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OCEAN CASTS UP BOTTLED MESSAGE

Note Consigned to the Sea When Huronian Sank in Mid Atlantic, in 1902, Is Picked Up Off the Irish Coast.

London, Jan. 2.—There has been washed on the beach at Castle Rock in the north of Ireland, a bottle containing a message from several members of the crew of the ship Huronian, which disappeared in the spring of 1902, to the effect that she was sinking fast. The message, however, gives no location.

This is the second time that the Huronian has been heard from since she sailed from Glasgow on February 11, 1902, for St. Johns, N. S. The Huronian belonged to the Allan line. She was first reported overdue early in March, 1902, and when nothing had been heard from the boat by April, all hope of her was given up. In spite of this, however, the British admiralty at the request of the owners, ordered the cruiser Thames to search for the vessel, and in the latter part of April the cruiser Bellow was ordered to the North Atlantic to help the Thames in this work.

The search was kept up by these two cruisers until May, but no traces of the Huronian was ever found. A report from Montreal dated June 17, said that on June 2 a bottle was picked up forty-five miles east of Halifax, containing the following note written on a scrap of paper:

"Steamship Huronian turned over Sunday night in Atlantic. In small boat, Fourteen of us."

Guggenheim in Senate.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 2.—Simon Guggenheim's election as United States Senator to succeed Thomas M. Patterson is assured by the action of the Republican members of the General Assembly in caucus yesterday afternoon. Guggenheim's candidacy was endorsed by a vote of 68 to 1.

Seventy of the one hundred members of the legislature are Republicans and all but one of them participated in the caucus.

Guggenheim is 39 years old and a son of the late Meyer Guggenheim of New York. He is a wealthy man and is a member of the executive committee of the American Smelting and Refining company.

Norman Wellein has been appointed night station agent at the V. W. & Y. depot, and commenced his duties there this week.

NOTES OF PROGRESS

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Canadian railway building in 1906 is expressed in figures as under:

New lines	3,314 miles
Total cost	$62,000,000
Construction, about	44,000,000
Equipment, about	18,000,000
C. P. R. spends	23,000,000
C. N. R. spends	15,000,000
G. T. R. spends	5,000,000
G. T. P. spends	7,000,000
Great Northern, etc., spend	10,000,000
T. & N. O. R. spends	2,000,000

The figures themselves express the facts impressively, but it is easier perhaps to grasp their significance by comparisons. A little over fifty years ago there were only 55 miles of railway in all the wide areas of British America. The construction and opening of that mileage was regarded as an important event in Canadian history. It is not likely that the total cost would exceed $2,000,000. During last year alone it is estimated that 3,314 miles of new road are under construction, and the total cost of such construction and equipment would be thirty or forty times that expended up to 1850.

FINANCIAL CRISIS IS NEAR AT HAND

Stuyvesant Fish Predicts Impending Shake-up in New York Stock Exchange---Severely Scores Wall Street For Its Methods.

New York, Jan. 2.—Stuyvesant Fish, ex-president of the Illinois Central, in a statement written for the Journal of Commerce, declares that a great industrial crisis is due and there are many indications of its being imminent.

"Despite the unprecedented output of gold," Fish writes, "money is dear the world over and dear because of high prices and activity in trade."

Other causes for dear money are found in the fact that Great Britain has not fully made up its losses in the Boer war; that Japan and Russia, particularly the latter, have scarcely begun to recover from the effects of their war and that within the past year there have been tremendous losses of capital due to the calamities in San Francisco and Valpariso.

Turning to the United States, Fish writes that New York, especially that part of it known as "Wall Street," has absorbed and is absorbing more than its share of the loanable fund.

Of this stock exchange, Fish says: "The new stock exchange has ceased to be a free market where buyers and sellers fix prices through the ebb and flow of demand and supply, and has become the plaything of a few managers of cliques and pools to such an extent that for months past every announcement of increased dividends, of stock distributions and of rights has been met by a fall in prices.

"The investing public are and remain out of the market, not because of ventures in industrials, in electric railways or in suburban real estate —the speculation in each of which was checked months ago—nor yet in mining shares, but simply because of the distrust which even those possessed of ample means have the methods of corporate finance now in vogue in New York. That Europe shares their distrust of these methods is shown by its outcry against the disuse of American finance bills."

"Indeed, it seems to me, we are already embarked on a long needed moral financial shake-up, which, like the religious reformation of the middle ages, will, through much cruelty, work out good in the end. To the need of such a reformation the public are fully awake.

"We, as yet, see only the beginning. Time will work out the end," Fish writes in conclusion.

THIRTY-FIVE DIE IN RAILWAY WRECK

Collission in Kansas Occurs on Division Recently Equipped With Block Signal System.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The following statement was issued today by General manager Melcher, of the Rock Island Railroad:

"The El Paso express No. 29, consisting of one baggage car, one smoker, two chair cars, one dining car, four tourist sleepers and one standard sleeper, which left Chicago yesterday at 8:30 a.m., collided with east-bound El Paso train, No. 30, consisting of two baggage cars, one smoker, two chair cars, one dining car, one tourist sleeper and one standard sleeper at 4:30 a. m. today, three miles west of Alma, Kas.

Superintendent Rourke, now at the wreck, says that thirty-five persons were killed, ten bodies having been recovered. Nearly all of the killed were Mexicans or other foreign laborers who were riding in the smoking car of the west-bound train.

"The Kansas division upon which the wreck occurred had just been equipped with the block signal system, which was placed in operation at 12:01 a.m., January 1."

Cross—McDonald.

Lewis W. Cross, of Chilliwack, and Miss McDonald, daughter of Alex McDonald, of Queen's avenue, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of the bride's parents on New Year's day. The groom was supported by George McDonald, and Miss Lydia Roberts, of Vancouver, was bridesmaid. The Rev. J. S. Henderson performed the marriage service. After partaking of a wedding breakfast, the newly wedded couple took the train for Portland, Ore., where they will spend the honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. Cross will reside in Chilliwack on their return.

ENGLISH GUNNERS MAKE MORE HITS

Percentage of Shots Has Increased Considerably Since Twelve Months ago.

London, Jan. 2.—Two further returns concerning the gun practise of the fleet have been issued, giving the result of practise from fifty-two torpedo destroyers with 12-pounder and 6-pounder guns and the result with rapid-firing guns on eighty nine ships of the fleet. The targets used were [illegible] feet and the range varied from [illegible] to 1,000 yards.

The reports show that the percentage of hits to rounds fired has improved from 21.6 in 1905 to 34.5 in 1906, and the rate of hits per gun per minute has increased in the case of the 12-pounders from 2.12 to 3.41, and in the case of the 6-pounders and 3-pounders, except those of the Vickers type, from 1.93 to 3.47 per cent. The Vickers type are equipped with the new telescope sights, and an average of eight hits per minute was made with each gun.

Chilliwack Line.

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—General Manager Sperling of the British Columbia Electric Railway company started this morning that the third party prosecuting the survey for the tram line to Chilliwack had now been started out. The work will be pushed as speedily as possible, taking weather conditions into account, and as soon as all three reports are in, a line will be decided upon and estimates made out. The London board will then take final action on the scheme.

The fire engine at No. 2 hall was placed on runners yesterday afternoon, in order to be in readiness for any call. All the brigade horses have been specially shod in order to enable them to retain a secure footing on the slippery streets.

LADIES' GOWNS ARE UNUSUALLY ELEGANT

White House Reception Causes Washington's Four Hundred Ladies to Surpass Themselves

In view of the approaching social function of the season, the Lieut. Governor's ball, the ladies of New Westminster will doubtless be interested in reading the following description of dresses worn at President Roosevelt's annual New Year's reception.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Unusual elegance marked the gowns worn at the White House yesterday.

Mrs. Roosevelt wore a gown of brown and white brocaded satin, the panels in the skirt showing a full fall of brown chiffon, trimmed with appliques in blue the bodice was of brocaded silk and the sleeves of brown chiffon. She wore diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Fairbanks wore white chiffon brocaded in pink roses. The gown has insertions of lace.

Mrs Root was gowned in pale blue chiffon velvet with point lace, the panels of the velvet falling over a lace flounce skirt and pinafore effect on the bodice.

Mrs. Shaw wore a light blue chiffon velvet with point lace.

Mrs. Taft wore a delicate white lace robe over pale pink.

Mrs. Bonaparte wore a pale blue velvet dress profusely trimmed with pearl and gold passementeries.

Mrs. Metcalf's dress was of white lace modishly trimmed.

Mrs Straus, who made her first appearance at a New Year's Presidential reception as wife of a member of the cabinet, wore a gown of soft shimmering yellow satin with an insert of Irish crochet lace and a bodice trimmed with the same kind of lace. A deep collarrette of pearls with diamond bands also was worn.

Mrs. Longworth, the President's daughter, wore pale yellow lace. She also wore her wedding jewels.

Pokes Fun at Us.

An exchange says: On acount of the great number of parties, the Conservative, Independent Conservatives, Liberals, Independent Liberals, Martinites, Independents, Labor, Independent Labor, Socialists, and Labor Socialists and a few more such in British Columbia, the government has been forced to put a space of five weeks between nomination and election, so that the elector will be able to learn all the names of the candidates and what they are all about.

Presentation.

On the evening of New Year's day, Mrs. G. Small, proprietress of the Bedford house, was the recipient of a handsome umbrella, presented to her by the boarders. Griffin Fletcher, J. P., made the presentation, accompanying the gift with a few well chosen words. Mrs Small was agreeably surprised at the unexpected mark of esteem on the part of her boarders.

HINDU MISSIONARY VISITS MILLSIDE

Dr. Nugent Who Has Spent Many Years in India, Expresses His Opinion.

The Rev. Dr. Nugent, a Presbyterian missionary in India, who is at present visiting this province, has been the guest of the Rev. J. S. Henderson, of St. Andrew's church, and last evening he spoke briefly on the condition of the Hindus who are at present coming to this province. Dr. Nugent is a pleasant speaker, and one who is well versed in the subject which he undertook to discuss last evening, and he can claim to be one of the few men at present on the coast who really understands anything about the Hindus, as he has spent many years of his life among them.

In the course of his remarks, Dr. Nugent stated that the Hindus had already come in large numbers, and that many more were coming. There was no doubt in his mind that the Hindus who were here intended to stay here, and although a number of them would no doubt go back to India before long, the majority would make their permanent home in this province. At the present time the Hindus were very much misunderstood by the people of this country, but there would be a change in their attitude towards each other before very long. The Hindus were naturally observant, and would quickly pick up the ways of the country, and once they had adapted themselves to the customs of this land, the feeling against them would greatly change.

Acompanied by the Rev. J. S. Henderson, Dr. Nugent paid a visit to the Hindu colony at Millside yesterday afternoon. The two gentlemen spent several hours observing the men, and had long conversations with several of them. The Hindus stated that they were quite satisfied with their lot, but they complained of the weather, the recent cold snap having affected them in a marked manner. The majority of the Millside workers are well clad, and are rapidly becoming acclimatized.

Rowing Championship.

Sidney, N.S.W., Jan. 2.—George Towns, the Australian sculler, and Eddie Hanlon Durnan of Toronto, Canada, have signed articles to row on the Nepean River, March 2, for the sculling championship of the world and $2,500 a side. Towns, in July last, recaptured the world's championship for sculling, defeating James Stanbury twenty lengths on the Parmatta River.

This afternoon, the members of the W. C. T. U. will hold their annual prayer service at the home of Mrs D. Robson, Third avenue. All ladies who are interested are invited to be present.

JOINT STOCK COMPANY REPLACES OLD FIRM

Gilley Bros. Incorporated as a Limited Company With Ample Capital.

The old firm of Gilley Bros. has been changed to a joint stock company called Gilley Bros., Limited. The new company has been duly incorporated with a capitalization of $50,000, divided into five hundred shares of $100 each. The object of the company is to carry on the business of general merchants, carriers by water, ship-owners, wharfingers, wharehousemen, commisison agents, contractors, quarry operators, loggers and any other business which can be conveniently carried on in connection therewith.

W. R. Gilley has been appointed by the company to the position of managing-director, and F. P. Maxwell has bene made Secretary-Treasurer of the company. The company has already a large connection in the city and district, and expects in the future to be in a better condition than ever to supply the needs of the public along the lines of business already in operation by them.

Killed on the G. N. R.

While walking along the G. N. R. track, near the Bon Accord cannery, on New Year's day, Jeremiah McCarty, an Irishman working on the Royal City mills survey party, was instantly killed by the incoming Seattle train. The accident was not seen by anyone, and the body was not found until a few hours later. The body was brought to the city, and will be interred on Friday, the funeral leaving Murchie's undertaking parlors early in the afternoon. The deceased was about 35 years of age, and arrived in this city only a couple of months ago. He was a native of Cork, Ireland, and, so far as is known, has no relatives in this country.

MANY MINERS SICK RENDERS COAL SCARCE

Outlook Is Considered Serious Unless Coal Comes Much More Rapidly.

The coal situation is becoming serious. The gas works stock of black diamonds is almost exhausted and there is no sign of a new supply in sight at the present time. The Distillery is also very short of fuel unless some arrives in a short time there will be a slump in booze manufacturing. A great many of the citizens are looking into almost empty coal bunkers and some of the lumber mills having shut down, makes wood a scarce article. Vancouver coal dealers are said to be at their wits end to know what to do for coal, and if the weather remains cold, a large amount of suffering will result. The shortage at the mines is said to be due to the fact that about eighty of the miners at Ladysmith are the victims of an outbreak of la grippe of a particularly severe character. Another reason for the shortage is attributed to the fact that a large number of the miners who escaped the grippe, celebrated the festive season, not wisely but too well, and have not been able to work for the past week. The captains of tugs belonging to local coal dealers have been wired to stay right on the spot near the mines, and not to come back until they come with a full load of coal.

Beautiful—Slush!

A few inches of snow; a night of sharp frost, the mercury going down to about 14 degrees above zero; then some more snow, with a rising temperature until, about the beginning of the small hours this morning, the snow turned to rain, giving promise of a slushy, sloppy day—that is New Westminster's winter so far, and more "winter" at that, than we have had for some years.

Chamberlain Wil Never Frame Policies Again

London, Jan. 2.—Joseph Chamberlain, England's great statesman, has passed into retirement. According to current reports, the former colonial secretary has suffered a complete loss of memory. He is now under the constant care of physicians, nurses and attendants, and though there is no immediate danger of death, no hope exists that he will ever again be able to participate in the shaping of his country's govermental policies.

Chamterlain will live long in the memory of the American people, because of his repeatedly expressed admiration for the United States republic. His marriage to the daughter of former United States Secretary of War Endicott was an international social event.

The football game announced to take place Tuesday between Westham Island and the Rovers, was cancelled on account of the state of the ground. The game will be played later.

New Road Will Tap Old Cassiar Diggings

Wrangel, Alaska, Jan. 2.—News reached Wrangel of the sale of the J. W. Haskins mining property, situated in the Cassiar mining district, which is reached by way of the Stikine river as far as Telegraph Creek, B. C., after which points all supplies must be handled by pack train. The sale of this property means much to this section, as the purchaser expects to build a railroad from the head of navigation on the Stikine to tap the rich mineral belt lying near what is known as the Dease Lake section of the Cassiar district.

All supplies for that country are brought here and shipped in in season of navigation. The building of a railroad will bring hundreds of miners back to the old Cassiar diggings, as the cost of food supplies and short season for placer work makes it impossible for the sluice-box miner to make more than expenses there now. The opening of the interior will develop some of the low grade properties of quartz on the Stikine river.

FORM PROTECTIVE BODY AND SELECT CANDIDATES

Blue Mountain Electors Form Municipal Association and Discuss Business Matters.

A well attended meeting was held in the Blue Mountain school house for the purpose of forming a Ratepayers' Association and selecting municipal candidates for the coming year. G. Osborne was appointed chairman of the meeting, and H. B. Baker was selected the secretary pro tem.

The chairman briefly explained to the gathering the object of the meeting and called upon Mr. Chambers, who had had experience in Ratepayers' Associations, to explain the workings of such organizations. He pointed out that the benefits accruing from such an institution were both protective and educational. It protected the ratepayers from maladministration of affairs, and caused the general public to take a more intelligent interest in municipal matters. He cited many instances in which the ratepayers association had proved to be the backbone of the municipality.

After considerable discussion it was moved by W. R. Austin, and seconded by J. C. Cameron, that the meeting favor the formation of a Ratepayers' Association. The motion carried unanimously.

It was moved by Messrs. Chambers and Brennan, that H. B. Baker and George Osborne be appointed a committee to formulate a constitution, and to seek to co-operate with the ratepayers of the east and of the municipality. Mr. Chambers' name was added to the committee and the motion was put and carried.

Motions were passed instructing the committee to call another meeting as soon as they were ready to report, and also authorizing the publication of proceedings in the local papers.

During the course of the meeting Mr. Atkins took occasion to refer to the condition of the North road from Sapperton to the Brunette bridge and asked why it was that the city authorities did not consider the importance of keeping it in better condition.

The selection of candidates to contest the coming municipal elections was then taken up and Messrs. Chambers, Cameron and Brennan were requested to stand in the interests of the district.

Those present were Messrs. Cameron, Austin, Brennan, Chambers, P. Baker, M. Baker, A. Shaw, Atkins, Lawson, Martin, Lund, Walker, Leaman, Eberts, Simpson and others.

The contracts for the supplies for the Royal Columbian hospital have been awarded as folows: C. A. Welsh, groceries; A. L. Lavery, bread; Royal City Fish market, fish; J. Reichenbach company, meat; Gilley Bros., coal; J. Fleger, milk; D. S. Curtis & Co., drugs; W. E. Fales, funerals.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

TAKE NOTICE that application has been made to register John W. Burr as the owner in Fee Simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from The Corporation of the City of New Westminster, to John W. Burr, bearing the date 15th day of June, A.D. 1905, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lots 9 to 16 inclusive of lot 12, Suburban Block 13, New Westminster City.

You and each of you are required to contest the claim of the tax purchaser within forty-five days from the date of the first publication of this notice, otherwise I shall register John W. Burr, as owner thereof in fee. And I further order that publication of this notice for one month in a daily newspaper published at New Westminster will be good and sufficient service thereof.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, Province of British Columbia, this 28th day of December, A.D. 1906.

C. S. KEITH.
District Registrar.

To Flora V. Hammel.

All persons served with this notice, and those claiming through or under them, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent, whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act," shall be forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land so sold for taxes as provided for by the "Land Registry Act."

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE

To Prepare Pickled Pigs' Feet.

Clean and scrape thoroughly ten or twelve pigs' feet, soak in cold water for an hour, then scrape again. Place in a large kettle with two tablespoonfuls of salt and six quarts of boiling water and simmer gently for four hours or until tender. Pack in a stone jar while hot, laying some of the feet in first, then a few slices of onion, then more feet and more onion, and so on until all the feet have been used. Place two quarts of vinegar in a separate saucepan over the fire, with one quart of the broth in which the feet have been cooked, half a dozen cloves, a half teaspoonful of mustard, a tablespoonful whole peppers, two bay leaves and two tablespoonfuls of sugar. Bring to a good scald, pour over the pigs' feet and set the jar away in a cool place. It takes several days for the feet to become pickled. Pigs' feet prepared in this way may be split in two, wiped dry, dipped in melted butter, then in bread, Indian meal or cracker crumbs and broiled for four minutes on each side and served with sauce piquant or dipped in frying butter and fried in butter.

Garnishes.

Fried sausage or forcemeat balls for roast turkey, capon or fowl.

Fennel for mackerel and salmon, either fresh or pickled.

Lobster coral and parsley for boiled fish.

Currant jelly for game; also for custard or bread pudding.

Seville oranges, in slices, for wild duck, pigeons, teal and such game.

Mint, either with or without parsley, for roast lamb, whether hot or cold.

Pickled gherkins, capons or onions for some boiled meats, stews, etc.

A red pepper or small red apple for the mouth of a roast pig.

Spots of red and black pepper alternated on the fat side of a boiled ham, which side should lie uppermost on the serving dish.

Sliced eggs, showing the white and yellow parts, for chicken salad.

Kitchen Helps.

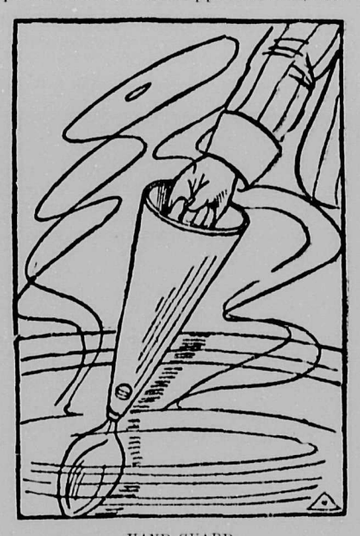
Carrots should be cut in slices instead of cubes, because the outside darker part is richer and better, and if cut in slices it is more equally distributed.

Bacon should be soaked in water for three or four minutes before being fried to prevent the fat from running.

In order to prevent milk from burning while being boiled rinse the saucepan thoroughly with cold water and rub it with a little fresh butter before pouring in the milk.

Shield For Hand When Cooking.

How often does the housewife burn her hand while working over a hot fire preparing the meals? Probably on an average once a day. It may be the lard that flies up or the steam from the kettle scorches the fingers when she prods the potatoes with a fork to see if they are done or in stirring the preserves. A Mississippi inventor, real-



HAND GUARD.

izing that these mishaps could be avoided, has patented a guard that affords the housewife the protection needed. It was designed to be applied mainly to kitchen utensils—such as forks, spoons, cake turners and similar utensils—to protect the hand used in grasping the utensil. This guard is conical in form and is made of sheet metal. It is so constructed that it can be removed from one article and attached to another and need only be used when so desired. Free access is afforded for the hand, so that the fork or spoon can be manipulated with as much ease as if without the guard.

A Good Disinfectant.

Dissolve one-half dram of nitrate of lead in one pint of boiling water. In another vessel dissolve two drams of common salt in eight or ten quarts of cold water. When both mixtures are thoroughly dissolved, mix them together and let them settle. A cloth saturated with the liquid and hung up in a room will at once sweeten a fetid atmosphere. Poured down a sink, water closet or drain or on any decaying matter or offensive object, it will have the same result.

Never Mix Cider and Vinegar.

Sweet cider should never be added to old vinegar, because the acetic acid in the vinegar will prevent the sugar in the cider from being converted into alcohol, and consequently the result will be a very poor quality of watery vinegar.—Farming.

To Mend Porcelain Pots.

Porcelain ware can be soldered as easily as tinware by adopting the following method: Brush over the edges of the holes to be mended with shellac, both inside and outside, and immediately apply the melted solder, which will adhere firmly.

OTTAWA, ONT.

Architectural Competition for Departmental and Justice Buildings.

Competitive drawings are invited for Departmental and Justice Buildings to be awarded a premium of $8,000, the ment at Ottawa, Ont.

The author of the best design will be awarded a premium og $8,000, the second best $4,000, the third best $2,000 and the fourth best $1,000.

Drawings will be received not later than April 15th, 1907, and are to be addressed to the Secretary of the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

This competition is open to Canadian Architects who have been resident in Canada for one year or more.

Conditions of competition stating requirements of buildings and maps showing site, etc. may be had on application to the undersigned.

By order,

FRED GELINAS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 12, 1906.

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9.40 a.m.	.....Nelson	6.45 p.m.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

Re Easterly 33 feet of Lot 3 and Westerly 11 feet of Lot 4, Block 5, New Westminster City.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to William Campbell, Matilda Campbell and Elizabeth Campbell on the 1st day of February, 1907, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person or persons claiming an estate or interest therein, or in any part thereof.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office,
New Westminster, B. C., December 24, 1906.

The person or persons having in their custody or possession the following Title Deeds relating to the said property are requested to deliver the same to the undersigned.

October 17, 1889, Augustus Lundbom to Donald McGillivray, Conveyance in fee of part of Lots 3 and 4.

March 2, 1883, Peter Monetta to Augustus Lundbom, Conveyance of part of Lot 3.

BAXTER, McLELLAN & SAVAGE,
Agents.
337 Hastings Street, W., Vancouver, B. C.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable, the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands:

No. 1. Commencing at a post planted on the Dominion Boundary Line, on Sharpe's Creek, about half a mile northeast of Pitt Lake, thence North 80 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence South 80 chains, thence East 80 chains to point of commencement.

No. 2. Commencing at a post planted on the Dominion Boundary Line at the commencement of Claim No. 1, thence East 80 chains, thence North 80 chains, thence West 80 chains, thence South 80 chains to point of commencement.

No. 3. Commencing at a post planted 80 chains North of post first described in Claims No. 1 and 2, thence North 80 chains, thence East 80 chains thence South 80 chains, thence West 80 chains to point of commencement.

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J. ROSS SHARPE,
Secretary.

Staked, Nov. 29, 1906.
John P. Thompson.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

IN THE MATTER of the Settled Estates Act and amending Acts.

—AND—

IN THE MATTER of the title to part of Lot 1, Block 3, suburban lands, New Westminster City, whereof John Oswald Coulthard is tenant for life in possession and Earnest Barr Coulthard is tenant in tail.

Pursuant to the Order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Morrison, sealed tenders addressed to J. J. Cambridge, District Registrar of the Supreme Court, New Westminster, B. C., will be received by him up to Saturday the 19th day of January, 1907, for the purchase of part of Lot one (1), Block Three (3), Suburban lands, New Westminster City. Tenders must be accompanied by a certified cheque for Five (5) per cent. of the amount tendered.

J. P. HAMPTON BOLE,
Solicitor for Petitioner herein.
Ja. 5.

Purchase Notice

Notice is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated at the mouth of the Kildala river, Coast district: Commencing at a post marked W. M.'s N. E Corner planted on the south bank of the Kildala river at the mouth, running as follows: 40 chains south, 40 chains west, 40 chains north to the shore line, thence following shore line to place of commencement, containing 16 acres more or less.

Aug. 27, 1906.

Locator, W. MOODY,
Per FRANK VANDAL, Agent.
Oct. 24, 1906.

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

Land Registry Act

Re Lot 484, Group 1 (except two parts conveyed), New Westminster District.

A Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Rhoda McKamey on the 29th day of December, 1906, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person or persons claiming an estate or interest therein, or in any part thereof.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., 21st November, 1906.

The person or persons having in their custody or possession the following Title Deeds relating to the said property are requested to deliver the same to the undersigned:

12th December, 1895—Robert Granville McKamey to Thomas Roberts McKamey, conveyance in fee.

MARTIN, WEART & McQUARRIE,
Barristers, Solicitors, etc., New Westminster, B.C.
Agent.

Synopsis of Regulations for Disposal of Minerals on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory.

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

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

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five, upon payment in advance of $5.00 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dredging in the Rivers of Manitoba and the N. W. T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged beds or bars of the river below any low water mark, and subject to a royalty of $10 for first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty same as placer mining.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200. A certificate that work has been abandoned, aand open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

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

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

W. W. CORY.
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior.
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Victoria	10.30 a.m.	9.00 a.m.
East Burnaby	1.13 p.m.	1.15 p.m.
Ladner, Steveston, etc.	1.30 p.m.	11.00 a.m.
C.P.R. east, Sapperton, Millside and Coquitlam	3.00 p.m.	11.35 a.m.
Van. and Burnaby	3.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m
G.N.R. Flyer	4.00 p.m.	11.00 p.m.
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A Hundred Yard Dash

By HONORE WILLSIE

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Harwell loped along the lake shore path. The spring wind beat in his face. A mating blackbird trilled in the greening marsh. Harwell in his running pants and jersey, with his bare legs and sandaled feet, with his fine head tossed back and the muscles of his back rippling beneath his jersey, was as beautiful in his perfection of youth as the spring landscape through which he ran.

It was getting a little warm for the daily cross country trot, but the spring meets would be on in another week, and after that cap and gown in exchange for jersey during commencement week.

Until then Harwell had only three things to remember. First, he was not to overdo. He was so near the perfection point now that with the least

TO HIS ARMPITS IN SAND, WITH HIS FACE WHITE AND SENSELESS.

extra work he would be stale. Second, he must be careful of that right thigh muscle. He had strained it in the fall as quarterback. And, lastly, this third necessity being unknown to the trainer, he must win the hundred yard dash in the Colwell-Wilton meet. The rivalry between Harwell and Small had become more than physical. To win first place in the meet was to win first place in Alice Summer's eyes—at least, this was the conclusion reached by Harwell.

He hurdled the pasture bars into the meadow. It was rather wet, and the smell of bruised cowslips and tender new sprung mint followed the soft pad of his sandals. At the sand pits Harwell halted at the sound of his name shouted at the top of lusty lungs. Small, in knickerbockers, was pounding away with his geological hammer at a huge bowlder.

"I'll chill if I stop!" called Harwell merrily. "Why aren't you running?"

"Got this bloomin' five-fifths geology to make up this week."

"Too bad!" shouted Harwell, bounding with his long strides toward the far side of the pits.

Small looked after him, then a malicious look crossed his eyes. If—if Harwell should get chilled! He sprang to his feet.

"Wait! Wait!" he roared. "I want"—then "Great heavens!" he cried. Then there was silence.

Harwell did not turn his head at Small's call. He grinned appreciatively to himself. "Can't work me that way," he thought. "A chill for me would be very valuable to Small," and he crossed the little meadow brook with a careless bound. Then a vague sense of apprehension entered his mind. Small's roar had stopped very suddenly. He wondered why. Perhaps he ought to go back, yet he kept on.

But the sense of apprehension grew and would not go. Finally, with a little groan at his own foolishness, Harwell turned and retraced his course to the sand pits, his stride never breaking. At the brow of the slope he gave a startled ejaculation. In springing to his feet Small had dislodged a great slice of the sand pit wall. To his armpits in sand, with face white and senseless and the sand creeping constantly down to sift higher and higher about him, was Small.

Harwell dashed toward him. As he ran he snatched up an old tin can half full of rain water and dashed it in Small's face. Small opened his eyes.

"I'm suffocating, Harwell," he said.

"Oh, so, you're not; not by a long chalk. Here, take this can and dig to beat the band. I'll use this piece of shovel, and we'll have you out in a jiffy."

He set to work feverishly. The bit of shovel proved very efficient wielded by Harwell's sinewy arm, and the tin can in Small's hands was not to be despised. Harwell worked with one eye on the edge of the pit. The sand layers, one by one, were loosening. If he did not get Small free before they fell—well, there was no use in thinking of that. Now Small was free to his waist line, now to his thighs, now—silently, swiftly, a great wedge of sand gave way, and Small was again buried to his shoulders.

Harwell looked about. The pits had been so long deserted that there was not a board in sight. Yes, half buried and black with age, there was one. He pelted across the pit, gave a great wrench and was back again with the board, which he placed as a bulwark against further sand slides. Then to work again with the broken shovel, feverishly, for Small was growing faint and limp.

At last, panting, Harwell helped the half unconscious Small to his feet. Then he was suddenly conscious that his hands were blistered, that his feet dragged, that his right thigh muscle ached wearily. But he put his arm about Small and led him slowly from the sand pit down to the turnpike road that was the straightest course to the college dormitory. It was nearing sunset, and a damp, cool wind blew from the marshes. Harwell shivered, but he closed his lips firmly and hurried Small on as best he could.

There was the sound of hoof beats behind them. The two weary figures drew to the roadside and waited for the smart little dogcart to pass them. But it stopped, and its solitary occupant gave an exclamation of surprise.

"What in the world is the matter?" asked Alice Summers.

"Small got caught in the sand pit," replied Harwell, both men staring up into the beautiful, sensitive face. The girl gave a little cry of sympathy. "Oh, get in here, Mr. Small, and I'll drive you to the doctor."

In a few moments Harwell was watching the gay painted back of the trap, now occupied by two figures, retreating into the dusk.

His lip quivered a little sensitively. "They never thought of me," he muttered. "Small has got her, and I—I've got the chill he wanted me to have." Then he limped on through the twilight toward the dormitory a mile away.

That evening Harwell sat in the living room of his fraternity house nursing his aching muscles and giving an occasional sneeze. The hundred yard dash was lost; but, since Alice, too, was lost, he was strangely indifferent. Then he was called to the telephone. Miss Alice Summers, who was staying at the hotel with her mother, would be glad to have him call.

As Harwell, very cold and dignified, stalked into the reception room Alice, her winsome face eager, led him to a quiet corner. "Dick," she said hesitatingly, "did I act very brutal this afternoon?"

Dick thought for a moment. "Yes," he replied firmly.

Alice caught her breath. "But how could I know that you had been so fine? You said nothing."

"There was nothing to say. It was Small's inning."

"Small!" sniffed Alice. "Don't mention Billy Small to me! I think you are fine, but I could get that from what Billy said only by inference. Dick, did you get a chill?"

Dick nodded, and Alice's face filled with dismay. With two brothers in college, she understood all the shadings of training.

"Oh, Dick!" she said. "Oh, Dick!"

Something in her tone made Dick look up. "But you don't care," he said bitterly.

"Don't I?" she replied. "Well, perhaps I do care, more that you were brave and fine enough to give up all chances in the meet to help a man who was not worth it."

The room swam around giddily. Dick clutched the arms of his chair, and then both the girl's slender hands were in his.

"Dick," she whispered, "don't you see that what you have done is better than winning ten dashes?"

"I am sure of it," said Dick. And there was a thrill of joy in his voice that left no doubt as to his meaning.

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THE NEW AMBASSADOR.

After the usual amount of rumor and contradiction and speculation, it is at last definitely announced that the Right Hon. James Bryce has been appointed as British Ambassador to the United States. This is a departure from precedent and tradition, and seems to show a desire on the part of the Imperial Government to leave the old ruts and adopt up-to-date methods.

Mr. Bryce has been one of the leading men in the Liberal party of Britain for nearly a score of years, and had made a name in literature before he entered politics. His best known works are the "Holy Roman Empire," and the "American Commonwealth." For nearly a quarter of a century he was Regius Professor of civil law at Oxford, and is still frequently called "Professor" Bryce. He has been from the first a consistent advocate of Irish Home Rule, and had much to do with the framing of Mr. Gladstone's second bill.

Generally spoken of as a Scotchman, Mr. Bryce is properly an Ulsterman, his grandfather having settled in that province late in the eighteenth century. Mr. Bryce has, however, lived in London since the termination of his college career, which was a brilliant one.

He has travelled very widely and has been a lover of outdoor life. Once he ascended Mount Ararat, going on to the very top of the mountain even when his guide gave up the attempt and refused to risk the last dash for the summit, and it is said that he is the only man who has stood in the top of Ararat since Noah's time.

Mr. Bryce is certainly well equipped for the duties of his new office, and his wife, who is a daughter of Thos. Ashton, of Manchester, will be a most efficient aid on the social side of diplomatic life.

HOT AIR.

There is a bountiful supply of the commodity known as "hot air" in the McBride camp just now. In the past few days we have had all the organs making a great display of the "news" that there was a revolt in the Liberal camp in Victoria, caused by the fact that Mr. McInnes was about to re-enter provincial politics; but when the organs come down to particulars, we find that the mighty "revolt" is summed up in the declarations of two gentlemen, who have been counted as Liberals, that they are satisfied with the McBride Government, and the declaration of a third, that he will henceforth cast a silent vote, as he finds that an active interference in politics hurts his business interests.

As to the latter, there is nothing to show which side he intends to support; and as to the other two, if they are satisfied with the course and conduct of the McBride Government, they are quite in the right place in the Tory ranks.

As a "revolt," the incident cuts no figure at all; but it is of a certain value as showing how desperately hard up the Government papers are for something which will serve as campaign material.

The organs can, of course, fill their columns with "hot air" if it pleases them. This is a free country and they are at liberty to indulge in all sorts of pipe dreams, and to inflict these upon their readers; but we fancy they will find—say about the second of next month—that British Columbia electors prefer facts, and also prefer the men who stick to facts.

Hon. Mr. Tatlow, Minister of Finance, has been sworn in some more as Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works—thus following the precedent set by Hon. Mr. Cotton some years ago. This nominally fills the cabinet and the Colonist says that the Government is now "complete in every detail of its organization." Reminds us of the way Paddy "completed" his blanket—by cutting a piece off the bottom and sewing it on to the top.

Experience is the best teacher. Housekeepers, who have tried them all, say WINDSOR TABLE SALT is the perfect table salt.

New Zealander Wants to Wrestle.

Charles H. Gridley of New Zealand, who has just arrived in San Francisco, is anxious to meet any wrestler in America. In a letter Gridley outlines a plan of campaign with the American championship as his aim. He says in part: "If financial backing is required to get on matches in this country none of the so called champions will find me lacking. I have plenty of backing to meet any of them, but of course I understand that a man who is unknown in this land will have to start out and make a reputation for himself. I will go to Chicago within a short time and then will post a forfeit for a meeting with any of them. Frank Gotch preferred, since he is called the real champion of this country. But in the meantime I would like to get on a meeting with some one else to show that I can hold my own and am entitled to a meeting with the best. I would like to meet Tom Jenkins of Cleveland and will bet him $2,500 on the side I can beat him. I will wrestle either catch as-catch-can or Greco-Roman."

Olcott and Howard Coach Navy.

Herman Olcott, the ex-Yale guard, and Douglass Howard, captain of the navy team last season, joined the Naval academy coaching squad. Olcott was chief assistant to Dashiell last season and helped prepare the eleven which tied with West Point. Howard did the punting for the navy for four seasons and developed into one of the longest punters among the college men. The navy is a little weak in kicking this season and will be helped by Howard's coaching.

English Rugby In Favor.

Along the Pacific coast the football situation is more chaotic than in the east or the middle west, and the University of California, Stanford, the smaller colleges and the high schools are giving serious consideration to the proposition that they have nothing to do with the "reformed" American game, but swing back to the old English Rugby form of the sport.

Another Club For Herrmann.

Garry Herrmann is reported to have opened negotiations for the purchase of the Indianapolis club. The offer is said to have been made to President Watkins of the club, and Hermann is prepared to take hold and dispose of his Toledo club, which is the object of a deal in which Manager Armour of the Detroits figures.

New Umpire For American League.

Ban Johnson has hooked a new umpire. His name is Jack Stafford, and he was with the New England league last season. It is said of Stafford that he never knows which is the home team when he is umpiring.

Matty Baldwin.

Matty Baldwin, the New England boxer, is now under the management of Johnny Mooney, who looks after the interests of Honey Mellody.

A "Bull" Defined.

You often hear of an expression called a "bull," and it may be that some of you do not understand what the term means, says the Chicago News. Webster defines it as "an expression containing an apparent congruity, but a real incongruity of ideas." Two or three examples will be better than the definition. An Irishman said to a friend who was studying for the priesthood, "I hope I may live to hear you preach my funeral sermon." A woman requested that her body be opened when she died for fear that she might be buried alive. The board of councilmen in a southern city ordered that the new jail should be built of the materials of the old jail and that the old one should be used until the new one was finished.

Beheadings.

A word which stands for a very common piece of furniture. Behead it once and you will have that which is a very necessary part of the human head. Behead it again and you will have something which is needed to sustain life.

Answer—Chair.

A word which describes an act we all perform between birth and maturity. Behead and you'll have the position in which people sit in church.

Answer.—Grow.

A word which denotes a certain condition of atmosphere. Behead and get that which no one wants to become sooner than is absolutely necessary.

Answer.—Cold.

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CROWN OF THE HOOPOE.

Legend of the Origin of the Bird's Golden Crest.

The hoopoe is found in Europe, Asia and Africa. It continually utters in soft, rapid tones a peculiar note resembling "hoop, hoop, hoop," whence its name hoopoe.

It is really a harmless, useful bird, but it is the subject of many superstitions, being regarded as ominous of evil. It is about the size of a thrush, is very elegant in appearance and is greatly admired because of its handsome crown or crest. This crown is composed of gold colored feathers of unequal lengths, having a white bar and black tips, which it can expand and depress at pleasure.

According to a pretty legend, the hoopoe received its crown as a reward for a kindly service. One very hot day, the story runs, King Solomon was journeying from one part of his vast domain to another. He had no covering over his head, and the sun's scorching rays became unbearable. At length he came up with a flock of vultures and said to them:

"Vultures, do me a kindness. Fly very close together above my head and shield me from the sun for a time as I journey."

The vultures refused outright to thus favor the king, and he then said to them:

"Vultures, because of your selfishness your heads and necks and the heads and necks of all your descendants shall from this time to the end of time be bare of feathers, and thus you will be exposed to both heat and cold."

Solomon went a little farther and overtook a flock of hoopoes, and thus addressed them:

"Little hoopoes, my head aches from having been exposed to the sun's fierce rays for several hours. Won't you hover above my head in a body to shield me from the sun and fly along with me to the end of my journey?"

The hoopoes readily consented, and so they hovered above the king's head, dovetailed themselves together and made an admirable sun shield. Thus they flew along until the end of the journey was reached, and then the king said to them:

"Little hoopoes, what favor may I confer upon you for your great kindness to me?"

One hoopoe, acting as a spokesman for the others, answered:

"If you wish to favor us, O King Solomon, ornament our necks with a circlet of beautiful golden feathers."

"Would you not rather have your heads ornamented with a beautiful golden crown?" the king asked.

"Much rather, much rather!" exclaimed the hoopoes in chorus.

"Then," said King Solomon, "your heads and the heads of all your descendants shall to the end of time be ornamented with a crown of golden feathers that shall ever be remarkable for its beauty."

Why He Hesitated.

Why does this man stand upon the pavement trembling with terror, afraid to enter his own home?

Listen and I will tell you:

This afternoon at 3 o'clock he received a letter from his bank asking him to step around and pay a note that was due. He scribbled the following answer upon a slip of paper:

"Can't possibly do it. Got to meet another little thing this afternoon that won't be put off."

About the same time a messenger boy brought him a note from his wife asking him to meet her at his office at 4 to go with her to the dentist's.

Of course he got the answers mixed, and he is wondering whether he had better attempt an explanation or set out for Australia.—Strand Magazine.

Helping Out Mamma.

About a dozen people dropped in unexpectedly at a country house in the evening, and the flattered hostess did her best in the limited time at her disposal to make a good show at the supper table.

But she had only just begun to flatter herself that things were passing off swimmingly when her youngest daughter, aged six, remarked to the gentleman next to her:

"Aren't these nice tumblers we've got, Mr. Brown? They all came from the grocer's full of marmalade. Didn't they, ma?"—London Express.

A Pedigree.

A gentleman talking to a friend about the antiquity of his family, which he carried up to Noah, was told that he was a mere mushroom.

"Ah!" said he. "How so, pray?"

"Why," replied the other, "when I was in Wales a pedigree of a particular family was shown to me. It filled about five large skins of parchment, and near to the middle of it was a note in the margin, 'About this time the world was created.'"—London Tit-Bits.

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The Daily Details

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Skates ground at George R. Speck's. Don't forget the address, Mowbray's store, P. O. box 574. Telephone 269. 2-1

A chimney fire gave the brigade a run on New Year's morning, but no serious damage was done. The horses experienced considerable difficulty in getting to the blaze, which was some distance up the hill.

The city police have in their possession a child's white cape, which was picked up on Columbia street Tuesday evening. The owner can have the article by applying at the police station and giving a description of it.

Two young men in the exuberance of their celebration of New Year's day, managed to smash one of the large panes of glass in the door of the C. P. R. station. The break was covered by a sheet of brown paper yesterday.

The thermometer registered 15 degrees below zero at Ashcroft, yesterday. At Mission the wind was causing the snow to drift considerably, and it was expected that the snow plow would have to be brought into requisition in order to keep the track clear.

Donald McLean of Coquitlam was in the city yesterday. There was a large gathering of young folks at his home on New Year's day and an old-fashioned good time was spent. Mr. McLean is one of the old timers in this part of the country and first set foot in New Westminster over 44 years ago.

There was a well attended dance in the Coquitlam municipal hall New Year's eve. The fun commenced last year and extended into this year. There was a great deal of merriment and all entered into the spirit of the occasion. The music was of a most satisfactory character and was provided by Joseph Bath's orchestra.

..C. M. Averill has purchased the Delta Creamery which went into liquidation some months ago. He has placed a butter maker in charge who is attending to the business. Mr. Averill is making periodical trips between this city and Ladner and takes the general management of both creameries.

The congregation of the West End Methodist church has received word from the Rev. Mr. Magee, the new pastor of the church, stating that he left Toronto on Dec. 26. He proposed spending a few days en route with relatives at Woolseley, Sask., and would in all probability arrive in New Westminster on Friday, Jan. 4, and take charge of the services next Sunday.

The ruins of the old cooperage which was burned down about a year ago are being pulled down, in readiness for the erection of the new blacksmithing department in connection with the Schaake Machine works. The old standing timbers have now been removed and the work of putting in the new foundation will be commenced as soon as the pattern shops and office are well under way.

Because they happened to get drunk on New Year's day, the police magistrate took a lenient view of the sins of two men who had fallen by the wayside after partaking of too many cheering cups, and allowed the two penitents to depart with a warning. Wednesday morning. Three others who had sinned and not been sorry for it, failed to answer to their names, and the treasury in the richer by the forfeiture of their bail money.

The Transient Throng.

Guichon—W. J. Little, Vancouver; W. Hall, J. H. Smith, Winnipeg; C. L. Merritt, James Eadie, J. E. Brethwaite, Vancouver; A. Twick Page, Victoria; H. Twick Page, Mrs. Kent, Glen Valley; F. B. Dixon and wife, Vancouver.

Windsor—W. D. Matheson, city; Mrs. W. Flood, Vancouver; W. Smith, Vancouver, K. Ronksley, Chilliwack; B. Baldwin, Bellingham; A. T. Giles, Calgary.

Colonial—A. C. Morensen, J. M. Roberts, Vancouver; T. J. Hemmett, Pitt River; J. Mogle, Wellington; D. Macrae, Victoria; J. R. B. Smith, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Gourlay, Seattle.

Opera House

Remember the entertaining play, "The Heir to the Hoorah," at the Opera House tomorrow night.

Fatalism With a Spring.

Two men were passing under a skyscraper in process of construction. Derricks a hundred feet above hung over the street. They were hoisting great iron beams from the sidewalk. All in all the building was a study in sudden death. One of the men remarked that he felt very ticklish in walking under such places and that as a rule he avoided them to the extent of going a block out of the way. "They never feaze me," said his companion. "I'm a fatalist. I"— A shout came from the foreman at the curb, and the speaker simply by a sort of reflex action leaped forward and scooted for safety. The friend followed him, muttering something about fatalism—with a spring in it.—New York Post.

The Last Run.

There was a vacancy in the ministry of a west highland parish, for which three candidates preached in the church on three successive Sundays. The first was diminutive in stature, the second smaller still, and the third was the smallest of all. A lady in the congregation spoke with a member of the church committee and demanded to know why such small candidates had been selected. The explanation, as a writer in the London Telegraph gives it, was this: "Weel, mum, ye see the steepends hae become very small, and they're no bringing oot such big ministers as they used to do."

In Case of Accident.

In every household should be a bottle of linseed oil and limewater, together with a roll of absorbent cotton and pieces and strips of old linen for bandages, all in a convenient place to use in case of burns.

Testing Woolens.

In testing a piece of cloth to see if it is a cotton mixture cut a small piece off and put a match to it. If it is all wool it will only singe, but if cotton is there it will flare up.

For Tired Feet.

Put a handful of common salt into four quarts of hot water, and while it is as hot as can be borne place the feet in it. Afterward rub well with a rough towel.

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Barney's Fortune

By Constance D'Arcy Mackay

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It was spring in Ballymoran, and the turf had taken on that vivid green seen nowhere beyond the shores of Ireland. The pungent peat smoke drifted lazily against the intense blue of the sky. Thrushes sang on the boughs of gnarled apple trees that skirted the low stone walls. Barney thought he never had seen the village look lovelier; but, then, as every one knew, Barney was the most happy-go-lucky lad in the parish.

A thatched cabin of one room and a couple of pigs comprised his worldly possessions; but "Light of purse and light of heart," he often said, "is better than riches and the gout." He found only one drawback in poverty, and that was that he could not ask Eileen Kearny to marry him till he had more to offer her.

Yet hope is always astir when one is young, and Barney knew that with thrift and perseverance he could lay by enough; so, rain or shine, he worked in the peat bogs with a song on his lips, for he felt that every penny he laid by was bringing Eileen nearer to him.

He thought of this exultantly as he strolled with her in the long twilights when the wind was as soft as a caress and the scent of apple blossoms came faintly on the air.

Eileen was like an apple blossom herself, to Barney's thinking. She had the same delicate coloring and a grace as airy as the swaying of a bough. Yet if she loved him she gave no sign. If she smiled on him she also smiled on his cousin Hugh, a sullen mouthed lad far more prosperous than poor Barney.

Eileen divided her favors equally, and the village looked on and wondered which man would win. Now fate seemed inclined toward one and now toward the other.

The villagers themselves inclined toward Barney. Every one liked him,

"'TIS MY HEART I'VE LOST," SHE ANSWERED.

from the barelegged children to the wrinkled women who cowered above the hearthstones.

He was a favorite, too, with his old uncle, Seamus McShane, who had left Ireland for America years before when Barney was only a bit of a lad. But his uncle wrote to him every year, and it was an accepted fact that Barney would be his heir, though the legacy was a thing of the dim future—so dim that it hardly made a background for present need.

Seamus McShane came of a sturdy long lived race. Therefore it was with a distinct shock that one fine spring morning Barney received notice of his uncle's death. The lad's first feeling was one of sorrow that Seamus should have died in a far land without either kith or kin, yet his uncle was only a memory, so it was pardonable that his next should be one of joy at the possibilities opened to him, for now he could marry Eileen. How much he had fallen heir to he did not know, but guessed it to be in the neighborhood of £40—not a large sum in itself, though it seemed like riches to the folk of that wind swept, famine ridden village.

As the news of Barney's fortune sped his popularity trebled.

"I always had a fondness for the boy," said Biddy McBride.

"'Tis a foine lad he is entoirely," agreed old Donnelly.

Barney carried himself modestly enough. He was not unduly elated at what had befallen him, though his heart sang within him at his luck, and his feet seemed scarcely to touch the earth as he went from house to house bidding his friends to the wake which he purposed having the following evening in memory of his uncle.

"'Tis no keening I want ye to do at all," he declared. "'Tis not in such mournful fashion he'd have us keep him in mind. But come and dhrink his sowl's peace with me."

No one in the village was neglected from this general invitation, and they arrived early at Barney's bare little home, where candles burned with a cheerful glow and where laughter and shuffling of feet half muffled the music played by a wandering fiddler. All the village was there save Hugh, and no one seemed to know where he had gone or what had become of him.

One of the children vouchsafed the information that he had been seen riding away from Ballymoran at a brisk canter, a piece of news to which Barney paid small heed, so engrossed was he in watching Eileen as she swung through a reel, eyes alight and step as swift as a fairy's. It seemed to Barney that he never had been so happy. He went about among his guests promising gifts to this one and that and hardly hearing the thanks they gave him in return. Presently the door opened and Hugh appeared among them.

"'Tis late ye are, avick," said Barney, "but ye're none the less welcome."

"'Tis from the postoffice I am," answered Hugh and drew from the pocket of his mud bespattered coat an official looking envelope, the seal of which was not yet broken.

"Belike it's from Uncle Seamus," Hugh went on, and the guests gathered round him, while Eileen held the candle that he might read.

Barney sat on a table near by, swinging his feet. He stole a glance at Eileen and noted the shadow the candle threw across her face and how her dark lashes swept the rose of her cheek. "Arrah, my darlint," he whispered to himself, "before this evenin's gone I'll have your promise!" Then he composed himself to listen to the letter.

It was very brief—brief as the hopes of Barney, for it was to Hugh that Seamus McShane had left his fortune. When Hugh had finished reading the letter the guests drew a long breath. Barney was the first to come forward and congratulate him.

"Shure, there's no one more deserving of it than yourself," he said steadily, but his voice was lost in the general acclaim, for Hugh had become the hero of the evening. The attentions that had formerly been showered on Barney were now lavished on him. His good fortune went to his head like wine.

"Since I'm the heir," he cried, "ye must all come home with me and drink remembrance to Uncle Seamus!" This was greeted with a shout of acquiescence. The fiddler started up "The Rocky Road to Dublin," and, singing and laughing, the guests danced out the door. A few paused long enough to say good night to their host and could not pass without a word at his expense.

"Don't forget my red petticoat," says Biddy McBride, "and the package of tay ye were for giving me."

"Nor the baccy ye promised," chuckled old Donnelly, "and the dhudheen I'll likely be smoking next week!" To which Barney answered gayly enough, smiling with set lips. He had kept up gallantly before them, yet, after all, he was only a lad, and when the last guest had gone and his cabin was deserted he sat down by the table and buried his face in his arms.

Deeper than the disappointment over the money was the thought that Eileen had gone without so much as a word. "She'll marry Hugh," groaned Barney between his teeth. "She'll marry Hugh. And, och, if there's a miserable lad in the country that same is myself!"

The door creaked on its hinges. "'Tis only the wind," thought Barney. Then something made him turn and look. Eileen stood in the doorway.

"Have ye left something?" said Barney, starting to his feet.

Eileen's eyes were very bright and tender.

"'Tis my heart I've lost," she answered.

"Hugh's a lucky lad, Eileen," said Barney, "a lucky lad, and—and—I wish ye joy, the both of yez."

"'Tis not Hugh that has my heart," cried Eileen; "'tis—ah, Barney, can ye not see—can ye not understand"—

"Shure—shure, it's never me ye mean?" gasped Barney. "Why, Eileen girl, I'm poor"— Suddenly a light broke on him, and he caught her to his heart. "No," he cried, "I'm the richest man in the whole wide wurruld!"

Thus fortune came to Barney after all.

Missed His Mark.

"You should have a good aim in life, young man."

"Oh, I have a good aim all right, but some good fellow is always joggling my elbow!"

Right In Line.

No more their dope we may despise;
The mediums have organized.
Get, therefore, to avoid a fluke,
Predictions from a union spook.

Only Keeps Time.

"This dollar watch does just as well as an expensive one."

"It wouldn't do me."

"But it keeps good time."

"Sure, but what could you get on it at a pawn shop?"

Idle Lives.

No idle life can produce a real man. A life of luxury calls out only the effeminate, destructive qualities. The creative forces are developed only by stern endeavor to better one's condition in the world.—Success Magazine.

The Lid.

Johnnie—Say, pa, who was Pandora? Johnnie's Pa—Pandora, my son, was a little girl who started a lot of trouble because she didn't keep the lid down.—Princeton Tiger.

VANCOUVER

is watching with interest the rapid strides New Westminster is making.

Investors of Vancouver are buying over here, and ARE MAKING MONEY. Every day some new deal is made public.

Dollars! Dollars! Dollars! are what we all need, and what we intend to have.

New Westminster is on the ground floor when dealing with New Westminster property.

Read, read every investment printed below. Some are such snaps that you can double your money in quick order, and not necessary to put up all the cash.

There are no two ways about it, at the present time property in the Royal City is cheap, and every deal is a bargain at present prices.

Do a Bit of Thinking!

The tidal wave has come! Get on the crest, and carry all before you.

A NEW YEAR'S SPECIAL IN SAPPERTON

A choice property has just been placed in our hands for rapid sale. Read carefully, and invest; it's a money maker.

50 Lots 45x120 in Sapperton, overlooking the Fraser River; between the Hospital, Distillery and Brunette Saw Mills, with school in center; 17 double corner lots, balance front and well located; all easily cleared; perfect river view. Corner lots **$125,** inside lots **$100.** Only 1-4 cash, bal. 6, 12 and 18 months; or terms can be arranged to suit purchaser. **INDEFEASIBLE TITLE.**

House and lot on 8th street. Lot 66x120, 6 rooms, woodshed chicken house, $1,050. Terms easy.

160 acres, Langley, 25 under cultivation; house, barn, sheds, etc. all in good repair; a snap at $3,000, half cash.

A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME!

Exclusive Sale

5 acres on 6th St., just off city limits. **$1,100,** easy terms. Fine property for subdivision or market gardening, chicken ranch or small fruit farm.

Full sized lot on Regina street, 66x132, Lot 10, Sub. 4 Lot 8. Price $150.

House and 22 feet on Columbia St. A snap at $2,600.

160 acres, Westminster district, 40 acres under cultivation, 10 acres orchard, ¾ acre strawberries planted this year; alder bottom land; running spring; house 18 x 22; frame barn 30 x 32; 14-post frame house and cow stables, three in all, stable 8 cows and 2 span horses; near Mission Station; schools, churches near at hand; steamer lands twice a day; about 100 acres timber, fir and cedar, never been logged; $2,000 refused for standing timber; carriage house 16 x 24; hen house made of hewed timber laid in mortar, 12 x 30. A chance of a lifetime, $8,000, $4,000 cash, balance at 6 per cent.

FINE BUNGALOW FOR SALE

In best residential portion of New Westminster, east end; close to car; 6 large rooms and large reception hall; modern in every respect; 2 full lots 132 x 132, all in lawn, laid out with shrubs and flowers; tennis court on one side. Price **$2,500.** Terms $600 cash, bal. on mortgage.

House and lot, 50 x 133, back of brewery, facing Columbia St. Rents for $24.00 per month. Price $1,200, half cash, balance in six months. You cannot possibly get a higher percentage for your money than 14 per cent.

Orphanage

One acre back of the Orphanage. **$800** cash. For full particulars apply at once.

Another of Our Snaps.

320 acres near Cloverdale; one mile from school. 40 acres cropped this year. 30 acres slashed, easily cleared. Best prairie land. Frame house, 6 rooms, plastered; large barn, chicken house, woodshed, etc., etc. Only $6,400. terms easy.

Snap in Lots.

Three lots, less 16 feet, corner of Sixth street and Fifth avenue. Just $1,000, terms easy.

Vacant lots for sale in all parts of the city, from $25.00 to $3,000

80 acres, one mile from Abbotsford, 10 acres cleared, good soil, 220 fruit trees, price $1,400, half cash, balance in three equal payments at reasonable interest.

Seven-roomed house, Seventh street, near Fifth avenue, two storeys, full sized lot, $1,600.

150 acres improved land, buildings and sheds complete, near Cloverdale; all under cultivation, $15,000. If you can handle this, don't delay; it's a bargain; terms can be arranged.

Furnished house to rent; 10 rooms; close in; $25 per month.

Or, will sell the house and 22 ft. on Columbia St. for $2,600; $1,000 cash, bal. in two years.

160 acres good farm land in Delta, about 3½ miles from river, near Scott road, $12 per acre; a real good buy.

160 acres, N.E. ¼ section 19, township 10, Langley; small house, 30 acres cleared, timber valued $750. Price $1,500, one-third cash, balance at 7 per cent.

House and 1½ lots, 5 rooms, price $1,375, half cash, balance to be arranged at 6 per cent.; Alice street.

40 acres near Mud Bay, $7 per acre; see us for fuller particulars.

James Inlet, three square miles, at $6.00 per acre, half cash, balance easy.

LOTS LOTS LOTS

LOTS OF LOTS

all over the city for sale from $50 to $3,000.

See us immediately. Tell us where you want a lot and we can supply.

Lot No. 10, full size, on Agnes street, all cleared and fenced, ready for building; a real good speculation for $600. Half lot No. 7, $250.

160 acres on the Scott road, 15 acres cleared; barn 50 x 30; stables, etc.; splendid soil; only $30 per acre, $1,000 cash, balance easy.

Between Fifth and Sixth avenues, near Seventh street, eight rooms, all modern, stable and chicken house, full sized lot, two storeys, $1,000 cash, $2,500.

Three full-sized lots, cleared and fenced, close to car; corner of Fourth avenue and Third street; a good speculation; five minutes from post office; $1,800; easy terms.

160 acres in Surrey, 5 acres cleared, fenced on road side, $1,800, half cash, balance on time at 6 per cent., subject to sale of timber.

House on Brantford St., rents $15 per month. Will sell for **$1,500.** Terms $750 cash, bal. easy.

. . . . s in Victoria, are you moving?

4 room cottage, water lavatory, back kitchen; barn 20x25; size of lot, 40x140; fenced and cleared; only $1,200. Easy terms. Enquire at once for fuller particulars.

Full sized lot, No. 12 Third avenue and 13th street, north side. $300 easy terms.

17 lots, full sized on 6th street, in Burnaby, East side 100 yards from Cliff Can factory. Price $1,020.

House on Royal and Eighth street, two storeys, seven rooms, full sized lot, $2,000.

20 acre blocks, fruit lands, near Junction, $20 per acre.

480 acres, Maple Ridge, Sections 28, 29 and 32, Township 9, one-half prairie, rest brush and some small trees. Prices: Section 32, $45 per acre; Section 29, $60 per acre; Section 28, $55 per acre. Telephone at Hammond; telegraph station, Pitt River Bridge. Terms, half cash, balance one and two years at 7 per cent. Exclusive agency.

Does It Pay?

160 acres, 10 ac. cleared, without a stump in them; nearly all planted with fruit trees, apples, pears, plums, cherries. Small house; barn and stable 30x56; good well; half-mile from school. Only **$10** per ac. and terms easy at that.

67 acres, Hornby Ranch, Nickomekl, house cost $2,500 when built, 20 acres cleared. Price only $3,000, half cash, balance easy.

80 acres of land near Sutherland's mill, in Surrey; good house, 6 acres cleared; only $1,000, easy terms.

8-roomed house, all modern improvements, fine location, corner of Fourth street and Agnes, $5,000, one half cash. A comfortable home and good family residence.

Eight-roomed house, all modern conveniences, on Carnarvon street and Sixth street, two storeys, $3,750.

House and lot on Agnes street, two storeys, seven rooms; a real snap at $2,500.

Large lot and two cottages on Columbia street, Sapperton. Both rented at $10 each.

Five cottages and two lots on First street, opposite Queen's park. Price $7,000.

One and a half lots, Sapperton, just off Columbia street and Brunette, only $1,000. Terms to be arranged.

160 acres, all fenced, ready for cultivation, good water, half mile from school, at Chilliwack, $75 per acre.

8 and 10 acre blocks in Surrey, three miles from the river, $10 per acre.

Part of lot 369, joins Lake Commur, about 70 acres, only $25 per acre. Half cash. Jump.

60 acres good fruit land in Surrey; can be bought now for $25 per acre, only one-quarter cash needed, balance in one or two years at 7 per cent.

64 acres in Pitt Meadows, only $35 per acre. One third cash, balance at 6 per cent.

Double tenement house, 5 rooms in each house, water, light, full size lot, between First and Second street, Fourth avenue, on north side. Price $1,500, half cash, balance in one year at 6 per cent.

For Quick Sale

Lots 2, 3, 4 & 5 in Block 22, corner of Royal Ave. and 11th St., next to Pipe works; **$1,050** each, half cash, bal. easy. A splendid speculation, about the best on offer to-day. Can be bought separately or en bloc.

2 lots, corner 5th street and 5th avenue; size of lot 100x100. Corner lot. Can be bought at once for $450 inside lot $400. Good snap.

168 acres, Coquitlam, 10 acres cleared, near Black's ranch, $2,000.

House and lot, 33 x 100, 1½-storey situated near Queen's avenue, $1,150. **It's up to you to stop paying rent.**

One hundred and sixty acres N. W. ¼ Sec. 15, Township 11, two miles from Fort Langley, 5 acres slashed, No. 1 land. Price, **$10 per acre.** One third cash, balance on time, 7 per cent interest.

One hundred and sixty acres, N.W. ¼ Sec. 25, Township 16, 2½ miles from Abbotsford, creek running through, 50 acres alder bottom, said to be $600 worth of timber on the property. Price **$10 per acre,** ½ cash balance on time.

Business Opportunity

Bakery and Confectionery business for sale. A splendid opportunity for good man. Shop, house and stable rents for $25. Lease, **$700** cash for business.

Ten acres in Lot 463, one mile east of Westminster Junction, A1 soil, easily cleared. $30 per acre.

Two storied house, 7 rooms, bath, sewer connections, all modern improvements, splendid locality, $2,800. Terms arranged.

1½-storey house, six rooms, price $500, easy terms; near car line; centrally located.

House, corner of Fifth avenue and Sixth street, one lot, two storeys, 8 rooms, $2,500, half cash.

Boarding house, 20 rooms, on Sixth street, one block from post office, rents at $30 per month, or for sale at $4,500.

House, eight rooms, on St. George street, corner Fourth, $2,500; easy terms.

House, full sized lot, on Keary street, Sapperton; rents for $10 per month. Only $1,050.

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80 acres in Matsqui Municipality, 4-room house, chicken house; one ac. cleared; good well, purest water. **$1,000.** Chance of a lifetime.

160 acres in Surrey, near Brown & Coulthard's ranch, $7 per acre; good terms; fruit lands; see us for particulars.

House, 10 rooms, 1½ lots, near Fourth avenue and Seventh street, $2,000. Terms can be arranged.

135 acres, one mile from Huntingdon, B.C., 70 acres in grass, 15 acres drained and fenced; house and barn cost $2,500; good road along one side; price $50 per acre, half cash, balance to suit purchaser at 6 per cent. Reason for selling, the owner's wife is in bad health, and has to go to a cold climate.

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

SECRET SOCIETIES

UNION LODGE, NO. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular meeting of this is held on the First Wednesday in each month, at 8 o'clock p. m., in the Masonic Temple. Sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend. Dr. W. A. DeWolf Smith, Secretary.

KING SOLOMON LODGE, NO. 17, A. F. & A. M.—Regular communications of this lodge are held on the second Tuesday in each month in Masonic Temple, at 8 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. D. W. Gilchrist, Sec.

ROYAL CITY PRECEPTORY, No. 459 R. B. K. of L., meets fourth Friday of each month, at 8 p. m., in Orange hall, corner of Royal avenue and 7th street. Sojourning Sir Knights cordially invited to attend. W. E. Dunlop, W P.; J. Hood, Reg.

LOYAL ORANGE LODGE, NO. 1150—Meets in Orange hall first and third Friday in each month at 8 p m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. E. E. Matthias W. M.; J. Humphries, Rec.-Sec.

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. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. A. P. Halladay, N.G.; W. C. Coatham, Rec. Sec.

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, C. S. Corrigan, recorder; Louis Witt, master 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. B. Stinchcombe, Pres., H. Disney, Secretary.

COURT BRUNETTE, No. 4099, I.O.F.—Meets the Fourth Friday in the month at 8 o'clock, in the small hall, Oddfellows' block. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend. J. B. Rushton, C. R.; F. P Maxwell, R. S.

COURT ROYAL COLUMBIA, No. 8808 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 cordialy invited to attend. E. C. Firth, C. R.; F. P. Maxwell, Sec.

THE ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE meet every Wednesday at 8 o'clock p. m., in Oddfellows' Hall, Columbia street. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend, Geo. Burr, S. C.; N. R. Brown, Sec.

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. John McNiven Chief; J. J. Forrester, Rec. Sec.

FARMS!

WE HAVE THEM in all sizes from one acre up to one thousand, and at prices ranging from $5.00 up to $500.00. HERE ARE A FEW:

202.—144 acres; east side of Scott road about 1½ miles from New Westminster. Price $2,200.

208—24 acres in South Westminster about 3 acres have been logged and burned; frame of house worth about $200; about 2 miles from New Westminster. Price $600; ½ cash, balance on terms to suit purchaser.

209—Surrey; 690 acres; very fair soil; divided into 10 acres lots; two of the lots front on Scott road; will make excellent fruit or poultry farm; near market; 3½ miles from city. Price $15 per acre; easy terms to parties improving.

212—160 acres in Surrey; this land fronts on the Scott road and is five miles from S. Westminster; there are some 40 acres of fairly good land on east end of lot; while the pile timber is valuable on the balance, and is not subject to royalty for stumpage, this being one of the old C.G.'s. Reasonable terms.

215—40 acres; unimproved; ½ mile back from Scott road; good soil; will make a good cheap home for the right man. Price $10 per acre.

216—504 acres; Surrey; eight miles from town; there is a commodious dwelling house and barn on this property; some 15 or 20 acres have been improved; orchard, etc.; splendidly located; several fine springs of water flow across the land; the Serpentine river is immediately adjoining; the whole tract constitutes the making of one of the finest stock and dairy farms in the province; nearly all level bottom land and readily brought into cultivation; easily cleared, and when reclaimed would sell readily for $100 per acre. Price as it stands $40 per acre; immediate possession.

300—160 acres; no improvements; situated about five miles from New Westminster and 1½ miles from Mud Bay. $10 per acre.

400—160 acres. $1,600, on reasonable terms; practically no improvements; new railroad runs close to this property.

402—140 acres; 1½ miles from New Westminster. Offer wanted.

404—160 acres; all under cultivation; new house and barn; everything in first class condition. Price $125 per acre.

405—160 acres; 5 miles from New Westminster and 1½ miles from Mud Bay. Offers Wanted.

501—40 acres; this land is situated near Point Roberts in Delta municipality; unimproved; good soil; timber land; good road; 4½ miles from Ladner's Landing; will make nice place when improved. Price $10 per acre ¼ cash, balance can be arranged to suit, interest 6 per cent.

719—Kensington Prairie; 160 acres; this place fronts on the Clover Valley road; good soil, easy brought in; very little improvement, but land is very open; good pasture; this is a good investment for a practical man. Price $30 per acre; terms to suit purchaser.

720—Kensington Prairie; 79½ acres; this is a most excellent proposition; first class land; deep vegetable deposit; good water; 40 acres under good cultivation; balance very fair pasture; well fenced; school on corner of lot; buildings consist of dwelling 24x30, 1½ storey, 6 rooms, in good repair; new barn 66x70, well built and fitted; poultry houses, cabins, sheds; immediate possession Price $65 per acre; cash preferred, but terms can be arranged for part.

724—160 acres; soil on south light well adapted to sheep and fruit raising; north side soil stronger, will produce clover in abundance; small clearing; house and barn; orchard, etc.; school, church, post office and store convenient; Great Northern railway, Cloverdale, 2½ miles. Price $1,000.

800—160 acres; about 50 acres cash; balance open land that the mower can run over; school house ¼ mile distant; house fairly comfortable; other buildings of nominal value. Price $4,000; terms can be arranged.

801—Business and property for sale; six acres of land; house, six rooms; barn, 45x25 feet; sheds, chicken house with covered run; land all cleared; part orchard and part garden. Price, for land and building, $2,500. Fairly good stock of general merchandise can be purchased if desired.

802—110 acres; house and barn on high land. Price $2,200.

806—320 acres; near Clover Valley post office.

807—80 acres; Nicomekl river runs through this property; 1½ miles from Surrey Centre post office; no improvements. Offer wanted.

808—160 acres; this is a most desirable property; Port Kells station, Great Northern Railway, is on adjoining lot; steamboat landing, school, church, store, post office, convenient; 9½ miles from city of New Westminster; several acres cleared; house, sheds, etc.; as this property lies so conveniently to market, it is very suitable for poultry farms; good soil. Price $2,000.

812—160 acres; 1 mile from Cloverdale; log house; some 10 acres cleared and under cultivation; some fencing; corner lot; good roads; some cedar and fir timber. Price $1,250; cash $1,000, balance terms to suit.

814—150 acres; this is a fine farm, well improved, in good neighborhood; 140 acres improved; dwelling, barns, sheds, hog pens, root house; land all laid down to grass; Cloverdale station, G. N. R., on property; 11 miles from New Westminster; good roads, school, churches, mills. Price $14,000; terms $5,000 cash, balance $1,000 per year, interest 6 per cent.

819—Surrey Centre; 80 acres; this is a piece of land, excellently situated, a large portion of which is good soil and easily cleared; the other portion is lighter soil, but has a large portion of valuable timber worth $1,500, which is now being hauled to the sawmill; there is a fine new 7-roomed house; also sheds; good well; small clearing. Price $2,000; terms on part.

820—80 acres; this is a splendid location; corner; first-class soil;; practically 40 acres cleared and under cultivation; good house, buildings; good water; 10¼ miles from town; good roads; 1 mile from Cloverdale village; churches, school, municipal hall, stores, post office, all adjoining; G.N.R. 1 mile, etc. Price $4,500; terms easy.

822—160 acres; light soil, when cleared will make a good sheep farm; school, church, post office and store convenient; Port Kells and Clayton each three miles away. Price $10 per acre.

824—60 acres; 7¾ miles from city, good soil; unimproved. Price $10 per acre.

825—160 acres; this is very fertile land, well situated and practically the nearest good agricultural land, on the Surrey side, to the city; it is distant eight miles; good road; unimproved; will make one of the finest farms in the district; all bottom land. Price $40 per acre.

902—150 acres good land; 8 acres cleared and in good cultivation; good orchard, selected fruits; ½ mile from steamboat landing; ¾ mile from station, G.N.R.; large quantity of valuable timber; dwelling house 24x24, 3 rooms; barn and stable, woodshed; poultry house, root house. Price $15 per acre; terms ½ cash, balance to arrange 6 per cent. interest.

903—90 acres; Langley municipality; ¼ mile from river; this is a piece of land well worth looking after, and should be readily taken up; will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Price $12.50 per acre.

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PEOPLE OF THE DAY

Pioneer In Our New Diplomacy.

Professor John William Burgess, whose recent speech at Berlin attracted wide attention in German official and scholastic circles, is the first incumbent of the Theodore Roosevelt professorship of American history and institutions at the University of Berlin. In his address, which was made in the presence of the emperor, Professor Burgess said:

"In my first meeting with the president after my appointment to this professorship it pleased him to address me as an ambassador of peace, friendship and civilization.

"He gave proof through this that he recognized and appreciated the great idea which his majesty, the highly gifted and magnanimous German emperor, gave to the world."

On Jan. 1, 1905, the German emperor said to Ambassador Tower, who had called to present New Year congratulations:

"I wish that an arrangement could be made under which American professors could come to our universities and deliver courses of lectures each year and for German professors to go to American universities and deliver lectures there."

JOHN WILLIAM BURGESS.

Columbia university took the first step toward a general system of cooperative education between the large universities of Europe and America. The Columbia trustees nominated John William Burgess, Ph. D., LL. D., Ruggles professor of political science and constitutional law and dean of the faculty of political science in Columbia university, and his appointment was made by the Prussian minister of education. In return the German government established at Columbia university a professorship of German history and institutions. It is expected that in the near future similar professorships will be established at other European universities, especially at Paris and London.

The Kaiser's Politeness.

A story is being told to the effect that Emperor William while on a hunting expedition lately in north Germany took breakfast at the castle of a young newly married couple.

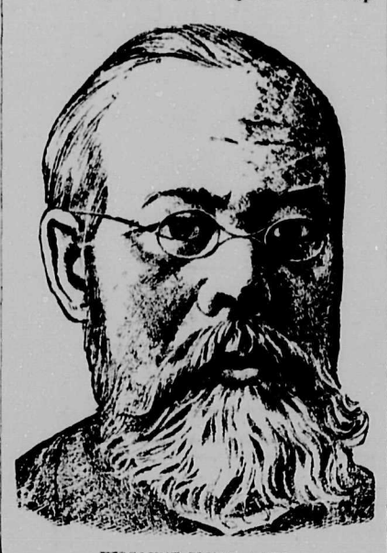
The soup was served en tasse (in a cup), and the kaiser, who was busily engaged in conversation, asked the servant for milk and sugar, thinking it was tea.

The hostess was too shy to call attention to the mistake. The milk and sugar were brought in and the kaiser added them to the soup. When he sipped it he discovered his mistake, but rather than embarrass the hostess he heroically drank the whole lot.

The Japanese Incident.

Viscount Siuzo Aoki, Japanese ambassador at Washington, who recently protested against the exclusion of Japanese children from the schools of San Francisco, is the first diplomat of highest rank to represent the mikado in this country.

The San Francisco incident, it is believed, will not lessen the cordiality of the relations that now exist between the two governments. The Japanese are said to be fully aware that the San Francisco troubles proceed from local conditions and do not indicate a national prejudice on our part. The Japanese people are sincerely desirous of maintaining good relations with the Americans. They have the greatest respect for President Roosevelt and are satisfied that under his direction the American government will do what is right. Viscount Aoki is about sixty years old and has had long experience as a diplomat, having served his country both in England and Germany. He has also been minister of foreign affairs at Tokyo. In his youth he studied in Germany and was married in that country to the Baroness von Rahden, a German lady. The Aokis have a daughter who is married to a German.



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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Matter intended for this column should be addressed, "Social Editor, Daily News, P. O. Box 402, New Westminster."

Mr and Mrs. F. J. Lynch entertained a number of their friends at dinner on New Year's evening. A most enjoyable time was spent by the assembled guests.

W. Hall and J. H. Smith, of Winnipeg, arrived in the city yesterday morning. They will remain here some tim before returning east.

Mr. and Mrs. Dourlay, of Seattle, are spending a few days in the city.

Rev. Dr. Sipprell has returned home from his eastern visit.

H. Major, of the Provincial court house staff is able to be about again after a somewhat severe illness.

J. B. Kennedy, M. P., will leave today for Ottawa where he expects to arrive in time for the re-opening of parliament after the Christmas vacation.

His worship the Mayor and Mrs. Keary, entertained at dinner on New Year's evening. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. M. N. Woods, Mrs. C. E. Woods, Miss Martin, Dr. and Miss Dougherty, Dr. and Mrs J. Harold Jones, Mr. Glover and Mr. W. C. McQuarrie.

The Quidquid Libet club took advantage of "the beautiful" to invite a few of their friends to a sleighing party last night, and a very merry crowd were packed into one of Belyea's big sleighs, drawn by four horses and driven out as far as Central Park. On their return the evening was finished very pleasantly with a little dance at the residence of Mrs. McColl. Among those present were Mrs. E. M. N. Woods, Miss Freese, Miss Vera Corbould, Misses Eleanor and Gertrude Brown, Miss Mabel Fletcher, Miss Veda Leamy, Miss Lillooet Armstrong, Miss Violet Ladner, Miss Nora Armstrong, Miss Alma Lewis, Miss Josephine Martin, Messrs. Roy English, Frank Bilodeau, Angus McColl, Sholto CcColl, Harold Fletcher, Hamilton Harrison, Oswald Peele and Dick Baker.

Master Carrall Rand was at home to a number of his young friends yesterday afternoon.

W. G. Lyall and Mrs Lyall of Carberry, Manitoba, are the guests of Mr. Lyall's parents, Mr. and Mrs George Cassidy of this city.

J. King, formerly teacher of the Port Moody school, left yesterday for Arrowhead, where he will take charge of the public school.

Miss Cochrane, formerly of the local teaching staff, left yesterday for Red Deer, Alta., to take charge of a school there.

Miss Jennie Trotter, of Moulton College, Toronto, is spending a few days in the city with relatives.

T. J. Holmes of Detroit, who is interested in the fish industry, was a visitor in the city yesterday and is trying to make arrangements for regular shipments of British Columbia salmon to Detroit during the summer months.

THE TRUE TEST.

It's easy enough to be cheerful and gay
When money and favors are coming your way,
When friends are as plenty as leaves on the trees
And people who meet you endeavor to please.
When things run like that
You laugh and grow fat
And see in your bills little more than a joke.
It's harder, you'll find, to be happy though broke.

When into your auto you jump for a ride
And over the roadway a runaway glide
And light at the corner to rest for a spell
In front of a place with refreshments to sell,
Then any one could
Cheer up and be good.
It's not—and I can from experience speak—
So nice when you walk and have corns on your feet.

It's easy to say, "It's a jolly old world,"
When snug in your home by the fireside curled
You sit with a fragrant cigar in your face
Allowing your fancies in cloudland to chase
And bear on their wings
Good luck and such things,
But who could be buoyant without a red cent
If pressed by the landlord and back or the rent?

If you have a job and a sweet little wife
It's easy to talk of the fullness of life,
To wonder why every one cannot agree
That living is quite what it's cracked up to be.
If nothing goes wrong
You tear off a song
And wonder how any one living can croak.
It's harder, you'll find, to be happy though broke.

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We beg to thank our numerous real estate and general clients for their past patronage, and to express the hope that relations that have been so unusually pleasant and satisfactory may be continued during the ensuing year. We have done a large volume of business with the public during the year now closing, involving some large real estate transfers. Many of these deals were with clients who have been business friends for years, and many new accounts have been opened with people sent to us by satisfied clients. To those who read this card of thanks, and who are not clients of ours ,we can safely promise satisfactory business relations if our services as real estate, financial and insurance experts are employed. We extend to all our best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

F. J. HART & CO., Ltd.