

## BOARD OF TRADE CLEARS UP BUSINESS

Discussion on Ferry Service, Deputation, Sidings, and Advertising Indulged In.

New business was absent from the deliberations of the board of trade last evening, and after considering unfinished matters and disposing of general communications, the meeting adjourned.

One new name was added to the roll, that of R. H. Brown, secretary of the Fraser River Sawmills company. He was proposed by J. A. Cunningham.

The secretary read a communication from City Clerk Duncan, which stated that in answer to the petition submitted by the board, the mayor had agreed to call a public meeting for the purpose of discussing the subject of city advertising and to organize an advertising campaign.

A resolution passed by the Victoria board of trade favoring the organization of a Canadian News service, was received by the board and was referred to a committee.

The chairman stated that as T. J. Japp, chairman of the roads and bridges committee, was not present, action should be taken at present.

A. E. White reported for the deputation which went to Victoria and interviewed the premier with reference to the need of a government grant for the construction of a new land registry office. He stated that they had been favorably received and that the office being built in the near future. The report was received, and A. E. White was thanked for his efforts in the matter.

Mr. White also reported with reference to the negotiations which were being carried on with the G. N. R. in an effort to have a siding installed for Messrs. Davis & Sons along the line between the bridge and Cloverdale.

He reported that the industrial agent of the company, Mr. Costello, happened to be in the city yesterday, and that he, in company with E. J. Crean, had waited on the official personally and had secured what was practically a promise that the siding would be installed. At the suggestion of the chairman, a committee consisting of A. E. White, E. J. Crean and F. B. White was appointed to go to Vancouver today and again interview Mr. Costello and other officials of the G. N. R. with the object of having a siding constructed at Mr. Flummer's sawmill, as well as at that of Davis & Sons.

Those present were: W. R. Gilley, president; J. A. Cunningham, E. Goulet, H. Ryall, F. B. Lyle, M. W. Mincham, E. J. Crean, A. E. White, secretary.

## SHOT MAN AND SUICIDED.

Petrol Woman's Crime Growing Out of a Love Affair.

Windsor, Dec. 11.—The attempted murder of Dr. J. A. Attridge, and subsequent suicide of the woman who shot him, Mrs. James B. Griffith, in the latter's luxurious apartments in Detroit last night, possesses a peculiar interest for Canadians, for the reason that Dr. Attridge was himself a Canadian, coming from Highgate, near Ridgeway, where he was born. Dr. Attridge is 35 years old, and graduated from the Detroit College of Medicine in 1893. Not only was he Griffith's physician, but her lover as well, and for this cause Griffith left his wife some months ago. The estrangement began between Griffith and his wife, when Dr. Attridge prescribed a course of travel for her and then went along to look after her himself, Griffith footing the bills.

## COL. HOLMES UNVEILS BRASS TABLET TO-NIGHT

Col. Holmes, district officer commanding, Militia district No. 11, will arrive in the city this afternoon, and will this evening officiate at the unveiling of the brass tablet erected to the memory of Trooper Arthur Timlick, killed while a member of the S. A. C. during the Boer war. The ceremony will take place sharp at eight o'clock, in the presence of the members of A and B companies, who are asked to parade in review order, wearing tunics and helmets. The mayor and aldermen, as well as many other prominent citizens, will be present. One of the city clergymen will be requested to read a short service previous to the unveiling of the tablet. The ceremony promises to be of a most impressive nature.

## FATE OF DISCOVERY AT LAST REVEALED

Hulk of Ship Missing Since 1902, Discovered on King William Sound.

Vancouver, Dec. 11.—Word was brought from Seattle this morning that the fate of the steam schooner Discovery, which started from Yakutat bay five years ago for Seattle and was never heard of afterwards, was wrecked on the shores of Montague Island, King William sound, and all on board perished. The Discovery was also a treasure ship, bringing a big consignment of gold dust and a large number of miners, after a clean-up in the Yukon.

She had a large number of women and children aboard and was carrying about her capacity in passengers and cargo when she ran into a gale such as had never struck the bleak shores of the barren islands in Prince William sound in the experience of those who luckily weathered its onslaught. The storm must have driven the Discovery ashore on the jagged rocks, and few of the passengers could have reached the land alive.

It is quite possible that some of the crew or passengers reached shore, but they must have starved to death within a few weeks. It is believed that fully a hundred persons were on board and all were in great affliction when the vessel left Yakutat, at the prospect of a good time during the winter of 1902-3 on the proceeds of a big clean-up.

All Liberals in the city are reminded that their presence is required at the association meeting to be held this evening in the Liberal club rooms, when important matters are to be up for discussion.

## MATRICULATION CLASS WILL GIVE CONCERT

A vocal and orchestral concert, held under the auspices of the matriculation class of '08, will be given tomorrow evening at the Columbian college. The program will be very complete, and an enjoyable evening is promised all who attend. Among the numbers will be George H. Grant, in a reading entitled, "Gone With a Handsome Man"; Godard's mazurka, a piano solo, by Miss Grindley; a vocal quartette, "Where Are You Going, My Pretty Maid," rendered by Misses Bowell and Lund and Messrs. Robson and McDonald; cello solo, by Mr. Greenhalgh; piano solo, "To a Water Lily," by Howard DeBeck; violin solo, Schubert's "Ave Maria," by Mr. Smith; reading, by George H. Grant, "The Debating Society"; an other vocal quartette selection, "The Cuckoo Sings in the Poplar Tree"; and a piano duet by Messrs. Smith and DeBeck, "Lastspiel."

There are thirty-one matriculates in the class of '08, and a large attendance is anticipated. The class for 1908 is composed of the following: Misses Eenson, Cross, Grindley, L. Hall, C. Hall, Johnston, Kenny, McBride, McKay, Oliver, Shaw, Watson; Messrs. Barracough, Betts, Devereau, Fuller, Jones, Latimer, Lane, McCurdy, McKenzie, Muttitt, Pearson, Proudy, Robson, Smith, Stapleford, Teague, Watson, A. White, G. White.

## REFERENDUM VOTE AMONG TELEGRAPHERS

Gigantic Strike for 30 Per Cent Increase and Eight Hour Day Proposed.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 11.—Commercial and railroad telegraphers are taking a referendum on a contemplated gigantic strike for 30 per cent increase and an eight-hour day.

The following message reached here this morning: "Each operator receiving this will write five copies and mail to five operators, who will in turn repeat the act and mail A. L. W. Quick, St. Louis, Mo. This chain of letters ends January 1, 1908, and should be signed but once by each operator. Will you support us and if necessary strike for 30 per cent increase and eight-hour day, to commence March 1. Answer 'Yes' or 'No' and mail to above address."

As the C. P. R. operators have very satisfactory arrangements with the company, the operators and most of the despatchers are fairly well provided for, both in matters of wages and hours, and it is not thought many will support the proposition. With commercial telegraphers the general result will be different.

Staff Captain Collier, who has been active in Salvation Army work all through the Dominion, from Nova Scotia to the coast, will lecture to-night at the Army hall on Begbie street. The lecture will commence at eight o'clock, and as the captain is a noted speaker, and talks from experience, a stirring speech and a good time is expected. Captain Collier has been in charge of social work all through Canada, particularly in Toronto, where he managed the Metropolitan shelter. He has lately been placed in charge of that branch of the work in British Columbia. All are invited to the meeting tonight. No admission fee charged.

## WAGES REDUCED, WEAVERS STRIKE

Shingle Workers Cannot Accept Cut of \$1.00 a Day, and Walk Out.

Kelso, Dec. 11.—Seventy-five shingle weavers in the employ of the Metcalf Shingle Company's mill at this place, went on strike this morning on account of the reduction in wages, which took effect last Thursday.

The mill company notified the men more than a week ago of the prospective cut, but the local union at a meeting last Monday evening decided to work for three days under the cut, awaiting the decision of the state council. President Brown, of Ballard, is in Kelso today. The company has sent to Tacoma for a crew of non-union men and expects to recommence operations as soon as they arrive.

The reduction in wages affects all departments and amounts to from 1 cent to 1½ cents per thousand shingles handled, meaning a difference of from 75 cents to \$1 on a day's labor.

## Iroquois Ashore in Fog.

Bellingham, Wn., Dec. 11.—The steamer Iroquois ran into a mud bank on Lundy island last night en route from Vancouver to Seattle, getting off at high tide this afternoon. She landed her passengers here today and returned to Vancouver. The steamer was several miles out of her course and mistook the lights in the fog. The passengers proceeded to Seattle by train.

The Iroquois arrived in Vancouver early yesterday afternoon and was not damaged by the grounding.

A number of inquiries have been made as to whether or not hunters are allowed to go out after deer next Sunday. The game law expressly states that it is unlawful to shoot deer on the 15th, so anyone so offending will be liable to prosecution. The season closes at midnight on Saturday next.

A ploughing match is to take place on John Giehrst's farm, Crescent island, on Friday of next week. The Delta farmers intend making this an annual event.

## ORANGEMEN MAY SUPPORT CATHOLICS

Grand Master Sproule Lays Down Line of Policy for Order to Follow.

Toronto, Dec. 11.—No discrimination against Catholics is the line of policy laid down by Dr. T. S. Sproule, Grand Master of the Grand Orange Lodge of British North America. The resolution recently passed by the county Orange lodge forbidding leaders of the order to appear on the platform or in any way assist in the election to political power of any member of the Roman Catholic church, comes in for severe censure from the Grand Master in a letter which it is understood has been sent to Joseph E. Thompson, county master. This letter points out, first, that it is not within the power of any subordinate body to pass such a resolution, and declares that the resolution itself is contrary to all the ideals and principles of Orangism.

Every elector, says Dr. Sproule, should vote of his own free will for the man he thinks best. If such a rule as was proposed was carried out it would mean a boycott such as was established by Roman Catholics in Ireland, and Orangemen should not pass resolutions such as they would resent if they were passed by Roman Catholics.

Christmas drawings are now in full swing, tickets for various prizes being on sale at several of the stores in the city. J. G. Gamon is making a brave attempt to corral two-bits from every customer in exchange for a ticket entitling the holder to a prize on Dec. 23, providing, of course, one of the lucky pasteboards is held. Mr. Gamon expects to sell between 250 and 300 tickets, and will give from twelve to fifteen prizes, valued at \$75—according to his estimate.

## AMBASSADOR BRYCE IS LEAVING AMERICA

British Diplomat Will Retire from Position Within a Few Weeks.

London, Dec. 11.—A letter was posted today addressed to Hon. James Bryce, British Ambassador in Washington, requesting his presence in London. It is expected that he will come early in the new year for a consultation with the government authorities, principally in reference to the relations between the United States and Japan.

It is believed that there is little likelihood that Bryce will return to the Washington post. In case he does not, his successor will be Sir Henry Howard, present minister to the Netherlands, stationed at The Hague.

In explanation of this action by the authorities, it is said that Ambassador Bryce never contemplated a long residence in Washington, and named a year as the possible limit of his service. The British authorities, for obvious reasons, are extremely anxious to maintain good relations with the United States of America and Japan, and if Bryce should insist on retiring, they will send a man of wide diplomatic experience to handle the difficult and delicate situation which might possibly arise.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the meeting of Rose of Columbian lodge, No. 115, Sons of England, yesterday evening, when arrangements were also made for the holding of an open social evening in the lodge headquarters on the 13th Wednesday in January. The officers elected were: Past president, E. L. Webber; president, R. Oddy; vice-president, George Bowell; secretary, H. Disney; chaplain, G. Simpson; treasurer, P. B. Brown; executive committee, Messrs. Saunders, Purvis, Mercer, Cherry, Whyman, and Patterson; inside guard, F. W. Muttitt; outside guard, T. S. Oddy; surgeon, Dr. R. Eden Walker; auditors, F. Broad, F. E. Johnstone, and G. J. Wolfenden; trustees, H. T. Kirk, F. Jackson, G. Simpson; delegate to the supreme grand lodge meeting, H. Disney.

## HINDU SWINGS AN AXE AND STRIKES HIS HEAD

Bugwah Singh, a Hindu who arrived here recently from Bellingham, was found roaming around the streets last night, roaring aloud with pain and anger over a severe cut in his head. He was gathered in by the police, and his wound dressed at the station. As far as could be ascertained last night, Bugwah had been celebrating about town, and was very drunk. He had entered the house of a friend with a hatchet in his hand, and while executing a sort of war-dance, had managed to cut himself on the head with his weapon. He was given a bed at the station, but no charge has been preferred against him, and he will probably be released this afternoon, or as soon as he has become reasonably sober.

## FIGHT AT GRAND FORKS RECEIVES SUPPORT

Federation of Miners Promises Assistance to Men who Decline Low Scale.

Grand Forks, B. C., Dec. 11.—Great consternation exists here today over the receipt of a wire from the headquarters of the Western Federation of Miners at Colorado, which is as follows:

"Denver, Colo., Dec. 9. 'To A. E. Hardy, president Miners' union, Grand Forks, B. C.:

"Executive board will support miners in the Boundary to maintain present scale. Letters follow.

(Signed) "JAMES KIRKWIN." In view of this wire, to an onlooker, all attempts at a settlement of the labor difficulty appear fruitless, as it is generally believed that the Granby company will remain firm on the stand they have taken and there is little probability of the labor union weakening. The crisis appears to be prolonged indefinitely.

## GOVERNMENT HAS NO RECORD OF NOVA SCOTIA DECISION

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, answering R. G. Macpherson, in the House today, said that the government had no record of the decision of the supreme court of Nova Scotia deciding it was not an offence for Chinamen to enter Canada, and that the most the government could do was to sue them for the head tax of \$500. Until such time as the government had this record it would not be advisable to make any statement of the intentions of the government or amend the law making clear the intentions of parliament in passing the act in the first instance.

## HOUSTON ASPIRES TO PRINCE RUPERT MAYORALTY

It was regarded as a foregone conclusion that John Houston, editor of the Empire, published at Prince Rupert, would soon take an active part in politics in Northern British Columbia. Mr. Houston served many terms as mayor of Nelson and also represented that city in the provincial legislature. His newspaper is now devoting most of its space to giving advice to the Ottawa and Victoria governments.

A recent arrival from Prince Rupert stated that Mr. Houston had already intimated to friends his intention of running for the mayoralty as soon as the town shall have been incorporated. Mr. Houston is said to entertain even greater political aspirations, regarding the mayoralty position as a stepping-stone to a higher office.

Several prominent officials of the G. N. R. paid New Westminster a visit yesterday and inspected the local facilities. The party included M. J. Costello, western traffic manager; A. Gray, assistant general freight agent, Seattle; W. H. Somers, general freight agent at Bellingham; and Fred Graham, travelling freight agent. They will return south from Vancouver today.

## SORE BUNCH OF SPORTS THE NOME TEAM

Four Flushers Engineer Insertion of False Report of Game in Van'ver Papers.

The Nome basketballers who play the local militia team here on Tuesday night, showed something of their true color when they supplied the Vancouver News-Advertiser and World with the following report of the match, which appeared in those journals yesterday under the heading in both newspapers: Rough House at the Royal City.

"After a dispute which nearly ended in a free fight, the basketball match between the Arctic Brotherhood team, of Nome, and the Sxth regiment, of New Westminster, at the Royal City last night, was awarded to the former. The score was 2-0 in favor of Nome at half time. Ralph Lomas and Snider were roughly handled by their checks and could not play in the second period. The Nome captain wanted to replace them with substitutes, but Westminster objected and refused to play in the second half, although their own umpire admitted that the Nome men could play substitutes. The Nome men therefore lined up, and Referee Swann awarded them the game. They had to rush for their dressing-room to get away from the crowd. The spectators were very rough and when several Nome ladies upon the balcony waved pennants they threw missiles at them and the supporters of the basketball team actually had to rally round the ladies to protect them. Captain Peele and Mr. Malony, of New Westminster, deserve credit for their attempts to keep the crowd in hand. The Nome team will play Snohomish, the Pacific coast champions, tonight."

Every statement contained in the report is untrue. There was no danger of a "free fight"; Lomen and Schneider were not "roughly handled"; the New Westminster referee did not admit that substitutions could be made; they did not have to "rush for their dressing room to get away from the crowd"; no persons threw missiles at the Nome ladies; nor did the gentlemen from Nome or any other place rally around the ladies to protect them, because it was not necessary.

As for the score, the News reporter compared notes with the official scorer, a member of the Nome team, and found that both records tallied exactly. The correct score was 15 to 8, in favor of New Westminster, and not 2-0 in favor of Nome. The fact that there was absolutely no dispute about the score and no objections from New Westminster's side at least to the work of the referee, shows how designedly false the report was.

It is a sad fact that the Vancouver newspapers are always too ready to print anything of a defamatory nature about New Westminster, especially when athletics are the subjects. Any "mucker" can get his odium in the Vancouver prints so long as it is aimed against the athletes of this city.

## LIGHTSHIP MAY BE DARK AND ADRIFT

Steamboat captains plying between Vancouver and Seattle report that they have not seen the lightship at the mouth of the Fraser river for two days and that she has probably drifted from moorings up the channel. The buoy opposite the lightship, across the estuary, has been a mile or more out of place for the past ten days. The lightship was conspicuous and plainly seen at all times, day or night, but it was stated that the vessel was nowhere to be seen since Saturday. The attention of the marine department should be called to the absence of the lightship and the buoy being out of place, for the reason that instead of being aids to navigation they are probably a danger. It is quite likely that the lightship is adrift and in the path of steamers, with her lights out.

## Burnt to Death.

Vancouver, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Mary McDonald was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her home at 1522 Westminster avenue early last night. Her husband, Coll McDonald, was found in a drunken condition at the rear of the house and was placed under arrest.



## Condensed Advertisements

**FOUND—STRING OF SHELLS.** with pearl heart in centre. Apply The News.

**FOR SALE—PIANO, PRACTICAL** ly new; owner moving east; must sell. Address M. C. M., News office.

**FOR SALE—2 STORIED HOUSE,** on corner lot, Carnarvon street. Ten rooms, bath, furnace, stone foundation. Price \$5,500. Apply Z., P. O. Box 693.

**FOUND—OLD BRINDLE COW.** If not called for in two weeks, will sell to defray expenses. A. Mackay, Burnaby Lake.

**FOR SALE—ONE FUNK & WAG-** nall's Standard Dictionary. Subscription edition. Apply, Daily News.

**GOOD JAPANESE WOMAN** wants situation to do cooking and housework and washing. Apply Japanese House, P. O. Box 414, New Westminster.

**HOMER PIGEONS FOR SALE.** Apply P. O. Box 537, New Westminster.

**JAPANESE BOY ATTENDING** school wants work with good family in return for room and board. Apply Box 545, city.

**JAPANESE LADIES WANT GEN-** eral housework for month, or washing clothes by the day. Apply to S. Matsumura, P. O. Box 296, city.

**POSITION WANTED AS WORK-** ing housekeeper; good cook. Apply at News office.

**LOST—GREENISH COLORED OV-** ercoat on Saturday night. Reward. Finder return to Central hotel.

**TO RENT—ONE FURNISHED BED-** room, near Library. Apply 287 Victoria street.

**WANTED—YOUNG LADY, JUST** left school preferred, to take care of office. Apply D. C., Daily News office.

**WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS** a room containing a stove or grate, in private residence; vicinity of Sixth street and Royal avenue preferred. Leave replies at News office.

**WANTED—POSITION AS FIRE-** man or warehouseman in west. Address the News.

**WANTED—POSITION AS PRESS-** man or helper. Address The News.

**WANTED—POSITION AS SALES-** lady, or as nurse for invalid. Apply at this office for address.

**WANTED—A NUMBER OF FIRST** class laborers. Apply to Quigley, near Small & Bucklin's.

**WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY,** room and board, convenient to post office. Apply K., Box 693.

**WANTED—POSITION AS HOTEL** Clerk, or Bookkeeper; good experience; best of references. Apply G., P. O. Box 693.

**YOUNG JAPANESE BOY WANTS** situation as house boy; honest and intelligent; speaks good English. Address G. NISHI, P. O. Box 414, New Westminster.

**D. R. HATHERLY, Optician and doc-** tor of Ophthalmology. Cures Nervous and Chronic Headaches by skillfully prescribed glasses. Parlors on Sixth St., Murchie block, New Westminster.

### NOTICE.

WE HEREBY NOTIFY THE PUBLIC that after this date all orders for wood will have to be accompanied by CASH.

(Signed) BELYEA & CO.  
LOUIS WILLIAMS.  
WILBER SMITH.  
December 5, 1907.

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Ladies' Gold Watches from \$12.75 up.  
Gentlemen's Silver Watches, open face, \$6.00.  
Gentlemen's Silver Watches, double case, \$7.50 up.  
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Watch repairing; charges reasonable.

## SEEKING TO DESTROY VICIOUS REGIME

Portugese Agitators Gradually Settle Down—Opposition Remains Quiet.

Lisbon, Dec. 11.—Premier Franco has announced his determination to compromise with the opposition and has expressed a conviction that the country will remain quiet and that the government's program will triumph.

He said: "We're seeking to destroy a vicious regime whereby the old Monarchical parties reduced parliament to sterility and debauched the administration. My purpose is to end these abuses and restore a sound system of administration and finance and achieve a truly representative system, and in short regenerate the country politically. Whenever the old parties are ready to agree to discard selfish aims and devote themselves to the business of the country, the elections will be ordered and not before."

Premier Franco predicts that a meeting of the opposition leaders next Sunday will be barren of results as their previous efforts, and that discouraged by their non-success, they will yield perhaps sooner than expected.

### PLANS A "JIM CROW" CITY

West Virginia to Not Allow Whites to Live in it.

West Virginia is to make an experiment in a jim crow city. This city has been laid out near Charleston, the capital of the state, and it is expected that within a year it will contain a population of several thousand.

This population will be colored. No white person will be permitted to reside within its limits nor to own property therein. In the midst of this little Africa is situated the state colored high school. Educational facilities will be ample and there will be electric lights, sewers and a park.

The city will be governed, of course, by the negro inhabitants, and the dispatch to the Sun says the whole state will watch with interest the progress of the experiment as testing the capacity of the negro for self-government.

It is to be hoped that the plan will succeed, and that the negroes will prove themselves equal to the occasion. Such a success might help to solve the "race problem" in future years.—Baltimore Sun.

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### NOTICE

IN THE MATTER of the Railway Act and in the matter of the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company and the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that an agreement has been made between the above named Companies providing for the sale by the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company of the "third section of the undertaking" of such Company and also of all that line of railway existing from a point on the line of the said "third section of the undertaking" near Mud Bay, in a general south-easterly direction to a point on the International boundary line at Blaine, and all lands, privileges, easements, fixtures, goods, real and personal property used or enjoyed or intended for the use and enjoyment of the said lines of railway or either of them to the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY further given that a duplicate of such agreement has been filed in the office of the Provincial Secretary and that an application will be made for the assent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to the said agreement thirty days after the first publication hereof in the British Columbia Gazette.

Dated this 19th day of November, 1907.

JAMES JEFFREY, Secretary Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company.  
A. H. MacNEILL, Secretary of the Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Railway and Navigation Company.

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S.S. Princess May.

Leaves Vancouver 11 a.m. on following dates:

Nov. 13; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Nov.

Nov. 26; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Nov.

Dec. 9; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Dec.

Dec. 26; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Dec.

Jan. 9; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Jan.

Jan. 25; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Jan.

Feb. 9; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Feb.

Feb. 24; Lv. Victoria 11 p.m. Feb.

VANCOUVER-VICTORIA ROUTE

S.S. Princess Victoria

Leaves Vancouver 1:30 p.m. daily

arrives at Victoria 6:30 p.m. daily

Leaves Victoria 1 a.m. daily; ar-

rives Vancouver 8 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE ROUTE

S.S. Princess Beatrice

Leaves Victoria 8:30 a.m. daily

except Monday; arrives Seattle 2:30

p.m. daily except Monday.

Leaves Seattle 11:30 p.m. daily

except Monday; arrives Victoria 7

a.m. daily except Tuesday.

VICTORIA NEW WESTMINSTER

ROUTE.

Steamer R. P. Rithet.

To Victoria: Wednesday, Saturday

7 a.m.

From Victoria: Tuesday, Friday

7 a.m.

WEST COAST ROUTE.

S.S. Tees

Leaves Victoria 11 p.m. 1st and 15th

of each month for Clayoquot, Mon-

to Harbor and way ports; 7th of each

month for Quatsino and way ports

20th of each month for Ahousket, Qu-

sino, Cape Scott and way ports.

VANCOUVER-NANAIMO ROUTE

S. S. Joan

Leaves Vancouver 1:30 p.m. daily

except Sunday. Friday and Saturday

leaves at 1 p.m. Leaves Nanaimo

7 a.m.

UPPER FRASER RIVER ROUTE

S. S. Beaver

Leaves New Westminster, 8 a.m.

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays

Leaves Chilliwack 7 a.m. Tuesdays

Thursday and Saturday, calling at

landings between New Westminster

and Chilliwack.

UP RIVER

Ramona—

From N. W. Tn., Th., Sat. 8 a.m.

From Chwk. Sun., Wed., Fri. 1 a.m.

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S. S. Transfer.

Leaves New Westminster daily

except Sunday at 2 p.m., with additional

trip Monday at 5 a.m.

Leaves Steveston Monday, Tuesday

Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday

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Berlin Faces Serious Unem-  
ployed Problem--- Food  
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Berlin, Dec. 11.—There is some al-  
arm lest the hordes of returning emi-  
grants without money will critically  
glut the already overcrowded labor  
market in Germany. It has been un-  
officially suggested that the govern-  
ment imitate the American plan of  
excluding undesirables. Labor or-  
ganizations are greatly troubled over  
the prospect of an influx at a time  
when the question of employment is  
acutely difficult. Commodities, even  
the barest necessities, are rising to  
almost famine prices.

It was stated at a meeting of the  
municipal council of Schoenberg, a  
suburb of Berlin, tonight, that there  
were 30,000 skilled and 35,000 un-  
skilled workmen idle in Berlin alone.  
A proportionate number are idle in  
other industrial centres and in the  
farming regions.

Similar conditions prevail in Aus-  
tria, to which country more Ameri-  
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THURSDAY, DEC. 12, 1907

**THE NEW COUNCIL.**

Although nearly a month will elapse before the old council gives place to the new and that practically the same aggregation will sit again, we may be excused if we make a few suggestions to engage the minds of the city fathers when they are framing the estimates and laying out the work for 1908.

First, we think that a member of the council should be selected with fitness to institute a system of advertising the city, so that we may get our share of those who in the spring will come from the Central West to permanently take up their residence on the coast, and this City of Homes has advantages to offer to such that are not enjoyed by our sister cities of the Dominion, and it is unfair that we should only get the few that filter through, when, in the natural order of things, we should get the majority, and could get them if they knew something of our city.

Then we think the next matter of importance is that of a thorough sanitary overhauling from end to end—we mean a systematic cleaning up all over the city—and to do this, Mr. Pearce should be relieved of the collection of licenses and devote his whole time to this most important work; and while on this department, we think a continuance of the sewerage system should be compulsory wherever it is deemed necessary, and that it should be carried out in the most effective circuits, and at the least possible cost for good, permanent work.

Then we think Columbia street from the C. P. R. station to the Catholic cathedral should be cement paved by competent workmen under an efficient foreman, who thoroughly understands cement work.

Another matter that needs the attention of the board of works is the avenues into the city from the city boundaries inwards, so that we may get our full quota of trade from the rural districts (the municipality of Richmond, for instance).

What the board of works has done in permanent street work, has been done well and a continuance of permanent works is what is needed, and there should be no outcry about shortage of labor for several months.

It would be well when a job is finished for the debris to be immediately removed, and in the cleaning of the street drains, the boulevard put down and kept at the expense of the adjacent residents, should not be covered with the refuse.

Everyone, whether in the employ of the city or not, should endeavor to help keep the city clean and trim. This has much to do in inducing home seekers to settle here.

His worship the mayor and the council, as representing the city, should endeavor to get the government to remove the bridge tolls.

It would help New Westminster very much and the city might even offer the small balance over the cost of collection.

We do not think the minister of finance, with his large surplus, would accept such a small sum; however, it might be offered, so that no excuses could be made to the small but vexatious toll.

There are some other matters—such as industries needed, etc., etc.—we will touch on these in a future issue.

**THE UNEMPLOYED.**

The Columbian drives again and makes the Laurier government responsible for the lack of employment in Vancouver.

If the man who wrote such drivel

had only normal horse sense he would know that by such argument he is only nailing his own political coffin.

In the first place, does he mean to say that Laurier is so all powerful that he controls the world's finances and the markets to which we look for the sale of our products, and does he not know that until the unrest commenced south of the boundary, that it was impossible to get labor of any kind, and that if the Oriental labor now unemployed was represented by whites, there would have been a larger number of whites appealing for work now, and is he not putting the worst possible lever into the hands of Eastern people, who do not fully understand our position, when he points to the provision having to be made for the white unemployed, while not one word is heard about providing for the Oriental who is turning his energies into other channels, and as a rule is self-supporting.

And then what is to be done with the people whom the Conservative government at Victoria have contracted with the Salvation Army to bring here?

It is the Oriental in Vancouver and something else in Toronto.

When Laurier took hold in 1896, the whole country had been depressed for years, and from then for ten years prosperity grew to such an extent that in Toronto, as elsewhere, the dwelling accommodation was short, and the Manufacturers' association had to rise to the occasion and provide homes for their artisans; but did Laurier take or get any credit for the prosperity? What becomes of the

Columbian's "Balance of Trade Bugaboo".

Coming back to Vancouver, is the Laurier government to be held responsible for agreements made by the C. P. R. to evade the spirit and intention of the treaty?

This came out in evidence at the commission, and if the Lieutenant-Governor contracted, and, as is claimed, withheld assent to the immigration act for personal reasons, then what was Premier McBride doing to stay there, when he constitutionally is responsible for the acts of the Governor.

**Recital...**

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**AT 8 P.M.**

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J. W. McDONALD,

President.

W. J. CUNNINGHAM,

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Mexican Drawn Linen Runners, 45x14, regular \$1.50, reduced to \$1.00  
Fancy Linen Tray Cloths, 27x20, regular \$1.50, reduced to.....\$1.00  
Fancy Linen Tray Cloths, 27x20, regular 75c, reduced to.....50c  
Fancy Damask Tea Cloths, 36x36, regular \$1.75, reduced to.....\$1.00  
Fancy Drawn Work Tea Cloths, 30x30, regular \$2.00, reduced to \$1.50  
H. S. Fancy Embroidered Tea Cloths, 30x30, regular \$1.50, reduced to.....\$1.00  
Dozens and dozens of excellent Linen Doylies, Mexican Drawn, Fancy Damask, with H. S. edges, 16c and 10c ones for 10c and 5c; 35c and 25c ones for 20c and 15c; 85c and 75c ones for 60c and 50c.

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## CITY NEWS

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Mayor Keary is out of the city and will not return until this afternoon.

The board of school trustees assembled this evening in the city hall.

Back up a "White Man's Canada" and eat at Kenny's restaurant. \*\*

The Union Masonic lodge held their regular meeting in the Masonic temple last evening.

The monthly meeting of the New Westminster Benevolent society takes place this afternoon in the board of trade room.

A carload of Flour and Feed just received at Kyle & Sons, Front St. \*\*

E. Harrison will start for Toronto by way of the C. P. R. in the course of a few days.

A basketball game between teams representing the resident and day girl students of Columbian college is slated to take place this afternoon.

Get a box of B. C. Cigars for your Xmas gift. \*\*

The Rovers were unable to gather up a team yesterday to go out to play the Comptium football team, in accordance with arrangements made some days ago, so that the match had to be called off. The match was to have been played at Westminster Junction during the afternoon.

Do you want a new cottage on a large lot, below market value? We can suit you for \$1000, only \$400 cash and balance easy. Abbott & Hyde, next Guichon Hotel.

To let—Modern seven-room residence, close to Vancouver car line, White & Shiles, Columbia street, city. \*\*\*

Tickets for a raffle for a beautiful hand-painted sofa pillow are now on sale at Mrs. Birch's store, "The White House," priced at twenty-five cents apiece. The pillow is the work of Mrs. Thornber, whose artistic productions are well known in New Westminster. The drawing will take place on New Year's Eve.

Best meals in the city at Kenny's. Single meals 25c; meal tickets \$4.00; white cooks. \*\*

Owing to the Eagles' hall having been previously let for Friday evening, the Asiatic Exclusion league will be unable to hold its fortnightly meeting on that date, and consequently the meeting will be held on Monday. A dance is to be given in the Eagles' hall on Friday evening, the participants being mostly Norwegians and Scandinavians.

West End grocery. Japanese oranges 65c per box. Ask for Library coupons. \*\*

The answer of the government executive to the request of New Westminster for a new fire-proof land registry office is expected to arrive from Victoria today. A meeting of the executive is billed for this morning, when the petition is slated for consideration.

How would a box of clear Havanas, like the "Brillantes," go for Xmas. \*\*

The endowment jubilee fund committee which has charge of the arrangements for raising a large endowment for Columbian college in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the introduction of Methodism in the province, held a meeting in Vancouver the other night, and partly completed plans for raising the money. Organization work will be pushed forth without unavoidable delay.

The B. C. Cigar factory is manufacturing six different brands of cigars. \*

Quite a number of lads and young men turned out to the Armories yesterday evening, when the new Militia Bugle Band was formally organized. There is still room for several lads with musical abilities, and early applications should be made to Bandmaster Leslie. Aspirants for the bugles or drums should not be less than fourteen or more than eighteen years of age. Twenty-five members at least are required for a start.

Chamberlin's special \$15.00 Ladies' watch, P. O. Bartlett movement, in 25 year gold filled case. \*\*\*

The wedding of H. O. Pepin, who is well known locally, and connected with the Schaake machine works, and Miss Sophie Eickhoff, of this city, was consummated yesterday at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. The Rev. J. S. Henderson officiated, while Frank Wolf acted as best man. The

bride was supported by her sister, Miss Irene Eickhoff. The ceremony was private, only a few friends and relatives being present. The newly married couple left immediately after the ceremony for Victoria, where they will spend a few weeks, afterwards returning to this city, where they will reside.

We are agents for the I. H. C. gasoline engines. These engines are giving universal satisfaction. Abbott & Hyde, next Guichon hotel. \*

A large number of the members of the Rose of Columbia lodge, No. 115, Sons of England, will go over to Vancouver this evening to take part in an entertainment and supper being given by the Vancouver lodges in O'Brien's hall. Many prominent speakers are slated to address the meeting, and it is expected that some interesting statements on the immigration question will be voiced.

The Olivet Baptist Sunday School will give a Christmas Cantata entitled "Santa's Shadow" on Monday evening, Dec. 23rd, at eight o'clock. \*\*\*

The fifteenth annual convention of the Northwest Fruit Growers' association, which was recently held in Vancouver, has been pronounced the most successful ever held in the history of the association. An official report of the valuable papers read, and the discussions held, is now being prepared, and a copy of this report will be mailed to any one sending their membership fee of \$1 per annum to Maxwell Smith, Dominion fruit inspector, of Vancouver.

Columbian College is again endeavoring to give Westminster public a literary and musical treat. Next Monday evening, Dec. 16th Miss Helen Badgely, dramatic reader, Miss Mae Dickinson vocal and guitar soloist, and Mr. Piercy, elocutionist will give a recital in the college gymnasium. They have the highest recommendations from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The proceeds are to be devoted to the gymnasium fund. \*

A. M. Beamish, advance agent for the "Are You Crazy" musical comedy, passed through the city yesterday. The attraction which he represents is one of the winning musical comedies of the season, and has been making a big hit all along the road, as evidenced by the press notices carried by the agent. The paper carried by Beamish denotes the high class character of the attraction, some of the posters being remarkably well executed. Why such a musical comedy should be hoodooed by being tagged with a name like "Are You Crazy," could not be explained by the advance man.

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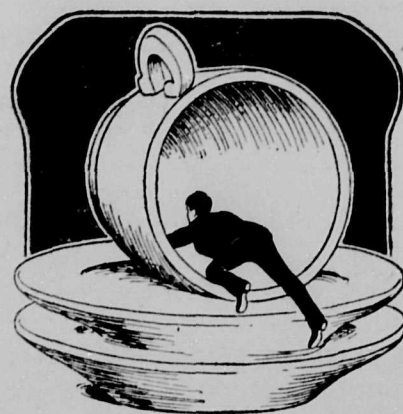
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Scene from "Why Girls Leave Home"

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## SOCIETIES.

**I. O. O. F.--AMITY LODGE, No. 2**

The regular meetings of this lodge are held in Oddfellows' hall, Columbia street, every Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. Richmond, N. G.; A. V. D. McLean, V. G.; W. C. Coatham, R. S.; G. Davy, F. S.; Alex. Adams, Treasurer.

**FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES**

Aerie No. 20--Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 p.m., in the Ball hall, Columbia street. F. J. Lynn, W. Pres.; H. Schofield, Secretary.

**A. O. U. W.--FRASER LODGE No. 1**

Meetings the first and third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. Lodge room, A. O. U. W. hall, Oddfellows' block, Clarkson street. S. Corrigan, recorder; Geo. Haggmaster, workman.

**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. Visiting Brethren cordially invited. E. L. Webster, President, H. Disney, secretary.

**COURT BRUNETTE, No. 4099, I. O. F.**

Meets the Fourth Friday in each month at 8 o'clock, in the Ball hall, Oddfellows' block. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. J. B. Rushton, C. R.; E. Maxwell, R. S.

**COURT ROYAL COLUMBIA, No. 8032**

A. O. F.--The regular meetings of this Lodge are held on the Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each month at 8 p.m. in the Oddfellows' hall. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. E. C. Firth, C. R.; F. P. Maxwell, Sec.

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**I. O. O. F.--Royal City Lodge, No. 3**

Meets in Oddfellows' Hall, Columbia Street, every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren will be made welcome. C. H. Clow, N. G.; C. E. Osborne, P. G. recording secretary.

**OTHER FRATERNAL SOCIETIES**

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**CORRESPONDENCE****Educational Blundering.**

Editor, Daily News:

Sir—Please place these facts before your readers that they may demand a reform in the education department.

The celebrated drawing investigation proved beyond a doubt that the system of giving marks to the children at the entrance examination on the work done in their drawing books during the term was a great blunder. The better a pupil could draw the more liable he was to be deprived of his marks, under that system.

The expert drawing master stated on oath that there was ruling in Antone Henderson's book. For that reason no marks for the work done in his book had been given to him at the entrance exam.

Antone Henderson, at the investigation, drew so well in the presence of Judge Lampman that he decided there had been no ruling done in his book.

The provincial trustee convention passed a resolution unanimously to have the marks in drawing given on the work done in the presence of the examiner.

Premier McBride promised to carry out their resolutions, if it were possible. Two weeks after the passing of that resolution, I received a circular from the education office notifying me that the pupils would have to hand in their drawing books at the Christmas exams, as formerly.

I at once appealed to the premier to have that order revoked. I have not heard that such was done, and the exams are held next week.

Surely, in the face of the decision of Judge Lampman, of that unanimous resolution, of the premier's promise, and of common sense, the department will not give marks on the books; if not, then what does it want the books for? It makes a bonfire of them after the exams are over.

Urge the people to ask the premier to fulfil his promise, and thus save the children from the risk of being deprived of their marks and of being branded as cheats; and thus also prevent their drawing books from being burned.

J. N. MUIR.

Keefers, B. C., Dec. 10, 1907.

G. J. and E. L. Armstrong, of Melita, Man., arrived in the city yesterday, and will remain here for the remainder of the winter.

**Ran for Help. Children Burnt.**

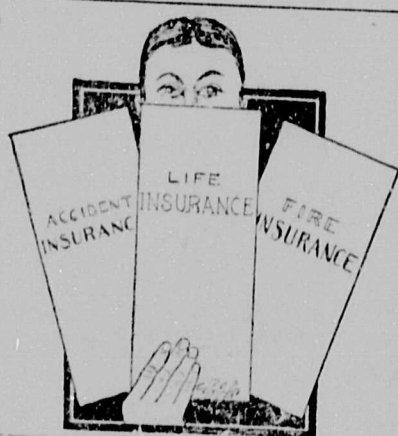
Montreal, Dec. 11.—A report received here from Three Rivers stated that last evening about ten o'clock Mrs. Dupont, living on St. Marguerite road, noticed that the house was on

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By Order,

FRED. GELINAS,

Secretary.

Department of Public Works,

Ottawa, November 27th, 1907.