work there was a considerable increase, Miss Mabel Bissett getting the award for best collection of ladies' fancy work. Other useful examples of the housewife's energy were the exhibits of home made bread and cakes. The best bakers were Mrs. M. Mills, and Mrs. Frodsham. Little Mrs. Lavery and Miss Nora Alcock carried over prizes for excellent work on similar lines. Leonard Wright won the senior grade prize for a map of B. C.

Mention should be made of Mrs. Stewart's exhibits of butter, the best of their kind, which both won prizes.

Poultry.

The classes for poultry numbered 141, W. Walker, of Burquitlam, was a large prize winner, and gained the specials for best thoroughbred fowl, and best water fowl, while the Surprise Poultry fram, Burnaby, also won several specials. Barred Plymouth Rocks honors were divided between F. J. Ades, J. Rumble, and W. Walker. Buffs and whites of the same favorite breed included good exhibits from the Surprise Poultry yards (W. Kirkham), W. Brown and the exhibitors already named. There were some excellent Wyandottes penned, silver, golden and white, while in the Columbian varieties Maxwell Smith was a prominent exhibitor. The Rhode Island Reds were supported by D. Mowatt and W. E. Carbutt. The Brahmas, Cochins, Langshams and Javas were poorly aided by exhibitors, but the Leghorn classes proved as popular as ever, in the buff kinds W. E. Carbutt and W. Walker shared the honors, the exhibit being very good. J. A. Johnson won all the prizes for Brown Leghorns. The white varieties included pens from W. D. Bruce. Minorcas aroused little interest, but there were good exhibits for dun and black Orpingtons. Buffs went to Sprott & Schon, and blacks to Stride & Sons and W. Franklin. There were a few Game birds sent in, the Surprise Poultry Co. were prominent competitors. W. Walker won with his geese and Pekin ducks, other exhibitors including E. J. Timms and J. Rumble. Eggs were a strong feature.

The principal exhibitors in the pigeon classes, both carrier and homing, were R. Babel, F. J. Ades, G. Renney (Vancouver), and J. Garwin. It should be mentioned that the honey special went to Stride & Sons.

Emma Goldman Plans a Voyage.

New York, Sept. 17.—Emma Goldman, the anarchist, says that in January next she will leave New York and will sail for Australia to lecture there. She says she goes at the earnest invitation of Comrade Fleming, of the anarchist party in Australia, who says that the visit will help the cause of anarchy there.

FAITHFUL FEW AT MONTHLY MEETING

Legislative Library.

Slim Turn-Out of Board of Trade Members Causes Some Comment.

Out of a membership of nearly one hundred, eight business men managed to attend the monthly meeting of the board of trade yesterday evening. Seven members constitute a quorum, but for some time after the meeting hour had arrived, it looked as if an adjournment would have to be taken.

The eight members who attended yesterday were J. A. Cunningham, president, D. S. Curtis, L. A. Lisky, T. K. Smith, A. Munn, P. O. Bilodeau, J. A. Lee, and A. E. White, secretary.

In commenting upon the slim attendance, not only at last night's meeting, but also at several previous meetings, the president suggested the advisability of drafting a circular letter to the chairmen of the various committees of the board, asking them to make a special effort to attend meetings, as business was considerably hampered because of their absence. No resolution was passed, the grievance against the absentees not being put in the form of a motion.

Discussions around the table centered mostly on the condition of the Ladner and Port Moody roads, neither being in the best of shape, according to statements made by D. S. Curtis. In connection with the Ladner road, which was recently "finished," there appears to be some doubt as to whether the work will be accepted by the Delta council because of the unsatisfactory condition of the highway. A resolution was passed authorizing the secretary to write to Reeve Patterson inquiring whether the board of trade could assist his council in any way.

The Port Moody road, built some time ago by the Provincial government, is sadly in need of gravelling in several places. The chairman of the roads committee was instructed to look into the grievance.

The everlasting subject of cement sidewalks also came up for discussion, partly because of its urgency and partly because of the paucity of reports because of the small attendance. It being decided after some discussion that a committee, consisting of D. S. Curtis, T. J. Trapp and T. H. Smith, be appointed to interview the merchants and request them to sign a petition praying the city council to proceed with the work at an early date. This improvement has now been hanging fire for over two and a half years. The members of the city council will also be approached for information by the members of the committee.

Upon a suggestion made by A. E. White, it was decided to arrange for the free use of the board room by the Publicity association at its regular and executive meetings.

MANY YOUNG LADIES TO PRESENT AMAZON MARCH

Specialties Included in "The Pixies" Will Give Misses an Opportunity to Wear Natty Uniforms.

One of the pleasing specialties in "The Pixies" will be an Amazon march and drill given by the Misses Frances Herring, Maud Green, Gertrude Eastman, Minnie Johnson, Sophie Bilodeau, Mabel Fletcher, Elsie Emmett, Eunice Pride, Gertrude Brown, Eleanor Brown, Doris Clute, and Elsa Burnett. These young ladies will be costumed in natty uniform, with large "wild west" hats, and will execute a number of military evolutions with the rapidity and precision of veterans. They do their work in zouave time and so perfectly that not a flaw can be found.

The two hundred and fifty young people who take part are rapidly getting into shape. The show will be presented as a benefit for the Royal Columbian hospital, at the Opera house on Monday and Tuesday nights, September 28 and 29.

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—Thomas McFarland, one of the best known members of the bench of San Francisco county, died today of cancer of the throat.

COMMISSION COULD NOT STAY OVER HERE

Owing to Delay Down River Scottish Agriculturalists Drove Straight Through.

The Scottish Agricultural commission came yesterday, but what they saw of Westminster can best be left to the imagination. Three hours late, the party reached the Fraser bridge a few minutes after three, in six automobiles, covered in dust, and hurried through the town, only stopping to set down two local men at the post office, and took the Vancouver road, the reason being that they had to catch the 5.15 eastbound express from Vancouver, and the cause that they were two hours late on their schedule at Ladner. The party numbered some seventeen members of the twenty-two commissioners, and included were Mayor Bethune, of Vancouver, President F. M. Palmer, superintendent of agriculture, Comptroller Baldwin, Maxwell Smith, Dr. Monro, medical immigration officer; E. Blake Robertson, assistant superintendent of immigration, who was in charge of the tour; Dr. Elliott Rowe, secretary of Vancouver Tourist association, and Mr. Stewart, Vancouver. They left the Hotel Vancouver by special B. C. E. R. car about 9 a.m., missed the boat connection with the Sonoma at Steveston. This made the party two hours late at Ladner.

Westminster Party.

Meanwhile the automobiles had picked up T. J. Trapp, president R. A. & I. society, Ald. Jardine, representing the city council, and A. E. White, secretary of the board of trade, on Columbia street, and went out to Ladner by road, where they had to wait the arrival of the party, as stated above.

In the Delta capital they were received by Reeve Paterson, and other residents, including Rev. Canon Hilton. A short drive was made along the principal roads, and near Reeve Paterson's house an al fresco lunch was hurriedly taken at the roadside. A start was then made for Westminster, which was reached at 2 p. m. There was absolutely no time to see anything of the city, still if efforts had not been made at the eleventh hour the commission might never have been nearer the city than Central Park, thanks to influences already outlined.

Visitors Pleased.

Of course with this hurried inspection nothing concrete with reference to the agricultural possibilities of the Fraser river can be expected to have been gleaned, nor can it be judged from the lack of enthusiasm shown in seeking information that the commissioners took that interest which might have been expected of them. There is no question of the capacity of the commissioners, but the members were so fatigued with statistics, and coming to the Pacific coast at the end of their itinerary, it seems that the Fraser valley will not have that fair treatment in their report which the finest agricultural district in the Dominion demands. It is at any rate to be hoped that the editors of the report, Dr. Carlaw Martin, and J. M. Hedge, will not set down Westminster as the "fishing village" they were told of in Vancouver. Even an automobile trip down Columbia street would remove that impression.

In conversation with a News man yesterday John Oliver, M. L. A., said he came specially to the city yesterday to accompany Mr. Trapp, but the appointment was unfortunately missed. He wishes it to be understood he did not desire to neglect the commission.

So far as the commissioners would express any opinion of the lower valley themselves, showing the Scotsman's proverbial caution, they were very pleased with its possibilities, and would have liked to see more. The cutting and threshing now being over, the districts of Richmond and

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YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL.

Spokane	4
Vancouver	5
Twelve innings.	

This Is My 81st Birthday

John T. Trowbridge.

John Towssend Trowbridge, the well known author and poet, was born Sept. 18, 1827, in Monroe county, New York. He lived on a farm until he was seventeen years old, after which he taught school in Illinois and in Lockport, N. Y. At sixteen his first printed bit of verse had appeared in a Rochester paper. In 1847 he went to New York with a volume of verse in his pocket and a collection of prose sketches. After many rebuffs the young literary aspirant finally succeeded in getting some of his prose sketches into a magazine and before long he was able to earn his livelihood by his ever busy pen. At twenty-one he went to Boston and in that city and vicinity he has continued to reside ever since. In the early years of his residence in Boston Mr. Trowbridge enjoyed the intimate friendship of many great figures in American literature, among them Longfellow, Whittier, Emerson, Lowell and Holmes. In 1853 appeared Mr. Trowbridge's first book, entitled "Father Brighthopes." Of the fifty or more books that the author has written since that time all are alive, and many of his boys' books have had new editions each year.

DUNSMUIR MILLIONS CLAIMED BY MOTHER

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ly, as Mr. Dunsmuir's mother attacks his honor's title to the property, and in any event she claims an accounting.

In addition to these practically inexhaustible stores of coal the estate includes the business established in San Francisco by the late Hon. R. Dunsmuir, husband and father of the present litigants. This firm is still known as R. Dunsmuir & Sons, and was composed of the founder and his two sons, James, now in full possession, and Alexander, who died some years ago. It was over the share of Alexander that the suit of Edna Wallace Hopper originated. The deceased partner some time in the late eighties married the celebrated actress' mother and on his death Alexander executed a will whereby James was given all the testator's interests in the mines, ships and coal business. On the death of her mother, which took place some few years after Alexander Dunsmuir's demise, Edna Wallace, on the advice of Judge Coyne, of New York, made a claim for a share of her late stepfather's estate. At that time the estate was valued at from ten to fifteen millions. This suit, which was commenced in San Francisco about five years ago, was afterwards brought here for trial, when Mrs. Joan Dunsmuir, the defendant's mother and plaintiff in the present action, joined the suit as intervenor much against the advice of her friends. The whole of the family history was aired in court, and on losing the case in the local courts, the cause was taken before the judicial committee of the privy council, the highest law tribunal of the Empire. Here, too, Edna Wallace met defeat, and Mrs. Dunsmuir, senior, had to foot the lawyers' bills. Her own law costs in connection with the suit amounted to over $50,000, and that of the defendants was put in at another $60,000.

After this costly litigation both parties are said to have made changes in their legal advisers. Be that as it may, but when the solicitors for Mrs. Dunsmuir presented their account for $60,000 Mr. Shandley of the firm who is now acting for Mrs. Dunsmuir, had the bill taxed and it now stands, still unpaid, at $22,000.

And at this point another story develops. The $22,000 having been duly passed and certified as just and fair by the officers of the court, it only remained for the claimants to press for settlement, when, failing other measures, Craigdarroch, the castle home of Mrs. Dunsmuir, senior, could have been seized by the sheriff. However, this account which has lain dormant for so long, has now been revived, and it is understood that those entitled to the money will press for a settlement.

The papers in the case have just been served and the date for trial has not yet been fixed.

KING'S MESSAGE CAUSES SENSATION IN EUROPE

Strong Friendliness in Tone of Congratulatory Note to Sultan Widely Commented On.

Constantinople, Sept. 17.—A telegram sent by King Edward to the Sultan of Turkey on the anniversary of the latter's accession to the throne was made public today, and produced a decided sensation on account of the strong friendliness of its tone. The message was evidently intended to offset the advances made to the Sultan by the Emperor William. After the formal congratulations, the King said: "There is every reason to hope that, under the enligtened direction of so eminent a grand Vizier, your majesty's empire will have a peaceful and prosperous future, and that the veneration of posterity will be secured for your majesty."

LOW WOODEN BUILDINGS CONDEMNED IN NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 17.—The commission appointed about a year ago to investigate high buildings in New York city, and particularly on Manhattan island, is ready to submit the printed record of its work. The report points out that it is impossible to hold the height of buildings down to the present public fire protection service, because, it is argued, that would limit buildings to about 100 feet in height. The best course in this respect, it is suggested, is the elimination of low wooden buildings, to be supplanted by buildings of the iron cage variety.

INSTITUTE QUARANTINE AGAINST CUBAN PORTS

New Orleans, La., Sept. 17.—Because of the announcement of two cases of yellow fever in Havana, the United States marine hospital service in New Orleans, acting on orders from Washington, last night put into effect a quarantine against all Cuban ports.

All persons leaving Havana for the United States will have to remain at the detention camp in Trisconia, near Havana, six days if they are to go to Keywest or Tampa, and five days if they are bound for New Orleans or other ports.

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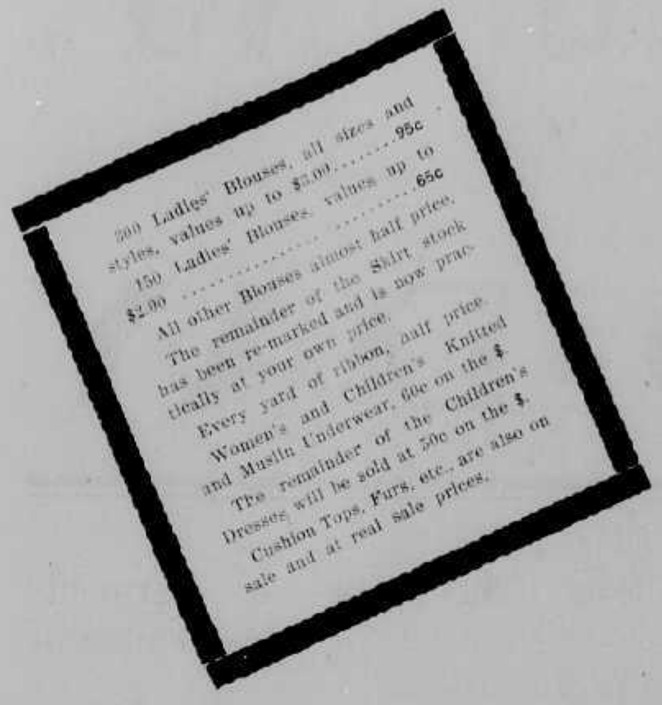

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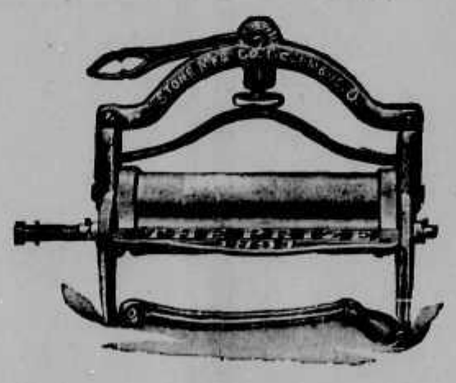

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SOCIETIES.

I. O. O. F.—AMITY LODGE, NO. 27.—The regular meetings of this lodge are held in Oddfellows' hall Columbia street, every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

A. O. U. W.—FRASER LODGE No. 3—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.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES, Aerie No. 20—Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 p. m., in the Eagles' hall, Columbia street. A. Clark, W. Pres.; H. Schofield, Secretary.

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

SONS OF SCOTLAND BENEFIT ASSOCIATION, LORD OF THE ISLES CAMP, 191.—Meets on the First and Third Tuesday of every month in K. of P. hall. Chief W. Sutherland

I. O. O. F.—Royal City Lodge, No. —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.

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.

OTHER FRATERNAL SOCIETIES include the Union Lodge, No. 9, A. F. and A. M.; King Solomon Lodge, No. 17, A. F. and A. M.; L. O. L. No. 1150; L. O. L., No. 1593; Court Sapperton, No. 4683, I. O. F.; C. O. F., Court Westminster, No. 330; Brotherhood of Owls, Nest No. 29;

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Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations.

Any available Dominion land 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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Men's strong tweed working trousers, regular 1.75. Sale price, a pair 75c

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Boys' fine serge and tweed suits, regular 4.50 to 6.50. Sale price 3.50

Boys' strong school shoes, regular 1.75. Sale price 90c

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Men's fine shoes, in box calf and kid, Goodyear welted, regular 5.00 and 5.50. Sale price $2.95

A snap—Men's strong working shoes, reg. 3.50 and 4.00. Sale price 1.95

Men's braces, reg. 50c. Sale price 25c

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Boys' braces, reg. 15c. Sale price 5c

Canvas gloves, 4 pair for 25c

Penman's wool underwear, reg. 1.25. Sale price 75c

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Dream of Vivid Color is Isle of Spice

The "Isle of Spice," which is the offering at the opera house Friday, Sept. 25, was during the New York, Chicago and Boston runs, aptly described by the press as a dream of color. The scene of the play is laid on an island in the Japan sea, which gives ample opportunity for lavish scenic surroundings and which are depicted in all their Oriental splendor. As a spectacle alone the production is said to be a marvel, but aside from this there are many features to make it a notable achievement in the art of play producing. With its wealth of song hits, interesting story, sweet singing and clever dancing, it has enjoyed more liberal patronage than almost any production of high class comedy at present before the public. The cast is reported to be unusually strong and is headed by that clever comedian Sam Rose and the well known prima donna, Roberta Wilson. They are ably supported by such favorites as Harry La Velle, Harry Watson, Robert Wilson, Harry Williams, Percy Bacon, Marie Watson, Lorette Broadwell and many others equally well known and popular in the field of musical comedy of the higher class.

A Rich Kaleidoscope of Color in a Taking Ensemble in the "Isle of Spice."

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on **Friday, the Second October, for the collection** of letters on a proposed contract for four years, **from the proposed Street Letter Boxes in the City of New Westminster**, from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at Post Offices of New Westminster and Sapperton and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

JOHN R. GREENFIELD,
Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Vancouver, B.C., 21st August, 1908.

SAYS JAPANESE ARE PRESSED FOR MONEY

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 17.—A. J. Sousa, who arrived by the Aki Maru, said financial conditions in Japan were bad and becoming worse instead of better owing to refusal of the Japanese to fill their contracts. Many Japanese firms, owing to the depression, are refusing to make delivery of goods.

EARTHQUAKE SHAKES A STEAMSHIP IN MIDOCEAN

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—Capt. F. D. Sanders, of the barkentine J. M. Griffiths, has reported to the branch hydrographic office that at noon of May 25, in latitude 26 degrees north, longtitude 110 degrees 40 minutes west, his vessel experienced a submarine earthquake, consisting of three distinct shocks that shook the Griffiths as if she had grounded. The lead showed 100 fathoms.

LIBERALS

OF

New Westminster

A Mass Meeting of Westminster Liberals, and supporters of the party, will be held on

Tuesday, Sept. 22, 1908

AT 8 P. M.

IN

Hardman's Hall, MacKenzie Street

For the purpose of electing delegates to the nominating convention to be held on September 30, 1908.

J. W. MACDONALD, President
W. J. CUNNINGHAM, Secretary

New Westminster Liberal Association.

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DO NOT FORGET.

Do not forget that a retrograde step now may mean years of struggle to retrace. Do not exchange good government for a "nest of traitors."

"Thirty feet to the gulf."

OTHER TORY PLANKS.

The national policy plank of the Bordenites has received another spike to the platform. Mr. Thomas Birkett obtained the nomination on the ground that he was a Canadian, whereas his rival was an Englishman. Only native born sons of Canada should be considered according to the Simon Pure Tory. Even in a city where the French predominates such ill-temperde outbreaks will cause Mr. Birkett's chances of election to drop about 20 below zero.

By the acceptance of Mr. Birkett as a candidate the party endorses the principle laid down by him and goes to show as in Mr. Cowan's case the platform is becoming more elastic as each unit comes forth to slaughter.

This same Mr. Birkett speaking in Bennett's Theatre, Ottawa, on June 8, is reported by his own party journals to have said: "I am a strong believer in the saying: To the victors belong the spoils." What about civil service reform being in the hands of such men. Servility to the Conservative party would be the first requisite to appointment. What with rum and money buying seats in the House of Commons and the promise of an immediate automatic system of spoliation, public morality is to suffer a relapse. Then it must be remembered that these men are posing as purists.

The spikes in the "public ownership" plank of the original Halifax platform are being drawn by the first Conservative journal of Canada, The Montreal Gazette. It is most outspoken against what it calls Socialistic bait and the influence of an unholy alliance.

The unkindest cut of all comes from the Conservative press who are trying to explain the Liberal success since the Laurier Government has been in power, by charging that the Liberals have stolen Mr. Borden's platform. The purloining of such an elastic structure certainly puts the Tory leader up against it hard, to be compelled to enter a campaign without a platform.

"Thirty feet to the gulf."

WHAT ABOUT MR. FOSTER?

If Mr. Borden succeeds in captivating the people of Canada, he will have George E. Foster as his first lieutenant, who will become the minister of finance. Is it wise to have a man of Mr. Foster's kind in such a position?

This is the same Mr. Foster who was described by his leader, Sir Mackenzie Bowell, as the chief of the nest of traitors, a Judas Iscariot; Sir Mackenzie Bowell should know.

He is the same George E. Foster who was driven out of the province of New Brunswick, after being about from post to post, until there was not a constituency which would receive him.

It is the same George Foster whom the Toronto News and Montreal Star, both leading Conservative newspapers, condemned as a man unfitted for public trust.

It is the same George E. Foster who was found guilty by a royal commission of gambling with trust funds.

Should the people of Canada take any chances of placing such a man in the treasury of the Dominion of Canada?—Ottawa Free Press.

COMMISSION COULD NOT STAY OVER HERE

(Continued From Page One)

Delta presented a very different appearance to what they did a few weeks ago, but the brief inspection of the fertile land pleased them immensely. Sir John Sinclair warmly praised the fertility of the country. British Columbia has not been thoroughly examined, and not one member will speak definitely in anticipation of the report.

Tribute to B. C.

Professor R. Patrick Wright, F. R. S. E., principal of the West of Scotland Agricultural college, which has a teaching staff of twenty-six, says: "The future belongs to the Dominion, whose size and varied resources have been a constant source of wonder since we reached its shore. It is the land of promise, and offers greater opportunities to young men and young women than any other country under the sun. It offers a rich reward to anybody with energy and ambition. Scotsmen who do not find their lot congenial at home are making no mistake in emigrating to the Dominion. Every Scotsman we met was prosperous, contented and happy. Many of them who landed here without a cent are now owners of large capital. British Columbia, without anticipating our report, appeals to me more strongly than any other portion of the Dominion. Its climate reminds us of Scotland and has not that peculiar dryness so characteristic of the prairie regions, fertile as they are. Gradually the tide of emigration will flow into British Columbia. Every foot of soil in these fertile valleys and rich bottom lands will be tilled."

Canadian Cattle Embargo.

W. Henderson, who has taken a promineat part in the agitation to remove the embargo on Canadian cattle imported into Great Britain, says on that question:

"We expect that this unfair embargo will shortly be removed. As a result of the agitation in Britain in favor of the lowering of the bars, members of the Liberal cabinet have virtually pledged to support the move to give Canadian live cattle a fairer chance to compete with the British product, which would result in a benefit to the British butchers and the public generally, besides redounding to the much greater benefit to Canadian farmers. Canadian cattle should be given a chance to feed up and recover from their travel worn state, in which the meat is not good, and the few ports at which the cattle are allowed to land, does not give the butchers an equal advantage to compete for the meat."

Willing Men Wanted.

Harry Hope, president of the Scottish Chamber of Agriculture: "The commission considers that men from the old country who are able and willing to work cannot fail to prosper in Canada, and if possessed of a little capital there is every opportunity for them to acquire a holding which would be their own property. Conditions here are not as they are in Scotland, where a farmer is merely a tenant of land, but in Canada the immigrant can acquire a holding which appears likely not only to yield a good competence, but to increase in value."

Kootenay Valley.

The secretary of the commission, J. M. Hodge, speaking of the Kootenay, says: "With two other members of the commission I left Moose Jaw and traveled direct to Kootenay via the Crow's Nest, to examine the prospects of agriculture and fruit growing there. Around the Nelson district and in the Elk valley we were astounded by the growth of many things that far surpassed anything we could produce in Scotland."

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The Fair

240 Columbia Street, New Westminster.

City Voters' List

Notice is hereby given that the voters' list for the year 1908 has been completed, and that the same may be seen at this office for thirty days from the date hereof; and any person who shall claim to be added to the said Voters' List, or any elector who shall desire to have any name erased therefrom, must prefer his or her request in writing, signed with his or her name, and shall deliver or cause same to be delivered, to the City Clerk within the time hereinbefore specified.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office, City Hall, New Westminster, Sept. 4, 1908.

Tenders

NOTICE TO PLUMBERS.

Tenders are called for the plumbing of the new West End school house. Plans and specifications can be seen at the City Hall. Tenders must be made on form supplied and as noted on specifications. A cheque for 10 per cent. of value of contract must accompany tender, the same to be forfeited if contractor refuses to accept contract. Tenders must be in the hands of the secretary of the school board not later than twelve noon, Monday 21st of September, 1908. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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St. George's Hall

Saturday, Sept. 19, at 8 o'clock p. m.

JOHN OLIVER, M. L. A., and others will also address the meeting. An invitation to speak is extended to Mr. J. D. Taylor. All are welcome.

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Notice is hereby given that the Vancouver Power company, Limited, has this day deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of New Westminster, British Columbia, the plan and book of reference of the Westminster-Chilliwack Railway Extension from a point at or near lots one and two, city block four in the City of New Westminster, to Abbotsford passing through the Municipalities of Surrey, Delta, Langley, Matsqui and the townsite of Abbotsford in the District of New Westminster, being section one, two and three of said railway, as shown on the said plan and approved and sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 7th day of August, A. D. 1908.

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CITY NEWS

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H. T. Thrift, of Hazelmere, is leaving shortly on a holiday trip to England, where he will remain for some months.

For first class cut flowers pot plants or bouquets, telephone Davis & Son, florists. Tel. B 298. **

The site of the Simon Fraser centennial monument will be at the knoll below the bandstand, Albert Crescent. The Native Sons will hold a special meeting to decide what part they shall take in the celebration.

Christianity, without addition, subtraction or alteration by man, is what the Bible requires and what Christians teach. Services 7:30 p. m., in tent, Fourth street, near Fourth avenue. **

A water record of ten inches from an unnamed creek in Surrey was granted to the V. V. & E. railway for the use of their locomotives on the new cut off from Oliver's to Blaine, by the water commissioner yesterday.

For sale—Seven roomed house, bath room, pantries, closets, woodshed; horse stall, carriage house; fruit trees; on full lot. For further particulars apply to owner, 192 Eighth street. **

The relics promised by the surveyor-general for exhibition at the fair, and to pass into the city's possession ultimately, have not yet arrived. C. C. Fisher, government agent, is in negotiation with Victoria on the matter.

Before the registrar, J. J. Cambridge, an examination was made into the books of John L. Hudson & Co., a logging company which has dissolved partnership. The examination was to decide the shares of the partners, W. J. Whiteside and A. Wheeler are the legal representatives concerned.

Five records of five miners' inches each, have been granted, by Water Commissioner Fisher, for industrial, mechanical and domestic purposes, from streams near Barnet, for the E. W. McLean and Hope Graveley Co., Ltd. Chemical works will be established in the neighborhood.

S. Vineburg, a candidate for the Doctor of Philosophy degree at Columbia college, New York, who is studying taxation questions in Canada, has written to City Clerk Duncan for information on taxation matters in New Westminster, particularly in their practical application.

George Stagg, of this city, was married on Wednesday in Vancouver, to Miss Mary Ruth Judd, formerly of Vancouver, but latterly of Calgary. The wedding took place at the residence of Mrs. A. M. Johnston, 462 Dufferin street, the Rev. A. M. Sanford officiating.

Not made to please the eye, but to please the palate. The "B. C." and "Old Sport" Cigars. **

The Favorite makes a special trip to Ladner in connection with the show of the Delta Agricultural society, which opens today.

F. J. Lynch, who has been travelling in the Kootenays for some time, is expected to return home on Tuesday.

A fairy operetta, "Bubbles," will follow the production of the musical diorama of the Russo-Jap war at the Opera house tomorrow afternoon and evening. About fifty children take part in the operetta, which was recently produced in Vancouver, where it received well deserved encomiums from the press of that city.

A case which occupied considerable time in the city police court was heard yesterday, Mrs. W. Fenlon alleging that Mrs. Bishop had substituted a cheap ostrich feather for a good one given her to trim a hat for the complainant, and she declared was wearing it in town. Mrs. Bishop said she bought the feather in Seattle, and the court dismissed the charge, being unable to determine the issue between the parties.

F. Hughes, Harry Major, Ed. Johnston and Parnell Keary leave on Saturday to climb to the summit of Mount Nebo, one of the highest peaks in the Selkirk range. The mountain on the North Arm is fairly difficult of ascent, and the plan of the party is to make the first stage to the snow line, pitch camp and start for the peak in the early morning. Keary, Hughes and Johnston have had considerable experience in mountain climbing, having been engaged on the Alaskan boundary survey, and Harry Major will have the satisfaction of being initiated into the art of mountaineering by experts.

There has been a little delay this fall in making the preparations for opening the gymnasium at Columbian college, but everything will be cleared up this week and business will start in the gym on Monday. Business men's clases will be conducted on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, as last year, and boys' classes on Saturday morning. Mr. Clark, physical instructor, besides being an all round athlete, thoroughly competent to have charge of the athletic department of the school, is also a brilliant scholar, holding a scholarship in his alma mater.

THORNTON-McKAY.

The marriage of Robert McKay and Miss Cecelia Dora McKay, both of this city, was solemnized at the Premier hotel yesterday afternoon, Rev. Mr. Henderson officiating. The bride was attended by Miss Herrling, and was given away by Al. Peters. F. Baldwin acted as best man. Shortly after the ceremony, the young couple left for Seattle, en route for Portland, where they will make their home in future, the groom having recently severed his connection with the Schanke Machine Works to accept a situation in the Oregon city.

The gifts presented to Mr. and Mrs. Thornton included: Fruit set, Mr. and Mrs. Al. Peters; fruit basket, R. Hogan; table set, Mrs. W. Holt; salad bowl, Miss Campbell; bonbon dish, Miss J. Ross; table service, Master H. Peters; pickle bowl, Premier hotel boarders; perfume set, Joe Herrling; salad bowl, Miss Ethel Herrling; crumb set and brush, Mrs. Kendrick; four o'clock table set, Mrs. Cozens.

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Rugby enthusiasts in this city are looking forward with pleasure to the international football game next week at Vancouver between the Anglo-Welsh team and Vancouver. The old country team is on the last lap of a tour round the world, coming here from Australia, and should be thoroughly conversant with all the different styles of rugby playing in vogue. While the long trip will put them considerable out of training, it is doubtful if Vancouver will win, because the experience the Welshmen have gained on their trip will probably counterbalance their lack of condition. The contest will be pulled off at Brockton Point on Saturday, Sept. 26. Tickets and reserved seats in the grand stand may be secured in this city from Charles F. Watson at Columbia college.

The S. R. O. sign came within a few seats of being used at the Opera house yesterday evening, the Richards and Pringle minstrels drawing the usual bumper house always associated with travelling fun-makers of the colored class. The representatives of America's race problem succeeded in doing what they advertised—making people laugh—by producing a good, clean show, devoid of all vulgarity or offensiveness. Sidney Kirkpatrick scored a success in his song, "The Door of Hope," raising a storm of applause which only an encore could calm. As a comedian, Clarence Powell is good at times, but his ability to create merriment is hampered by an overstock of moth-proof gags which have been doing duty since the days when Bryan first aspired to the presidency. His song, "If Its Good Enough for Washington, It's Good Enough for Me," might have been, but it wasn't for the audience.

MARRIED.

THORNTON-McKAY.—On Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 17, by the Rev. Mr. Henderson, at the Premier hotel, New Westminster, Robert Thornton to Miss Cecelia Dora McKay, both of this city.

Tender for Church

Tenders are hereby called for the erection (labor only) of St. Alban's church, Burnaby. Plans and specifications can be seen at offices of B. C. Settler's Association, New Westminster. Tenders to be in by six o'clock Wednesday, Sept. 23rd. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

F. J. PEERS,
Hon. Sec. Building Committee.

Tenders for Feed

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, the 21st inst., at 5 p.m., for supply of Hay, Oats and Bran to the Corporation for one year. Feed to be delivered to order. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, Sept. 15, 1908.

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N. H. McQUARRIE,
Acting City Clerk.

City Hall, New Westminster, B. C., August 25 1908.

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DIRT FLYING ON G.T.P. CONSTRUCTION

Huge Army of Navvies at Work on Railway Grade West of Edmonton.

Edmonton, Sept. 17.—Dirt has been liberally flying on the G. T. P. grade west of the city during the past few weeks and the contractors are taking every advantage of the fine weather to push the construction work ahead at the highest possible speed. By the time the ground freezes so as to make grading work impossible, the grade will be finished west from Edmonton to within ten miles of Wolf creek.

"There has been more grading done in the last two weeks than in the whole of the previous month. A force of 300 teams and about 600 men has been added to the huge army of workmen on the G. T. P. grade west of Edmonton in the last two weeks and if the fine weather of the past week continues another month will see as large a portion of the grade on the right of way finished."

This was the encouraging statement made this morning by H. J. Fetter, superintendent of construction for Foley, Welch & Stewart, on the grading contract on the G. T. P. west of Edmonton. Mr. Fetter has just returned from a trip over the whole line being graded by his company west of the city.

"Where are you getting the additional men and teams?" queried the reporter.

"They are part of the gang that has been employed on the C. P. R. grade from Saskatoon to Wetaskiwin under D. F. McArthur," replied Mr. Fetter. "He has completed his contract and his men and teams have come up to finish the season working on the G.T.P. We now have a force of about 1500 teams and considerably over 3000 men employed on our contract. Fully 2000 of these men are working on the grade between Edmonton and the Pembina river. The contractors are certainly rushing the work since the fine weather set in. The greatest difficulty we are now meeting with is in securing sufficient freighters. They quit the job when the trails were bad and now that they are in good shape they do not care to go back.

"I drove in from Stony Plain on the right of way yesterday," continued Mr. Fetter. "The grade is all finished as far west as Wabamun with the exception of about one mile at Spruce Grove and another mile near the city. The men are working all along the right of way and there is not a mile between here and the Pembina river that is not being graded."

"How about work on the Pembina river bridge?" was asked.

"There is quite a force of men engaged in making the excavations for the piers. Freighters are also hauling cement and other supplies out to the bridge and there is every indication that they intend starting work almost immediately on the concrete foundation.

"I believe," concluded Mr. Fetter, "that steel will be laid out to the Pembina river this winter. The grade will certainly be finished and as soon as the steel laying gangs reach Edmonton from the east, which should be by the end of the year, they will likely continue steel laying to the west."

This Date in History

SEPTEMBER 18.

1800—The Concordat between Bonaparte and the Pope ratified.

1825—John T. Trowbridge, American author, born.

1853—Lieut. Beecher and Dr. Moore killed in battle with Indians near the Republican river.

1893—The Earl of Aberdeen assumed office as governor-general of Canada.

1898—Varina A. Davis, daughter of Jefferson Davis, died. Born June 27, 1864.

1901—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York welcomed in Montreal.

1906—Rock Island train plunged into the Cimarron river in Oklahoma and a number of lives were lost.

Lightning Struck Powder Magazine.

McAlister, Okla., Sept. 17.—A powder magazine used by the Campless Mining company was struck by lightning yesterday, the explosion killing one miner and seriously injuring eight others.

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Liberal Convention

A Convention will be held at New Westminster,

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 30, 1908,

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in the Hardman Hall, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate in the interests of the Liberal party.

Primary meetings are to be held between the 22nd and 30th of September.

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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.

V., W. & Y.—VANCOUVER

Lv. N. W. 6:20 a.m., 3 p.m., and 9.55 p.m.
Lv. Vancouver 8:35 a.m., 4 p.m. and 11:30 p.m.

G. N. R.—PORT GUICHON.

Leave New Westminster 3:50 p.m., arriv Guichon 6 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

Leave Guichon 6:30 a.m., arrive New Westminster 8:45, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

B. C. ELECTRIC—VANCOUVER.

Leave New Westminster 5:50, 6:20, 6:50, 7:20 and 8 a.m., and every half hour thereafter till 11 p.m.

Lv. Vancouver for Westminster at 5:50, 6:50, 7:20 and half hourly till 11:20 p.m.

ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY NEWS

Synopsis of Canadian North-West Homestead Regulations.

Any even numbered section of Dominion lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, 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.

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 for the district of such intention.

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VANCOUVER-VICTORIA ROUTE.

Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver daily except Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Steamer Charmer at 1 p.m. daily.

Princess Royal at 9 a.m. daily except Wednesday.

VANCOUVER-SEATTLE ROUTE.

Steamer Princess Royal leaves 10 a.m. daily, except Sunday and Monday for Seattle.

On Sunday, leaves Vancouver 9 a.m. for Seattle via Victoria.

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S.S. Trader will leave Victoria for New Westminster every Tuesday.

Leaves New Westminster on Wednesday.

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Calgary and Vancouver, No. 96 (C. P. R. first mail). Return mail received at 10:30 a.m.

C. P. R. No. 2, 6:30, all points west of Lytton, except Agassiz, Coquihalla, Harrison Hot Springs, Westminster Junction, Lytton, Port Hammond, Port Haney going on morning train only.

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Autumn Trips From the Prairies

Vancouver, Sept. 17.—That the annual autumn excursions from the prairie provinces will take place over the C. P. R. this season was announced by Robert Kerr, general traffic manager of the company, on his arrival back from Victoria yesterday.

"These cheap rates will probably have the effect of largely adding to the population of this province, as we have advices that they will be taken advantage of by thousands of people," said Mr. Kerr.

Mr. Kerr shares in the general optimism as to crop conditions in the middle west and considers that these will help British Columbia as well as other parts of the Dominion. He is equally optimistic as to the demand which will be created on the prairies for British Columbia fruit, basing his calculations on the fact that only one-sixth of the cultivatable area of the prairies is now inhabited. Mr. Kerr is devoting himself to the development of transportation of fruit and vegetables between British Columbia centres and across the ranges. He will be a visitor in Vancouver for a couple of days.

Jose to Sing "Too Late"

The visits of Richard J. Jose, the celebrated contra-tenor, have been likened by some of his many admirers to angel's visits—"few and far between"—not that "Dick" particularly resembles an angel, nor that he has wings, but no angel could be more welcome than the popular tenor, whether he comes in opera, in vaudeville, or in minstrelsy. It is "Dick" Jose they want to see and "Dick" Jose's sweet tenor voice they want to listen to.

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Another vocal gem to be sung by the tenor is "Time and Tide," and still another is "Rose of My Life."

Never has Jose been in such perfect voice as he is at present, and never has he been accorded a more enthusiastic welcome than in his present tour, accompanied by soloists of note and reputation and giving a program of rare excellence and choice selections, the present engagement marks an epoch in the advent of musicdom which all should take advantage of.

The tour thus far has proven one of the crowning successes of Jose's career before the public and the demand for seats has everywhere been very brisk. Mr. Jose will appear in the opera house Monday, Sept. 21.

NOTICE

Having been crowded out of business, I offer for sale my whole stock and equipments, Cameras 11-14 and 8-10, Stamps, and two view 5-7 and 11-14; Lenses Voightlander 14-17 and half, Darlot 8-10 and Derogee 8-10, back and head grounds, mounts, furniture, stoves, burnisher, trays, flash lamps, etc., etc. A large assorment of Picture Frames and amateur mounts. Photos one-quarter off for balance of this month.

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Campaign of Publicity To Interest Americans

Vancouver, Sept. 17.—The next big publicity campaign of the Western Canada immaigration association is to be devoted to British Columbia. It will result in settling thousands of Americans from the middle west in the Kootenays, the Okanagan and in the Fraser river valley. The agricultural and fruit-growing possibilities of the province are to be exploited as they never have been before.

This was the statement made by John F. Langan, of Chicago, a prominent member of the association. Mr. Langan will be joined here next week by Walter Gunn, of the Gunn-Vanderhoff Publishing company, of Chicago. Together they will tour the province to obtain data for the publicity campaign to be waged under the auspices of the association. Mr. Langan is already familiar with many sections of the province.

"The association intends to expend $5000 in advertising British Columbia in one American magazine alone. It started the influx of Americans to the prairie provinces and will do the same for British Columbia. When the movement was launched Calgary had 7000 people. Today its population is 27,000. Mr. Emerson Hough, a noted writer, is preparing a serial entitled 'Sowing,' dealing with the prairie provinces and British Columbia. He was out here some time ago. His work will later be issued in book form. As it deals with foreign immigration he went to Europe to secure some of his data."

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICES LAST THREE DAYS

Salvation Army Proposes Building Cottage for Local Officers—Co-operation Is Needed.

The Salvation Army holds its annual harvest thanksgiving services on Saturday, Sunday and Tuesday next, September 19, 20 and 22.

In the usual manner, the Army is soliciting the co-operation and support of the general public in the form of donations of cash, or goods that may be sold and turned into cash. These gifts will be gratefully received by the commanding officer or any Salvationists.

The proceeds of of this effort will be disposed of as follows: A small sum to be devoted to a general fund for the purpose of assisting officers with the work in difficult and poor stations, and the balance to be applied to a local fund for the purpose of erecting a cottage for the officers of the local corps to live in. It is considered in this way that the present effort will very materially benefit the local work in Westminster.

COAL CREEK MINES RUN SHORT HANDED

Fernie, Spt. 17.—The C.P.R. yards present a busy aspect on account of the great amount of freight which is arriving daily in carloads and local carload shipments. Over 125 cars of Fernie freight are in the yards to be unloaded, consisting chiefly of lumber, cement and general merchandise.

Some miners have been laid off in No. 9 mine, Coal Creek, within the last week, and about forty men out of some 180 to 200, formerly employed at this mine, are now at work.

Swindled on Large Scale.

Philadelphia, Sept. 17.—Dr. George Morton, of New York, was arrested at a prominent hotel here today on a fugitive warrant from New York, charging him with false pretences.

It is alleged he secured $100,000 by means of fraudulent notes. He will be arraigned this afternoon. The name of the prosecutor is not yet publicly known in this city.

Close Season for Whales Arranged.

Victoria, Sept. 17.—Owing to the necessity of arranging a close season for whaling in the Sea of Japan the many coast whaling companies of Japan held a conference and decided upon joint action, according to advices received by the steamer Aki Maru yesterday.

IRISH STATESMEN ON A VISIT TO AMERICA

New York, Sept. 17.—John E. Redmond, the Irish leader in the house of commons; Joseph E. Devlin, M.P., and John Fitz Gibbon, who came to this country to attend the biennial convention of the United Irish league at Boston, were given a warm reception on their arrival here today. The party was escorted to the Hoffman House, where a formal reception was tendered Mr. Redmond by the league.

INDIGNANT MEN BURN A RELIGIOUS SECT'S CAMP

Baltimore, Sept. 17.—Thirty men descended early today on the camping ground of the Irvinites, a religious sect which is holding a convention at Brooklyn Anne, Arundel county, and set fire to two large tents. Both were destroyed, and a house in which was stored a quantity of provisions was partly burned. The Irvinites had in their preaching denounced the people of the town.

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